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Lloyd's Register of Shipping,

High Close, Wokingham, Berks.

Your Ref: K/EG 466.

13th March, 1942.

H. Dear Sirs,

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of yesterday's date respecting the steamer "ALPHACCA", and am much obliged for your attention.

With reference to your remarks relative to the completion of this vessel's Boiler Survey, I may say that this inspection, which became due at the end of February 1941, was commenced at Liverpool, in May last, by the examination of the port, centre, and starboard boilers, and that to complete the inspection the safety valves remained to be adjusted under steam.

The port and starboard boilers were again examined at Hull in December last, but the adjustment of the safety valves was not carried out at that time. This matter therefore remains outstanding to complete the Boiler Survey which became due at the end of February last year, and when this has been done a record of "B.S.5,41" can be assigned. In view of the examination carried out at Hull in December the vessel will be eligible for a record of "B.S.12,41" when the centre boiler has been examined and the safety valves of all boilers adjusted under steam, and I trust that this will make the matter clear.

It will be appreciated if you will kindly let me know as soon as you are in a position to do so, what arrangements can be made for the adjustment of the safety valves to take place.

I am, Dear Sirs,
Yours faithfully,

Clerk to the
Classification Committee.

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