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Nov. 6th 1817
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Mess^{rs} Brown & Ives

Boston November 6th 1817

Providence MS

Gentlemen,

The preceding is duplicate of my last, respect, under date 31st October which I now confirm, and beg leave to crave your reference to the same - The London Trader sailing sooner than was generally expected, gives me but time to enclose you duplicate Invoice & bill lading Teas and Nankens by the Suffolk for Boston on your account & risk - the Suffolk will sail about the 10th inst. - I have not yet agreed with the Agents of the Canton for the freight of the remaining 250 Chets Teas & 20^{lb} p^{cs} Nankens - they ask \$35. P^{cs}, and I have offered \$30. they may possibly take \$30. The Teas by the Suffolk are fresh and good, but I am not so well satisfied with the Nankens - they are however of as good a quality as the short-yellows are this season - but, they are making them so short, and coarse as to discourage the purchase of them - we have had no arrival since the Paragon - we had a vague report yesterday of there being three American Vessels at Macoa, two Ships & a Brig, there is however no confirmation to day - in the original Certificate of Export duty on my private Adventure Per Ship Asia, I made an error of \$6.75 which I have corrected in the duplicate. I remain Gentlemen,

Very respectfully your faithful serv^t

John H. Powers

Pl. Cap^t Yrann was called suddenly to Whampoa which prevented his signing the bill lading - he will return to me now but not in time for this conveyance -

Brig^l London Trader
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