

Cunard Royal Mail Steamship "Bothnia"

Friday June 20/84

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Dear Larry -

We have just sighted the Irish coast after the smoothest passage. I have yet experienced, I took my two days however, of a moderately active sea sick followed by an unexceptionable appetite. Mama has done first rate. Following your advice, she has been in the saloon for meals for quite two thirds of the voyage. Anna pretty well used up for a few days but

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we worked her downstairs. You may judge how entirely she has recovered when I tell you that she and Ellie danced at the [Bothnea?] hop last night. I think we shall reach Liverpool about noon to-morrow in time to make Chester for Sunday, stop at some point between there and London, reaching the latter place on Wednesday. By that time I trust we shall hear something from home

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Mama & Anna send all their love with birthday greetings.

Pécre Hyacinthe [sic] and
D^r John Hall have been
the lions of the voyage
[Mére?] Hyacinthe [sic] Layson
not to be forgotten; The
Pécre gave us a preach
last Sunday - followed
by a lot of Presby. preach[-]
ers going to Belfast
for a Pan Presby. course
at Bayards under
Mr J Wolcott Jackson
a very agreeable com[-]

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panion. =
Much love for Dora &
a kiss for the baby.

Affec
Ron L

My Dear Old Brock
Papa seems
entirely well. He has his
jokes as in his [palmiest?]
days & seems to look for-
ward to dear old England
with the greatest pleasure.
And he is jolly on the
vastly ocean what will he
be in Dover St? What
an old brick you are! Many
happy returns. Love to
D. & Baby
Affec Anna

