

Cost. 23rd May 1866—
Mr George B. Lofang
Sir

In reply to yours of 21st and with reference to Report Survey of "Sharon Lily" built at Oxford, which Vessel I looked over as far as I could, being all planked outside, inside and then putting in some dark Boards of Oak. Hard, could only see the top timber head, the greater part of which were A to B (second hand) (but so far as I could see) they were fresh, quite some, I told squares, some others Oak, the planking was well wrought, and well shifted, and considered the workmanship remarkably well executed so far as I saw, and a very good little Vessel, and I certainly would rather take her, than any Five Year American built Vessel.

I was neither called upon or asked to examine her but seeing her there in the same yard, I took a look over her, and was much pleased with the way they had executed their work so far as I was able to see. I return you the Report and remain Dear Yours Most Respectfully

George Wright



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