

Telegrams: SURVEYORS: GENOA



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SURVEYORS:

F. SCHIAFFINO

AND

MAURICE RITSON.

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*A. S. Brouth*  
All communications to  
be addressed to  
THE SURVEYORS.

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In the month of July last, I received notice from you to join Mr. Ducoster at Messina to survey the R.A. Elena & of Zaganrog with a view to having this vessel classed in the R.A. Expenses were I believe guaranteed by the owners agents at Messina through Mr. Ducoster. My survey fee & expenses amounted to a total, including your telegrams, of £20-5-6. I have written to Mr. Ducoster for the payment of these fees &c on the following dates - viz 1/4/05, 20/2/06, 15/3/06 and I believe he has communicated with the agents on the subject, but so far without results. On the 4<sup>th</sup> of this month, I sent a letter and account direct to the owners, asking him to pay the sum due, and I now enclose his reply, of which I have kept a copy; from which you will note that he repudiates all action in the matter, & wishes to throw the

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name of the person who caused the  
survey to be held. As there was I believe  
some exchange of correspondence & telegrams  
in London over this case, I shall be glad  
to know what action should be taken  
in the matter. On hearing from you, I  
will communicate the contents of the  
enclosed letter to Mr. Swester.

I am Sir

Your obedient servant  
Francis Pickton

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