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Communications to  
addressed to  
SURVEYORS.

Bear Sir,

s.s. "ASTER", "GIGLIO" and "PRIMULA" . -

As requested by Mr. N. G. Turnbull, Mr. Aureli and I interviewed Mr. Mazza, at Mr. Rippon's Office, yesterday afternoon, with a view to coming to some definite arrangement regarding the classification of the above vessels . -

The first question that was brought forward was that of the expense incurred by our survey fees, owing to the high rate of exchange . - In this respect it was pointed out that the L.R. fees, in four years, would not, as far as we could judge, exceed those of the R.I. and B.C., which dual classification these vessels now hold, and that this total only represented a very small percentage of the vessels upkeep . -

The great advantage that the L.R. classification would entail, owing to the fact that we have exclusive Surveyors stationed all over the world, was also prominently brought before Mr. Mazza's notice . -

We, personally, consider that the great stumbling block to an agreement being arrived at is the question of carrying out joint surveys with the R.I. Surveyors, in order to avoid the double expense of preparing the vessels for survey at different

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.. "ASTER", "GIGLIO" and "PRIMULA" - (Continued)

times . - In relation to this, Mr. Mazza has promised to furnish us with all particulars as to when these vessels become due for R.I. survey, in order that you may be able to give the question your careful consideration, with a view to combining the surveys, even if it should entail the vessels being rather overdue for L.R. survey . - We will forward the particulars as soon as they are sent to this Office, after which the Committee could place before Mr. Mazza any proposal they think fit, and upon the strength of this proposal, Mr. Mazza has promised to give a definite decision . -

We judged, from the tone of the interview, that should the Committee be prepared to meet Mr. Mazza in the question of joint surveys, he would probably consider the advisability of dropping the B.C. class . -

We are, Dear Sir,

Yours faithfully,  
The Surveyors to Lloyd's Register

*C. Norman Stuart*

The Secretary,  
LONDON . -



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Referred to the Chief ~~S~~<sup>N</sup> Surveyor,  
and the Chief Engineer Surveyor.



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Also for Mr. S. A. Hill to note,  
and for Mr. Magyne to note

*Submitted promised  
communication to  
and dated  
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The Secretary

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The B.C. cases. -  
The Board would probably consider the advertisement of providing  
the committee be directed to meet Mr. Hesse in the discussion of being  
the subject from the time of the investigation, that should the

a definite decision. -  
the attention of this Board, Mr. Hesse has proposed to give  
could have before Mr. Hesse any proposed they study it, and when  
as they are sent to this office, after which the Committee  
each one for R.L. Hesse. - We will forward the materials as soon  
the analysis, even if it should entail the work being taken  
direction you could investigation, with a view to comparing  
for it, and in order that you may be able to give the  
as all the materials as to when these reports become the  
subject. - In reference to this, Mr. Hesse has proposed to maintain

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"ORIGINAL" "AMOUNT" - (continued)



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