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Lloyd's Register of Shipping,

71, Fenchurch Street, E.C. 3.

3rd July, 1934.

Dear Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 14th ultimo respecting the completion of the overdue Third Special Survey No.1 on the s.s. "PRATERNITY", from which I note that the vessel has now been seized for debt and is at present laid up in the Morton Engineering & Shipbuilding Co. Yard in Quebec, and was up for sale at Public Auction on the 15th ultimo.

I await a further communication from you regarding the matter, but in connexion with the sale of the vessel it is concluded that it will have been clear to intending purchasers that unless the Third Special Survey No.1 and all repairs are carried out before the vessel proceeds to sea, and all outstanding fees are paid, her class will be imperilled. The purchasers should therefore be informed exactly how the case stands and if the vessel is to continue to be laid up indefinitely the Committee will require the usual form of undertaking to be furnished.

I shall be glad to hear from you further in regard to the matter as soon as possible.

I am, Dear Sir,
Yours faithfully,

Geo. Allan, Esq.,
MONTREAL.

Clerk to the
Classification Committee.

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