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Gentlemen,

I duly received Mr. Ives' letter of the 27th ult. respecting the chain cables supplied to Messrs. Chr. Ruthof's steamers Nos. 420 - 424, and in reply thereto I have to inform you that from the weight given in Table 31 of the specification for 8/16" and 9/16" short link chain cable it will be seen that the weight of the chain cable supplied for these vessels is about equal to the weight required by the specification for a chain cable 30/64" in diameter instead of the weight corresponding to its actual diameter of 33/64".

In these circumstances it is regretted that the chain cable supplied cannot be approved for the figure 1.

I am, Gentlemen,

Your obedient Servant,

Secretary.

Surveyors,

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