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8th March, 1940.

Dear Sirs,

Yard No.1347.
Equipment.

I have to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 7th instant regarding dispensing of the third Bower Anchor in the above vessel. With regard thereto I have to inform you that in view of the difficulty being experienced in obtaining anchors, the Admiralty (Merchant Shipbuilding Branch) propose that as a war emergency measure the third bower anchor be dispensed with in vessels building or licensed to be built on their behalf. This has been approved by the Committee on the understanding that, if and when, the Ships are engaged in ordinary peaceful merchant pursuits the equipment will be made in accordance with the requirements of the Rules.

This will apply to your Yard No.1347 which it is understood from Mr. Cotton, is being built under license on behalf of the Admiralty (Merchant Shipbuilding Branch).

I am, Dear Sirs,

Yours faithfully,

Messrs. Wm. Denny & Bros. Ltd.,
DUMBARTON.



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