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Reliance House, 20, Water Street,

Liverpool, 3.

28th January, 1960.

Dear Mr. Turner,

"WAYNEGATE".

I refer to Liverpool Rpt.8. No.153379 regarding this ship, about which you may remember I 'phoned in connection with the attachment of keel plates to garboard.

I have reported a couple of keel plates forward renewed "as originally" and should say that the keel plating is attached to the garboard by a combination of single riveting and electric welding, as per sketch. This does not tie in with what you told me on the 'phone where the midship section and F.E. Rpt. indicated D.R. seams, and I think perhaps you would like to correct the records privately for this ship in case of future queries about the keel plate renewals.

From the sketch you will see that the present renewals have been made with the welding on the outside instead of inside with a view to preventing the tendency to spring open on the sight edge, the inside edge being caulked so far as possible between floors.

I hope you are keeping well, enjoying life and that the Department runs smoothly in 1960.

Yours sincerely,

D. Turner, Esq.,
LONDON.

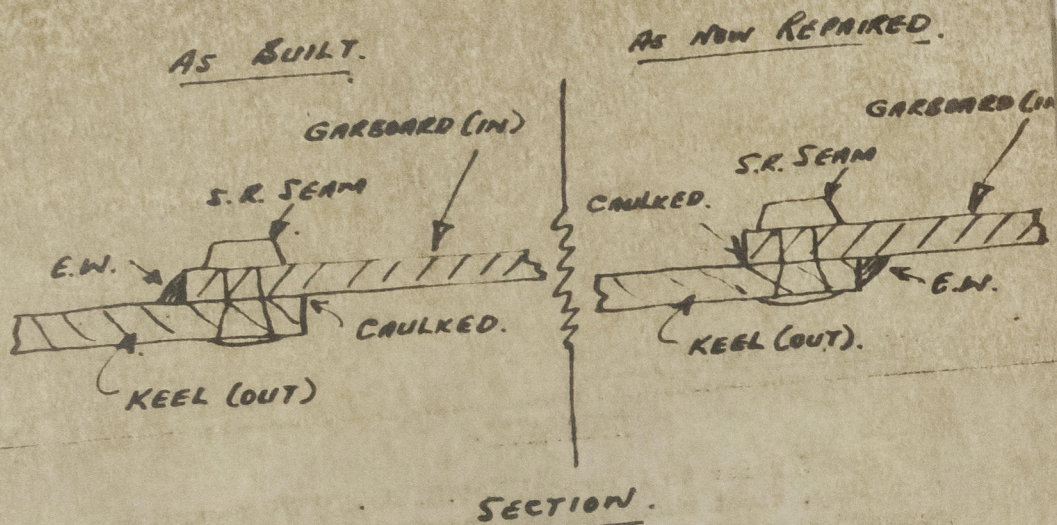
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