

From Sampson & Tappan

Boston Jan 19th 1853

Capt Joshua Lewis Ship Bussa

Dear Sir

Having chartered the Ship Bussa under your Command for a voyage from Boston to port or ports in China you will proceed with all convenient despatch to Hong Kong and report yourself to our Agent Charles D Muzzard Esq or in his absence to Messrs Nye Parker & Co of Canton who will give you the necessary instructions for the discharge of such part of your cargo as they may wish landed at Hong Kong or Whampoa having done this they will be instructed to give you prompt despatch for Shanghai where on your arrival you will report yourself to Messrs Bull Nye & Co unless otherwise ordered by Charles D Muzzard Esq. who will attend to the receipt of balance of your outward cargo and will also pay you the Charter of the Ship agreeable to terms of your Charter party. We shall feel obliged if you will afford the Consignees all the accommodation in your power in discharging the Ship.

Wishing you a pleasant passage

Dear Sir

Yours Truly

Sampson & Tappan

[1853-01-19; NB #2, p. 05; draft of a letter from Sampson & Tappan to Joshua Sears:]
From Samson & Tappan

Boston Jan 19th 1853

Capt Joshua Sears Ship Orissa

Dear Sir

Having Chartered the Ship Orissa under your Command for a voyage from Boston to port or ports in China You will proceed with all Convenient despatch to Hong Kong, and report yourself to our Agent Charles D Mugford Esq. or in his Absence to Messrs Nye Parker & Co of Canton who will give you the necessary instructions for the discharge of Such part of your Cargo as they may Wish landed at Hong Kong or Whampoa having done this they will be instructed to give you prompt despatch for Shanghai where on your Arrival you will report yourself to Messrs Bull Nye & Co. Unless otherwise order'd by Chas D Mugford Esq. Who will Attend to the receipt of balance of your Outward Cargo and will also pay you the Charter of the Ship Agreeable to terms of your Charter Party We shall feel obliged if you Will Afford the Consignees all the Accommodation in your Power in discharging the Ship

Wishing you a pleasant passage

Please Dear Sir

Yours Truly

Sampson & Tappan



These collections are protected by United States and International copyright laws. Personal non-commercial use of these materials is allowed. Any other use is strictly prohibited without the express written permission of the Dennis Historical Society.