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THE ULSTER STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LTD.,
HEAD LINE BUILDINGS,
BELFAST.

12th December, 1940.

Surveyors,
Lloyd's Register of Shipping,
LONDON.

Sirs,

We are purchasing on behalf of the Ministry of Shipping
following vessels, which are registered in the U.S.A.-

S.S. "WEST SAGINAW"
S.S. "WEST WAUNA"
S.S. "WESTERN OCEAN"
S.S. "WEST RARITANS"

We are advised that delivery of the first two mentioned vessels
take place at New Orleans, and the second two at Norfolk, Va.

In their instructions to us, the Ministry of Shipping
written as follows:-

It has been decided that the vessel shall be classified with
us and you should arrange for one of their Surveyors to be
present when the vessel is being overhauled. You should
ask your Agents to request Classification Society's Surveyor
to take the necessary steps to secure the issue of a new Load
Certificate."

In accordance with this, we shall be glad if you will kindly instruct
our Representatives to have a Surveyor in attendance for the purposes
mentioned, and for your guidance, our New York Agent is +

Mr. John Heale,
24, State Street,
NEW YORK.

We shall be glad to have your confirmation that the above
will have your attention, and thanking you in anticipation,
We are,

Yours faithfully,

THE ULSTER STEAMSHIP CO. LTD.,
(SIGNED)

Managing Director.

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