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# Lloyd's Register of Shipping,

High Close, Wiltshire Road,

Wokingham, Berks.

Your Ref:McN/JW.

21st June, 1940.

Dear Sirs,

S. I duly received your letter of the 17th instant respecting the account for £3. 3. 0 rendered in connection with the survey of the Electrical Installation of the motor ship "TACOMA" held by the Society's Surveyors in London recently.

With regard thereto I may say that from a report received from a Surveyor appointed by Lloyd's Agents at Adelaide, dated August last, it appeared that considerable damage to Electrical Fittings, etc. had been occasioned by salt water. This damage was stated to have been caused by heavy weather experienced on the 21st August, and in view of this Report the Electric Wirings and Fittings in the Galley and Engineers' Alleyway on the portside, were duly examined and tested by one of the Society's Electrical Engineers when she was in the West India Dock at the end of last month. The test was satisfactory and the vessel's class was accordingly continued without special restriction as to any further examination of her Electrical Equipment and the account for the fee of £3.3.0 was in respect of this work.

I trust that this explanation will clarify the position, and the account is accordingly returned herewith.

I am, Dear Sirs,

Yours faithfully,

Clerk to the  
Classification Committee.

Messrs. Stephens Sutton, Ltd.,  
Prudential Buildings,  
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