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Tipton Iron Chain & Anchor Works.

LLOYD'S REGISTER

LONDON.

REC'D 18 OCT 94

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18 Telth & Co. & Co. Surs.

Messrs Lloyd's Register of Shipping

2 White Lion Court

London E.C.

Dear Sirs,

We beg to appeal to you under the following circumstances.

We have supplied to Messrs W Hamilton & Co. Pat Glasgow. for their stock 117. 3 Parkes Patent stockless anchors - tested at Diphon Machine - dimensions and weights as follows.

16491	-	26.1.44
16492	-	22.1.6
16490	-	26.1.4.

These anchors are properly proportioned & made to our patented dimensions

The heads are splendid Castings and the other parts are well made of first class material.

At the ship - your Inspector raises a question about the weight of the heads. Now we know of no positive Rule of yours or the Board of Trade to settle this question. There is a Table No 22. There is a foot note - as follows. "The heads of stockless anchors should (or may be) not less than three fifths of the total weight of the anchor" - We took upon this as "permissive" and not "compulsory" and we are satisfied any practical man would say the anchors in question are of proper proportions

May we ask you kindly to urge your Inspector to accept without further delay the anchors in question & oblige your obedient servants

for Henry D Parkes & Co
for D. Parkes

GRK 329-0167

Referred to the Chief Surveyor.

Anchors by H. R. Parkes & Co for
W. Hamilton & Co. No. 117 &.

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Was requested

The foot note to Table 22 states that the heads of stockless anchors should not be less than ~~three-fifths~~ the total weight of the anchor. The weights of the heads of the anchors in question are considerably below this proportion (one being $\frac{2}{5}$ ^{ths} of the total weight) and should not be approved

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Ans'd 18 Feb^r

& pic to Enk.

W.S.

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