



# Lloyd's Register of British & Foreign Shipping,

56, John Street,

Sunderland, 11th. April, 1905.

LLOYDS REGISTER  
LONDON.

REC: 12 APR 1905

ANS: 13/4

The Secretary,  
London.

Sir,

With reference to Messrs Sir J. Laing & Sons' S.S.No.607, I beg to inform you that the Builders are applying to this vessel's bottom -in lieu of cement- a bitumastic solution made by Cail, Partners of Newcastle. This preparation is apparently of the consistency of stockholm tar, two coats of which are being applied, and is the Owners' requirement.

The Builders attention has been drawn to Sec.35 of the Rules, and they have promised to obtain particulars of the material which I shall forward in due course.

I shall be pleased to know if the preparation is known to the Committee, and what record should be inserted in the Register Book regarding it.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,



*J. Allan*  
2021

Lloyd's Register  
Foundation  
W565 0065

