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TRANSLATION.

CHARGEURS DE L'OUEST.

NANTES. December 15th 1917.

Lloyd's Register,
LONDON.

Dear Sir,

"HENRI LE COUR".

We beg to send you enclosed a copy of the report which we have received from the Captain of this vessel.

At the time of the delivery of this steamer at Newcastle we caused to be pointed out to your local Surveyor the bad working of the apparatus and of its insufficiency.

The maker, in agreement with your Surveyor, had the steam "detendeur" (reducing valve) renewed and the pressure raised from 90 to 100 lbs; notwithstanding this alteration the apparatus still remains insufficient and we should feel obliged if you could kindly back up a request for changing the apparatus as it does not offer any guarantee of good working.

Yours faithfully,



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