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Ocean Chambers, Lowgate,

Hull, 4th May 1910

Reference

The Secretary,

LONDON,

Sir,

Reverting to our report No. 22237, with regard to the steamer "GALILEO" and also our letter dated 13-3-10, we beg to state that the defective cast steel rudder removed from this vessel has been broken up and shews some very serious defects, see rough sketch herewith. The section No. 3 shews a defect in the main piece in way of the 3rd gudgeon above the heel, this defect was not noticed when the rudder was examined in dry dock recently their being a thin film of good metal on the outside, this defect although it shewed nothing on the surface is quite the most serious, the other two defects for which the rudder was condemned are shewn on sections Nos 1 and 2 the numbers indicate their position above the heel.

We forward herewith a letter received from the Owners with reference to this matter with a photograph of the defect at the 3rd gudgeon above the heel.

We are informed that Lord Nunburnholme will raise the question about this rudder at the meeting of the Committee tomorrow.

We are, Sir,
Your Obedient Servants,
The Surveyors,

PER. Allison B. Wilson.

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Referred to the Chief Ship Surveyor
and the Chief Engineer Surveyor.

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Also for Mr. S. J. Hill's note.

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