

Topsam Sept<sup>r</sup> 20-1845-  
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Charles Graham Esq

Sir

In reply to  
yours of yesterday. I beg to  
state the whole of the  
Planks of the "Topsam" are  
second hand, and the prin-  
cipal part of the fresh  
puttocks, and about one  
third of the other timbers,  
nearly all the outside planks  
is new, and all the Decks  
Waterways, <sup>plank & beam</sup> Corners, Stanchions,  
Bulkheads & rails are new as  
also the ceiling, keel, stem, &  
stern post new, & below second hand

The second kind wood used  
is either log cut in African  
Park and appeared to be  
very sound and good. I  
saw the byzel several  
times whilst on progress.

Yours ain Sir  
Yours Obedt Servt  
John Holman



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