



Lloyd's Register of Shipping.

71, Fenchurch Street,

London, 27th February, 1936

E.C.3.

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To the Surveyors at

WEST HARTLEPOOL

TAP 10/36

Vessel's Name

s.s. "FORTHBRIDGE"

No. in Reg. Bk. 25087

QUESTION.

ANSWER.

The above vessel was reported to have drifted ashore on fire at the North-West end of Dogo (Oki) Island after having been abandoned by her crew on the 25th January last.

In reply to a casualty notice the owners stated that while it appeared that the vessel had become a total loss, the matter had not yet been definitely settled.

In the circumstances the action was deferred by the Committee, pending the receipt of further information on the subject.

I shall therefore be glad if you will kindly ascertain and let me know, for the Committee's information, whether anything further has transpired regarding the disposal of this vessel.

Q.H.

Date:— 4th March, 1936.

Messrs. Crosby, Son & Co. Ltd.

state that under date 3rd February, they received a communication from your office with reference to the casualty to this vessel, asking them if they could confirm that she was a total loss.

At that time they were not in position so to do, but developments since are such that as far as they are concerned there is now no reason why the vessel's name should not be expunged from the Register Book. No doubt this advice will now be sufficient for your purpose.

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No. in Reg. Bk. 2241

Date: 4th March, 1936.

Messrs. Goss, Son & Co., Ltd.

state that under date and

reference, they received a

communication from your office

with reference to the liability to

this vessel, and that in the

could confirm that she was

total loss.

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in position to do so, but

developments since are such that

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