

Township of Stanley
Stanley Harbour
Took William
To Wit

Be it remembered that on Thursday
the tenth day of April in the
year of our Lord one thousand
Eight Hundred and Forty

James Baird Master of the Brig
now lying at anchor in the harbour

did on the 28th day
of March last and
on this day most
violently threaten
to take these
Informants lives
or worst to be
effects

Wid Township aged thirty years or
John Stark of said Brig
aged twenty five years or thereabouts
his chief mate, came

before me William Henry Moore one
Magistry Justice of the Peace in
said Township at my residence at
Cottage in said Township and
severally sworn on their Oaths

That John Eades and Robert Fleetwood
William Stone, John Mc Lellan
and all above 25 years of age
Robert Fleetwood was shipped in
and said John Eades William Stone
John Mc Lellan were shipped in

X an entry of
which has been duly
made in the Log
Book of the said
Brig Camoena
pursuant to the
direction in the act
of the 7th Victoria
Cap. 112 for that
purpose contained

Ayes for the purposes of the Voyage
the said Ships articles for that purpose
specified did on Good Friday the twenty
Eighth day of March last at and on Board

The said Brig "Camoena" in the Harbour of
Stanley in the Township of Stanley
Violently and Maliciously declared and threaten
to take the life of
and assault Informant James Baird

James Baird and did then and there assault
this Informant by dragging him ^{up} down the
Companion Ladder of said Ship by the Collar of
his Coat out of this Informant's Cabin
and the said John Eades did then and
there ~~use foul and abusive language to~~ ^{use foul and abusive language to} John Star
Eades excited the Crew to mutiny and to
murder ~~the~~ and the said Robert Fleetwood
did then and there excite said Crew to mutiny
and with a knife in his hand said these
5 words (They ^{Masters of the Ship} alluding to the ^{the} ^{They} ^{of} ^{1st} ^{Ship} ^{Cameroen} ^{and} ^{some} ^{Spanish} ^{settlemen}
Masters & Supercargo ^{on} ^{the} ^{Quarter} ^{Deck}) "are very few boys and"
"if we made a wish we could murder them"
and these Informants on their Oaths declare that
on said day at said place ^{said} John Eades took a
piece of board from the side of the Ship and
threw same on the Deck and jumped ~~thence~~ ^{there} declaring
with an oath while performing this action
that if the Captain this Informant James Baird
had him ^{or} John Eades punished he said John
Eades would take said Captains life meaning this
Informant these Informants further declare that
the Suspendary Magistrate for this Township did
imprison the said John Eades and Robert Fleetwood
for one fortnight with hard labor on the foot
works of this Colony. These Informants further
on their Oaths declare that on Thursday the tenth
day of April Instant ^{at} Stanley Harbour aboard
on board said Ship Cameroen appeared about the
hour of day break seeing a favourable Wind
spring up to enable Informants to buy said
Ship into a neighbouring Cove called
Spanish

an entry of which
is duly made in
the day book of said
Ship

Come for the purpose of Ballasting said
 7 laye rounder Mover to be found ^{and of watering} then as she
 had discharged her Cays and was prepar
 return to Rio Grande These Informants
 directed the Hands to turn out from
 keep and to get the said Ship under
 for the purpose aforesaid. When said
 did so with the exception of said John
~~Fennon~~ Sellar and William Stone who did
 come on deck when ordered to help up
 8 James said told them if they could not come up he would
 go down into the forecable and help them
 whereupon the said John McEllon and William
 Stone gave Informant most foul and abusive
 language and declared if he came down
 the forecable they would show him
 much faster than he came down
 stated that Informant James said
 wanted to put them in prison like the
 9 Unpleaders of the Mutiny of said Friday last
 Informants further depose that in consequence
 of such refusal to do their duty by said William
 Stone and John McEllon ^{Fennon} the said had died
 away and Informants were not able to
 get way on said Ship for the purposes aforesaid
 Informants say that having discharged the Cays
 Informant James said the Captain is liable
 to a demurrage of five pounds per day for
 10 every day said Ship is detained and that
 this day is totally lost to Informant and he
 will be obliged to said ~~James~~ for the
 detention of said Ship - Informants say the
 said four Seamen John Eades Robert
 Hewson William Stone and John McEllon

been

~~been~~ for some time back, discontented and
have been endeavouring to get the well affected
^{parties} of the Crew to join them in a mutiny and
that said well affected Hands of said Crew

11 were influenced by fear of such desperate
Characters as said ^{John Eades, Robert Fleetwood, William Stone, & John McCallan} J. E. R. F. W. H. & J. M. L. who

were afraid to do the duty of the ship when
said ^{John Eades, Robert Fleetwood, William Stone, & John McCallan} J. E. R. F. W. H. & J. M. L. denied them to knock
off and not work — and some of said hands
are ready to depose to the same before a Justice
of the Peace — These Informants further say

12 that the Term of Imprisonment of said John
Eades and Robert Fleetwood which Informants
believe was regulated to meet the time of
Informants leaving port for Rio Janeiro
on account of the demurrage aforesaid
will expire on Monday next the 14th day of

April Instant when if not ordered they
will again be placed on board said Brigantine
to return to their duty and These Informants
for their Oaths say that it will be like

13 adding fuel to fire to let said ^{John Eades, Robert Fleetwood} J. E. & R. F.
amongst the Crew to join the said ^{William Stone and} H. F. and
^{John McCallan} J. M. L. as another mutiny is certain to

break out if they go to sea with such
desperate Characters. and These Informants
know & hereby do solemnly make oath that from

the above premises & circumstances of these
Informants and Complainants
they are afraid to go to sea in said ship with

14 said four Seamen on board as these Informants
^{John Eades, Robert Fleetwood, William Stone & John McCallan} are afraid that said J. E. R. F. W. H. & J. M. L.
or some or one of them will do these Informants
some grievous & deadly injury and that they
further

depon on oath ^{John Lader, Robert Hestwood}
 further affirm that said J. E. R. F. W. J. and
 I have put ~~us~~ in fear of their lives
 Informants will not go to sea in said
 14 Canoea with said hands this Informant
 James Baird preferring to pay any demand
 for the detention of said ship rather than
 the risk of his being ^{John Lader, Robert Hestwood, William Stone and John Mc Lellan} apprehended at sea
 said J. E. R. F. W. J. and J. M. L. some or one of them
 and this Informant John Stark doth ^{also} desire to
 go to sea with said men for the reasons aforesaid
 and therefore these Informants pray that the

15 ^{John Lader, Robert Hestwood, William Stone and John Mc Lellan} J. E. R. F. W. J. & J. M. L. may be required to furnish
 sufficient Sureties to keep the peace towards
 these Complainants and Informants - And
 these Informants say that they do not mean
 this Complaint or Information against nor
 require such Sureties from, the said J. E. R. F. W. J.
^{John Mc Lellan} and J. M. L. from any hatred Malice or ill will
 but merely for the preservation of their lives and
 16 persons from Injury -

James Baird
 John Stark

Shewn before me William Henry Moore
 one of Her Majesty's Justices of the Peace
 in and for the said Township of Stanley
 on the Tenth day of April one thousand
 eight hundred and forty
 at Stanley Cottage in said Township
 William Henry Moore

Truly read by me
 William Henry Moore
 to James Milne Peter
 Johnston and Robert
 de Killop -
 William Henry Moore

depon on oath ^{John Lade, Robert Fluturo}

^{John Lade, Robert Fluturo, William Stone, and John Mc Lellan}
 further affirm that said J. E. R. F. W. J. and the
 I have put ~~them~~ in fear of their lives
 Informants will not go to sea in said
 14 Canoea with said hands this Informant
 James Baird preferring to pay any demand
 for the detention of said ship rather than
 the risk of his being a ^{murdered} at sea
 said J. E. R. F. W. J. and J. M. L. some or one of them
 and this Informant John Stark doth ^{also} refuse to
 go to sea with said men for the reasons aforesaid
 and therefore these Informants pray that the said

15 ^{John Lade, Robert Fluturo, William Stone and John Mc Lellan}
 J. E. R. F. W. J. & J. M. L. may be required to find
 sufficient Sureties to keep the peace towards
 these Complainants and Informants -

These Informants say that they do not make
 this Complaint or Information against nor
 require such Sureties from, the said J. E. R. F. W. J.
^{John Mc Lellan}
 and J. M. L. from any hatred Malice or ill will
 but merely for the preservation of their lives and

16 persons from injury -

James Baird
 John Stark

Shown before me William Henry Moore
 one of Her Majesty's Justices
 the peace in and for the said
 Township of Hawley observed the
 Tenth day of April one thousand
 eight hundred and forty
 at Hawley Cottage in said Township

William Henry Moore

Truly read by me
 William Henry Moore
 to James Baird Peter
 Johnston and Robert
 de Killop -
 William Henry Moore

17 Feb 18

Knowledge of
Mentley } Informations
to } of James
Wit } Davis and
John Stark
Prater and Prater of the
City "Baltimore"

Copy these every word
and figure in full
name the full on the
same paper and when
name it so here as
possible as they are
known as these & others

It now is my duty as Magistrate by
 Virtue of the Commission I have the Honor
 to hold from Her Most Gracious
 Majesty Queen Victoria to Order and
 adjudge and I do therefore accordingly
 hereby order and adjudge that you
 John Eades - you Robert Fleetwood
 you William Stone and you John
 Mc Lellan do enter into your own
 Recognizances, you and each of you
 separately and distinctly in the
 sum of one Hundred Pounds Sterling
 Money of the Realm together with
 sufficient Sureties, Householders
 sum of Fifty Pounds Sterling each
 like lawful money, for you and each
 of you to keep the peace towards her
 said Majesty and all her liege people
 and particularly towards James Baird,
 John Stark, James Miln, Peter Johnston
 Robert Mc Killop and Thomas Clark
 for the term of Twelve Calendar Months
 now next ensuing - And in Default
 of your entering into such Recognizances
 and to find such Sureties as aforesaid
 I do hereby require and Command you
 the Constables of our Lady the Queen
 forthwith to convey the said John Eades
 and Robert Fleetwood to the Common
 Goal of this Township and to convey
 forthwith

forthwith the said William Stone and
John McLellan on board Her Majesty's
Brig "Philomel" now lying in this Harbour
there safely to be kept for the space of ³
Twelve Calendar Months from the
date hereof or until such time as
by the said John Eades Robert
Steedwood William Stone and John
McLellan enter into such Recognizance
with such Sureties as aforesaid to
keep the peace in the manner and
for the term before mentioned and herein
expressed at your peril. —

John Eades and Robert Steedwood
to the Goal of this Township

William Stone and John McLellan
on board the "Philomel" —

Warrant dated

11th April 1845 —

Magistrates
Committed.

A. M. Hall

Received of
the Office of the
Magistrate

W. L. ...

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Township of
"Stanley"
To Wit

To Robert Hearnden Constable
Township and his assistant
in and for the same and to
of any of Her Majesty's Gaolers
Her Majesty's Surveying Ship
may deliver up the Custody of
of John Eades, Robert Fleetwood
Stone, and John M. Sellar and
whom this may concern.

Whereas James Baird
1 the Brig "Carnocena" of Hincard
North Britain and John Star
James Miln Peter Johnston, Mr
Killop and Thomas Clarke
and George M. Usher
Miln, Peter, Johnston
and Thomas Clarke
of the crew of said Brig
Mr. Usher is Superior
Tenth day of April in the year
Lord one Thousand Eight Hundred
2 and Forty Five at "Stanley" Cos
said Township had on the said
day of April Int. made in form
and complaint on their several
pective oaths before me William
Moore one of Her Majesty's Just
of the Peace in and for said Township
That said John Eades, Robert Fleetwood
William Stone, and John M. Sellar
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... also forming part of the crew
... Brig "Camoenā" did on Friday
... Twenty Eight day of March last ³
... according to the Rubric of the
... of England the day kept as the
... called Good Friday in said
... at and on Board the said Brig
... in the Township aforesaid
... said William Stone and John
... did on the Tenth day of April
... and on board the said Brig Cam-
... the Harbour ^{aforesaid} in the Township
... did most violently and maliciously
... and threaten to do the said ⁴
... parts James Baird, John Stark,
... Peter Johnstone, Robert
... Thomas Clarke some
... and
... injury, and did thereby
... to do injury ^{and complaints} in fear of their
... Informed ^{and complaints} in fear of their
... life and lives and therefore
... Baird John Stark
... James Milne, Peter Johnstone Robert
... W. Gillop, and Thomas Clarke prayed
... at the said John Eades, Robert
... Westwood, William Stone, and John
... Sellar might be required to find
... sufficient Sureties to keep the Peace ⁵
... was then the said James Baird
... John Stark, James Milne, Peter
... Johnstone, Robert W. Gillop and
... Thomas Clarke, severally and res-
... tively. And W. W. the said
... John

John Eades, Robert Fleetwood, William Stone, and John M. Sellar were
 day brought and appeared before
 William Henry Moore one of
 Majesty's Justices of the Peace
 for said Township at Stanley
 in said Township aforesaid to answer
 the said Complaint and inform
 and the said Justice have
 and adjudged and do hereby order
 adjudge upon the full hearing and
 consideration of said complaint and
 information

that the said John
 Robert Fleetwood, William Stone
 John M. Sellar, shall severally
 respectively and not one for the other
 but each for himself
 respectively and separately enter
 own Recognizances
 Hundred Pounds Sterling
 lawful money of the
 severally, and respectively with
 sufficient sureties for each of them
 severally and respectively in the sum
 Fifty Pounds each of like lawful
 to keep the Peace towards Her
 and all Her liege People part
 towards the said James Baird
 Mack, James Milne, Peter Stewart
 Robert McIllopp and Thomas
 for the term of Twelve Calendar
 now next ensuing the date hereof

And Inasmuch as the
John Eades, Robert Fleetwood, William
and John W. Sellan have refused
to refuse to enter into such recogni-
ces and to find such sureties
as said I do hereby require and
command you the said Constable
and Assistants, Constables, Justices
to convey and deliver up the
bodies of the said John Eades, Robert
Fleetwood, William Stone, and John
Sellan to the Senior Officer in Com-
mand of Her Majesty's Brig "Philomel"
in this Harbour as if to the
most Goal of this Township
being at present no accommoda-
tion in this Township of
the said Majesty's Brig where the Bodies
of the said John Eades, Robert Fleet-
wood, William Stone, and John
Sellan could be incarcerated
to their safe custody
together with this 10
I do hereby also require
and command you the ^{said} Senior Officer
in Command of Her Majesty's said Brig "Philomel"
to receive the Bodies of the said John
Eades, Robert Fleetwood, William
Stone, and John W. Sellan into
custody on board the said
Brig "Philomel" and there to safely
keep for the space of Twelve
Calendar Months from the date
hereof

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hereof or until such time as y^e said
 Senior Officer of Her Majesty's said
 Brig "Philomel" shall deliver to Board
 of the said John Eades, Robert Fleet-
 wood, William Stone and John
 M^r Sellan and to deliver same into
 the custody of the Keeper of the Prison
 of Her Majesty's Goals which you the
 said Senior Officer shall first arrive
 at there to be imprisoned for the rest
 and residue of the space of the said
 Twelve Calendar Months which shall
 be then unexpired. The period of such
 their confinement to commence ^{and to compute}
 the day of their delivery on board

+ or to the Custody
 of A British
 Consul or of the
 Senior officer of
 any of Her Majesty's
 Vessels of War
 which will have
 the first opportunity
 of delivering over
 the Bodies of the
 said John Eades
 Robert Fleetwood
 William Stone
 and John M^r Sellan
 to the Keeper of one
 of Her Majesty's
 Goals.

These W^{ts}
 His

Her said Majesty's Brig "Philomel"
 And in case Her said Majesty's
 Brig "Philomel" should not arrive
 at any of Her said Majesty's Goals
 before the expiration of their said
 sentence, then the said Prisoner
 John Eades, Robert Fleetwood, Will-
 Stone and John M^r Sellan to be
 imprisoned on board said
 "Philomel" until the expiration
 of their said sentence.

to such Recognizances with
sureties as aforesaid to keep
peace in the manner and for the
in above mentioned, and for so
long, this shall be your sufficient
warrant, and Herein fail not
at your peril, and this Warrant
backed by His Excellency the ¹⁵
Governor and Commander in
Chief and Vice Admiral of
this Colony

Given under my Hand and
Seal this Seventh of April
in the Year of Our Lord one
Thousand Eight Hundred
and Forty Nine at Stanley
in the Township of Stanley
in the Falkland Islands.

William Henry Moor
Magistrate



Back the above Warrant under
custody seal this Seventh day of
"Philos" of the month of April in said
year for the purpose of the
said Warrant from the date
hereof

Patrick and Edmund

Ownership of "Stanley"

to W. H. T.

Whereunto to commit
the Bodies of John Ladd,
Robert-Whitwood
William Stone and
John Mr. DeWane
to be interred

James Colbeck

167th St

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"Phitome
keep for the space of
Lendaw... from the
west