will be rather more than £650, in excess of the sum coming to the Captain, required to make the repairs which he intends to have done.

The draft for £800 which you have made upon us, has not yet appeared, but as regards accepting it before receiving payment of the order on Messrs. Rathbone Bros & Co, as well as with regard to our making the advance which you request to supply funds needed for repairs, we shall have to ask you to arrange a Credit with our Agents in Baltimore Messrs. Alex Brown & Sons. It is impossible now to form an idea of what will be required, but we propose to communicate with you by telegraph through Messrs. Alex Brown & Sons, unless in the meantime you anticipate our so doing by providing the requisite Credit.

We send this through our Baltimore friends and shall be happy to carry

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