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Dear Mr. Balfour,

I have your note of the 20th regarding the tug
"SPARKLER" and quite appreciate your remarks.

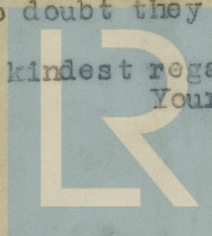
In actual fact we shall be omitting all reference
to the tug on the reprint of the Register Book which has now
commenced, as it is not our practice to include any but
classed ships when they are under the direct control of the
Admiralty.

We have had quite a number of similar cases recently
so that we have instituted a practice of deleting the class in
the present Book and omitting all particulars of the ship on
reprint. This is now actually posted in the case under review
so that I am afraid we cannot alter it.

Please assure Messrs. Cooper, however, that they have
been treated in precisely similar fashion in accordance with
standard practice and I have no doubt they will be quite
satisfied.

With kindest regards,
Yours sincerely,

W.M. Balfour, Esq.,
BELFAST.



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