

Isle of Man Ship Building Company, Limited
Adelphi Bank Chambers,

South John Street,

Liverpool, Feb. 3 10th 18

SHIP BUILDING YARDS.
RAMSEY.
ISLE OF MAN.

Robt. E. Mudge Esq:

Secretary

Spec. Committee Lloyd's Registry

Dear Sir - I have to acknowl^d

receipt of your favor 2nd Inst., and
in reply am instructed to state
that in entering the "Eurydice" for
Survey in your books, Mr. Gilson
acted entirely on his own responsibility
and without the knowledge, or
authority, of the Board of Directors
of this Company, or any member
thereof, - that although at the
date of 3rd entry being made, Mr.
Gilson was connected with the

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Company, he was totally unauthorized to act for, or sign on behalf of either the Company or Directors, - that previously to the Company taking possession of the premises at Ramsey, Mr. Gibson had made such arrangements for the building of this vessel, that would entirely preclude the Co from having her constructed in conformity with your rules, - the whole of the Specifications, Drawings &c. having been made out, and the Iron to be used in her construction, brought from Whitehaven and placed on the ground at Ramsey, - we were thus obliged to build her as originally intended by Mr. Gibson, very much against the inclinations of the Board, who were well aware, of the additional

value, which your Committee certificate would have given her in the eyes of an intending purchaser.

The other two vessels entered by him, at the same time, it was always intended, should be built under the survey of your Committee and have therefore been duly certified as so surveyed, and classed accordingly, but I trust that a knowledge of the facts herein stated, with reference to the "Eurydice", will have the effect of inducing your Committee not to press their claim against this Company for her survey.

I have the honor to be
Sir your most obedt. servt.

Jno. M. Whamond
Secretary
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