

I had £17. ~~odd~~ in Notes and some
silver in my pocket book, which was
also lost, I found in that pocketbook
containing the notes, or at least the
police pick out amongst the debris
my dear veritable 2 Robin Hood sick-t.
and part of my pocketbook, but that
all cracked to pieces when dried also
partially my letter of credit,
my Watch & chain was found but
is of no value except old gold, the
10 mark piece G. Reiser gave me was
also found in good condition the above
is all that I saved of my own, I
reckon I lost about between £52 & 55
Mr. Allan was kind enough to wire
me, to refurnish myself with cloths
on the firms expense, still I cannot
expect him to buy me a gold watch

& chain

It was very fortunate we were so near
land only 20 miles from Gisborne, and
that the weather was so calm and the
sea smooth

There was only one person (a steward)
burnt, her right hand back of the
head and right ear

With kind regards to all

Your loving
husband & father

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I enclose all I saved out of my
Robin Hood tickets