

Letter to Lovell J. Procter, 15 March 1862

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My Dear M^r Procter evening recieved the very sad of the loss of our bishop with your . It came upon us a bewildering and we scarcely realize it a fact. But for living we got to and quickly unloaded that remained in the of 35 tons which brought up from Kongone - came

[0002] to Vianna's after and with Captain arranged that canoes should go at once to you with provisions we belonging to the . We have one of brandy & one of - the latter

D^e Meller thinks wanting one gallon - in of our being of wine for quinine took Miss Mackenzie M^{rs} Burrup, Jessie , Sarah and on board on the 6th February - they brought

[0003] provisions for their use, and we shared them- all we had till an ounce of meat any kind was left. our wine & some from the Gorgon . And all flour D^o We had buy beans and , the latter at £1 . In these circumstances thought that the bishop not blame me I took two boxes flour and the wine had begun to to continue the dose of quinine. hoped to get up more

[0004] Kongone before we communicate with . I send the wine as is - sugar - soap - and else selected by

Miss Mackenzie to go her to her brother shall bring more in week and despatch by Vianna's - Blair goes this. Rev^d Hawkins go with the next. .e. if he feels able for service.

Two mules came for the . the bishop did want them & told me send them back. I take off your hands rather the original price & will

[0005] to the bishop at the
Cape to that effect.

We lent the bishop a of calico and repaid by a bale turned out to be "tents" or remnants of . We tried another that was table linen we cannot sell shall keep it for loose as it is.

We are just about start for the sea. No will be lost in all we can is impossible for us come. Excuse this note D. Livingstone