## January 24, 1948

Mr. George R. Swift, Jr., Luders Marine Construction Co., Stamford, Conn.,

Dear George

The Chicago Y.C. plans to sponsor a National Regatta for the L-16 Class in 1948, and I have been delegated to promote same. We should like to get things under way as soon as possible and I am writing to the fleets for which I have addresses. These are Detroit, Indian Harbor, Bar Harbor and New Orleans. Can you let me know how to get in touch with the Northeast Harbor fleet and the one in California? Also if there are any other fleets which we don't know about, will you give me the dope on them?

You had better include Bermuda too, although I don't suppose there is much chance of getting them to send a crew.

The C.Y.C. has also authorized a challenge for the Ocean-Great Lakes Cup and we are starting build up the fire in our collective eye. We think maybe we'll be able to keep Moonsy in one piece for another year.

We will depend on you to see that the I.H.Y.C. is properly represented in Chicago, and that means Swift. We are tentatively scheduling it for the last weekend in August.

With very best regards,

Yours very truly,