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Lloyd's Register of Shipping.

71, Fenchurch Street, E.C. 3.

10th February, 1920.

Dear Sirs,

S. Reverting to my letter of the 6th November last, to which I do not appear to have been favoured with a reply, relative to the classification in this Society's Register Book of your steam trawlers "RIO MINHO", "RIO TEJO", "RIO VOUGA" and "RIO ZEZEPE", I beg to acquaint you that the Committee have again had the subject under their consideration, and that as it appears from a communication received from the Society's Lisbon Surveyor that it is not your intention to submit the vessels to the Special Surveys for which they are now long overdue, the Committee have had no alternative but to expunge their characters from the Register Book with a red line, indicating non-compliance with the Society's Rules.

I have at the same time to add that the vessels will be eligible to be recommended to the Committee for the reinstatement of their characters in the Society's Register Book upon receipt of satisfactory reports from the Society's Surveyors to the effect that all requisite surveys and repairs have been carried out.

Messrs. Empresa Central de
Pesca Vapor, Ltda.,

LISBON, Portugal.

I am, Dear Sirs,
Yours faithfully,

Secretary.