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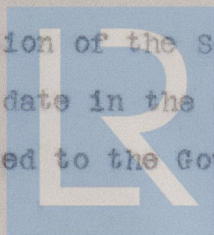
Sir,

I am in receipt of your letter of the 3rd instant enclosing the First Entry Reports on the new Steamer "JACATRA" and have to acquaint you that they were submitted to the Committee of Classification to-day, and that the vessel has been classed 100A1 with notations of Lloyd's A & GP and LMC 5,12.

With the consent of the Builders the Hull certificate has been forwarded direct to the Owners, and I enclose herewith the certificate for the machinery to be handed over to the Engineers on payment of the fees.

With regard to this case it is observed that the last date of survey of the Machinery was 16th May, and that Mr. Gardner-Smith's report does not appear to have been handed in until the 3rd instant, and that the fees were only applied for on this date. The First Entry Report of the Hull of the vessel was completed on the 24th ultimo.

In view of the production of the Society's certificates being essential at a very early date in the cases of vessels owned abroad so as to be exhibited to the Government Authorities



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in many cases, very serious inconvenience is likely to be occasioned when there is any delay in handing in and dealing with the reports, and I shall be glad if you will kindly explain why so long a period was allowed to elapse between the last date of survey of the Machinery of this vessel and the date when the report was handed in.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Secretary.

The Secretary,

GLASGOW.



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