

13.7.14.

to Innisp. Agent. from Committee "K.M."
Vancouver

We beg to inform you that you send water ^{four five} 4 or 5 tons a day, & the boatmen, who bring water, speak always about 4 or 5 tons, but when the Officers on Board measure it, they find ^{just} ~~2~~ ^{2 1/2} tons only. We don't know where does the remaining water go away. You try to find out from boatmen to prove it that who is right & wrong. This quantity of water you send every day, is not sufficient for one meal only.

It is reqd. 6 tons for one meal & for all the day long 15 tons are sufficient.

It is also reqd. 6 tons to steam & light. There is no light at all the night long for 3 days, which is very difficult for the pass. on board, without light.

We have reminded you to have butter & other things on board many times; but about these no answer recd. yet.

Every day 50 lbs butter, is spent to make the dinner, which is very essential for dinner, without it we can't make meals & veg. etc.

The flour you sent is not good to eat. pass. are feeling sick to eat this kind of flour.

There is need of a doctor to inspect the pass. every day, because on acct. of past days' hunger & thirst, pass. are going to be sick more & more.

It is only your duty to provide the pass. with every kind of necessity, because you have kept the pass. prisoners.

We request you, that you please send 15 tons water, butter & remaining things, whose list has been sent to you before, as soon as poss. on acct. of butter, on meats are used to cook.