

Portland May 3^d 1871
Friend Williams

Your favor 30th ulto is to hand and we note what you say about the clock. and shall make demand on the Steamboat Co for it as they have signed B & S for it

We see by the report of work that you have 17 Gills at work. This seems to us to be very large, as Barbarick at Deer Isle has only 15 Gills and is putting up over 3000 Cans per day. You must keep your expenses down as low as possible or Deer Isle will come out ahead this year

Yours truly
Portland Packing Co
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