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Hamburg, 28th Nov. 1932.

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Dear Sir, s.s. "PRESTO" ex "Alberto Fassini"

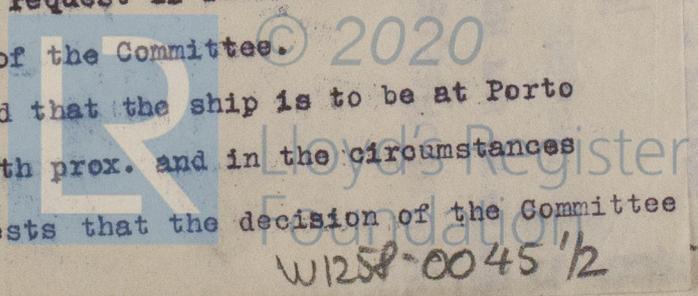
With reference to your classing letter of the 18th ultimo, the contents of which were duly intimated to Mr. Cappiello, the Owner of the above named vessel, I am today in receipt of a letter from Mr. Cappiello, in which he writes as follows:-

"Reverting to your letter of the 20th October last intimating that the small remaining items of the Special Survey No 2 must be completed in their entirety on the vessel's arrival in Italy and before she loads another cargo, I had made arrangements to have these items attended to in Italy whither the ship was intended to proceed from Danzig with a cargo of coke. As however it was not possible to obtain suitable cargo I was compelled to take a charter from the Black Sea to the U.K. and with such a limited cancelling date that it will not be possible to hold up the ship even for an hour if I should not lose this charter and in consequence have severe financial losses. I am instructing the Captain to make arrangements for the carrying out of as much work as possible, commencing in No 1 hold, during the voyage in ballast from Porto Ferrario to the Black Sea. At the same time I desire to assure you that all the remaining small items will be attended to as soon as possible. In the circumstances I shall be glad if the vessel's class could be continued for the present."

The Owners' request is submitted for the favourable consideration of the Committee.

It is stated that the ship is to be at Porto Ferrario until the 5th prox. and in the circumstances Mr. Cappiello requests that the decision of the Committee

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might be intimated to this Office by cablegram.

I am, Dear Sir,

Yours faithfully

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The Secretary,

LONDON

I am, Dear Sir,

Yours faithfully

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Referred to the Chief Ship Surgeon

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Also for Mr. S. A. Hill to note
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My
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W. J. Hill

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I am, Dear Sir,

in reference to the report of the Chief Ship Surgeon, dated 27th Nov 1932, regarding the case of the ship "The ..."

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