

Enclosure

Reference

All communications to be  
addressed the Surveyor  
Lloyd's Register,  
Middlesboro.

Lloyd's Register of British  
and Foreign Shipping.  
Royal Exchange, Middlesboro-on-Tees.

22<sup>nd</sup> August 1895

The Secretary  
London

Sir

The steamer "Dorset" was at this  
port a few days ago and notice of Boiler Survey  
was sent to the master in the belief that the  
boilers fitted last year had been in use between  
1889 & 1894. The enclosed letter from the owners  
states that they were new. Is this correct?  
We are,

Sir,

Your obedient servants  
pro The Surveyors  
W. A. G. Pyden



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Referred to the Chief Engineer Surveyor.

Iron Steamer "Dorset", 1636 tons, 1881. 5<sup>th</sup>.

Press. Machinery.

100 H.P.

L.L.N. 3.5.94.

awning deck  
with fuelboard  
12.94.

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+ L.M.C. 5.94

R.B. made 89 fitted 94 also for Mr. Hill to

This vessel was fitted in 1894 with boilers which were commenced in 1885 and finished in 1889 and which were not used prior to 1894. The boilers were in good condition but could hardly be expected to be in such perfect condition as boilers really new as tubes, stay & internal plates would necessarily slightly deteriorate. If the date of boilers be taken as 1889 they would be required to be surveyed now and subsequently annually, if taken as 1894 they would not be due for survey till 1898 & then again till 1900. It is submitted that under the circumstances a reasonable view would be to require them to be resurveyed in 1898 at the next S.S. N° 1 and subsequently to require them to be surveyed annually.

J.T.M. 24/8/95

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