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Letter No. 291

Dear Mr. Motherwell:

After being all set to get one of the Jap fishing boats this spring we happened to run in what was for us an disaster.

Our house on White Rock Pass burned up with all its contents and we found ourselves on the beach with no more than the clothes we had on.

Whatever we carried out on the beach got burned by flying burning shingles and for the time being we are on the rocks

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on a pay as you go basis say on 1/3 of the catch or so.

You see we are going to build a house of small logs on White Rock Bay and then the lad could fish in the morning and help same around the place in the afternoon and after all it is quite a run to the fishing on Drew Pass, Fanny and Redonda Bay.

Could you perhaps find out something like that for me by phoning that boat commission we are so far from everything and writing takes a lot of time.

But above all can the lad take out a license.

This time I am somewhat hard hit.

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2/ and have to start all over again.

All I have is a little rowboat not fit to put a little engine in and I don't know how to get a little one say about 18 ft boat with a little engine in it.

Mrs Algars household has to be started all over again with stoves linen cooking utensils etc. etc.

A couple of hundred dollars is nothing. Except for an old cement row all carpenter tools burned up too and fishing tackle ~~etc~~ galore stored in attic of house.

Well major it is sad and all that but as long as there is life there is hope.

I wonder if Mrs Algars boy could get a trolling licence as he may soon be able to get a few blue backs and I wonder too if we could perhaps get one of these Jap small Jap boats (there must be some)

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4/ but anyway we have to carry on.

Kindly excuse me for asking you to do this for me but under the circumstances I am somewhat forced to do things which otherways I wouldn't think of.

I hope you are still getting good news from your sons at the fighting front.

Accept my best wishes

Most sincerely

Peter J. Liedmeier

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