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Lloyd's Register of Shipping,

71, Fenchurch Street, E.C. 3.

ENCLOSURE.

29th March, 1935.

Dear Sir,

S. With reference to my letter of the 26th instant regarding the case of the s.s. "ORVIETO", I have now to inform you that another case has arisen at Amsterdam, where the same Owners, viz: Messrs. Gugini Lauro & Montella, have recently purchased the steamer "LEVANTE" (No. 79948 in the Register Book), which is laid up under an undertaking given in respect of the overdue 2nd Special Survey No. 2.

This survey became due in February, 1932 and no part has been held.

The Classing Committee have today had before them a letter from the Society's Surveyors at Amsterdam, dated the 26th instant, in which they state they have been informed by Mr. A. Lauro, the new Owners' Representative, who is at that port, that they do not wish to maintain this Society's classification, so that the vessel will now only hold the Registro Italiano class.

As the circumstances are exactly similar to those of the "ORVIETO", the Committee have felt that they have had no alternative but to give instructions for the vessel's class to be expunged from the Register Book with a Red Line, indicating non-compliance with the Society's Rules.

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s.s. "LEVANTE"

As the vessel was dually classed, I shall be glad if you will inform the Registro Italiano of the Committee's decision.

I enclose for your information a copy of a letter which has been addressed to the new Owners regarding the matter.

I am, Dear Sir,

Yours faithfully,

Clerk to the
Classification Committee.

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