Baltimore May 19th 1856

Stephen A. Duncan Esq.

My dear Sir,

Thanks for your attention to my boundary written letter. I shall not intend to run you all over through your big city. I am fully certain my suspicions of the use of house will be realized, at least it is the opinion of the largest importer in America of Rosin here, given in this city without bias. So I will be no time & bid you go ahead & do the best for owners. Contract only for the best. Lead of your best Rosin yours, subject to inspection & approval on delivery of a third party or good judge. Make the Manifest at B.C. if possible, at any rate, let it be optional with me to take or leave it, as I may use other rope for part & have the lining in existing, to be ready for delivery in size, length & number of strands, after timely notice by the 1st of October thereabouts. Let the contract now, & furnish what I may require for the two ships & schooner, not forgetting to take all, as it will be inconvenient & extravagant to be at detail. You can now give the delivery on board the respective Ships of the best condition, or take them up & fit off for sea. Nothing the figure of Mr. Ship's Jas. letter to me, deliver the on Ship board for Baltimore. Buy only of the three of my enclosed integrity at any price a cheap cable. Tell me what time they will require after getting this dimensions &c &c.

Truly Yours Jas. Kelly

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