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Lloyd's Register of Shipping,

71, Fenchurch Street, E.C. 3.

Enclosure.

FRENCH:

26th September, 1925.

Dear Sirs,

S. I duly received your letter of the 19th instant, respecting the steamer "VILLE D'ETAPLES", and note your remarks, for which I am obliged.

In reply to your enquiry, I think it well to enclose herewith an abstract from the Society's Rules setting forth the requirements of the Special Survey No. 3 for which this vessel is overdue, and may add that the examination of the vessel in dry dock and of the chain locker, together with the ranging of the chain cables, has already been credited to the steamer as part of this survey. To complete the survey of the machinery and boilers, the boiler safety valves require to be adjusted under steam.

As regards the fee to be charged for this survey, I have to say that this would be in accordance with the nature and extent of the services rendered by the Society's Surveyor in carrying out the inspection.

I am, Dear Sirs,

Yours faithfully,

Messrs. Societe Etaploise de
Transports Maritimes,
ETAPLES-SUR-MER.

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Assistant to the Secretary.

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