

the 8<sup>th</sup> 1876

Mr James Cameron Island May  
 Monday crossed with Gordon to Hamletts &  
 Pole above Wood to his sowing Wheat heard  
 Joes beyond and Johnny Sandfield had  
 a Scurvy put Rings in the 2 Hogs  
 snouts as they are Great Rooters Digging  
 and Planting <sup>9<sup>th</sup> Planting and Digging</sup>  
 Randolph and <sup>10<sup>th</sup> at night</sup> <sup>11<sup>th</sup> at night</sup>  
 Found 2 Canoes Water high Henry and  
 George here for hay Brought 3 Shats  
 Hamletts and crabs scovring their  
 cattle a Fine Day to Alexis & James  
 Island Water high 11<sup>th</sup> at the Potatoes  
 12<sup>th</sup> Finished this piece of Potatoes <sup>at the</sup>  
 Old house Went to Hamletts  
 Brought 4 suckers Cato Bay  
 Potatoes seen at Ballence there  
 Selling Fish Bought at the Market  
 for 4 dollars a hundred 2 Rainbows  
 this evening sun very hot Rained a  
 little went to Fish got 1 Eel  
 Wines Raised Linnia very Bad with  
 the toothache her face on one side all  
 swelled her eye almost shut with it  
 13<sup>th</sup> Windy some Went this evening to Hamletts Randolph and  
 James some 14<sup>th</sup> Went to the Pitt Lake Island  
 Gordon and West Wind 15<sup>th</sup> Digging the garden  
 fixing the Barrel for to run the pie for making  
 the soap fixing the garden fence cut down the Bass  
 Wood stump at the garden fence 16<sup>th</sup> Went across with  
 Gordon to Hamletts took 4 Digging Eggs to beyond  
 Bought Braces soap hooks Lines to 11 cents seen  
 the cinnamon Bear perform went down to  
 Roses called to see Mrs Carey heard old  
 Pat Departed got Candles and some Potatoes seeds  
 old one she sent the yarn to beyond in april

Mr James Cameron Island 17<sup>th</sup> May 1876  
 Went across to Kershaws East Wind Brought a Kinnar  
 George George crossed with me to Summerstone  
 100 lb of flour from A. J. Baker the Doctor  
 came in to Summerstone to Lay up and Lots of  
 Sowing to be Done 3 Tows came up to Day  
 sailed home 18<sup>th</sup> Working at the soap  
 19<sup>th</sup> Working at the soap altered the 2 Bulls  
 for the first I ever did and I am mortally afraid  
 But as to the time of the moon and in  
 the signs of the Fishes or Feet Pisces I'll rest  
 a very warm fine Day North Wind went  
 to the head of the Island Randolph and  
 20<sup>th</sup> Working at the soap Finished the Melons and  
 Cucumbers and onions in the garden and Red pebbles  
 Went across for garden to Hamletts found a  
 Ducks nest on the little Island Gordon  
 and I planted Saffron 21<sup>st</sup> Went across to  
 Christies Island Killed a great many Black  
 snakes went to Na-poutas Island sailed home  
 22<sup>nd</sup> Digging at the Back Piece at the Barn  
 23<sup>rd</sup> Digging <sup>first perch caught with line</sup> and planted a few Potatoes 24<sup>th</sup>  
 Digging with Dory Last Planting in the  
 Back Piece Gordon and Randolph shot  
 Balls Gordon <sup>Making 4 pres</sup> shot a Red head and  
 Wood Ricken they come every year about  
 this time and stop 2 or 3 days every year  
 We fixed some heavy rollers this evening  
 25<sup>th</sup> Ascension Day Fishing Bar King a Chair  
 26<sup>th</sup> Working at the Lane Fence Gordon  
 Barking 5 Chairs <sup>put the cable in my passage</sup> today Working at the  
 Lane Fence West Wind high 27<sup>th</sup> at the fence  
 28<sup>th</sup> Gordon Randolph Bismarck Leander went  
 to the Sturgeon Island and I found 2 Duck  
 nest went to head of the Island found the  
 Lower Jaw of a man on the ground pretty well  
 decayed