

1880

Mr. James Capelton (unc) 1864
 Having 2nd Minnie (Born Day) 1864
 Brought here Brought the clock and
 5 Dozen of Gin Pans Gota Blug tobacco
 gave him a stump of Pine for 7 shen
 Panning some and wind 3rd morning
 4th Making coaks and mowing
 Burdo settling got 7 1/2 dollars from
 Mr Durishie dissolved Partnership
 him and Burdo in fishing 5th John
 Hamilton and misback here
 I crooked with them Tom and I
 went to find the Horse got him
 up near Cornwall 6th Randolph
 Birth Day 1867 I went from Hamilton
 to St Regison the steamer Sherry passage
 going and coming only 25 cents went to Hogan
 burg in Mr Giffons store took
 dinner at Peter Wreel seen to Howell
 Miss Jack and Gordon came down home with
 me and she Rowed the Boat all the way
 down Mr Horv and here Fishing lost his
 Bottle which he greatly lamented 7th
 Fishing in Hay on Roles Horv and
 8th Bushy came Went to the head of
 Island 3rd got a Bark line from Bushy
 traded knives Gordon and 2 of Bodes head
 on Sunday yesterday gave him my
 Gold Bristles got 50 cents
 found a knife that had been lost
 for 22 years 10th Annie Jack and Gordon
 here with a letter for Burdo to my
 care 11th W Leasing here for Greenboro
 gave it to him Peter Backshore gave
 him a 100 cents to have no more
 so with his horse Ray and Louie
 departed

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Mr James Capelton (unc) 1880
 The greatest heat yet the temperature
 to most awful hot this same day in 1876
 was also very hot 13th some fire at the head of
 the Island had to get rails to put it
 out very windy a bridge went up
 14th Went to Dundee with 32 3/4 of bulk
 Brough labor sold 1st 8 1/2 Graham Flour 40 cents
 Tea 25 Tea 20 Soda 8 Cotton 140 shot 12 1/2, Tub 25 paid
 for the clock 50 paid for the Basin 20 1/2 150
 pipe 1 got 2 1/2 of 50 cent Tea from Sago to Corn
 Staff at Luke had supper Mrs Burdo here
 The Abells Down with their steamer
 a good breeze sailing across to day 15th
 Sunday a lot in the Long Black Plover
 of those folks on Hog and rollers landed
 16th Mowing Plump Kefening 17th shutting in
 Hay on Roles 18th Russell and wife here
 to trade a Horse went down at night
 with the old man to take up his Boat
 of fish out of the water mowing on the
 Lower Point 15th Bismarck's Birth
 Day 1870 Raining before daylight heavy
 Thunder and lightning Windy fine Rain
 West Wind Mr Durishie Rowed up
 from Lancaster with the Prince of Wales
 following 20th Fine Went to Hopkins got
 the Loan of the scow from him Got the horse
 Jim McEma Luke and Billy came down with
 the Horse Brought up the 2 Cows Spotty
 and Black Brought some Corn to Luke
 21st Wind Rain Thunder Lightning the Big
 Place at Dickenson's Island Plandon and
 from Toronto for 1000 dollars at head of
 the Island the Boys Hugham Linn

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Mr James Cameron Island 22nd August
 Sunday Mrs Burdo & Peggy Bosell and Burdo
 give Hot Butter 23rd Putting in hay
 24th Warm Mr Scroyer came yesterday Let
 out the Calves from their Pasture
 25th Mowing in the upper Field
 26th Mowing Gathering 27th Threshing
 Corn 28th at Corn Threshing Corn Mowing
 29th Emmanuel Morris here came last night
 30th Mrs Burdo Peggy and Mr Burdo here
 Mowing 31st at Hay 10th September Mowing
 2nd Putting in hay 3rd Doing Birth Day Mr
 Randolph and I to fish at Christer 4th Mowing
 Wood 5th John Angus Birth Day 1850
 6th Mowing in the Back Marsh 7th Put in some
 8th Mowing Back Marsh 9th Putting in hay 10th
 Mr Genie here I went to Hamiltons at
 their Threshing stopt to help them
 Randolph came home had Mr Scroyer
 Boat 11th at Hamiltons Gordon came
 down with me stopt all night 12th
 Gordon and his Mother went to
 Duke Bowers and the Baby a
 very warm Day I cropped with
 Gordon to Mr Hamiltons 13th at home
 I finished the Threshing 14th Came home
 Gordon put me to the head of the Island
 the Loan of the scythe for Ploughing
 Fall Wheat Spreading manure
 and commenced Ploughing 15th Mowing
 15th Day Mowed to Day to Miss Gard
 Land field Mr Donald of Lancaster for
 Windy 16th Mowing and Gathering 17th Put
 in 104 Cocks of Marsh Hay 18th Randolph
 cropped Bought salt Bread pipe matches
 Drawing Wood put in 36 Cocks Bismar
 and 15th Sunday

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Mr James Cameron Island Sept 20th
 Digging Potatoes at the Barn shelling corn
 21st Cut the Tobacco cut some on the last of
 the corn stalks put them in 22nd Took in
 the stove at the Potatoes 23rd Put in some
 hay on the corn stalks 24th Went to Lancaster
 with the Wool paid it 1.35 cents came
 home Indians on Suice Island had about 50
 rats caught in 2 nights stopt on the square
 Island as the Wind is pretty high 25th
 Randolph cropped to Sumnerston
 Bought 2 yds of Calico 28 cents Bread 28 cents
 matches Pipe Lot Apples at Hamilton
 The old man Mr Derushie son here
 from Chicago for to take the old man
 up with him offered all his
 fishing Kogging to me for 30 Dollars
 the Princeps Dorse at Picnic on
 Dickinson Island to Day the Great
 Exhibition in Montreal those Days
 26th Sunday at Hamilton Mrs Hamilton and
 Gordon here a Fine Day the Old man and son
 here gave his Ran and Broom to Summa
 27th Mr Derushie went off Windy taking up
 Rubbish from the Tent put out some
 Manure from Back of the Barn
 where we are ^{Raining shelling corn} building the
 Stack 28th Mowing at the upper end of
 the Marsh 29th St Michael or Michaelmas
 Day very Windy Rain Fine Drawing Wood
 shelling some of the Loose corn and nebbins 30th
 Drawing Firewood 12th an to July 1st October
 Windy cutting the last of the Marsh hay
 Pulling wood at the Doer shelling corn at
 night Peeling apples

2nd 1880

Mr James Cameron Island October
Crossed to I Hamilton took Breakfast John and
I up to Summaston in the IOT Fine & dry
East and South Wind Bought of Mr Ward 2 lb Sugar
30 cents Pan of Bread 28 cents Paid this Bought
of I Summers 10 yds of Cotton 1 Dollar 1/4 lb of Fine Salt 14
2 spools of Thread 10 cents 1 pair of Boots 1.45 Sold
John Summers 8 doz of Eggs at 12 cents 5/6 Got
2 Bags of Apples from I Hamilton Sold to
Mr Pherson (Blow Lancaster) 13 Bushels of Apples
Mr Macvat from the Birch there taking
their Rotatoes London and from a good many
Boats going to Bay 3rd Fine Heavy Thunder and
Lightning to night 4th Gordon came for Randolph
and Hough Ann to help Hamilton with their
Rotatoes Raining and Wind putting out many
Bismarck and I 5th Hay in the Marsh piling
Wood 6th at the stack Bismarck and I Windy Raining
7th at the stack Making Cocks Windy 8th finished the
stack 3 1/2 Tons 9th Hough Ann and Randolph Gordon
came from Hamilton got about 10 Bushels of
apples for being working at the Rotatoes
Lent Gordon my short gun at their Buckwheat
at Hamilton Putting it in Elizabeth Hamilton
up from Montreal 10th Hough Ann still at
Birth Day 1844 Randolph Bismarck and I went
to the Ket Ket Island Charles Island Pop Island
Gull and Lizard Island stopt at screens on
the Sturgeon Island Found a Broad Board
one of the Spring calves died to day Fine Weather
11th Skinned the calf at Wood 12th cutting
and drawing Wood Mr Burdo the Ficherman
here 13th cutting and drawing Wood the
Bohemian began going down the same day
she came up Randolph watching soryers ten
while he is at Lancaster putting his fish on
Boat Billy Bone here and one of Arvids

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Mr James Cameron Island Oct 14th
Fine West Wind turned to East Mr Stryer here
Brought a Sturgeon Drawing Wood commenced
to Bank the West End of the house made
a Round or 2 with the Plough Mowed a few
cocks of Marsh hay the Cows stopt away one
night Working some at the Tobacco Reeling
Apples and stringing some cut the Boys hair
15th Windy at Wood 16th crossed to Summaston
Randolph stopt at Hamilton sold Butter
to Mr Ward got the Cash 18 cents Bought of
Mr Ward 2 Bushels of salt 25 4 Loaves of Bread
26 cents Pepper 1/4 lb of Pe 8 pipe 1 Bought of
John Summers 6 yds of overalls stuff
20 cents a yd 1.20 Spools 10 4 yds of Calico 50 John
Hamilton went down yesterday to pilot
the Hunting Steamer to Point Muzia
came up through the night Bay Land and
Went to Cornwall to day the Steamer
Empress of India went down
2 men here wanting to rent Norway
and another Raining 17th Monday Windy got
from Dan of the latter End of
her Date 18th Cutting Wood
drawing Wood ~~at the~~ 19th
fanning Scott left this morning wet ice
at 2 1/2 made 2 Buttes at
an King Cold some Windy
ie Fine Fined cold & Wind Raining
Lot of shooting a good many
went down to day in the
s Randolph and I Looking
was any working of Rats
ma Birth Day 1868 21st
Coughs Birth Day
Birth Day Fine
wood 27th at Wood

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Mr James Cameron Island October
 Crossed to Hamilton took Breakfast John and
 I up to Summestown in the S.O. Fine Day
 East and South Wind Bought of Mr Ward $\frac{1}{2}$ lb Tea
 30 cents Pan of Bread 28 cents Paid this Bought
 of J Summers 10 yds of Cotton 1 Dollar $\frac{1}{4}$ lb of Fine salt 14
 2 spools of Thread 10 cents 1 pair of Boots 1st 45 Sold
 John Summers 8 Dg of Egg at 12 cents $\frac{1}{10}$ Got
 2 Bags of Apples from J Hamilton Sold Mr
 M^r Pherson Bloo Lancaster 13 Bushels of Apples
 Mr Mocut from the Branch there Taking
 their Potatoes London and Tom a good many
 Boats going to Day 3rd Fine Heavy Thunder and
 Lightning to night 4th Gordon Came for Randolph
 and Hougham to help Hamilton with their
 Potatoes Warning and Wind getting out manure
 Bismarck and 5th Haying in the Marsh piling
 Wood 6th at the stack Bismarck and Windy Rain
 7th at the stack Making Cocks Windy 8th Finished the
 stack 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ Yors 9th Hougham and Randolph London
 Came from Hamilton Got about 10 Bushels of
 apples for Being working at the Potatoes
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 at Hamiltons Putting it in Elizabeth
 up from Montreal 16th Hougham
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 whale he is at Carrester putting
 Boat Billy Bone here and one.

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Mr. James Anderson - Land Oct 14th
 Fine West Wind turned to East Mr. Stryker here
 Brought a sturgeon Drawing Wood commenced
 to Bank the West End of the house made
 a Round or 2 with the Plough Mowed a few
 cocks of Marsh hay the Cows stopt away one
 night Working some at the Tobaccos Reeling
 Apples and stringing some cut the Boys hair
 15th Windy at Wood 16th Cropped to Summit today
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 at Wood ^{2nd at the 20th} ~~2nd at the 20th~~ ^{2nd at the 20th} ~~2nd at the 20th~~ ^{2nd at the 20th}
 the Bankings Cold some Windy
 22nd Fine Fine Fined cold & Wind Raining
 a good lot of shooting a good many
 Ducks went Down to Day in the
 Rushes Randolph and I looking
 if there was any working of Rats
 23rd Lavinia Birth Day 1868 21st
 Our Hughs Birth Day
 25th Sally Birth Day Fine
 26th at Wood 27th at Wood

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1877-1878 Cairnora Island Oct

Put 3 Bottom Logs at the East end of the house
23rd Randolph Cropped to Summastaun Branch
of L. Summastaun all of Sea 25 cents R. T. Relief 25 cents
Bought of Mr Ward shingles nails 2 cents Matches 4 cents
pipe 1 cent got a Bag of Apples from Hamiltons
Dishaw for 10 Lemons & 10 eggs for them 30th Fine
Mr David Baker's Wife Deceased 31st
all Hallows or Hallowe Eve Windy Hamming
Rodney Briggs and Johnny Bone came up from
Suppers Island hunting no Ducks no Fish
Johnny Bone gave me some caps and shot
Took dinner cracking nuts keeping
the Halloween the night Butters shut
since last year some Beech and Theory and
Oak and Hazael 1st Day November
all Saints Day very high Wind started to
crop turned Back Mr David Baker's Wife
Buried to Day Billy Bone's Doctor Bridges
Lanceed Leanders Day Hamming treated me at their house
2nd all Souls Day Gordon left Hamiltons for apples
got 5 Bushels Potatoes 1 Bushel
Mr Crimmon there John and Gordon over
to F Covington yesterday Bought of Ward
2 cents of matches Heard Rory's Goringal
came home old forgot my coat
3rd seryer for Butter Borrowed the 100
ancur Randolph and the Sturgeon Island
Painted the Decoy 4th Paul Grey Jacob
and 2 more Indians here Sent them
4th I spear stopt here all night got 2 ducks
5th Day Sawks Day Randolph
for the Wool got it at Mr Wards got
2 Bushels of Potatoes from
Hamiltons

Mr James Comerston Island Nov 6th 1880
Mr Henry Fenix here a fine day (Haining East Wind a Great
lot of shooting (Pittman & Hummer in the Pumper
all broke one of them 4th Helen's Boat Day
High West Wind Knocked Down Trees tore the
Roof of the Cook house The Traveller let go 4
Barges and their in the (Pushis 8th The Princeps house
went for the Barge to the Kit Kit and towed her
to Lancaster 5th Fixing the Door on the
alvest Place taking up some of the traps Wincel
at Wood Martenmas 12th Barking some 13th
sawing Wood 14th Sunday (Haining) Arrived here
have 2 or 3 loads of shott London some fine
15th Randolph went to the Kit Kit Doryer
left yesterday took home my anchor 16th
Went to see if I could Borrow a Boat
stopt at Hammitons up to the store
17th Went to Antwinis see if I could Borrow a
Boat But I got Charles (raig's) Bunn
Bought of Mr Ward 1 lb Rice 2 cent of matches
pipe Hammitons sending of their Yurges
from Drawing Manure from Roses got
a Bag of Potatoes from John 18th
storing snowing hard 19th Chopping stored
Wood Hammiton for the 5 Herfers (Franklin
plante Ed Santince and Sam had Breckinsons
got kind of sick to night all night
20th not very well Randolph Drawing Wood
snowing Drifting Spavy Breckine the
ice yesterday out to Lancaster to buy 2 m
in the Day the Month D. M. departed 1846
Boat out of ground 21st 22nd 23rd 24th
got Mrs. Lunn a Boat at Wood
Drawing Wood: 6th snowing E Wind Warm
Wood (Haining) Marsh hay in the Barge
Drawing Wood 8th High Haining (Haining)
21st 18 to 24th E Wind 10th snowing
turned home

23rd Frosty cutting store Wood 23rd 3 Boats
went up. Hiram Calvin one of them told 24th
no Boats to Day I sawing up Canges and Ben
fish Boxes 25th St Catherine Mr Kell no Light
to night Talking Marsh Hay of the Fine Hay
26th Fine Day seen a Steamer Below Hops Island
cropping or going Down to respect to J Hamiltons with
8 2 Bushels of Corn for them to take to mill for me
Bismarck for the 4th time to crop to
Hamiltons Randolph to the store Bought
of J Summers 9 lb of Tea 25 cents 2 cents for
matches at Mr Wards Got 2 Bags of Potatoes
at J Hamiltons Got yarn for Gordons Sox Brown
the 10 Balls of yarn to get twisted a Frosty
night Floating Light no Light to night
27th Cherry Island no Light cutting Wood
Fine Windy a Boat with 3 in it to same
28th Sunday a K Boat went Down at Day light the
morning a Fine Day West Wind East Wind the
Big White owl coming around Duck Pond
29th Drawing Wood 30th Tom Back came for me to
help him to skin a cow that died Cherry Island
Lit up St Andrews Day at Hamiltons to night
1st of December Stormy Wind 2nd Fine Frosty cold
to Williamstown with 8 1/2 Bushels of Corn Tom Back
came home Margaret Hamilton poorly a Steamer
Boat went Down 4th 2 steam tug went up
Day Fine 5th Harming turned cold to night 6th St Michaels
Day Windy cold 7th cold Frosty 8th Ptolemy & Brother had
found a stray on Chusters Island a very frosty night
Took a small Breakfast gave 50 cents Bought Rats
6 Rats 60 cents had a Heavy Load of Liquors for
the Chimney 9th Fixing the Hand sleigh Stormy cold
a day crossed to Sumnerstown 10th Leonard's Birth Day 1880
Freezing ice going Down took across to the South side of
the river 11th soft at Store Wood
5th Day for the Wool got it at Wards Got
2 Bushels of Potatoes from
Summers

At Sumner Island Dec 12th 1880
Sept 13th chopping Fine 14th crossed to Sumnerstown
Bought of Ward Tea Soda oil Candy Glass
thread needles Pipes matches 15th Whiteshoring
16th cold Blowing got a weasel 17th the Cat got
in my trap at the Lower Point Drawing Wood
18th at Wood 19th cold ice going Down 20th
Cutting Drags Frosty Drew the Burn Down from
the Bay 21st First Day of Winter Ice took to
Christer South side 22nd Ice took across Drawing
Wood 23rd crossed to Hamiltons Lot of firewood
put a few small Bushes out very crooked 24th
Cold Frosty and Fine cutting store Wood 25th
Christmas Day 26th cold 27th cold 28th our
Annus Birth Day 30th cold 31st Frosty
1st of January (New Year Day) Broke on
the Marsh Hay Stack Back of the Barn
Windy cold West Wind 2nd Fine soft Day
Gordon had 4 shirts to make gave
him a Pipe seen a Fox cropping 3rd crossed
to Sumnerstown Council Day Don Washer
lected Bright of fish 4th Sea Match
Don Spinks poorly Bushing the Road
6th crossed to Sumnerstown (Mrs Cameron
and Thomas Summers) Fine Day cold
to night As the Rev Patterson Married
last Week seen in a Kingston Paper
Bushing the Lower Road to Lancaster
7th Very Frosty came from Hamiltons expecting the
Crashes at Hamiltons Jim McDevall made
Track up the ice as he is going to take
fishes to Fort Covington of Bull in Williamstown
8th night Mrs Summers a Bull at Wood
9th Drawing Wood 6th snowing & Wind Warm
Cutting Wood putting Marsh Hay in the Barn
11th Drawing Wood 8th High tides Port
Day 18th cold 19th cold 20th Wind 10th snowing
turned fine