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48 Dalhousie Street

QUEBEC, P.Q.

December 24th, 1942

The Surveyors,  
MONTREAL, Que.

Dear Sirs:

S.S. "OROPOS"  
Montreal Report  
No. 5709

Herewith acknowledge receipt of your letter dated 14th inst., along with copy of a memorandum relative to a Classing Letter from the Wokingham Office, also copy of a letter received from New York covering the above-named steamer.

Deck plating, found generally thin and rivet points worn, but in my opinion were efficient for further period.

All holds, bilges, tween decks and bunkers as far as free from coal were examined and found satisfactory.

Bunker lower deck plating, Port side, midships had one plate in poor condition, which I was assured was going to be renewed at the discharging port.

Peak tanks were not inspected.

Stream anchor was not seen.

Ash shoot, Starboard side, was inspected, welded doubler found over lower half and all appeared in good condition.

Structure under boilers was examined and noted as being in good condition, at the same time the Engineer room, Main and Auxiliary machinery were inspected externally and appeared in good condition, no parts were opened for overhaul or repair. Auxiliaries as in service were seen under working conditions.



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Electrical equipment was not tested due to vessel's urgent departure.

Boiler Survey. Both centre furnaces are approximately  $1\frac{1}{4}$ " down, both found fitted with supporting rings, welded on, which repair appears satisfactory, therefore I opine that a "limited period" should be postponed for the present.

Yours very truly,

(SGD) W. J. BLOOMFIELD

Surveyor.

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