Source 16: Consultation with other maritime organisations

The new National Institution for the Preservation of Life from Shipwreck consulted other maritime organisations like Trinity House and the Royal Humane Society to gain vital advice on the

practicalities of putting its plan into action. In this way, Thomas Wilson (Chairman) and Thomas Edwards (Secretary) aimed to build partnerships to support the aims of the institution.

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A letter from Thomas Edwards Esq Secretary for the National Institution for preserving Life in cases of Shipwreck on the coasts of the United Kingdom dated the 8th Instant was laid before the Court, transmitting by desire of the Committee Copy of the Resolutions of the General Meeting held on the 4th Instant, - which being read together with the Resolutions inclosed, A motion was made, "That the sum of £1000 be subscribed in the Name of this Corporation in aid of the funds for effecting the Objects of that Institution: and that the same be transmitted forthwith".

Whereupon an amendment being moved "that the Sum of £500 be inserted in the Resolution instead of £1000. The question was past on the original Motion which was negatived:-

The Resolution being then put on the Amendment, the same was carried in the affirmative by a large Majority, and it was ordered, that the sum of £500 be subscribed in the name of this Corporation accordingly.

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A letter from the Secretary to the Royal National Institution for the Preservation of Life from Shipwreck was read inclosing a Resolution of the Committee of that Institution expressing their wish "to be favoured with a List of the most important stations on the coast of the United Kingdom for the establishment of Life Boats, particular regard being had to locality and the means of manning them" - the said Resolution having been also read, It was referr'd to the Examining Committee to consider the subject and report thereon to the Board.

Transcript of extract, 15 June 1824 Courtesy: The Corporation of Trinity House

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Source 16: Consultation with other maritime organisations (continued – page 2)

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Thomas Wilson Esq Chairman of the "Royal National Institution for the Preservation of Life from Shipwreck" requesting a copy of any essays on the prevention of shipwreck and the preservation of shipwrecked mariners which the Humane Society may have caused to be printed.

Resolved that the Registrar to communicate by letter to Mr Wilson the readiness of the Committee to transmit to the National Society any duplicates of the essays which they may have, and also to state that the Committee of the National Society are at liberty to inspect any models and that this Committee are willing to render any assistance in their power of a similar nature.

Thomas Edwards Esq Sec. to the National Society for the Preservation of Life from Shipwreck expressing the earnest wish of the Committee of that Society "to act in perfect unison with the Royal Humane Society" and soliciting an interview with the Committee, "to confer on such matters as may be expedient to further the objects of the respective Institutions".

Resolved that the following Gents be a select Committee to confer with the Depn of the National Society, viz

The Treasurer

Messrs:

Adams

Sweet

T.A. Curtis

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B. Hawes Jr

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Resolved that the Select Committee and the Depn from the National Institution be summoned to meet on the 5th May at the Society's House, at one o'clock precisely.

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