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Lloyd's Register of Shipping,

71, Fenchurch Street, E.C. 3.

7th August, 1919.

closure.

Dear Sir,

I have to acquaint you that on the 16th April last the Tilbury Contracting & Dredging Co. Ltd., the Agents for the Owners of the Dredger "LA LOIRE", No. 47 in the Register Book, stated they expected the vessel would be at Marseilles within the next three months, in order to have the Special Survey No. 2 carried out.

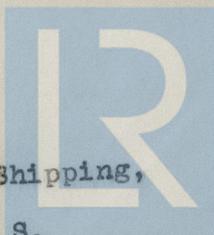
The Marseilles Surveyor was advised accordingly, and on the 21st May he forwarded a letter (a copy of which I enclose), which he had received from the Charterers of the vessel.

In reply to a further enquiry the Marseilles Surveyor wrote on the 25th ultimo that the vessel had not come under his survey, nor had he received any information about her, and in the circumstances I shall be glad if you will take the matter up with the Owners, The Compagnie de Dragage et des Enterprises Maritimes, of 18, Rue Chauveau Lagarde, Paris VIII, and inform them that if the vessel is to retain her class in the Register Book, it will be necessary either for the Special Survey No. 2 to be carried out, or for a General Examination to be made, including the survey of the Screw Shaft and Boilers.

You will be so good as to advise me in due course of the result of your communication with the Owners.

I am, Dear Sir,

Yours faithfully,



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