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1854. Running rigging rope on board Bark Smyrna.

March 4th Main braces, 2 1/2 in. 18 faths. each.
 " 24th Main topmast braces, one 3 in. one 2 1/4 in. 17 faths. each.
 April 18th Jib downhaul, 2 1/4 in. 15 faths.
 " 26th Wheel rope 6 1/2 faths.
 July 17th Fore topsail braces 2 3/4 in. 26 faths. each.
 Dec. 22nd Fore topmast staysail halliards, 20 faths.
 " 28th Fore tacks, 5 faths. each.
 1855 Jan 10th Main topsail halliards, 2 1/2 in. 23 faths.
 May 8th Main buntlines, (second hand towline).
 " 16th Main top gallant runner, 2 1/2 in. 6 faths.
 " 16th Main topsail reef tackle, 2 1/2 in. 16 faths. each.
 July 25th Fly jib downhaul, 2 in. 15 1/2 fathoms.
 Sept. 7th Main top gallant braces, 2 in. 22 faths. each.
 " 7th Spanker halliards, 14 fathoms. (2 in).
 " 7th Spanker outhaul, 2 1/4 in. 14 fathoms.
 Nov. 29th Flying jib whips, 2 1/4 in. 11 fathoms. each.
 Dec. 8th Main top gallant halliards, 2 1/4 in. 21 faths.
 1856 Jan 14th Jib whips, 2 1/2 in. 8 1/2 faths. each.
 " 23rd Fore topmast studding sail halliards, 2 1/2 in. 22 faths.
 " 29th Main clue gaskets 2 1/2 in. 16 faths. each. Spanker sheets 2 1/4 in. 8 faths. each.
 March 5th Burton fall 2 1/2 in. 36 faths. Dec. 3. S. P. M. staysail endrop 2 1/2 in. 8 1/2 faths. each.
 April 28th Starboard boat falls, 2 1/2 in. 15 faths. each. Old falls for jib halliards, 30 faths.
 June 30th Fore sheets, 3 1/4 in. 11 faths. each. July 6th Main S. P. clewlines, 1 3/4 in. 20 faths. each.
 July 9th Flying jib halliards, (manilla towline) 27 faths.
 Dec. 3rd Larboard boat falls, 2 1/4 in. 14 faths. each.
 " 3rd Fore spencer vang falls, (towline), 6 faths. each.
 " 27th Main topsail buntlines, 2 1/4 in. 15 1/2 faths. each.
 1857 Jan 12th Fore buntlines (manilla towline), 9 1/2 faths. each. Spanker brail, (towline).
 " 13th Fore topmast staysail downhaul, (manilla towline) 9 faths.
 May 9th Fore topsail clewlines and Main topsail reef tackle, 2 1/4 in.
 " 9th Fore braces 2 1/2 in.
 Aug. 7th Main topsail clewlines 2 1/2 in. 14 faths. each. and gaff topsail gear, (towline).

The miss her at Home.

We miss thee at home, yes! we miss thee,
 Since the hour we bade thee adieu,
 And prayers have encircled thy pathway,
 From anxious hearts loving and true;
 That the Saviour would guide and protect thee
 As far from the loved ones you roam,
 And whisper when e'er thou wert saddened
 They miss thee, All miss thee at home.

The shadows of evening are falling,
 Oh! where is the wanderer now,
 The breeze that floats lightly around me
 Perchance may soon visit his brow,
 O, bear on thy bosom a message
 We're watching, O, why wilt thou roam,
 The heart has grown cold and dejected
 For we miss thee, All miss thee at home.

From Margaret and Eliza.

The Little Ella.

By Ella S. —

Little Ella, darling Ella,	Yes, my Ella, star-bright Ella,
Child of hope, of love and tears,	May flowers sweet for thee ever bloom,
May the loved ones near around thee	While love, and joy, and peace, my Ella,
Still be near in later years.	Be thine, till resting in the tomb.

Lovely Ella, baby Ella,	And when my Ella, thou angel Ella,
May the future with it bring	Is called to strike her harp above,
Naught to harm, but much to bless thee—	We'll meet to part no more, my Ella,
Much of heaven on angels' wing.	But live in God's eternal love.

Sweetest Ella, tiny Ella,
 Life hath many a bitter draught,
 But mayst thou escape the life-dregs drinking,
 While flowers bedeck thy onward path.

3 1/2 P. M. Aug. 31st 1855.
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