

Mr. James Cameron Island Dec 27th 1878
Last Wind blowing fine I could not bring across
since the 21st of November I left at 11 o'clock
took dinner caught 4 Turtles Tom Jordan and I
for Parush's Raffle went up to the store
Jordan and I bought of Mr. Ward 1 pound of Boots
for the children 3 yds of Ribbons 1 lb Soda
Spool Thread Man's Thread Binding 40 Sheep Bells 40
1 lb 10 lbs of Butter 5 lbs of Hammon and to the Raffle
Jeese Inghis and Cutler Ruffled John got a Good Likward
sick lot 25 lbs of Flour 1 lb Ham a Baker John
and the Minister had some now
escaped on the ice at 10 o'clock coming home
28th St Innocents Day London and escaped from
Hamiltons lot 20 lbs of Flour and 5 lbs of
Cheese Bropt over Hamiltons Oxe and a
handle as I had it since the 9th of March
North West Wind & freezing some told me old
Mrs Mack departed heard old Mr
Duffield shot a Mann Horse for not paying
for a Bottle of Whiskey in Jail for 6 months
Allen McDonald by the front poorly the Steamer
Nendrick went down from Amherst town on the 27th
she came up on the 11th and I thought it was the Anderson
or arto John beyond Back from California did not
make a long stay 12th cold this morning the water all
in a skin of ice but after it turns warm and
snowed some turned cold at night but
windy 30th chopping stove Wood Gordon free
the horse saw and sawing stove wood cold
and soft N. Wind very windy time
31st last Day of the Year Brown
Wood making a pair of overalls
for Gordon kind of soft Wind
a change in the Moon all the
Talk is Jim Grant he failed and has the
creditors in a terrible way he has Borrowed money
from a great many he taken from Rephew
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