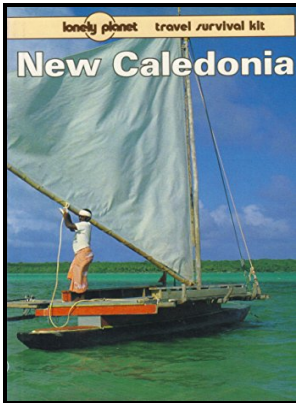


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The Jenny was a three-masted wrecked on at a place thereafter called Jenny's Cove on 20 February 1797. Richard Doty's contribution describes the activities of counterfeiters and the efforts of governments to protect the value of coins and currency.

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Among the congregation was Nicolas Jouault, great, great grandson of Edward Le Dain, whose presence was even more remarkable than it might at first appear, since Le Dain went on to survive two further shipwrecks after his escape from the destruction of the Caledonia. I did not suffer any of the bodies to be gazed at by the Common People, but they were treated with as much respect and decency as if they had died at home.

Jeremy Seal

To fancy up the story, Mr. He became a revered figure in the Orthodox and Catholic churches, attracting devotees across the Christian world as his cult shifted westward with the centuries.

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