

S.S. "TIME".

The Chief Ship Surveyor has had a conversation
afternoon by telephone with Mr. McAuslan, the Principal
Surveyor at West Hartlepool, with reference to the case
of the S.S. "TIME" now under his survey and the telegram
received this day relating thereto from Mr. Priestman, the
Builder of the vessel.

Mr. McAuslan states that the vessel is now under
survey and that he has made the recommendations in the
telegram which he considers to be suitable and necessary, but
that Mr. Priestman and the Underwriters' Surveyors representing
the Committee consider that Mr. McAuslan's recommendations are in
accordance with the actual requirements of the case, and have
therefore made application by telegram for a special survey
to be held. Mr. McAuslan says he is quite satisfied that the
recommendations made by him are proper ones, but as a
different view is taken by the Builder of the vessel who
has applied for a special survey he considers it proper that
the Surveyors should join him in an examination of the
vessel and for that purpose he will be very pleased
to have Mr. Gilmour, the Principal Surveyor at Middlesbrough,
join in such a survey.

It is submitted that Mr. McAuslan be informed
with reference to his conversation on the telephone this
day by the Chief Ship Surveyor that Mr. Gilmour, the
Principal Surveyor at Middlesbrough, has been instructed
to proceed to West Hartlepool tomorrow and join him in holding
a special survey upon the S.S. "TIME" and in reporting upon
the same for the information of the Committee.

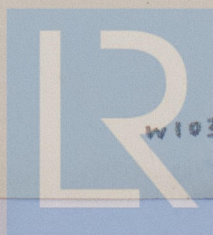
It is further submitted that Mr. Gilmour, the
Principal Surveyor at Middlesbrough, should be instructed to
proceed without delay tomorrow to West Hartlepool and join

Mr. McAuslan, the Principal Surveyor at that port, in holding a special survey upon the S.S. "TIME" now in dry dock there and in reporting upon the same for the information of the Committee.

It is also submitted that Mr. Priestman should be informed that instructions have been given for a special survey to be held upon the S.S. "TIME" at West Hartlepool as requested by him and that such survey will be held tomorrow.



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