

LLOYDS REGISTER,
LONDON.

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5.15.08

Grimsey, Cebu 2nd 1908

Swift

Dear Sir

As you are fully aware that the above vessel belonging to us is now 14 years old & her Boiler being of the same is about done, without we purpose to put new heating surface in, which we have decided not to do. However that we have decided not to

replace the present Boiler, we purchased a Boiler which has originally been built under your agency, but have been cotton with-
drawn from your society. Some

when this Boiler was sold, we were told that it had been refused under your surveyors & passed satisfactory. Some 6 weeks ago, we decided to put this Boiler into our draft, when we were advised by your surveyor that we could not put it into our vessel & maintain her Class.

We asked him if he could survey it, but was told that he could not touch it, as it had been taken out of an unclassified ship & refused without their supervision.

Of course you will easily understand our feelings when we learned all this (but at the same time we do not for one moment ^{think} we were intentionally deceived in the trans-

Referred to the Chief Engineer Surveyor,

TET/8525W9

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Also for Mr. S. A. Hill to note.

It is submitted that if this 2nd hand boiler is actually intended for a Classed vessel the Grimsby Surveyors should undertake the survey & inform the Owner whether it is eligible for the working pressure desired, the dimensions of the engine must be taken into consideration.

R.S.

5.10.08

FOR THE PIONEER STEAM FISHING
COMPANY, LIMITED.

To S. A. Hill

A Scott & Co.
Secretary to Lloyd's
London

of your Surveyor's tests of the material with which this boiler has been reinforced, which you will find enclosed & for which we will thank you to return to us at your earliest convenience. Now Sir having got so far, we wish for you to sanction your Surveyor to survey the said Boiler which is now in our Quay here & if found satisfactory to allow us to put it on board of our swift & test the same under steam when completed. We are sorry to have to trouble you upon this matter, but we think you will realize our position & accept the same as our apology for this.



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