Baltimore October 27, 1859

Capt. Theodore Corner, Valparaiso

Dear sir,

We enclose herewith Invoice of the cargo shipped by us on board the Barque Maria. Capt Johnson to your consignment which please have sold either at V. or any of the ports on the coast offering best inducements.

We also enclose Power of Attorney to make sale of the Barque provided you can obtain not less that \$10,000/Ten thousand Dollars. . If you cannot find sale for her you will endeavor to find good employment for her on the Coast or a freight back to the United States. The proceeds if cargo and vessel if sold can be remitted to us in Bills of Exchange in England or the U.S.

Yours truly,

Ja Corner & Sons