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23rd December, 1902.

Dear Sirs,

I am duly in receipt of your letter of the 13th instant respecting the case of your steamer "OCAMO", and am instructing the Society's Surveyors at Demerara and Halifax to give the matter attention.

At the same time I think it well to say that although the removal of the close ceiling at the bilge and the drilling of the strokes of plating above the scumot are the only requirements remaining to comply with the Rules for the Second Special Survey No. 3, the screw shaft, which the Rules require to be examined every two years, has not been seen by the Society's Surveyors since June, 1900, and is therefore due for survey.

I shall therefore be glad to learn where an opportunity will be afforded the Society's Surveyors to examine the shaft.

I am, Dear Sirs,

Yours faithfully,

Messrs. Pickford & Balok,
HALIFAX, N.S.

Secretary.

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