

S.S. "ITALIAN PRINCE".

At the request of the Owners a letter, dated the 28th ultimo, was sent to them containing the Society's comments on the findings of the Court of Enquiry into the loss of this vessel.

In reply, the Owners expressed the interpretation which they placed on the letter sent to them and asked whether in doing so they were correct; further they enquired whether, in the event of an appeal being lodged, the Society would be prepared to give evidence, also whether use might be made of the letter sent to them on the 28th ultimo.

The matter has been discussed with the Society's Solicitors who have now forwarded the draft of a letter which they suggest should be written in reply to the Owners.

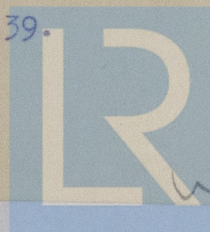
IT IS SUBMITTED that a letter, generally in accordance with the draft, might be forwarded, but that in the first paragraph after ... "Rules of this Society", the words "at the time the vessel was built", should be inserted.

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