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15th March 1920.

Messrs R. Williamson & Son,
WORKINGTON.

Dear Sirs,

I am in receipt of your letter of the 13th inst, in connection with the launch of the S.S. "DYNAMO" (No.230) and in reply beg to state that Mr. Houston who was present at the time, informs me that when the rivet hole was observed in the shell, the vessel was on the move, and as it would have been a highly dangerous if not impossible operation to have stopped the launch, nothing could be done which you appear to have admitted at the time.

Before submitting the matter to London I shall be glad if you will kindly inform me as to whether the owners of the vessel (Ellerman Wilson Line) will be agreeable to accept delivery of the vessel in her present condition.

Yours faithfully,

Sgd. Thomas S. Shute.



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