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WIGHAM RICHARDSON & CO

PLEASE ADDRESS—ENGINEERING DEPT.

Lloyds. Surveyors.. Newcastle-on-Tyne.

Dear Sir,

As the representative here on behalf of Messrs Green & Holland of London the owners of S. S. Rutland now lying here for alterations to fore & after peak ballast tanks, I beg to request that after your survey of these tanks on the 23rd inst you will soon furnish me with your report of what requires doing to tanks & the conditions of your list before you can accept them as proper ballast tanks suitable of being used in any weather.

The fore peak tank we may make smaller by adding another tier of beams below present tier but the after one is to be kept the same size.

My proposition is to remove all work & current covering from tops of tanks & fit angle iron struts closing all round frames & then test tanks with the head of water from the height of the filling pipe at the level of the fore-castle & pump deck.

Yours for Green & Holland—

W. B. Richardson



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