

Shipbuilding Yard.

Ardrossan. 13 Sept^r 1860.

George B. Snyfang Esq.

Dear Sir,

We are now building
a vessel of about 500 tons Register.
The owner proposes to put in iron
Beams in the lower hold of extra
strength to what is required by Lloyd's
Rules. He wishes to know if the Beams
must be spaced the same as if they
were of wood as this will cause a
number of extra beams (the beams
being small in siding) or will the
same number of beams do as if they
were of wood, he will make the beams
as heavy as you may wish them but
would not like more beams than of
wood. Your answer to this will oblige
me very much.
Yours truly
Barrie & Shearer

2 White Lion Court,
Cornhill, London.

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Letter 17.9.60
Theresa Green
also 27/9/60

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Iron Beams
in lower Hold
of a Wood Ship



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