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Lloyd's Register of Shipping,

71, Fenchurch Street, E.C. 3.

13th instant, enclosing a communication from Messrs. Swan,
15th November, 1935.

Dear Sirs,

3. I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 13th instant, enclosing one from Messrs. Swan, Hunter & Wigham Richardson, Ltd. respecting the account which has been rendered to them for the fee for the survey of the electrical appliances of the new twin screw steamer "UMTATA".

The point raised by the Builders has been under consideration, and I have to inform you that, in view of the fact that they state the date of their contract for the building of the vessel was December, 1934, the Committee will agree to the fee being charged in accordance with the scale in existence prior to April, 1935.

You will therefore be good enough to render an amended account accordingly.

I am, Dear Sirs,

Yours faithfully,

Copies "E" & "T" Depts.

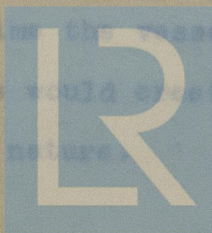
Secretary.

Shipbuilders' contention that the lower fee should be charged.

The Surveyors, agree at the time the vessel was constructed.

for, at NEWCASTLE-ON-TYNE. this would state a precedent for

any future cases of a similar nature.



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