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71, Fenchurch Street, E.C. 3.

23rd November, 1927.

Your Ref:- A.S.

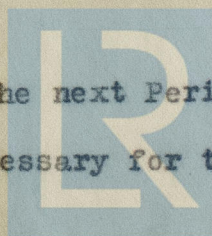
Dear Sirs,

S. With reference to your letter of the 13th July 1925 furnishing the undertaking required by the Committee at that time for the maintenance of the class of your Steamer "WESTRALIA" in the Society's Register Book, I beg to acquaint you that the case of this vessel has again come up for consideration.

As you are aware, the Third Special Survey No. 1 became due on this vessel so long ago as May 1924, and as the vessel would appear to be still laid up, with no immediate prospect of being again placed in commission, the Committee do not see how they can agree to her class being retained in the Register Book indefinitely.

They will, however, be willing to allow the vessel's class to remain undisturbed whilst laid up, until the next Periodical Survey, the Third Special Survey No. 2, becomes due in May next, provided a general examination be now made by the Society's Surveyors and the Steamer be found in good condition.

I may add that when the next Periodical Survey becomes due in May next, it will be necessary for that inspection to be



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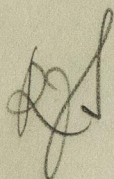
held at that time, if it is your desire to retain the
vessel's classification.

I am, Dear Sirs,

Yours faithfully,

Secretary.

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