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Lloyd's Register of Shipping,

71, Fenchurch Street, E.C.3.

22nd May, 1939.

Dear Sir,

M. I have to acquaint you that it is understood that the Formal Investigation to be held into the circumstances attending the loss of the S.S. "RUMORE" has been fixed to commence at 10 a.m. on the 14th proximo in Room 28, County Buildings, 149 Ingram Street, Glasgow.

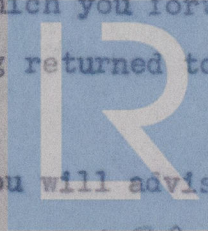
The Board of Trade desire that an official from this Society shall attend the Enquiry and produce the necessary documents, and I shall be glad if Dr. Webster will be good enough to arrange for a Surveyor to attend the Hearing for this purpose.

The correspondence, Reports and Journals in connexion with the case are being forwarded to you under separate cover, per registered post, and I shall be glad if you will return them to this Office, except for the Journals which you might return the the Society's Surveyors at Leith, at the same time advising me that this has been done.

The correspondence which you forwarded with your letter of the 22nd March last is being returned to you, also under separate cover.

I shall be glad if you will advise me of the name of

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the Surveyor appointed by Dr. Webster to undertake this duty, giving particulars of any technical institutions of which he is a member and academic degrees which he holds, in order that the Board of Trade may be advised. An early reply in this respect is desired.

I am, Dear Sir,

Yours faithfully,

Secretary.

The Secretary,

GLASGOW.

P.S. The Reports will be forwarded to you tomorrow.



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