

JANE CAMERON NATIONAL ARCHIVES
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Duplicate.

Government House
Falkland Islands.
November 9th 1863

My Lord Duke,

It has become my duty to report

the melancholy occurrence of the wreck of the
Prussian Barque "Adeline" which vessel was
lost on this Island on the 4th ultimo.

2. I received a letter from the
Master Mr. Kuhse praying that I would pro-
vide for himself & crew, as they were destitute,
and without any other means of procuring
assistance, there being no Consul for them to
apply to in the colony. I felt it necessary to
afford these seamen such protection as I con-
sidered absolutely requisite for their maintenance,
and I beg to enclose an account of expenses
thus incurred, supported by Vouchers of Receipt
with a view to the recovery of the money from
the Prussian Government.

I have &c &c

(J^r) J. MacKenzie
Yrs.

His Grace
The Duke of Newcastle.
K. G.

Y^e Y^e Y^e

Appended.

26th October to
3rd November 1863.

Vouchers

CCXVI - CCXII
CCXIII - CCXIV.

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An Account of the Expenses of the Government
relief to the Crew of the Russian Barque "Adeline"

(Vouchers in support of all the Payments)

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Date.		Amount		
		£	s	d
1863.				
November 3 rd	Amount due to the Government of the Falkland Islands per contract.	54	9	0
	Total £	54	9	0

Islands.

*of the Falkland Islands incurred in rendering
wrecked on the 14th October. 1863.*

accompany this Account.)

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<i>Date</i>	<i>To whom paid and for what Service.</i>	<i>Number of Voucher.</i>	<i>Amount:</i>		
			<i>£.</i>	<i>s.</i>	<i>d.</i>
<i>1863 October 26th</i>	<i>Charles Phillips for passages in his vessel to Monte Video of 9 seamen of the "Adeline" at 1 doubloon (£ 3.4.0 each man.</i>	<i>CXCVI</i>	<i>28</i>	<i>16</i>	<i>0</i>
<i>November 3rd</i>	<i>Emile Boyer for board of 3 seamen for 13 days at 2¹/₂ each per diem</i>	<i>CCXI</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>18</i>	<i>0.</i>
<i>3rd</i>	<i>Domingo Peralto for board of 6 men for 15¹/₂ days at 2¹/₂ ea. per diem</i>	<i>CCXI</i>	<i>9</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>0</i>
<i>3rd</i>	<i>Rosanna Parry for board of 1 seaman for 25 days at 2¹/₂ per diem.</i>	<i>CCXII</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>0</i>
<i>3rd</i>	<i>Daniel McFarrell for board of the Master and first Mate for 16 days.</i>	<i>CCXIII</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>0</i>
<i>3rd</i>	<i>J. M. Dean for clothing supplied to seamen</i>	<i>CCXIV</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>0</i>
		<i>Total £</i>	<i>54</i>	<i>9</i>	<i>0</i>

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Stanley Oct 7 1863

Dear Mr. Lyne

One of the soldiers
new, a man very ill
indeed, is now at
Lang the firstables house
captured by the Deer
(Anderson) until some
place can be
found for him -
Rutter cannot find
any body willing to
take him & I must

Therefore leave him
in your hands -
He ought to be allowed
to at once begin in
a sad state

Yours truly
James Lane

W B Payne Esq

Ms. The other 3
are lodged with Peralta
Uncle Boyer at 14/

back on account
Government.

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Stanley October 12 1863

Mr. Byrne,

You will have heard that
"line" is completely broken up -
Kuhse will go to you as soon
as weather is tolerable - in the
time he & the mate are lodged
at Gurnells & the two men
on board the "Daisy" will go to
the others, unless you
decide of them to be placed
where - if so, please send word
earlier - It is I fear but a
to advertise the wreck, but I
a notice of the Auction -
As always

Agent, in regard to wrecks has no functions beyond any one else, would it not be well to let Masters of wrecked Vessels know that there are others who can assist him, so that he may ~~not~~ look about for the interest of all concerned.

I do not mention this in the spirit of complaint or dictation, but, in the present case, if Capt. Kuhse had been allowed to go in the *Surveillance* in all probability £1000 to £2000 might have been saved - He told me before he left in the "*Daisy*" that there were probably 200 boxes of the best sugar contained 400 lbs each, day, - this would have produced £2000 besides Ruffs, Spars anchors & now all lost, but

Wreck - Sale by Auction

By direction of Captain
Kuhse Master of the Prussian
Barque "Adeline" wrecked near
East Island. -

Daniel McGarrell will sell by
public Auction at the Falkland
Islands Company's Store on Wednesday
the 14th day of October 1863 at 12 o'clock
at noon precisely, in one lot,

The remains of
the above Vessel, and of her Cargo
Spars Masts Rigging & all belonging
to Vessel or Cargo - together with a
dingy Boat and gig (more or less
damaged) if recoverable

Stanley October 12th 1863

Daniel McGarrell
Auctioneer

A. Thirlage.
Master of the Adeline.

great part of which might have
been saved by Rutter, had ~~not~~ he
been allowed to take it -

I enclose (for return at your
convenience) my letter to W. J. Deane
after the Deservances' first return &
his reply - to the last line or two
of the latter I wd call your attention

There is much mischief in
throwing difficulties in the way of salvage
as this will delay & make questionable
& jeopardize future weeks - I think
the men in both Vespets that they wd
receive 2/3rd of whatever was saved to
keep them on the alert, their lives &
property are at stake

Yours truly
James Lane

W. A. Payne Esq^r

To Your Excellency

Stanley
19 Octbr. 1863.

I have had the misfortune to lose my Barque
"Adeline" on the coast of this Island & everything
that was in her. The Men have been brought to
Stanley & as there is no consul for my Country
(Prussia) in the Falkland Islands I am
obliged to place myself & them in the hands of
your Excellency, all being destitute of the
means of living here & of getting to Europe
which I am anxious to do by the very first
opportunity with the men, but several of
them will join other ships here. -
I beg to ask your Excellency to provide what
is needful, under the circumstances and
the Prussian Government will repay all
Expenses to the English Government in
Europe. -

M. Finke