

Mr. John Bowell to Secretary

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Dear Sir

Com. (in Cot.) Jan. 10/20.

I have just received yours which informs me of your writing to Capt. Her respecting Mayree, and myself, I have one bed place in my cabin at present for my wife Child and myself it is more comfortable than it was at first, Mayree is with the third Mate at present but he is not pleased at been so far distant from me, Capt. Her has just informed me of Mr. Jones's letter respecting our accommodations he informs me it is not his fault, I can assure you Sir that our accommodations is very uncomfortable, the passengers were obliged to purchase a stove which cost me about 12, for my share having no stove on board, but I hope Sir, by you and Mr. Jones writing to Capt. Her that our accommodations may be made more comfortable Capt. Her has said nothing respecting Mayree's Tea & sugar as yet I have purchased

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a small quantity for him I conclude in hopes  
that the Lord will continue to bless and favour us  
with a good passage.

I remain

Yr<sup>o</sup> Obed<sup>t</sup> & humble  
Servant

John Cowell

P.S. My wife Child & Mayne are better  
then they were & send their kind regards to  
yourself Mrs B. Mr Pratt & all friends -