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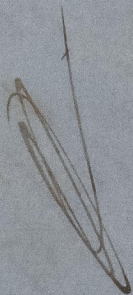
Gen. B. Leyland Esq
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Sir,
Messrs Harvey & Co of Hangle have
just launched a New Schooner of about
100 tons Register, and have made the Chain
Cable and Anchors for her themselves and
specimens are made of the very best Iron
They have also a ^{or testing} Machine by which
they have been tested that by your Circular
of the 17th inst just at hand the Cables
must be tested to the Admiralty proof
at a public Machine There is no testing
public Machine that I know of in Cornwall
tho the vessel is chartered to load
Pilchard at St Ives for the Mediterranean
and will be ready to take in her Cargo on
Tuesday or Wednesday next - I shall be glad to
know what is best to be done in this matter
as they cannot be tested any where else
now

Waiting your reply & return
I am Sir yours truly
W. K. Matthews

25 Jan

am accept and accept from that it
appears to me that this only course is
to report the Board, telling forth the
facts herein stated - but I cannot
hold out a hope that the Board
will forego their acquiescence



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