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CAPTAIN HARRINGTON,—

On board Ship "England," 15th January, 1872.

We the undersigned steerage passengers on board the ship "England," from London to New Zealand, having witnessed the carelessness and inhumanity shown by the ship's doctor to those who required his aid,—we have determined, after mature deliberation, to have nothing whatever to do with him, leaving ourselves with the greatest confidence to your care for the remainder of the passage.

RALPH DOUGLAS.

GEORGE HILTON.

J. W. BRAND.

JOHN MACAULAY.

D.

Den 15 Januar, 1872.

Vi samtlige Danskeog Norske folk (Mellemdekkspasosererere) paa Skibet "England" pasereisen fra London till Wellington have ifølge af Dokkterens ligegyldighedog daarlige behanling imod vaure syge, opsagd hamalt tillid og tiltroseude, og efter som oi har fundet Captenen enkgellig og goatgorende man saa underkaster vi oss hoad Captenen for den ovrigte Delen af vaar reise finder godt passinde for dem som er eller muligen kune blive syge dete have vi alle under skrifort.

F. P. PETERSEN.

H. LARSEN.

R. J. LARSEN.

M. HALLBERG.

K. ERICKSEN.

PETER LARSEN.

J. CHRISTIANSEN.

N. P. NIELSEN.

P. NIELSEN.

O. MONSEN.

O. BOESEN.

CLAUS P. MAIL.

[Translation of above, as given by JOHN SWENSON.]

"15th January, 1872.

"We all Danish and Norwegians, 'tween-deck passengers in the ship 'England' on a voyage from London to Wellington, have, because of the doctor's carelessness against the sick, given up his services; and as we find the captain a good and kind man, we wish him to attend us for the rest of the passage in a medical capacity."—[Here follow the signatures.]

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15th January, 1872.

We the undersigned, two married families, passengers in the ship "England," under the command of Captain Geo. Harrington, bound for Wellington, New Zealand,—we declare our intention to dispense with the services of the doctor or medical attendant, and place ourselves under the care of the captain of the ship, to find the best means he may think necessary, should we fall sick or be disabled.

GEORGE McDONALD.

JAMES BURNES.

E.

CAPTAIN HARRINGTON,—

Ship "England," Wellington, 15th March, 1872.

Dear Sir,—I beg leave to state to you the charge I brought against the ship doctor or surgeon of gross neglect of his duty towards my son Alex. Burness, aged four years and four months, who died at sea.

Your obedient Servant,

JAMES BURNES.

F.

MEDICAL COMFORTS for 80 Second Cabin and Steerage Passengers.

Articles.	Scale per 100.	Quantities.	Packages.	Remarks.
Carolina Rice	28 lbs.	22 lbs.	1 bag	In case Sundries.
W. India Arrowroot	28 lbs.	22 lbs.	1 tin	
Barley	20 lbs.	16 lbs.	1 bag	
Sago	20 lbs.	16 lbs.	1 tin	
Tapioca	10 lbs.	8 lbs.	1 tin	In case Sundries.
Meat Soup	50 tins	40 tins		With Soup and Bouilli.
Mutton Broth				
Port Wine	2 dozen	1 dozen	1 case	
Stout	12 dozen	9 dozen	2 casks	
Brandy	2 gallons	1 gallon	1 bottle	
Vinegar	5 gallons	4 gallons	1 bottle	
Lime Juice				
Milk	6 dozen pints	{ 22 tins liquid milk 9 tins Swiss Milk		With Soup and Bouilli. In case Sundries.
Marine Soap	28 lbs.			
Sugar	...	...	...	