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Sir,

In reply to your letter of the 6th inst., in regard to the S.S. No. 3 built by the Lloyd Royal Belge Co., (Glasgow First Entry Report No. 37927), I beg to acquaint you that on further enquiry it now appears that the Board of Trade have declined to sanction the name of this vessel being changed from "YPRESVILLE" to "CLAN MACWHIRTER" and the vessel will consequently retain the former name with the port of Registry as Glasgow.

The vessel has been sold to The Clan Line Steamers Ltd., by the Shipping Controller and is now the property of that Firm.

I beg to confirm my telegram to you to-day as follows:-

"Clan Macwhirter, Board of Trade have refused permission to change name, please forward first post new freeboard certificates under name of Ypresville. Vessel sailing tomorrow morning".

I am, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

P. L. Warlow

Secretary to the
Glasgow Committee.


The Secretary,
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