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Lloyd's Register of Shipping,

71, Fenchurch Street, E.C. 3.

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Enclosure.

14th August, 1934.

Dear Sirs,

S. R. SIR, I have to acknowledge the receipt of your telegram of the 13th instant and letter confirming same, respecting the case of the S.S. "ATHELCREST", which left your port in tow for Rotterdam on Tuesday last. The cases of the undermentioned vessels have been under the consideration of the Sub-Committee of Classification to-day, and that on account of the decisions arrived at the vessels' names are expunged from the Register. On receipt of your telegram, I thought it well to communicate by telephone with the late Owners, who expressed regret that they had not advised this Office of the sale of the vessel, and that they had now no further interest in the steamer so far as the classification was concerned.

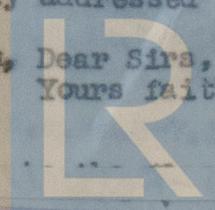
In these circumstances, the Committee, who have had the case before them at their meeting to-day, have had no alternative but to give instructions for the vessel's class to be expunged from the Register Book with a red line.

I think it well to enclose for your information a copy of the letter I have to-day addressed to the late Owners on the subject.

I am, Dear Sirs,
Yours faithfully,

The Surveyors,
GREENOCK.

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