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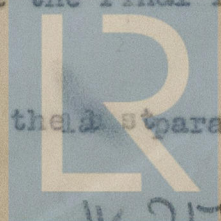
Dear Sirs,

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 30th instant calling attention to the tonnages of your Motor Vessel "SILVERAY", as they appear in the latest issue of the Society's Register Book, and in reply I have to explain that the figures as given are the approximate tonnages as supplied by the Builders at the time of the vessel's launch, and when the final figures are of course unknown.

The Special Survey of the vessel was completed on the 13th July, and the corrected tonnages as given on the Surveyors' reports, which agree with the figures you have kindly furnished, will be duly posted in the Register Book and printed in an early Supplement.

I should add that a similar explanation applies in the case of your Motor Vessel "SILVERPINE", and that it is customary in the case of all new vessels to insert approximate particulars in the Register Book for the convenience of Shipowners and the Shipping Interests generally at the time the vessel is launched and before the final figures can be obtained.

The request in the 2nd paragraph of your



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letter will receive careful attention.

I am, Dear Sirs,

Yours faithfully,

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