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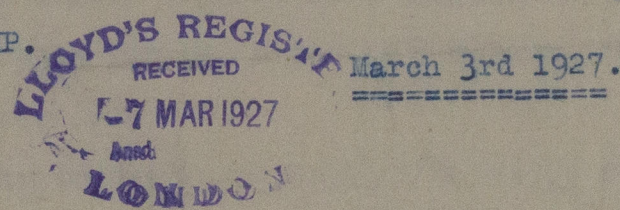
LLOYD'S REGISTER OF SHIPPING

HEAD OFFICE: 71 FENCHURCH STREET, LONDON, E. C. 3

SURVEYORS - GENOA
TELEPHONE N. 22-862

35, PIAZZA CAVALLO
— GENOA (II) —

JWL/MP.



Dear Sir,

We beg to confirm receipt of your cable-gram of to-day as follows:-

Decoded " CABO PALOS" HAVE SELF CLOSING VALVES"
"BEEN FITTED TO DRAIN PIPES OF SETTLING"
"TANKS. CABLE HOW CASE STANDS"

and our reply:-

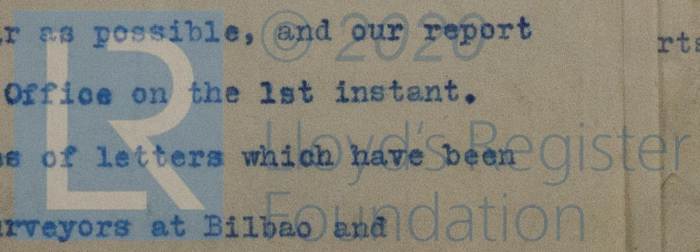
Decoded "CABO PALOS" HAVE REPLIED BY LETTER."

This vessel came under survey on the 26th ultimo, when a request from Owners to hold a cooling down test on the refrigerated chambers was made. As no particulars of vessel or outstanding items of survey were on record at this office, we cabled the Surveyors at Bilbao, who replied giving full details .

Unfortunately the vessel had left for Barcelona when the detailed information arrived, and we at once communicated the position of the case to the Surveyor at that port

The survey on the refrigerating machinery and appliances was advanced as far as possible, and our report was despatched to the London Office on the 1st instant.

We enclose copies of letters which have been sent from this port to the Surveyors at Bilbao and



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and/ Barcelona in connection with the case, from which you will observe that the letter stated to have been despatched by the Surveyors at Bilbao to this Office on the 14th ultimo, regarding this vessel, never reached us.

We are not, therefore, in a position to state whether the automatic valves on settling tank drain pipes have yet been fitted, as in the absence of information the matter was not raised.

We are, Dear Sir,

Yours faithfully

The Surveyors to Lloyd's Register

John E. Eider

The Secretary,
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Forward to the Chief Engineer Surveyor.

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7 MAR 1927

For Mr. S. A. Hill to note.

Also for Mr. Hill to note.

To await Barcelona
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Handwritten initials
10/3/27



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