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Lloyd's Register of Shipping,

71, Fenchurch Street, E.C. 3.

27th January, 1919.

Dear Sir,

I have to confirm the following telegrams that have passed between us respecting the new steamer "WAR AVON".

SENT.

"WAR AVON CERTIFICATES URGENTLY REQUIRED FOR BELGIAN AUTHORITIES BY NEW OWNERS NEPTUNUS SOCIETE D'ARMEMENT MICHEL SMITH AND COMPANY WIRE FULLY IMMEDIATELY HOW CASE STANDS AND WHETHER REPORTS RECEIVED FROM SURVEYORS".

RECEIVED.

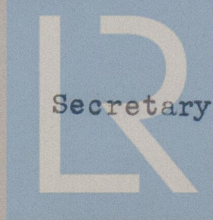
"WAR AVON NOW INDEPENDANCE DEPOT COMPLETED BUT REPORTS WITHHELD OWING TO DAMAGE SUSTAINED IN DOCK REPAIR OF WHICH WILL PROBABLY TAKE ABOUT A FORTNIGHT"

The Belgian Owners of this vessel have called here and state that a letter or other document certifying to the classification of the vessel is urgently required in order that they may obtain the usual Navigation Permit from the Belgian Authorities, and I shall be glad to learn fully how the matter stands and what can be done to enable me to comply with the Owners' wishes.

I am, Dear Sir,
Yours faithfully,

Secretary,
GLASGOW.

Secretary.



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