

My view of the matter is, this, that are the  
originators and sole cause of the difficulty.  
And if they represent the matter truly  
through out no person can censure the decis-  
sion of the Court. The loss of the colonial  
Schooner Cavalla has been felt severely  
as there a great scarcity of produce  
whereas while she was here we felt more  
secure from any design of the natives  
to impose or to take advantage of our  
necessities. But I hope ere long any dif-  
ficulty or desire of that kind may be ob-  
viated. The health of the Colony are tol-  
erably good at this though there has been  
much sickness in the present year.  
It is rather strange that not one of the  
Emigrants that came out in the *Silena*  
Packet have died though some of them  
suffered very much through their obstinacy.  
I purpose writing again by the packet  
I subscribe your obedient  
D. N. Fletcher

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II. Correspondence Received  
A. Letter Books

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