

James Cameron Island 6<sup>th</sup> April 1899  
very Fine Day Went up to the  
Sugar Bush Fernandez came from  
Cornwall John Ho was up too gathered  
about 65 pairs Boiled it in Syrup  
what they had before Lambs dying  
with the Sheep not letting them suck  
air-hole full of Ducks Frog-hawk  
Came Robins ~~the~~ Fine Day Froze last night  
Swallows came shot 8 Ducks in the  
air-hole Wild Geese going down not running  
well took down 5 Cans to Day Began  
to Rain to night wind hard and snowed  
some to night Bobby crossed to Sumner  
had 7 dozen of Eggs 70 cents Bought Tea  
2 lb of Tea 60 cents Sugar 10 cents a  
Lot of shooting down South East 8<sup>th</sup> Rain  
Foggy smoky doing nothing on  
This Day of the Month was ~~the~~ Married  
Saw Sunday Rain snow Sap not running  
Ice opened in Holes here and there  
10<sup>th</sup> Fine cool Seander crossed to Hamillons got  
a letter from John Cameron Junction City  
Kansas with his Photograph sealed  
in the letter Fernandez in the Bush alone  
11<sup>th</sup> on this Day of the Month Uncle John  
Departed 1893 ~~the~~ Married 1862  
Seabers for Patt ~~the~~

James Cameron Island 11<sup>th</sup> April 1899  
a very Fine Day East Wind Froze Hard ~~last~~ night  
Seander Pittying his Boat Fernandez and Stanley  
in the Sugar Bush Lots of shooting Ducks plenty  
Some one down at Kit Kit air-hole shooting  
all Day Running well Took up 2  
more Barrels to the Bush Straining  
to Day Boiled a little after  
Dark Ice opening Flowley Lots of  
Wild Geese flying to Day made Jaffy  
Gonna to Day 7 Gallons made to Day  
12<sup>th</sup> Froze last night Rained foggy  
Boiling in the Bush Beg and to  
shoot on the Sturgeon Island Randolph  
Mudkrats coming near shore  
pelt out Gordons Boat thunder  
to Day lightning to night soon  
came Ice Jamming 13<sup>th</sup> very fine  
not running well Randolph and Seander  
after Ducks Randolph went off had  
8 or 9 pairs of Ducks shot a rat 14<sup>th</sup>  
Fine not running after Ducks Big game  
of Ice going down Drops of Rain 15<sup>th</sup> Fine  
Boiling in Ice Seander crossed for Bush  
Ice clearing good found a Tick on Ice Island  
a fortunate Day