

Letter
R Patterson
New York

Bodega Bay 17th Nov. 1849.

Dear Sir

Our people have collected a box of clothing for the use of the foreign mission. It consists of thirty eight garments large or small there are also two small parcels. We have estimated the value of the whole at \$12..16..11⁰

Piña Edward Island currency. I have sent by the schooner James Sims Captain Malone going to Pictou and hope you will receive it safely.

This vessel goes to the mines for coal and if she should not stop at the town the box will be left in charge of the Captain of the Steam boat running between the mines and Pictou. With best regards for Mrs Dawson

I remain Dear Sir

Yours truly

Robt J Patterson

Mr W J Dawson

P.S. Have the goodness to acknowledge the receipt of the box in the Chronicle

R. J. P.