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24th February, 1939.

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Messrs. Swan, Hunter & Wigham Richardson, Ltd.,
Shipyard,
Wallsend-on-Tyne.

Dear Sirs,

S.S. "LA CARRIERE"

In reply to your letter of the 16th instant, we note that our proposal to dry-dock this vessel on the 13th March at New Orleans for the purpose of lifting of guarantee, will be satisfactory to your goodselves, and we also note that you do not propose to appoint a representative to act in your interests at this inspection.

In this connection, we have to confirm telephone conversation of today, advising you that by the courtesy of the Committee of Lloyd's Register of Shipping, London, we are arranging for the attendance of their Surveyor at Mobile, Ala., to be present at the survey on this vessel at New Orleans, and to report on such matters as may be considered necessary for the conclusion of the guarantee.

We should also be obliged if you would kindly advise Messrs. Wallsend Slipway & Engineering Co., Ltd., of these arrangements.

Yours faithfully,
TRINIDAD LEASEHOLDS LIMITED,

(Sgd) J. Taylor,

MARINE SUPERINTENDENT.

c.c. Mr. Prior.

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