

Lloyd's Register of Shipping.

342, Argyle Street, Glasgow.

30th January, 1919.

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I am much obliged for your letter of the 29th inst.
and note what you say. Mr. Keck is absent at the coast
to-day, but so far as I can see it will be possible to
complete the first entry before the subsequent damage.

31st January, 1919.

Dear Mr. Warlow,

I am much obliged to you for your letter of
yesterday's date respecting the Steamer "INDEPENDANCE"
ex "WAR AVON".

Just before the receipt of your note the Ministry
of Shipping rang up, stating that the Vessel was detained
pending the First Entry Certificate, and pointing out that
the Survey for the classification of the Vessel was complete
before the subsequent damage.

In the circumstances I thought it well to send
you the following wire, which I now confirm:-

"WAR AVON CAN YOU NOT FORWARD FIRST ENTRY FORM ISSUE CERTIFICATES
MONDAY STOP MINISTRY OF SHIPPING PRESSING FOR DELIVERY AT ONCE".

Yours faithfully,

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Foundation

Deck. Material and thickness
Forecastle Deck Stringer Plate, b'dth & th