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Liverpool Dec. 8th 1868

Dr. James Hall Esq.
Baltimore

Dear Sir

In my last letter advising you of the safe arrival at this port of the ship "Golconda" Dec 2nd I stated after consulting Messrs. Brown Shipley & Co and Messrs. Rathbone Brothers & Co the later firm acting as agents for the ship that I had made up my mind to repair the ship as cheaply as possible so as to perform her voyge back to Baltimore. and since that time there have nothing transpired to change my opinion. I find that the ships upper-works is the greatest in need of overhauling she is making but little water at present I therefor intend to have her calked and metaled and some fastning if found necesary. I take advise from from all, but I find that I will have to act according to my own judgment. I intend to expand no more money on the ship then I would if she was my own property. and having your letter of instruction the advise of two of the best houses in Liverpool. I feel confident that your interest will not suffer. in the mean time I hope you will advise me by letter or telegraph as you may think best. I have recomended Messrs Rathbone Brothers & Co not to load the ship deeper then Nineteen feet going to the westward and probably you

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