

Other to my let  
the R.F.A. "APPLE"  
the Committee have had before  
Society's Surveyors at Sunderland  
of this vessel in drydock, from  
Examination has been carried out  
and the Boiler Survey held.

The Surveyors report  
in the forward boilers have been  
fitted on distorted furnaces in  
and it is recommended the furnaces  
boilers of the after section be examined or renewed  
end of September next. In view, however, of the  
this vessel will be used as a mobile store ship in Iceland  
and that it will be possible to arrange for only one section  
of the boilers to be used at any one time, the Committee  
will not object, if this is done, to the examination or  
renewal of the furnaces of the port and starboard boilers  
being deferred until some time before the end of March 1946.

As a result of the examination of the vessel now  
carried out the Committee have assigned the notation "Examined  
3,45" to enable the vessel to operate in her special  
employment in Iceland for twelve months from that date, but  
have done this on the understanding that cofferdams No. 2, 3  
and 4 will not be used for water ballast and that all  
necessary repairs will be effected before the vessel resumes  
her normal sea-going services.

I am, Dear Sir,  
Yours faithfully,

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Classification Committee.

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