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Steel Twin Screw Dredger "JINGA", No. 19925 in R.B., built at Renfrew in 1908 and classed ~~Al~~ "Dredger". Class afterwards lapsed.

Owners:- The Tilbury Contracting & Dredging Co. Ltd.

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The Bombay Surveyor reports that he has been requested by the local Agents of the Owners to examine and supervise any necessary overhaul pending the vessel being commissioned, and that as the local representatives of the Owners had no Surveyor to act on their behalf he undertook the duties, taking it for granted that the Society would take no exception to his so doing in view of the close relations between the Society and this Firm.

The Surveyor states that he has informed the Owners' Agents that nothing now done is for classification purposes, but that there is a possibility of the Owners requesting reclassification before the vessel is commissioned.

IT IS SUBMITTED that before a reply is forwarded to the Bombay Surveyor it would be well to take the matter up with the Owners and point out to them that it is not usual for the Society's Surveyors to undertake surveys of this kind, and suggest that it might be well for the survey now being held to be considered as a survey for reclassification, when the vessel would, on receipt of a satisfactory report from the Surveyor, obtain reinstatement of her original class.

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