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The Secretary,
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Dear Sir,

4 masted barque "VIKING", No.80531 in 1950-51 R.B.

The above ship has been acquired by the Gothenburg Municipal Authorities and is at present being used as a grain store lying in the harbour here.

A scheme is under consideration to convert the ship for use as a Navigation School at this port, for which purpose she would remain tied up in the harbour, and the Senior Surveyor to the Swedish Board of Trade, Mr.Sellström, has been requested by the Municipal Authorities to make an examination of the ship and report on her condition.

As she is loaded, it is not possible for Mr.Sellström to make a thorough examination of the shell plating and he has asked whether he could be furnished with a copy of the Report on the Drilling carried out at the Special Survey in 1946. He would also be grateful to know whether the thicknesses of the shell plating were originally greater than required by the Rules at the time she was built.

We should be glad to know whether this information could be supplied.

Yours faithfully,

THE SURVEYORS, Gothenburg

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copy of shell drilling

Mrs. Lippin

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See Memo dated 30. 12. 52.

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