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Staten Island July 12th 1834

Dear Sir,

I am well and I hope I will find you the same. I arrived to Staten Island quarantine ground on the 27th June 1834. I had only five weeks on the passage dear Sir I saw your father and mother the night afore I came away and your sister and all your friends and was well when I come away and I left Scotland on the 21st May. I am expecting my father and mother over next spring. Sanders Morton was thinking of coming to America and his family and a great deal more acquaintances. I would be much obliged to you, if you would give me David Tailor directions. Dear sir I should be very happy to see you here. I am engaged to Mr Cary for Six months. I hope you would write to me as soon as you can.

Your humble servant Archibald Dempster.

My directions is Archibald Dempster.

To the care of Mr Cary

Tompkinsville

Staten Island

in the state of New York.

Letters From Scotland to James Reid 1833 - 1868

#4 Archibald Dempster, friend, July 12, 1834

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