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Lloyd's Register of Shipping.

71, Fenchurch Street, E.C. 3.

2 Enclosures.

2nd February, 1923.

Dear Sir,

I enclose herewith letters, dated 31st ultimo and 1st instant, received from The Taw Shipyards Limited, regarding the date of build of their No. 17 S.S. now named "PORTHMEOR", and with regard thereto I have to request you will report fully for the information of the Committee as to the causes of the delay in the completion of this vessel.

You should also state clearly to what extent the vessel's construction was completed in January 1921 when she was laid up, and give detailed particulars of the work that has been carried out on her since that date.

Kindly return the enclosures with your reply.

I am, Dear Sir,

Yours faithfully,

Assistant to the Secretary.

T. Pearce, Esq.,

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