

S.S. "CORINALDO"

A letter has been received from the Greenock Surveyors enclosing one from Messrs. Scotts of Greenock, the Builders of this vessel, in which they take exception to the scale of fees charged pointing out the fee is based on ^{the} new scale of charges instead of that in force in 1920.

The fee for the Ship Survey according to the new scale of charges amounts to £388 - 5 - 6 and on the old scale this would have been £198 - 8 - 6.

The machinery fee on the new scale amounts to £117 - 16 - 0 and on the old scale would have amounted to £59 - 16 - 0.

The first date of Survey on the hull of the vessel is 12th March, 1919 and the last date of Survey on the machinery is 10th May, 1921.

The vessel was launched on the 16th August 1920.

The Builders state that had it not been for the additional work of insulating the holds, the vessel would have been completed shortly after being launched.

The Greenock Surveyors state that the machinery would not have been completed before the end of last year as the steam pipes were not completely tested until April and the general fitting out of the machinery until May of this year.

It might be pointed out that 185 visits have been paid to the vessel during construction and 32 of these visits in 1921.

With regard to the machinery, 168 visits have been paid, and 33 visits this year.

This case is submitted for the consideration of the Committee.



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