

15th / 1863
 Mr James Cunningham

Sandy came here & a sled driver took over 4 pieces
 took Bags for Potatoes shot a Duck got a Sturgeon
 plastering some of the House with clay & ash
 Charles here got my Pants took me 40 pence
 and a Squash 16th Sandy away with Hunter
 to Lancaster Drew some Wood 17th High wind
 a Great Deal of Thunder & Lightning changeable
 winds Sandy came staving lost his Biddle
 his Knife Brought 2 Bushels of Potatoes
 from J Summers got another Biddle from David
 splitting 5 or 6 Logs at the end Wood 18th St Lukes Day
 Sunday Charles came up with the Pants Charles Rose
 & A Hamilton to Kops Island for Nuts great
 shooting at Chusters 19th Monday Sandy crossed
 to work on a Barge to Load Flenny Fishing & Elb
 in the Mud and an Indian got a Good many
 Fishing for Bait got a chule Bred 36 Hooks
 Frying Traps Boiled the Burre of the Pork took
 all the scum of it & let it cool before putting it
 on opened the Boil on my crooked finger feeding
 the cows Rumkins to the cows 20th L. A.
 Sturgeon Fishing 3 Elb got 4 Thomas Summers
 Andrew Summers Antwine here seen the
 Fox a Letter from Mr Harper
 about the Yemher Set my traps 12 of them
 21st got 4 Rats 22 got 4 Rats Sunday
 and Les came found my Dream concerning
 the Bottles got 3 Baskets dreamed of 3 Bottles
 getting a Cedar Broom 23rd Went to
 Mr Harpers about the Wood Here Treat
 brought 1 lb Biscuit 1/3 2 lb candles 1/4 1/2 Bought
 2 Bushels of Lime 1/10 1/2 to be taken of the

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 went to chapel with the Rents mending
 1/11 Our Rents Birth Day got
 a Rat plastering sandy sick dashed
 the floor of the new House Sunday
 the 25th my Birth Day Antwine here had
 a Bottle Sandy went home with his
 Antwine went and got 2 gal at Harpers
 no Rats water very low all fishing great
 now wild geese plenty ice last night
 for the first in the canoes has a notion
 snow But not come yet North East Wind
 the Hawk trying to take the hens 26th
 Antwine went to Summers Sandy came
 no Rats took up my traps some of them put
 the Boards around the side of the house
 Antwine staving one of the Mc Masters
 Boys getting Married to Day to Bury a girl
 Sunday Mrs Sharret moved away from
 Morris a Barn Belonged to someone
 burnt up salmon River a Day or 2 ago
 27th Sandy crossed to Summers planning baid
 28th Emmanuel here fishing Elb got a small
 Sturgeon plastering some ~~the~~ went off
 29th Went to Mr Harpers Bought of him
 1 lb candles 1/3 2 gal fish 1/4 6 lb crackers 2/11 Hour 1/6
 Treated us plastering some fixing the chimney
 and Wingers 30th ~~the~~ Went to William
 Met Charles came with me Brought 2 of Bait saw King
 1 Bag of Nuts 1 Basket of Hazelnuts Percy of Rork
 got a mess of Potatoes got some Red pepper from Charles
 31st Drawing spokes water very low the west wind is so
 high All Hollows are cracking nuts put in shelled jug