

s.s. "LA CRESCENTA"

At an interview with the Solicitor's Department of the Board of Trade on Wednesday, 14th instant, it was suggested that sufficient copies of the reports to be produced at the enquiry into the loss of this ship might be sent to the Board, so that they could hand one copy to each of the parties to the case.

In the accompanying letter the Board of Trade request that 12 copies of the various reports be sent to them, and it is submitted these copies be prepared and forwarded to the Board.

The Board also advise that they will require the following Surveyors to give evidence :-

Mr. Chapman (of Barry)
Mr. A.W. Jackson
Mr. R. Batchelor
Mr. R. Moffitt
Mr. M. Caldwell
Mr. John Stocks
Mr. J.E. Sellex,

and that Mr. William Watt will be required to produce originals and to give evidence regarding certain matters.

It is submitted these Surveyors be advised and a copy of their reports, on which they will be required to give evidence, be sent for their guidance.

It is noted that the Board will send to the Society's Solicitors copies of all the documents which the Board propose to put in evidence at the hearing, and also copies of the questions. They also suggest that we send copies of the reports to the Solicitors.

Copies required

Board of Trade	12
L.R. Solicitors	2
For use by London Office	2
Copies for Surveyors	1
who give evidence	2
Spare	19 sets.

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