

*Mr. Tientsin*

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Lloyd's Register of Shipping.

71, Fenchurch Street, E.C.

13th May 1916.

H. Dear Sirs,

With reference to the classification in this Society's Register Book of the steamer "TUNG LING" I beg to acquaint you that a communication in regard to the survey of the screw shaft which became due at the end of September last was addressed to you from this office on the 11th November to which no reply has been received. In the circumstances the Committee who had the case before them at their meeting to-day direct me to request that you will kindly state for their information what definite arrangements you propose making to have the survey, now long overdue, carried out in order to entitle the vessel to retain her class.

Awaiting the favour of your early reply,

I am, Dear Sirs,

Yours faithfully,

Secretary,

Messrs The Hai Ho Conservancy Commission,

Tientsin.