

2387 *Managers + G. Colino* Owners' Address
(if not already recorded in App)
Port belonging to
Voy

S.S. "AGHIOS SPYRIDON".

The Third Special Survey No.1 became due on this vessel in October, 1931, and on the expiration of the year of grace in October, 1932, as the vessel was laid up at Piraeus, the Owners were asked to furnish the usual undertaking.

In November, 1932, the Owners requested their London Agents to approach the Committee with a view to permission being granted for the vessel to make a voyage from Piraeus to the Black Sea and thence to West Italy where they stated it was proposed to end the life of the vessel.

The Committee, however, could not agree to this proposal and were only prepared to allow the vessel to proceed ^{direct} from Piraeus to West Italy in ballast to be broken up, subject to a satisfactory general examination being held.

When the Owners' London Agents were informed of this decision they were again reminded that the undertaking previously required must be furnished, and several letters have since passed ^{this Office &} between the London Agents and the Owners' Consulting Engineer regarding this matter, but up to the present this undertaking has not been forthcoming.

In view of this the Owners' Consulting Engineer was ^{on the 11th inst} reminded that the only condition on which the Committee had up to the present allowed the vessel's class to remain undisturbed in the Register Book was that the Owners would furnish the undertaking, and if this were not done, the Committee would have no alternative but to deal with the vessel's class.

On the 17th instant the Consulting Engineer wrote that he had received a further communication from the Owners' London Managers, in which they advised him that the Owners are at present negotiating her sale, and that until they know whether she will be sold locally or for delivery abroad they are unable to come to any decision. In the circumstances they hoped that the matter might be left in abeyance pending a decision being arrived at.

The case is submitted for the consideration of the Committee.

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