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# Lloyd's Register of Shipping,

71, Fenchurch Street, E.C. 3.

24th December, 1919.

Dear Mr. Mares,

In June last the Grimsby Surveyors advised the Sheffield Surveyors that Messrs. Robey & Co., of Lincoln, had despatched their Standard "A" Type Engines Nos. 27018 & 27019 to Messrs. The Lilleshall Engineering Co., of Oakengates, for completion. The forgings reports on the piston and connecting rods and crank shaft etc. together with a typed list shewing the amount of work done by Messrs. Robey & Co. were at the same time forwarded to Sheffield.

Subsequently, it transpired that these Engines were despatched to Messrs. Caird & Co., of Greenock for completion. The Sheffield Surveyors stated that very little work was done at Lilleshall, and the documents with a list of the work done at Lilleshall were forwarded to you on the 27th October, 1919.

The Grimsby Surveyors appear to have charged a fee, which was returned in one of their Rough Fee transcripts in the usual way, and has been paid, but as we have had no documents through this Office, it has not been possible to properly clear the matter up, and I have only now heard from the Sheffield Surveyors that the Engines were despatched to Caird & Co.

May I ask you to kindly let me know how the matter stands, and if possible to say into what vessels the engines will be fitted?

J. D. Mares, Esq.,  
With kind regards,  
Yours faithfully,

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