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31-10-1941.

Messrs. Societe Francaise des  
Charbonnages du Tonkin,  
2, Rue Francis Garnier,  
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Dear Sirs,

The 1945 tons dust coal ex s.s. "Hukei Maru" are being unloaded at Bangsue these days and we have been approached by Messrs. Mitsui Bussan Kaisha, Ltd. as to future deliveries.

As you will know from our telegrams, we are prepared to let Mitsui quote for freight for the remaining quantity contracted for. We also understand that Mitsui are interested to quote us c.i.f. Bangkok when our contract is completed and to this we have no objection either as long as Mitsui will do their best to avoid any import of cement to Thailand.

May we, therefore, suggest that you approach us again in order to ascertain how the position is when our present contract is nearly completed so as to fix up matters with Mitsui in a manner satisfactory to all concerned.

We beg to remain,

Yours faithfully,