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FURNESS SHIPBUILDING Co., LIMITED.

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HAVERTON HILL-on-TEES,

BILLINGHAM. CO. DURHAM.

For attention of Mr. L. Ripley.

5th November, 1945.

Lloyd's Register of Shipping,  
Lloyds Bank Chambers,  
MIDDLESBROUGH.

Dear Sirs,

Whale Factory Vessel No.388.

As a matter of interest, we have sent on to you per Mr. Stuart, a part of a cast iron Tee Piece which unfortunately fractured whilst the line was under pressure. The line had been in operation on the two previous days and the casting fractured on the third day at the time steam was admitted to the line.

We shall be pleased if you will make a thorough microscopical examination of the broken casting and if possible

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a chemical analysis and mechanical test. The working conditions were explained to Mr. Stuart during his visit here to-day, and we enclose herewith a line diagram of the steam pipe and casting for your information.

Yours faithfully,  
for FURNESS SHIPBUILDING CO. LTD.,

(Sgd) J. McGovern.

Managing Director.

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