

S.S. "THALIA" ex "JEBBA".

The R Department became concerned with this vessel as an unclassified ship after the posting of the red line. 8-10-33

When ^{the} a letter, dated 13th October, was received from Rethymnis Kulukundis, Ltd., announcing structural alterations and tonnage measurements, enquiries were made of the Principal Surveyor for tonnage, Board of Trade, and instructions were sought from the Chief Ship Surveyor regarding the necessary amendments to the records in the Register Book. A telephone enquiry was also made of Rethymnis & Kulukundis, asking if they would state definitely whether they were agents for the new owners, Messrs. A. Constantinidis & E. Xilas, and whether they could give the new port of registry.

For this purpose Circular Letter A1 was sent to them on the 18th October. No reply to this circular having been received in a week's time, a further telephone enquiry was made of Rethymnis & Kulukundis, and their reply was eventually received on the 31st October.

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