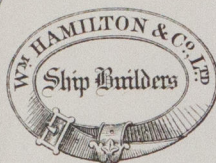


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TELEPHONE N° 23 PORT-GLASGOW.

TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS, "HAMILTON," PORT-GLASGOW.



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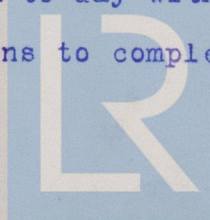
The Secretary,
Lloyd's Register of British & Foreign Shipping,
L O N D O N.

Dear Sir,

We beg to confirm having wired you this forenoon as follows, viz:

"We have ordered for steamer Colusa now at Cardiff 90 fathoms $1\frac{3}{8}$ " stud link stream chain from Green of Old Hill to take place of $1\frac{1}{4}$ " chain supplied. Will you instruct testing house there to work overtime in order to complete test as steamer sails from Cardiff tomorrow and we wish it forwarded at latest by first passenger train tomorrow to Cardiff. Might also get testing house to wire us when and how dispatched."

This steamer arrived at Cardiff this morning and is expected to sail for San Francisco to-morrow (Saturday) evening. We are desirous of substituting 90 fathoms of $1\frac{3}{8}$ " stud link stream chain for the 90 fathoms $1\frac{1}{4}$ " already supplied and have accordingly placed this order with Mr. John Green of Old Hill. He reports to us that if the Testing House at this through to-day that it can leave for Cardiff tomorrow. We have asked him to get it forwarded by passenger train. We hope you have been able to get into telegraphic touch to-day with the Testing House and given them the necessary instructions to complete the test to-day if



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To Lloyd's Register of British
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at all possible, so that there may be no hitch in having the chain
dispatched first thing to-morrow morning at the latest.

We have asked them to forward the Test Certificate addressed
to your Cardiff Office and if you will favour us by wiring your Cardiff
Surveyors to-morrow (Saturday) morning requesting them to see the
substitution carried through we will esteem it a favour. We have also
asked the Owners to forward to the Captain of the Steamer the Test
Certificate for the 90 fathoms $1\frac{1}{4}$ " so that it may also be presented to
your Surveyor on board the steamer.

We are,

Yours faithfully,

William Hamilton & Company, Ltd.

John Stacey
Director.



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