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**HOWARD SMITH COMPANY LIMITED,**

*STEAMSHIP OWNERS, COAL MERCHANTS, etc.*

**AUSTRALIA.**

*33, Cornhill, London, E.C.*

REGISTERED ADDRESS FOR UNITED KINGDOM TELEGRAMS  
"DEBATEFUL, LONDON."

TELEPHONE N° 10510 CENTRAL.

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27th September 1912.

The Secretary,

Lloyd's Register of British & Foreign Shipping,

71, Fenchurch Street, E.C.

**LLOYDS REGISTER,  
LONDON**

**REC<sup>d</sup> 28 SEP 1912**

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Dear Sir,

We have to thank you for your favour of the 20th instant and attached copy of Special Survey Report.

We had been informed that in similar cases and when a vessel in course of construction had sustained damage necessitating extensive repair, you have furnished a special certificate, as requested in our letter of the 9th instant, and a case relating to a vessel constructing by Messrs. Richardson Duck & Co., Ltd., was cited by our informant. Apparently this is not correct.

Yours faithfully,

For HOWARD SMITH CO. LTD.

W.E. Forster.



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Dear Sir,  
I have the pleasure to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 21st inst. in relation to the above mentioned matter.  
I am sorry to hear that you are unable to supply the information requested.  
I am, Sir, very respectfully,  
Yours faithfully,  
L. J. [Signature]