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**Lloyd's Register of Shipping,**

71, Fenchurch Street, E.C.

21st July, 1916.

Dear Sirs,

I am duly in receipt of your letter of the 15th instant, respecting the case of your steamer "BAKU STANDARD", and have noted the contents.

As it is understood that part of the Special Survey No.2 is being carried out on the Tyne at the present time, the Committee have deferred the further consideration of the case, pending the receipt of the Surveyors' report.

I am, Dear Sirs,

Yours faithfully,

*Coppy Newcastle*  
Secretary.

Messrs. The Associated Oil Carriers, Limited,  
10, Mark Lane,  
E. C.