

s.s. "ABERCRAIG"

The 3rd S.S.No.2 became due in 7,35, and, after an examination in dry dock in January last a proposal to carry out the survey within the year of grace was agreed to.

The vessel is laid up at Appledore and the usual undertaking has been furnished.

The Cardiff Surveyors now state that negotiations are in progress for the sale of the steamer to an Esthonian firm, who propose to load her for an Esthonian port. No arrangements have been made to advance the survey.

In view of the dry docking in January last and of the fact that only two months have elapsed since the year of grace expired, it is a matter for consideration whether, in the event of the sale taking place and the new Owners intending to retain the classification, permission might not be granted for the vessel to proceed with <sup>A NON PERISHABLE</sup> cargo to a port in Esthonia, provided the Cardiff Surveyors are satisfied that she is fit to make the voyage, and on the definite understanding that the survey would be carried out on arrival, provided also that the Cardiff Surveyors are satisfied that the weld on the crown of the starboard furnace of the boiler is also efficient for the voyage.

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