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Collingwood Buildings, Newcastle-on-Tyne.

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LONDON.

12th October, 1921.

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Dear Sir,

In reply to your letter of yesterday's date having reference to the drilling of holes in large steel castings at such parts of the casting where experience had shewn cavities or cracks were likely to occur, I have to state for the information of the Committee that their instructions as set forth on page 26, Section 4 and paragraph 14, always receive my attention and in the case of the cast steel sternframe supplied to the S.S. "KORANTON" the drilling was carried out.

I had no knowledge of what took place in 1910 and took the liberty of making the proposal with reference to the casting of holes in sternframes and which in my opinion would prove very effectual in relieving the stresses where sections are of unequal area.

Yours faithfully,

The Secretary,  
London.



*W. Lambell*  
*J. J. J.*  
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I had no knowledge of what took place in 1919  
as far as the liberty of making the proposal with reference  
to the casting of holes in castings and which is my opinion  
could prove very alluring in relieving the stress where  
actions are of unusual size.

Ref. sent to the Chief S.W. Surveyor,  
with one copy of Engineer Surveyor.

*[Handwritten signatures and initials]*  
13 OCT 1921  
R. H. [Signature]  
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