

POSTPONED SURVEYS.

Case of the *Iron Shk Eurydice*

No. 688 in Reg. Bk. 11731 ¹⁰⁷⁹ tons, Built 1865. 2 mo

Classed +10001 9.01. Owners J. Sutherland & Co.

21. Apr and No 3. 5.98. Liverpool.

Survey due *Special Survey No 1 due May. 1902.*

In July last the Owners wrote that the vessel was loading at Ship Island for Rio de Janeiro where the survey would they presumed be carried out. They suggested however that perhaps the survey might be allowed to stand over until the vessel's return to this country. They were informed that the survey might be deferred provided it were completed within the year of grace.

They stated last month that they ordered the vessel from Rio to Buenos Ayres in the hope of getting a cargo of grain from the latter port for the U.K. or Continent. They found however that the bulk of the grain from the Argentine was going to the Cape and Australia. They could take a freight to the Cape and then go back to the Plate for a homeward cargo if the Committee would grant

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Decision

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the necessary extension of the vessel's class. They added that they dreaded the expense of putting her into dry dock at a foreign port. They were informed that as the vessel was thirty eight years old and the year of grace would expire at the end of May the inspection should be held abroad at an early date unless the vessel were coming home direct from the River Plate.

They now write that the vessel is going from Buenos Ayres to the Cape with grain. They intend bringing her home from there for survey as soon as possible.

J.H.
5.3.03

Submitted the opinion he informed the Society has an exclusive surveyor at Buenos Aires who could attend to the survey. In any case an effort should be made by them to complete the survey within the year of grace.

L.J. 5/3/03



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