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Lloyd's Register of Shipping,

71, Fenchurch Street, E.C. 3.

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12th August, 1927.

Dear Sirs,

With reference to the classification in this Society's Register Book of the Ferro Concrete Barges "CRETESHAD" and "CRETSTREAM", I beg to remind you that the Special Surveys Nos. 1 and 2 are long over due on these vessels, but the Committee have deferred dealing with the cases as the Barges have been laid up in the Tyne.

The Committee have had the cases before them again to-day together with a letter from the Society's Newcastle Surveyors forwarding yours of the 30th ultimo addressed to them, in which it is stated that you desire to withdraw their classes from the Society's Register Book, and, in the circumstances, the Committee have had no alternative but to give instructions for the characters to be expunged from the Register Book with a red line, indicating non-compliance with the Society's Rules.

I have to add that in view of the withdrawal of the vessels' classes the records of the freeboards assigned by the Committee, together with the corresponding draughts, will also be withdrawn, and the freeboard certificates are thereby cancelled and should be returned to this Office. I am, Dear Sirs,

S. R. Thorman & Sons Ltd.,
Exchange Buildings,
NEWCASTLE/ON/TYNE.

Yours faithfully,

Lloyd's Register
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