

1862

Mr James Cameron Island Oct 15<sup>th</sup>  
 Skinning 4 Rats Went to A Summers  
 Bought of A Summers 1 lb Candles 1/4  
 gave me credit for 1/5 but 10¢ Kershaw  
 to pay him got 2 1/5 in cash from him  
 Cashy went off to trap 16<sup>th</sup> Went to Salmon  
 River brought some apples grapes cherry Whiskey  
 to the old man Bought of H. Muddel 1/2  
 1 Pair of Boots 17/6 gave him 1 in cash  
 to my account Bought of Corrigdon 1 bid of Peppermint  
 Hooverhound 1/2 got an almanack Bought of Peter  
 1 lb shot 1/6 Bought of B. Buchanan 1 lb of Peppermint  
 1/12 gave Peter 1/3 to my account took a  
 cat home Raining some 17<sup>th</sup> got 2 Rats  
 fixing my traps George Kershaw here  
 for me to go and help to load the pack  
 worked 2 days John Secor here all night  
 the rest of them went home 18<sup>th</sup>  
 St Lukes Day Drew & Load I had in the  
 Bush sold them a cord more of  
 finished about 120 Plock Bouquet took  
 her up got 1 Rat 10 traps to night in the  
 front marsh found 2 oak Staves on  
 the Pitt Point 1 near the cord wood below  
 Little Dingwall going down for their cattle  
 to Roper Island Indians took away their  
 Pine the day I was in Salmon River Peter Cole  
 Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> A low Wind High and some Rain  
 20<sup>th</sup> High Wind cold some Plastering a little  
 and Banking the House got a Rat  
 21<sup>st</sup> Hill a Tacking about set 2 traps in the back  
 Marsh took home the 2 staves Banking Before the  
 Door some High Wind put fire in the By Stove

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 snow on the mountain  
 very fine Morning Now the Wind rose Raining some  
 no rats very Windy Weather 23<sup>rd</sup> one more  
 set 3 traps for the Fox in the Bay House  
 I think safe at upper point 24<sup>th</sup> even  
 Hugh's Birth Day I went to see  
 De Morris went to the River seen the  
 Testament or will Bought of Norman a Quilt  
 paid this found an oak Stave going to Salmon  
 River slept all night Immanuel and me with  
 the old man snow some Thunder Lightning  
 Rain & high Wind Kershaw sewed out my  
 the Bouquet 25<sup>th</sup> My Birth Day  
 came from Salmon River took a  
 shooting Ducks Lashey here from Tom Cotters  
 Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> Began to snow East Wind  
 Lashey from Salmon River after his  
 Barrel of 8 lbs took them away snowing  
 all night 27<sup>th</sup> snowing Breaking the Roads  
 deep snow Drawing Drags got 2 Rats 28<sup>th</sup>  
 fishing 8 lbs for the first got 2 Went to  
 1 Summers his goods came from Salmon  
 River in the Bouquet Bought 2 1/2 Seal  
 Oil 1/3 salt 2 gallon Whiskey 1/3 Peppermint  
 Davids new Ball Room Heard Mr Edward  
 came back from Hamilton the Tailor starting  
 John Kenneth at a Summers store a clerk 29<sup>th</sup>  
 Went to Mr Morris to see him a fine day  
 took some apples some 8 lbs old Mr Marrett & his  
 wife came to stop there another 2 Bushel for  
 the Hogs 30<sup>th</sup> Bought of A Summers 1 lb tea 2/6 1 lb things 1/6  
 2 gal syrup 1/8 2 pipes for nothing 1 salt Bag for nothing a pint  
 of Whiskey 1/4