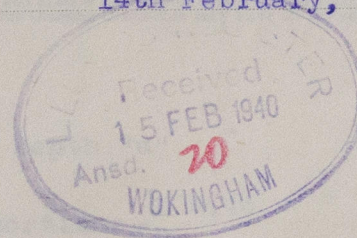




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Ocean Chambers, Lowgate,

Hull, 14th February, 1940.



Dear Sir,

In reply to the enquiry contained in your classing letter of the 13th instant respecting the case of the "IWATE", our report No. 50477, we beg to state that it is assumed that the steering chains have been submitted to breaking tests but the results of such tests are not shown on the certificates produced.

We should mention that breaking tests are not shown on the certificates furnished from the Proving Houses for steering chains and it is for this reason that breaking tests are not shown on our First Entry Reports.

We are, Dear Sir,

Yours faithfully,

The Surveyors,

Per:-

The Secretary,
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The Surveyors should
be referred to Section 33, clause
3c of the Rules and requested to
furnish definite information as to whether
the breaking tests on the steering chains
have been carried out
or the Surveyors should
state that they have
the Cert. of test
Class Dr. to Phil: —

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