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(AIR MAIL — PERSONAL)

JOHN S. HECK, ESQ.,
New York, N. Y.

S.S. "AMERICAN FISHER"

Dear Mr. Heck,

In reply to your letter of the 19th ult. with further reference to the case of the safety valves on the above mentioned Vessel, I have to inform you that the valves which were installed on the steam line from the new B. & W. boiler to the main engines were manufactured by the Crane Company and are their Type No. 1121-A, 2½" size. They have a relieving capacity of 190 lbs. pressure at 11,440 lbs. per hour for each valve, the four valves having a total capacity of 45,760 lbs. of steam per hour. The boiler capacity is 40,000 lbs. per hour.

The Owners are of opinion that these valves have ample capacity for the purpose for which they are installed.

Yours very truly,

David M. Clark

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