

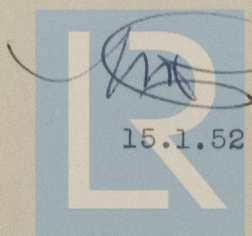
WOOD MOTORSHIP "ALFTANES"

This ship was submitted for classification with the British Corporation on conversion to a trawler in 1948 and was accepted for class B Sp (fishing purposes) and MBS on 9th March, 1949.

An account for classification survey fees (amounting in all to £118 15s. 0d.) was rendered to the owners, Messrs. Oddsson and Co., Ltd., Hull, on the following day. In accordance with normal practice, the classification certificates were withheld pending payment of fees.

In September, 1949, Mr. W. B. Hall intimated his appointment as Liquidator of the Owning Company and was sent a copy of the account for these outstanding fees. At intervals since then, Mr. Hall has informed the British Corporation Liquidator that he was not in a position to effect even partial payment, and the whole amount due to the British Corporation remains unpaid.

In the circumstances, I recommend that Mr. Hall be informed that class is suspended pending survey and payment of all outstanding fees, and that until these matters receive attention, the classification certificates will not be issued.



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