

DISCLOSED
SECTION

No.

Steamer	"DINNAMARE".	No. 425 in R.B.	4137 tons.
"	"MASANIELLO".	No. 737 "	6366 "
"	"POSILLIPO".	No. 941 "	5965 "
"	"SAN GIORGIO".	No. 380 "	5970 "
"	"SAN GIOVANNI".	No. 383 "	5967 "
"	"SICANIA".	No. 1185 "	4381 "

Owners, "Transoceanica" Societa Italiana di Navigazione, of Naples

In reply to an enquiry of the Society's Surveyors at Genoa regarding survey, the Surveyors enclose a letter, dated 30th July, from the Owners stating that they have resolved to take the steamers from the Society's classification. The Society's Surveyors add that this Company, which has taken over the vessels of Messrs. Peirce Brothers of Messina, is now under the direction of the son of one of the former proprietors. The late Mr. Peirce retained the steamers in class in opposition to his son and the Superintendent, who maintained that Lloyd's Register was too strict, and that the classification of the Registro Nazionale was sufficient for them. On Mr. Peirce's death the present decision appears to have been arrived at, and the Society's Surveyor at Naples - whose opinion has been asked - states that he believes the decision is final, as in his experience there has been the greatest difficulty in getting the Owners and Superintendent to carry out the requisite surveys for some time past.

The Classing Committee had the cases before them on Tuesday, 10th instant, when it was decided to withdraw the classification of the steamers and insert three dots (. . .) in lieu, indicating withdrawal of class at Owners' request.

12th September, 1918.

General Committee
Thursday, 12th September, 1918

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