

J. M. Poynter to W. H. Mallison -

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Dear Mr. Deed 8th 1816

Mr

I should soon have done myself the pleasure of acknowledging the receipt of your letter to me - as Chairman of the Commissioners of Salvage at Deed - & also of that forwarded to me for the information of the Commissioners "respecting the Intention for the Preservation of Life & Property when wreck occurs" - But it was only yesterday - that I had the first opportunity of submitting those letters to the Gentlemen composing that Commission - And I am requested by them to state (in which statement I fully concur) "that they consider the "possible mode of your application of both "for the preservation of lives in cases of

" of wreck, or of boats upsetting / particularly  
" where assistance is so hard / very useful, and  
" that under those circumstances; it may be  
" the means of preserving many valuable  
" lives "

I return you the copies of the depositions  
made before the Mayor of Deal, & also the list  
of persons to whom you have given the  
Seaman's Friend - and

I am Sir

J<sup>d</sup> M. Poynter -

to Mr. W. H. Mallison

Deal

1. Am copy Mr. W. H. Mallison

copy of certificate  
of the Commissioners  
of Salvage - forwarded  
by Mr. Chairman  
& M. Poynter Esq<sup>r</sup>  
Apr<sup>l</sup> 8 - 1816