

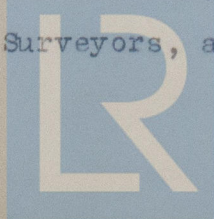
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Messrs. John Chambers, Ltd.

The total amount outstanding against the above Firm is £224:13:4 as shewn on the statement attached.

It will be seen that included in this amount are the fees due for the survey during construction of two new vessels, the s.s. "PORTLAURIE" and the s.s. "SALCOMBE REGIS". Correspondence has recently taken place both with the Builders and the Owners of this vessel with a view to a settlement of the fees, and it has been pointed out that until the fees are paid, the Classification Certificates cannot be issued nor full particulars of the vessels' Class^y appear in the Society's Register Book. The Owners' attention has also been called to the fact that the Society's Rules provide that a vessel's Class may be withdrawn or expunged from the Register Book in the case of non-payment of any fees or expenses chargeable on account of such vessel.

Both Messrs. R. McNeil & Sons, the Owners of the s.s. "PORTLAURIE" and Messrs. Harrison, Sons & Co., Ltd., the Owners of the s.s. "SALCOMBE REGIS", have been in communication with Messrs. Chambers direct regarding the payment of these fees, and have asked to be informed of any communication which is received as a result of the further application for payment which has been made from this Office.

At the present time Messrs. Chambers Ltd., have in hand under the survey of the Society's Surveyors, a set of steering

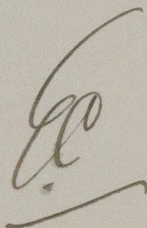


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engines for Messrs. Vickers Ltd., No.591 vessel, for which a fee will be chargeable on completion, and on which expenses amounting to £1:14:0 to date, have been incurred,

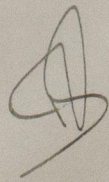
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there is under construction at their Works their S.S.No.504 which has been building since February 1920, the expenses to date in this case amounting to £19:4:6.



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