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13th Dec

Dear Sirs,

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 9th instant with reference to your Steamer "ONIS" and in reply to explain that you appear to have misunderstood the decision of the Committee to expunge this vessel's class with a red line, as this decision conveys no reflection on your goodselves.

The removal of a vessel's class with a red line implies that "the Rules as regards surveys on the hull, engines, or boilers of a steam vessel, or on the hull, masts, spars, or rigging of a sailing vessel have not been complied with, and that the vessel is not entitled to retain her class in the Register Book".

I trust that this explanation will make the matter clear.

I am, Dear Sirs,
Yours faithfully,

Messrs. The United British Refineries, Ltd.,

32, Bishopsgate,

E.C.2.

Assistant to the Secretary.

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