

CANADA.

## Sub-Enclosure to Enclosure in No. 1.

WE the undersigned, late passengers on board the barque "Faithful," Thomas Allen, master, from Limerick, do herein make oath, that being desirous of emigrating from Ireland to Canada, we were brought into communication with Captain Allen, who engaged to give us a passage in his vessel from that port to Matanne, on the river St. Lawrence; which place he said was convenient to Quebec, and was a better place to afford us work than that city. He agreed to give us, the deponents, and 15 other adult persons, each a passage to the said place called Matanne, for the sum of 2*l.* sterling, we agreeing to find our own provisions. We further depone, that the whole of the passengers, 19 in number, consisted of three women and 16 men, who all, excepting one man, of the name of James M'Mahon, who worked his passage out for the amount, and one female, whose passage was to be paid for in work by her brother on arrival in Canada, and two other passengers who short paid their passage-monies, 30*s.*, paid Captain Allen, before sailing, the said sum of 2*l.* sterling each; that we did not go on board in the Port of Limerick, but at a place called Tiervoo, a short distance therefrom; that we sailed thence on the 29th of April last, and arrived at Matanne on the 31st of May; and that we received no provisions of any kind from the ship during the passage; and we further depone, that, in consequence of being disappointed of the work promised by the captain, the parties liable for the passage-money of one female, were unable to pay it in Matanne; upon which, the captain detained from the baggage of the parties, a pair of new blankets in payment of the said passage-money. And we also further depone, that being employed by Mr. Shipman, the agent of the vessel, that gentleman did, in consideration of our work, forward us in a schooner to Quebec, at which port we arrived on the 16th of June; the remainder of the passengers, with the exception of two, proceeded on foot to Quebec.

We, the undersigned, also depone and swear, that on paying our passage-money to the captain, we did not receive any contract ticket as receipt for the same, or any document whatever; but he required us to sign a paper which we understood to be an agreement; the contents of which we cannot now recollect, as we did not receive a copy of it.

(signed) *James Hilcooly,*  
Parish of Cratlow, Clare.

(signed) *James O'Neill,*  
Parish of Cratlow, county of Clare.

Sworn before me, at the city of Quebec, this 19th day of June 1849.

(signed) *R. Symes, J.P.,*  
For the City and District of Quebec.

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— No. 2. —

(No. 135.)  
COPY of a DESPATCH from Governor the Right Honourable the Earl of *Elgin*  
to Earl *Grey*.

Government House, Toronto, 15 December 1849.  
(Received, 10 January 1850.)

My Lord,

I HAVE the honour to transmit herewith, the Chief Emigrant Agent's return of emigrants arrived at the Port of Quebec during the present year.

I have, &c.

(signed) *Elgin & Kincardine.*

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Governor the  
Earl of Elgin  
to Earl Grey,  
15 December 1849.

Enclosure