

Manitowoc Shipbuilding Corporation.

M.V. "EAST INDIAN" (Uraga Dock Co's Yard No.138, originally intended to be called "Beikoku Maru", but was sold to the United Shipping Board and named "East Indian" before completion.).

The reciprocating engines and boilers were removed in 1926 and Motor engines fitted.

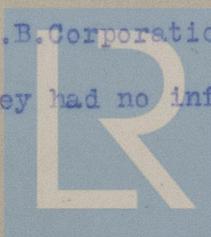
The Manitowoc Shipbuilding Corporation, Manitowoc, Wis., in a letter addressed to The Uraga Shipbuilding Co., Ltd., state that the Great Lake Dredge & Dock Co., have purchased the boilers which have been taken out of the above vessel.

In searching the records of the United States Shipping Board, they found a letter acknowledging receipt of papers, the numbers of which are 26739 and 13040, and they desire to be furnished with a copy of these records. They add that one of the boilers is marked as follows:-

Lloyds U-138 J.S.Cairns 10.6.18 400 lb.

(It appears that the certificate numbers for the \* L.M.C.7,18 record are 26739/13840).

The Uraga Dock Co., forwarded the letter addressed to them by The Manitowoc S.B. Corporation to the Society's Surveyor at Yokohama as they had no information on the



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subject, and the Surveyor has forwarded the correspondence to this Office.

IT IS SUBMITTED that the Society's Surveyor at Yokohama be requested to forward a copy of the boiler test certificate to the Society's Office at New York.

Copies of the correspondence should also be forwarded to the Society's Office at New York, who should be requested to take the matter up with the Manitowoc S.B. Corporation and explain that the numbers 26739/13840 are of the \* L.M.C. 7, 18 certificate and is the property of the Owners of the "EAST INDIAN" (viz:- Ford Motor Corporation) to whom application should be made for a copy or for permission for a copy of the certificate to be furnished from this Office; [also that the Society's Surveyor at Yokohama has been requested to forward a copy of the boiler test certificate and send it to the New York Office as it is thought this might meet the purpose of the Owners of the boilers in question.]

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