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Lloyd's Register of Shipping,

71, Fenchurch Street, E.C. 3.

Your Ref: TEB/DA.

5th September, 1933.

Dear Sirs,

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I am in receipt of your letters of the 4th instant confirming your telephone message in respect of the cases of your steamers "TYNESIDER", "COASTER" and "TRADER".

The Committee have given special consideration to your application for further extension in reference to the overdue Special Surveys on these vessels and they have decided, in view of the particular Charter which you have in view for the "TYNESIDER", to grant an extension of two months, i.e. until the end of October, before requiring the Second Special Survey No.2 to be carried out.

In the case of the "COASTER" and "TRADER", to which your telephone message also referred, I have the pleasure to say that the Committee have agreed to granting a further month's extension in the case of each of these vessels.

So far as the "COASTER" is concerned, the Committee desire me to point out that the year of grace has already been exceeded by two months, they having agreed, in this case, to an extension until the end of August, and the further extension now granted will/expire at the end of the present month.

In the case of the "TRADER", for which an extension

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has been granted until the end of the present month, the Committee have further extended the time until the end of October.

I am to add that, with these further extensions, the Committee consider that they will be unable to grant any further concessions and that their decision today must be taken by you as final. They trust therefore that in meeting you in this way it will enable you to complete your commitments, and they rely upon your making the necessary arrangements to put the overdue Special Surveys in hand at the expiration of the time now granted.

I am, Dear Sirs,

Yours faithfully,

Clerk to the
Classification Committee.

Messrs. Robinson, Brown & Co.,
Mercantile Chambers,
Quayside,
NEWCASTLE-ON-TYNE.

P.S. With regard to your reference to the Freeboard Certificate in the case of the "TYNESIDER", I have to inform you that this Certificate does not expire until the 30th September, 1934. I have at the same time to confirm my telegram to you today respecting the three above-mentioned vessels, as follows :-

"TYNESIDER GRANTED TWO MONTHS EXTENSION COASTER AND TRADER
"ONE FURTHER MONTH EACH."