

21 MAY 1942

"VIROS"

This vessel was built in 1904 and classed
100A1 "Stm Trawler".

The class was withdrawn at the Owners' request
in 1923.

The GOTHENBURG Surveyors now write stating the
Owners' contemplate submitting this vessel for Reclassification
in the near future, and they will be glad to be informed of
the amount of the fees to be charged in respect of the
Reclassification Survey.

To enable this vessel to be reclassified, the
requirements of the Rules for Steel Trawlers for a 3rd S.S.
No.3 will require to be complied with, including the
drilling of the shell plating.

It is submitted Mr. Townshend be informed
accordingly and further, that, as regards fees for
Reclassification Surveys in this country, the general practice
is to charge twice the fee for a 2nd S.S. No.3, but However
this does not apply to Trawlers, for which the practice is
to charge the fee for a S.S. No.3 (as per the Trawler Rules)

It is to be noted from the last paragraph of
Clause 5, page 6, in these Rules that for all surveys held
at ports abroad a fee will be chargeable according to the
nature and extent of the services rendered.

It is considered therefore, the fee to be
charged in this case should be left to his discretion.

Send 2 copies of drilling sheet (attached)

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