Camp No 43

Sun. Morning May 16

My dear Kunt,

I thought that I would write a few lines to you to say as we are expected to move out to Kelly's Bay to Whiteford to brush up a Chance I make of it well. I have just finished my breakfast there is a fire of us in the tent and the air on the move a cooking. Day hot and turn well. Not real had some beefsteaks for breakfast and some boiled potatoes and coffee and our table is a board that's cut out of a log and our punch is made the same it would be tough for one of you to eat the first meal with his but it is something that one once gets used to. The horses the Kunt horses are on the move to day they are Bound just for Cut off to they say. I hope that I shall come to stop soon.

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