

Mr James Cameron Island December the 23rd 1873
A Fine Day went to Summerstown ice in the little channel Bought
of Vison 2 lb Tea 25 2 lb Tob 20 2 lb Powder 20 Pipes Mat 4 3 3 ad out
94 cents and what I got on the 17th 3.50 makes 4.44 cents 24th Blowing some freezing
the shed chopping Christmas Eve 25 Christmas Day
A very Fine Day 26 cold Windy chopping 27 Drawing water
snowing stormy & Wind 28th Sunday Cold 29th Our Angus 13 Da
Stormy High Wind 30th cold Blowing high West Wind chopping
31st Warmer Great Lots of ice going down New Years Eve Firing Water
Raising very high 1st of January 1874 a very Fine Day
Shooting spearing & Ice in the Back Bay Gordon and I 2nd Chopp
& Wind snowing thawing 3rd At Lewis Birth Day 1853 at Ham
Got a Bag of Potatoes Seen A Hamilton and his Wife and child Got
Johnny Semo to come down to Hamiltons Bridge with a Bag of Hou
Seen Mr C Campbell the Weaver had New Years from
him in Davids Shed Bought of Vison 2 lb Tea 25 2 spoons of I head 10 2 pipes 2 1/2 lb Tob 20
3.50 4th 7 cents 4th Sunday 5th Chopping in the swamp cold frosty
7th Raining Firing the Hinges on the Roan Door 8th Hugh Ann
Birth Day 1866 chopping Raining snowing at the oak stick
9th a very Fine Day Took the Oak stick out of the ice to the
front of the Door and got it up on the ice left it for to night 10th
Lewis Lorren here gave him an ash to make Baskets
Rain some Fine 11th Preaching on the Front snowing
and Fine 12th Fine high Wind turned cold 13th St Hilary
Fine calm Freezing some East Wind ice Making some got the
Oak stick Brodside to the Bank High Wind Break
the ice 14th Stormy & Wind Drifting snowing ice Making
and ice Breaking Duck Plenty Fish hawks During
down on them and the Eagle after them the Ice
Took across here through the night or Before daylight
is Morning of the Fifteenth 15 Ice across at the foot
Francis Island Went to head of the Island Gordon
and I Cold Frosty Nor West Wind Ice Jamming coming
down the channel taken across to chutes Taken about
middle of this Island at 10 o'clock

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