



# Lloyd's Register of Shipping,

Enclosures.

95, Bothwell Street,

Glasgow, C.2. 25th October, 1943.

Dear Sir,

Concrete Barges "ST. ANNE" and "ST. ASAPH".

reference

S.S.

I am in receipt of your letter of the 21st instant, reference D.O., and in reply I have to inform you as follows.

The plans of these barges were approved for the class A- "Barge for river and harbour service on the Thames" "Subject to annual survey", with the notation "Experimental" and a descriptive notation concerning the type of construction which would require to be made in Column 3 of the Register Book.

It is noted that the barges are being used as open barges for the carriage of coal, coke and ballast; also that the hatchway fore and afters and covers have been omitted and the concrete ceiling has not been fitted. In the circumstances it is suggested that the following additional notation be made in the Register Book:-

"Hatch covers and ceiling not fitted"

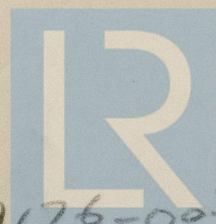
The question of the special notation concerning the type of construction is still under discussion with the Designers.

The reports and plans sent with your letter are returned herewith.

I am, Dear Sir,  
Yours faithfully,

*H. H. Betts*

The Secretary,  
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