

Mr James Cameron Island Nov 27th 1874
Fishing & got none trying Back in the Bushes
sowing the thumb on my leather mit Wind high a
Good Deal of shooting 28th Cropped got 1 from A.S.
Bought 3.10 Bought 100 lb. Bought 1 chimney 8 cents 2
Lamp Wick 4 cents Oil Got a Whipple tree iron
I saw John Hamilton and Charlie Ross cleaning out the
Steamer Victoria to Mr. Laughlin and John R Grant
John and I spread went down to their fathers the
St Andrews Dinner last night at Mr. Ross (3 balls)
pretty steep this Ball William M Leod went to Alaskan
a to night took a Buggy and its commencing to snow
very hard snowed hard all night East Wind came
did if there is any light in Mr Hills Lighthouse
to night But John Hamilton has Charlie Ross put
out manure John Hamilton Plastering the stable
Broke my Paddle 1st Sunday. (I went lots of snow it
snow hard last night some some Wind West to day no
light in Mr Hills to night Light on Cherry
Island 30th St Andrews The Scotch Festival
very cold Windy Broke on the stack of Marsh hay
Broke the Barn sawing Wood put in the ship
1st of December Cutting in the Bush. Did
and Gave Plenty 2nd in the Bush Heard some
yelling on Christs Island Drew my Canoes and
cleaned them out and the yelling just kind of
soft I heard since it was Mr Phillips that his
Boat drifted out from shore while he was
up through the Island a Fishing Light out 2nd
night or its Jack the Lantern 3rd changed the stove
4th Turned the stove round for the Pan of the stove
5th Drew some Wood Jim Hopkins here from Lancaster
Gave me a Hooker of Old Rye and left me my Bitters
Gave me shot powder and Tobacco Town with
W. K. Ross and Tom Calgahoun Gave him the
Books & got from Mary Ann

Mr James Cameron Island Dec 6th 1874
St. Nicholas Went to Pitt Point on the Island. West of
Kops I found 2 pieces of iron must have laid there
a great many years at Charles Island shot 2 ducks
East Wind and snow 7th Fishing & got 7
a Fine day 8 chopping in the Swamp 9th Chopping
10th Lea redert Birth day 2 year old to day Drading
Wood a Fine day East and West Wind fine Cold Began
the Fine hay on the East mow 11th in the Bush 12th
Chopping at the 3 for 13th Snowing at night East
Wind stormy 14th very frosty North Wind
15th very frosty Wind West Feeding the cattle
extra the ice very near taking if it would
hold on for another day it would take 16th
Put the Boat in the Barn Drew up the
Canoes water Missing Drew my small canoe
down to Bismarck Bay as its the handiest
place to put her out 17th in the Bush set fire
East Wind and West snowing 18th Took in the iron
Boxes fixing the wire on the stove 19th Drawing
logs from the Upper Point fixed 20th 4 in
the stable a Good Deal of ice going down
got a Wood Pecker that continually tapping at
angles on the Roof of the House 2 Sugar Birds here
and the House all Winter Ducks very Plenty out
in there not many wild Geese The Eagle flying
and killing those Wounded Ducks the Fishhawk
and after the Ducks cattle went to the Bush to day
21st Last Day of Autumn or Fall East Wind snowing fine
cold Feeding Reddy extra as I suppose to give him
knife some of those days 21st 1st 11th 11th 11th
Winter St Thomas firing the first in a chain went
to the Pitt Point the Ice took up from Lancaster
very well to Francis Island open all above this
very hard to night no hammering of ice
at 7th 11th before Hamiltons at 12th 11th 11th