

The Harpest month of death
Mr James Cameron Island Nov the 4th 1864

High East Wind Me at Kenshaws all Day Mr
Harper's Boat went off with the Wind the
Protection came up yesterday 5th 11th 3rd 11th 3rd 11th 3rd
a Fortunate Day since a year to day since we came to
live in this house came home from Kenshaws
a Barrel of Pork left off the salary for David
Summers Broke her stem line came home got
a Rat in my Big Trap hard 4 o'clock to night
6th Sunday Lewis Blondeau here gave him a Paddle & 20 sh
1/2 Bushel of Potatoes Found Mr Harpers Boat the
Blackhawk Flat Bottom Bob & Norway here Fishing
Eels Huron went down got an eel 7th Our Ellen's
Birth Day Mrs James Hopkins wife in Williamstown
Taking up Potatoes 10 Bushels about 2 Bushels
4 o'clock put in the old House 8th Went to tell Mr
Harper about his Boat Bought 1/3 of Mr Harpers
15 lb of Pork at 1/12 1/4 1/2 1 Canister of Powder 1/3 2 1/2 1/2 1/2
cropped with Robert M. Dorell to Kenshaws then
came back seen Andrew Summers in Dorell
at Kenshaws Taking the Boat with George
Mrs Munroe & Mrs Hopkins Cropping gave
Rowell a Paddle got a small Boat & 20 sh
Whipstock in my canoe came home the
Greekian & St Helen Stopt at Kenshaws the
Wood 9th Henry's Boys taking up Wind & took up
10 Bushels more on the North Side taking a Stick
& Pine up with Gray Rainine Killed a snake
this must be the Frog Days as they make a fine
deal of noise the Frogs Taking very sick at night
10th not well very high Wind Incessant rain
the front of the shed blew down

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Wind high water Raising some got the pine
stick out of the Marsh Raising 10 or more of sand
at the front of the house working at the sticks
took up the last of the Potatoes 1 1/2 Bushels
as I think it is true the 2 Turtles alive in the
Barrel at the River yet they are there since June
set 2 Traps in the Barn for mice got 2 mice in them
12th (Andrew Summers here) Promised to put up 150
Bushels of Sand Good Measure which I will do
as I got that number of Bushels already at 3 cents
a Bushel that 4.50 and or so on the note told me
to bring a Jar on the Bargain and he would give
some Stimulation cropped got a Gallon at
Kenshaws from Andrew came home Old Halloween
On this Day of the Month Old Andrew Summers Departed
cropping huts 13th Sunday 4 men Fishing Eels before
the Door 14th Sawn 3 Logs 1 Log 14 Feet the other 2
12 Feet a piece Breadth 14 inches thick (Bouquet in the
Salmon River Steamers a going and towing put in the
Horses for the first night Shot a Saw Bear Kat
the lower end of the Island 15th Shot a Duck Charlie came
up drew up another stick sawed 3 of sticks drew them
up 2 Men for Potatoes got 1/3 from them 16th Charlie
and I to Kenshaws took 4 Bushels Potatoes took
3 Boards to Hamiltons for Mr Harper
got 1/3 cash from Lewis Blondeau for Middle
got for the Potatoes 1/2 lb Tea 14 lb of Flour & 1/2 lb
wick Charlie sold his Turnips got the Bottoms from all
Charlie gave him some salt caps 17th Charlie
went home Bill Nicholson here for scantling of
I gave me 2 1/2 chopping Star Wood 18th Banking the
House took up 10 Bushels more of sand before
Francis son in Law here all night sawed the