



C. E. WILKS,
SURVEYOR.

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5, Hamilton Terrace,

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Reference

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Steam Trawler "BARDOLPH"

Dear Sir,

I had an interview with the Manager yesterday, he told me the Naval authorities had requisitioned the Vessel, and she is now being transformed into a Boom Defence, he had no say in the matter.

The Dockyard Inspector for Boilers, told me the Boiler was good, also the S/T "Thomas Connolly" now being transformed for similar work, in my opinion they will never be Trawlers again, it would be cheaper to build a **NEW** Trawler than to put them as they were before alterations,

I am, Dear Sir

The Secretary,
London.

Yours faithfully

C. E. Wilks



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I am, Dear Sir,

Very much interested to hear that you are going to publish a
new book on the subject of the "Black Book" and the "White Book".
I am sure it will be a most valuable contribution to the history of the
country.

The "Black Book" and the "White Book" are two of the most
important documents in the history of the country. They are
the only documents of the kind which have survived.

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Yours truly,



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