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1875

Mr. James Cameron Island March 28th
in at Tom Summers had a treat. Mr. Osley told me he
would give me an old Mare 20 years old if I would
go out for her got 3 Dollars from J. Hamilton But
Returned it Back to him in the P. Office seen
the Mare that Bought Blackholes Farm his
Name is Mr. Sample wanting to Rent a House
on the Front. Seen J. Baker Esq. from Dundee
a cold stormy Day John Hamilton drove me down
home with the Flour Seen Mr. Laird and Lady
Elizabeth Hamiltons Husband as I would suppose
a gentleman. Got a Cornwall Gazette of Date 13th
of March. Rookes going across the River to see his
People in the States Dundas Men Working at Oak
on Tom Summers Place Spring came in very stormy and
cold 21st P. M. Sunday a fine Day cold
sunshine Drifting some Water Raising on the ice in some
Places, another Lamb last night Went down to the Sturgeon
Island to Day snowbirds flying about a change in the
Moon to Day at 58 minutes after 6 in the evening 2 of the Lambs
Died 22nd Lavinia Birth Day I proposed to go
for the Mare to Mr. Osleys got a letter from John
Hamilton and saw look dinner at Mr. Osleys
seen Allen Munro's Wife there Met Grant on
the Road. Talking about the Bulls square
Mr. Lead Went to Lancaster with Grant
Took the Fox skins of the Boards to night
23rd Cutting Alders at the South Marsh Williams Boys
for their Marsh Hay got the Loan of the shovel
turned out a very very fine Day though cold in
the morning cut a Waterhole a good Ways out
from shore near 3 Feet to Bottom and now water
cut in to the frozen ground and no water comes
a great many croppings and going on the ice to
24th Went to Fort Covington sold 2 Foxes to Mr. Streeters Boy X
got a Ride from James Grant going and coming gave him 25 cents
American Money Bought of H. Baker 2 Plugs Tobacco Pipe in at
Flapkins and Paro Bones heard Bull Rented his Farm last Week
West Wind coming Back Met J. Cameron The Blacksmith

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Mr. James Cameron Island March 25th
Annunciation Lady Day Charlie Rose came down with a Bag of
Potatoes Gordon Went home with the hatter Gordon went
to Rosells for Whiskies Antwine a Bee. Moving his House
at Archy. ^{Got some tobacco from Kessy} Donald Fine Day 26th Good Friday Fine
in the morning turned stormy all kinds of Wind and
Weather snow then hail Freezing thawing and fine cutting
in the Bush the Wind came from every quarter I think its
In May is drawing staves up on the ice set traps for the
Mink 27th Kind of stormy 28th After Sunday I Hopkins
charlie and Johnnie here had the old horse and cutter gave him a strap
of his horse covers 29th a fine Day Went to Williamstown Brought
a cake of 12 lb. of Sugar Last Springs sugar George Rosell here
Williams speaking to me about Hay got a Ride a part of
the Way on saw Logs Angus MacK-in-Vores Grandson at
Ellens and Hughains 30th Got from Allen Livingstons Travels got
a Ride out from Hugh Munroe stop at beyonds got a Ride
the Rest of the Way from Allen Munroe Got 3 Papers from
Dan Races on the ice at Hopkins I Hamilton and
Charlie Rose are to have 2 Men a piece to night to
arrange matters Lagro here looking for sand Gordon
got a Fox 31st Jan. Hopkins came to draw my Elm
saw Logs to the Door drew them went home and
came again down as there is a Lot of Water on Salmon
River got 2 sticks to fix his Boat house took
away his ash-log 1st of April. I went to Salmon
River sold my Fox skin to Mr. Streeters Got 3/6 for it
Old John Cneed Buried to Day People dying with
the small Rose Below Dundee Bought of Robert
130th 1 lb. of Powder 2 lb. of shot 2 lb. Tea
credit as I owe him Besides this 3 lb. 6.5 cents Bought
Broom Paid cracker Paul Bought Comb of Birds 5 cent paid
Bore of Robies Lozenges from Mr. Baker to bring him a ship of
fish for it Got some security for the children and
Lavinia gave James Grant 1 Dollar towards my
four signing Bills and Paros writings Peter
Buchanan and I got a Ride down from Paro
up for his dog snider coming to buy the old horse
stop at Paros all night wind and rain water on
Salmon River