

Original letter with :....."ARGUAL"

Copy of ~~Extract from~~ letter received fromNAME

Surveyors,

ADDRESS

New York.

Reference, if any :.....

Dated 26.2.54 Received 1.3.54 Answered

~~Vessel's Name~~

Referring to my cable of the 25th ultimo and your cable reply of the 26th respecting the steamer "ARGUAL", I may say that the Mobile Surveyor's report No. 2685 has been dispatched to you with the classings of the 10th instant. The American Committee assigned the minute "Disclassified B3 1-54", subject, of course, to confirmation by the General Committee.

Arising out of that case we received a letter from the Owners withdrawing classification in the cases of their other vessels, "OROTAVA", "TELDE", and "CUBAHAMA", and I enclose a copy of their letter of the 25th ultimo on the subject. To explain the delay, I may say that Mr. Roberts, the Principal Surveyor, has been in touch with the Owners with a view to having this decision reconsidered, especially as it was understood that their superintendent, Mr. Ingham, intended to discuss the matter further with the Mobile Surveyor and then report to New York.

A further letter dated the 24th instant from the Owners on the matter has been received, a copy of which is enclosed herewith.



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