

Tuesday, January 1
New Year's Day - General Holiday
A fine day. Wind West N West
No snow down
Wm Sullivan here from King's Cove this pm in motor car

Wednesday, January 2

Wind South West blowing strong. Snow showers from daylight until 10am when it began to rain and continued remainder of day
Started stock taking in shop this am

Thursday, January 3

Cold raw day. Wind North West. Snow flurries during the afternoon

Friday, January 4

Mild wind South Strong breeze commenced snowing at 4pm

At 6:30pm blowing a gale from a Westerly direction

Saturday, January 5

Cold day Blowing a gale from the North

At 6pm wind moderating

Ferry made one trip this pm

Too automobiles here from King's Cove today and report very little snow on road

Reported today that during last night's gale the roads of four houses at Bonaventure were blown away and the Church at that place was shifted from its foundation

Sunday, January 6

Cold raw day Wind Southerly

SS Prospero here from Northward at 3pm

Commenced snowing at 7pm and continued until about 11 oclock when it started to rain

Monday, January 7

Fine day Wind South West warm

Last night's rain took away nearly all the snow which fell last evening

Tuesday, January 8

A fine day. Wind West light

A scad of snow fell last night

Mr EJ Ryan here from Bonavista at noon today

Wednesday, January 9
Cold day but fine. Wind West light

Thursday, January 10
Fine day. Wind West very light
Harbor caught over last night first time for the season
Ferry boat made one trip in forenoon

Friday, January 11
Wind South blowing a gale
Big sea outside
Snowing from early morning until noon
Raining little after dinner
At 6pm calm and foggy

Saturday, January 12
Fine day Wind West very light
Blacksmiths busy today shoeing horses. Three boats here today
from Ireland's Eye
At 6pm wind South cold and raw
Sleet snow & rain tonight - soft

Sunday, January 13
Fine day Wind NN West
Roads slippery

Monday, January 14

Wind NNE soft with occasional scads (little and light) snow in evening

Getting cold at 5pm

WE McGrath to Bonavista by last night's train

Cold tonight with high wind from Nor West

Tuesday, January 15

Wind Westerly - blowing strong cold

Wednesday, January 16
Wind Nor West strong fine cold day

Thursday, January 17
Wind Nor West strong fine
Colder today than yesterday

Friday, January 18

Wind Southerly stiff

Snowing with every appearance of a disagreeable day

Got finer in afternoon and milder

Quite a goodly full of snow fell

Saturday, January 19

Wind Southerly - calm mild and dull

Begun snowing again at noon and continued till 3pm when it ceased

Barometer falling fast since 9am. Expect wind will veer Westerly & blow some

Sunday, January 20

Wind went to Nor West at 10pm Saturday and blew a gale

Hardest wind from 3am to 6am today

Fine day - Blowing strong. Our Lady parted one of her stern lines last night but did not fall in on wharf

Monday, January 21

Wind Nor Nor West blowing strong fine day cold
Enough snow now down to suit all woods men without any more
unless a mild comes to carry it away
Not many people on the go these days

Tuesday, January 22

Fine day. Not so cold as yesterday
Wind NNW fresh breeze but not so strong as yesterday
Barometer very low 27.85 since yesterday morning but we are not
having the weather here that it indicates
Train goes up about 12:30pm

Wednesday, January 23

Wind NN West in morning fresh fine and cold
SSW 4pm lighter not so cold as in the morning

Thursday, January 24

Wind Northerly moderate
Raw and cold fine

Friday, January 25

Wind NE since 6am fine blowing stiff breeze

Wrote John Duffett today to give for flour barrels as under

Flour brls with 2 Heads & all hoops 25c }

-----1-----20 c } all to be clean

barrels

Hardwood sugar barls 2 heads 30c }

Not to buy any softwood sugar barls nor kero casks

Rough at 10pm snowing & drifting

Blowing very strong this pm & tonight

Writer on wharf 11:30pm looking at the Lady

Saturday, January 26

Wind NNE Moderate soft & mild

5pm soft with probable Southerly wind

Wrote JT McCarthy BVista today to get from Barbados for us with

his order for molasses in the spring

2 Puns choice grocery molasses

Wrote Jas Butler Ireland's Eye, Wm Jas Butler Old Bonaventure

re buying flour brls

Sunday, January 27

Wind NE at 10am fine 11 am snowing 1pm raining and snowing
alternately.

7pm blowing very strong from ENE Barometer 27.80 at 7:30pm

Monday, January 28

Wind North East Dull and soft

Rained a little after 10pm

Wrote JG Hart King's Cove today to get 500 to 600 bdls good
birch Hf hhds hoops 8ft & 100 to 150 butt hoops 9ft and all the
clean flour and hard wood sugar barrels he could scrape up

Tuesday, January 29

Wind ENE light dull foggy and misty

Blowing very strong tonight from ENE

Wednesday, January 30

Wind ENE Blowing very strong all day with wet snow and rain
falling at intervals all thro day

Thursday, January 31

Wind ENE strong winds all last night and again today

Dull misty and foggy

Very wet sloppy under foot

Friday, February 1

Wind NN East Fine and clear

Somewhat colder today than any of previous days this week

Trade dull not many people on the move

Saturday, February 2

Wind ENE not heavy

Cold & raw up to noon but appears as if we will get some falling weather before nightfall

This establishment closed today being Candlemas Day and today the Old Benefit Society meet & walk

Snowing little & drifting from 1pm all night

Sunday, February 3

Fine day Wind Northerly cold fine. Not so much wind in afternoon and not so cold as in morning

Monday, February 4

Calm & still last night and harbor was caught over this morning

Ferry boat came across at 10am

Cablegram from Hon DA Ryan at 10:30am announcing his safe arrival at Liverpool

Wind Northerly - light

Not cold today

Tuesday, February 5

Wind Nor West fresh fine and a bit cold

As day advanced wind dropped off

Wednesday, February 6
Fine NW Not a big lit Fine day. A bit coldish

Thursday, February 7
A beautifully fine day
Sun shining and snow melting
Wind very light

Friday, February 8

Dull foggy and raw kind of a day

Wind Southerly very light

Lot slish slob in Harbor today

Raining freely in evening

Blowing strong 5pm but dropping off at 6pm. Big sea outside but not so much at 6pm as at 4pm

Saturday, February 9

Fine morning. Calm

It stiffened a bit last night and walking a bit slippery this am

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Harbor caught over white from above Tavernor's Point to

Hogarth's across on other side. Cold at 6pm

WN White here from Bonavista at 2pm

Thursday, February 14

Fine day. Wind Northerly Not much

Harbor caught solidly over last night

Friday, February 15

Wind NNE Stiff wind

Cold and raw

Harbor frozen over but probably not strong enough yet to walk over it

Snowing and drifting after 7pm and got colder. A rough night

Saturday, February 16

Wind Northerly. Cold and blowing a but stiff

A run on by the wharf and ice is broken up all along shore and broken off from Tibbs Point and all gone out

Big sea on the outside and by the wharf today also tonight

A good many posts are smashed and broken on the three wharves occasional by sea and pans of ice

Sunday, February 17

Fine day. Wind Northerly moderate

A good run still on around shore

Monday, February 18
Fine day Very little wind
Some ruts in the Harbor ice today
This is a beautifully fine day
Sunshine and warm spring like

Tuesday, February 19
Fine day. Wind Southerly light raw cold day
Father Dinn here from Bonavista by train this afternoon to remain
a few days on duty dor our Parish Priest who is still unable to
perform his clerical duties owing to his broken leg not yet being
properly ok
Harbor ice all broken up in pans

Wednesday, February 20

Wind North East dull

Some snow fell before daylight

Begun snowing again at 11am

Very rough snowing and drifting from 2:30pm till 6pm and looks as if we are in for a very disagreeable rough old fashioned wintry night

Snowing and drifting till midnight

Thursday, February 21

Wind NN West strong cold morning

Four degrees below zero at 9am today

Coldest night and morning experienced this winter so far

Friday, February 22

Wind Southerly snowing blowing and drifting - A disagreeable day

Revd MF inn of Bonavista who was here past couple of days went by train to Bvista this am. Train was late in getting to Junction Was at Port Rexton this morning - Was at Port Rexton 4pm Got to Port Union 6pm

This is a rough wild day - snowing blowing and drifting Wind veered Northerly 4:30pm and became colder

Saturday, February 23

Wind Northerly fine day
Not very cold - wind fresh

Sunday, February 24

Fine day cold. Writer walked into the station at 7pm to post some letters
Wind Northerly

Monday, February 25

Wind Northerly fine a little cold

Not much wind

Some of ice in upper part of Arm broke up last night and drifted out

Train down early this am

Wm Sullivan hence to King's Cove this am for a months leave of absence

Tuesday, February 26

Wind NNW strong fine and clear. Cold day

As day advanced wind went more Northerly and became stronger

Mr F W White here from Bonavista at 1pm by train

Wednesday, February 27

Wind NE moderate not cold Fine day

At 6pm wind very light from Easterly direction. Sky dull & overcast

Looks as if we are in for a mild spurt or some falling weather

Thursday, February 28

Fine day Calm not cold

All local sealers left by train for St. John's today

Friday, March 29
Good Friday. General Holiday
All stores and public offices closed Fine day Warm wind West
light

Saturday, March 30
Fine day cold Wind North Fresh breeze
Auxiliary schooner Swile arrived at port Union this pm for the
icefields

Sunday, March 31
Wind South West light
Fine day warm

Monday, March 4

Fine day. Light air Northerly

Motor Ferry running today

A motor boat here from Ireland's Eye today

Tuesday, March 5

Fine day. Moderate no wind of any account

Writer to Champney's East this pm to see Robert Nurse anent

going in Our Lady coming summer

Wednesday, March 6

Wind Southerly

Raining and falling glitter all day

Walking very sloppy this pm and tonight

Harbor filling up with drift slob ice

Thursday, March 7

Wind SW stiff cold Harbor full of small slob ice

All sealing steamers sailed from St. John's at 8am to prosecute seal fishery on the front

Friday, March 8
Wind Westerly strong fine day

Saturday, March 9
Fine day Wind Sou West
Times dull No people stirring about

Sunday, March 10
Wind SE Snowing all forenoon then turned to rain in afternoon
Cold after tea

Monday, March 11

Wind NE in morning fine.

In late evening more Easterly

Begun snowing at 6pm

Rough night till after midnight

Snowing and drifting with high North East wind

Tuesday, March 12

Wind Northerly Blowing strong cold

Wednesday, March 13

Wind North East - blowing strong Snowing at intervals all during the day

Thursday, March 14

Cold stormy day wind Northerly Snowing and drifting at times
Mr EJ Ryan hence to St. John's by train at 11am today

Friday, March 15

Fine day. Wind North West

People crossing Harbor today ice extends from our wharf on this side to Laite's on the other

Very little sealing news to date from the sealers. The only ships which appear to have done anything are Imogene and Thetis.

The former reported for 15,000 and the latter 5,000

The remains of John Wiseman who disappeared from here on 25th of June 1928 were discovered yesterday by John Hayter near Grant's farm. He died a natural death

The train which left here at noon yesterday was stuck all night this side of Princeton and did not get to that Station until noon today.

Mr EJ Ryan is on this train bound to St. John's

Saturday, March 16

Fine mild Wind West very light

Train here from Clarendville at 1am

Horses and slides crossing Harbor today

Sunday, March 17

Wind Southerly Raining until noon mild in afternoon

Monday, March 18

Fine day. Wind South West veering to North West in afternoon

Telegraph office post office and bank closed today

Agreed with Miss Victoria Kelly this afternoon to come to work with us in our shop on March 25 or April 1/29 and to stay with us until the end of the year. Wages to be the same as we give other girls for first year's services but if Miss Kelly gives satisfaction we will give her a dollar per month extra

Tuesday, March 19

Wind North West good breeze fine but cold

Messrs WN White and AL Goldsworthy went to Champney's this am to spend the day

Mr JT Sheehan hence to George's Brook by train this morning.

He goes from there to Gin Cove where E Frampton is repairing schooner Saffron

Two boats in from Ireland's Eye today

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Dull wind South West strong

Raining in afternoon

Mr JT Sheehan returned by this morning's train from Gin Cove He reports E Frampton having done good work on Schooner Saffron which he is rebuilding for this trade

Saturday, March 23

Fine day Wind North West to South West light

Ferry boat running today

Mr EJ Ryan sailed from St. John's at one oclock today for New York

Sunday, March 24

Stormy day. Wind North East blowing strong and drifting. Very cold in evening

Monday, March 25
Fine day cold
Wind N West light
Ferry Boat running today
Victoria Kelly in service this am

Tuesday, March 26
Stormy day wind South blowing strong
Snowing all day
Telegraph office reports following sealing news this am
Imogene 29, Beothic 20, Nascopie 23, Ungava 20, Neptune 16,
Ranger 11, Eagle 10, Sagona 7, Thetis 10, Terra Nova 8 All
Thousands

Wednesday, March 27
Dull day. Cod and raw
Wind Southerly

Thursday, March 28
Fine day Wind North light
Mr E Batson hence to Saint John's by last night's train to spend a
few days

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Good Friday. General Holiday
All stores and public offices closed Fine day Warm wind West
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Saturday, March 30
Fine day cold Wind North Fresh breeze
Auxiliary schooner Swile arrived at port Union this pm for the
icefields

Sunday, March 31
Wind South West light
Fine day warm

Monday, April 1

Cold day Wind North fresh breeze

Calm in evening fine all day

SS Neptune Capt Stan Barbour arrived at St. John's at 6 o'clock

this morning haling for 17000 seals

Wm Sullivan here from King's Cove this am

Tuesday, April 2

Wind South blowing strong

Raining until 4pm with heavy glitter

SS Eagle arrived at St. John's at 9 o'clock yesterday morning

hailing 10500 seals

Eagle is second arrival from the seal fishery

Wednesday, April 3

Wind South West fine day

Snow showers off and on during evening

SS terra Nova and SS Sagona arrived yesterday from the seal fishery. The former at St. John's with 13,500 and the latter at Port Union with 9000 seals

Thursday, April 4

Fine day but cold. Calm in morning

Wind South West at noon blowing fresh breeze

SS Neptune turned out 18838 seals

Friday, April 5

Wind SS West blowing strong

Commenced snowing at 10am and continued until 4pm

George brown and Willis Miller started work on Our Lady this am

Saturday, April 6

Blowing strong all day from North

Snowing and drifting

At 6pm still blowing hard and much colder than it was all day

Sunday, April 7

Fine day. Wind Northerly fresh breeze

Monday, April 8

Fine day. Cold wind Northerly

SS Neptune here from St. John's at 2:30 pm yesterday en route to the seal fishery on her second trip

Neptune called here for a few men and sailed at 9:30pm for

Wesleyville for a number of others

Train which passed through here early this morning did not reach

Bonavista until 7pm

Tuesday, April 9

Cold day wind South South West

A few boats in today from outside places

Wednesday, April 10

Fine day Wind North- with a keen edge to it in afternoon
Snow showers after dinner

Thursday, April 11

A cold day wind Northerly fresh breeze
Freezing all day

Friday, April 12

Wind North East blowing strong very cold all day

Too cold to do any work on Our Lady today

E Batson here from St. John's by this morning's train

Saturday, April 13

Blowing strong all day fro North North East. Cold and chilly

Sunday, April 14

Wind North East blowing strong in early morning. Moderate in afternoon with rain

Monday, April 15
Raining at intervals all day
Wind North East fresh breeze

Tuesday, April 16
Fine day but cold. Wind NN East. Reported this am that ice can
be seen from the Hills apparently extending towards Old Perlican

Wednesday, April 17

Fine morning calm

After dinner wind South East light cold and raw

Ice can be seen today It extends from centre of Horse Chops
to Baccalieu

Thursday, April 18

Calm and foggy all day.

Bay and harbor full drift ice

WN White hence to St. John's by last night's train

Raining hard at 6pm

Friday, April 19

Wind South West light

Fine until after dinner when it started to rain and continued all afternoon and night

Saturday, April 20

Dull wind SS West moderate

Harbor and bay still filled with drift ice

Mr EJ Ryan sailed from New York for St. John's today

Sunday, April 21

Fine day Wind NN West

Harbor clear of ice this am

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Wednesday, April 24

Wind West South West blowing strong

Snow showers during the day

Eastern side of Harbor blocked with ice and extending halfway across

Capt E Blackwood with his household effects and family aboard his schooner waiting a chance to proceed to St. John's

Thursday, April 25

Fine day cold Wind South west blowing strong

Harbor partly filled with ice

Mr EJ Ryan telegraphed that he arrived at St. John's this forenoon from new York

Our Lady painted bulwarks and hooked up running gear

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Wednesday, May 1

Wind Southerly light dull

Our Lady sailed for St. John's at 6am

At 10am wind South West blowing strong and increased as day advanced

At 6pm wind West good breeze

Thursday, May 2

Dull day Wind Southerly

Raining all day

SS Neptune here at 8am enroute to St. John's on her second trip from the seal fishery - Neptune hails for 1500 Old seals. She sailed again at noon

Our Lady arrived at St. John's at 4 oclock this morning

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Monday, May 6
Wind South West strong breeze. Fine
Discharged schr Our Lady

Tuesday, May 7
Fine day. Wind South West light
Schooner Our Lady left for Gin Cove at 6am with sails rigging iron
work etc for New Schooners
John Aylward went Master of Our Lady in place of Robert Nurse
who is home sick
JT Sheehan went to Gin Cove by Our lady
Rev MF Dinn here by train this afternoon. Father Dinn remains
here for a few days to do some work for Rev W Tarahan who had
his leg broken in a motor car accident last fall and still unable to
get about

Wednesday, May 8

Fine day. Wind West light

SS Prospero here at 6pm from St. John's First trip for the season

Thursday, May 9

Wind South west fine

Our Lady here from Gin Cove at noon

A few people around today

Not a good drying day

Hon DA Ryan arrived at St. John's today from England via
Halifax

Friday, May 10

Fine wind North West

A good drying day

Repacking fish in store today

Our Lady's crew coating deck and splicing guys for new schooner

Saturday, May 11

Fine day Wind variable

E Blackwood here from St. John's at 8am

Mrs Hussey, widow of the late Samuel Hussey died tonight

Sunday, May 12

Cold day wind South West blowing very strong for a time

Raining in afternoon

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Wednesday, May 15

Wind South South West strong breeze

Our lady's crew scraping down spars and doing sundry jobs
around deck

Thursday, May 16

Cold day Wind North

No boats in today

Fog Horn started going after tea

Friday, May 17

Wind South East raining in early morning
At 1pm wind veering North West
Blowing strong all through evening

Saturday, May 18

Fine day blowing a gale from the Westward
Had fish spread on wharves today
Motor Schooner Nantua belonging to Monroe Export Co Ltd here
at noon enroute to St. John's from Thoroughfare
After tea Nantua came to our wharf and took aboard 78 qtls shore
codfish which we had remaining in store from last fall
Nantua sailed for St. John's at 9pm DST

Sunday, May 19

Wind South light cold and raw

Monday, May 20
Wind South South West light fine

Tuesday, May 21
Fine day. Wind North West in morning veering to South East in evening
Our Lady's crew with John Aylward and Wm Sullivan left here at 10:30am in motor boat for Gin Cove to take over and sail here.
Schooner Saffron which was repaired at that place by Edmund Frampton during the winter

Wednesday, May 22

Dull day Wind South East

Raining in forenoon

At 6pm wind North East

Ground covered with snow early this morning but the rain soon took it away

Thursday, May 23

Fine morning. Wind Southerly Light

Raining at 2pm

At 5pm wind North East snowing fast very cold and raw

SS Prospero here at 11am from the Northward. Reports no ice this side Cape Bauld - Straits full

Schr Gerd arrived Cadiz today to load salt for here

Friday, May 24
Wind Southerly strong breeze. Fine day

Saturday, May 25
Fine day Wind Southerly blowing strong all day
Newly repaired Schooner Saffron here from Gin Cove at 5pm

Sunday, May 26
Wind Southerly Fine day
Mr EJ Ryan hence by motor car to Bonavista this am

Monday, May 27

Fine day wind North West till 11am then veered Southerly light
Our Lady left at 8am for St. John's

Tuesday, May 28

Fine in forenoon. Wind North West

In afternoon wind North East fresh breeze and very cold

Four Random Schooners which harbored here last night left this
morning for St. John's

SS Prospero here from St. John's at 10am

Ship left St. John's at 5:30pm yesterday and called at harbor
grace en route

Mr EJ Ryan here from Bonavista by train at noon today

Wednesday, May 29

Cold day Wind Northerly

Eleazor Gosse Schr WJ Phillips sailed this morning for St. John's with a load of lumber. He came here last evening from Queen Cove

Mrs John Cook of Trinity East who has been on this side during the forenoon and after hurrying to catch ferry boat collapsed when she reached wharf. Doctor was called found her unconscious and had her conveyed home in ferry boat where she died about noon.

Thursday, May 30

An exceptionally cold day for this time of the year

Wind North East strong

A good many baots in today from outside places

Mr EJ Ryan hence to King's Cove by Motor car at 4:30pm

Hoisted up topmast on Saffron this evening

Friday, May 31
Wind North East blowing strong very cold

Saturday, June 1
Dull and cold. Wind North East no report of any codfish to record

Sunday, June 2
Fine Wind North East cold and raw

Monday, June 3

Wind South East light

Misty rain in afternoon

James Clifford, Charles King and Charles Morris of Trouty had
from 1/2 to 1 qtls codfish each this morning

Salmon were plentiful today George Lavender Trouty hailing for a
score or more

Tuesday, June 4

Fine day Wind North West strong breeze

A few boats in from outside places today

Wednesday, June 5

Wind North East light until noon when it veered South West

Fine all day

Walter Goldsworthy in Schooner Guide here at 8am from
Champney's for his salt and supplies

Schooner Our Lady arrived at 5:30pm from St. John's with full
cargo. Our lady left St. John's at 4 o'clock yesterday morning.

Put Hunter ashore in Gotts Cove for cleaning and painting

Wrote Drover Bros - Greens Harbor we wanted 90 M No 1

shingles 40 M for BV 20 for KC & 30 M for here - 90 M

Have good shingles - advise when ready - Lady go for them

Thursday, June 6

Wind Southerly light fine

Lady discharged today

Schr Guide Walter Goldsworthy took his salt from Our lady 80

Hhds

Hunter ashore in Gotts Cove one side done today

Schr Guide & crew took their summer supplies today

Friday, June 7

Wind Southerly light fairly fine

Our Lady left for St. John's 5:30am

Hunter ashore at Gott's cove - well finish coppering her this pm

No great sign of codfish ex traps to be jigged

Norwgn Schr Gerd sailed from Cadiz for here on June 5

Schr WJ Phillips here from St. John's 9pm with part cargo flour & store goods for this Trade

Saturday, June 8

Wind Southerly - dull & misty

Capt Jas Jones Govt surveyor of shipping here from Port Union this am and surveyed schr Saffron which was rebuilt last winter at

Gin Cove by Ed Frampton - She passed his inspection all right

Chas King of trouty had 5 qtls codfish last evening and 2 qtls this

morning. Jas Clifford had 2 qtls last evening and 2 qtls this morning

Sunday, June 9

Wind Northerly Fine fresh

Schr WJ Phillips left for home at 9am

Monday, June 10

Wind Northerly before breakfast. Southerly at 9am

Leander Peddle, Caleb Peddle & John Butt here by train and turned to on the new Saffron this am

Lot boats in today from up and down the shore.

Busy in shop and store til 1pm

Saffron new one sailed for St. John's 6pm crews Caleb Peddle

Jno Butler Fred White Jim Ivany & the skipper Leander Peddle

SS Ungava sailed from St. John's 12:20 pm for ports in

Conception bay picking up Lab crews

Jim Clifford had 2 qtls & King a qtl this am

Tuesday, June 11

Wind Southerly light fine

Very few boats in today

Jas Clifford had 4 or 5 qtls fish this am

Wednesday, June 12

Rained hard at midnight and before daylight

Our lady here from St. John's at 2am landed goods at long wharf
and then to land salt in salt store

Wind North strong in forenoon and cold. Warmer in evening

Tom Clark Dunfield has 6 or 8 qtls this pm

Thursday, June 13

Wind NNE fine but very cold

Our Lady finished landing her salt and left for Hr Grace at noon to
go on dock there

SS Ungava here 3pm en route to Lab. Tom Sullivan Jno Tibbs

Syd Tibbs & Joe Peddle passengers by her. Also Batteau

housemaid joined her at Brigus for Batteau

Friday, June 14

Wind Southerly Fine but air bit cold

Some boats in this am

Lady went on dock at Hr Grace at 9am today

Saffron at St. John's ready for here this pm

No fish Trouty today ex traps too much tide

Jas Clifford Trouty had 8 to 10 qtls this pm

Saturday, June 15

Wind Southerly light and cold

King had 8 qtls at Trouty this am

Saffron for here left St. John's 11am today

Skipper Rd Fowlow sailed for fishery this pm

Sunday, June 16

Wind South very light Saffron deeply laden here from St. John's

5am

Our Lady here from Hr Grace 5pm She was there for dockage

Monday, June 17

Wind very light South

Our Lady 7am hence to Pope's Hr to load 1/2 inch board

Saffron discharging & finished at noon

Clifford 20 King 14 qtls & C Morris 14 qtls this am at Trouty

Tom Clarke 12 qtls this am at Dunfield

Louis Fowlow sailed for fishery this forenoon

Saffron sailed for Hodge's Cove 5pm

Tuesday, June 18

Wind South light dull & foggy

Heavy thunder & rain in early morning

Three Random schrs here en route to Labrador

Wind from North in evening

Clifford, King & Morris had 5 to 8 qtls each this pm at Trouty

Wednesday, June 19
Wind North East fresh
Wet cold and disagreeable
Three Random crafts sailed 9am probably to Catalina

Thursday, June 20
Wind Northerly dull & cold
Albert Fowlow Ken & Busker Bill all three schooners sailed for
fishery this forenoon
Saffron Our Lady both should have been here this forenoon from
the Bay but no sign of either up to 5pm
Our Lady here from Little Hr at 7pm fully laden with 1/2 & 3/4 inch
board

Friday, June 21

Dull and calm

Our lady landing all 3/4 in board that was on desk and taking aboard some birch drum staves for St. John's

Calm in Bay all yesterday hence reason Saffron not here

Saffron left Hodge's Cove today for here with light Easterly wind

Our Lady went out in stream at 5pm ready for St. John's

Saturday, June 22

No wind all night

Light draft from North at 5am

Lady sailed for St. John's 5am with full load 1/2 inch board for Harvey & Co

Fitzgerald & Maddox here from King's Cove 10am to join the Saffron

Saffron here at 12:30pm Got to wharf landed some lumber Took aboard all Batteau goods except some lumber to go on deck

Monday am could have got her sail this pm but for some repairs to jib needed to be done

Sunday, June 23

Fine day. Wind Southerly light

Monday, June 24

Wind South - very light - fairly fine

Doing some little jobs aboard Saffron

Saffron sailed for Batteau 4:30pm

Jno T Sheehan hence to Hants Hr this pm (7:30) by SS Susu

About a dozen crafts from Random anchored here this pm all bound to Labrador

Tuesday, June 25

Wind North fresh. During day wind veered Easterly fine day

Men variously employed

6pm wind Southerly

All Random schooners which came here last evening sailed between 4 and 7pm today

Eleazor Goss in the Phillips sailed for Lab 7pm from here.

Wednesday, June 26
Wind none calm fine dull
No schooners in port now

Thursday, June 27
Calm dull & foggy - very light air from South
Cleared away at 11am with light draft Southerly
5pm wind up from North
Fine afternoon
Men employed repairing and tarring roofs of stores

Friday, June 28

Wind Southerly light

Dull in forenoon - Finer in pm

No cod to be trapped hooked nor jigged

No caplin so trawls cannot be used

Saturday, June 29

Saffron arrived Batteau today

Wind Southerly light fine

Our Lady here from St. John's at 7:30am and discharged before dinner

Men on roofs of stores tarring and re nailing shingles and whitewashing sides of stores

Hon DA Ryan here from St. John's by SS Prospero at 6pm

Sunday, June 30

Wind Southerly cold and raw

Raining little all thro evening and night

Monday, July 1

Wind Southerly cold & foggy

Our Lady left at 7am for Little Harbor for firewood and some 3/4
board if any to be got from Levi King and the Websters

Wm Smith of Hodges Cove here in schr at 8pm bound to
Labrador

Tuesday, July 2

Telegram from Tom Sullivan this am saying Saffron arrived

Batteau 29th no fish

Caplin plentiful today for bait and fertilizer purposes

Wednesday, July 3

Wind Southerly strong in early morning with heavy rain

Lady here from Bay 11pm yday

Landed wood & some board this forenoon

Boss (Hon DAR) hence to King's Cove at 9am

Thursday, July 4

Wind Nor West at daylight

Our Lady left in early morning for Whiteway in this Bay for shingles
from Leander Drover

Hon DA Ryan here from King's Cove at 6pm

Friday, July 5

Wind South strong

Dull and air raw & cold

Nothing of note to record today

Schr Lake O Law with 175 tons coals for this Trade sailed from Sydney for here either yesterday or today

Tom Clarke hails for 40 qtls

Saturday, July 6

Calm - cool & foggy

Our coal cargo from Sydney pr Lake O Law has not yet arrived

This vessel was supposed to have sailed from Sydney on 27th or 28th June

Our Lady got to Whiteway this pm

Sunday, July 7

Wind Southerly - Foggy in am fine in Harbor during day but fog outside.

Kyle SS here from Labrador 8am

Hon DA Ryan hence to St. John's by SS Kyle

Monday, July 8

Wind Easterly Rainy day

Levi Fifield gave writer notice today that he intended leaving our employ in a fortnight from now.

Our Lady supposed to have her shingles aboard at noon today at Whiteway

Batteau (Tom Sullivan) wires first sign fish today ex traps

Josh Dyson 4qtls Barfitt 6 qtls

Tuesday, July 9

Calm morning

SS Prospero here from North 9am

Wind Northerly 11am fresh

Gerd Norwegian 3 mast schooner arrived from Cadiz 275 tons salt at 7pm passage 34 days

Boss wires today from St. John's saying Schr Lake O Law coal laden from Sydney for us now at Rencontre leaking badly. See date July 5th re this Schr sailing from Sydney

Wednesday, July 10

Fine day. Wind South West moderate

Our Lady from Whiteway with 85M shingles from Leander Drover arrived at 2am

Gerd by salt wharf at breakfast hour

Lady discharging shingles

Gerd landed 235 $\frac{1}{3}$ Hhds salt today

Thursday, July 11

Raining hard till 9:30am

Begin landing salt ex Gerd 10:15am

Batteau wires Josh Dyson has 80 qtls Saffron & Billy Dyson 60

qtls each Sam Wilcox and Geo Johnson 20 qtls each no caplin landed

Gerd landed 226 $\frac{2}{3}$ Hhds salt today

Total now landed ex Gerd 462 Hhds

Wind North at 5pm

No fish going up or down the shore

Friday, July 12

Wind Southerly

Hard rain till 10am

Total now landed yday & today 462 Hhds

Will leave rest of cargo aboard to go to Batteau

Gerd got to Long Wharf before breakfast and taking in longers, rinds, dunnage provisions & shop goods etc to make her ready this pm for Batteau

All cargo aboard Gerd for Batteau & she hauled out in stream at 4:30pm

Calm till 4pm then little draft from South

Cables ship Cyrus Field here from Halifax 2pm to land end of an eight mile piece cable here. One end to be landed in Lockyer's store in Doctor's Cove other end left out in Bay - this is for experimental purposes during winter. This is to be the starting of a telephone cable hence to New York and England

Saturday, July 13

Wind Southerly fresh fine

SS Kyle here 7am JT Sheehan hence to Batteau by her

Gerd all a/c's settle and ready to sail 2:30pm but wind dead in the Narrows & big lop

Cable ship Cyrus Field landed end of cable in Lockyer's store at 4am and went out and dropped other end in the Bay.

Lady left for Clifton this am at 5 o'clock

Wind too far Southerly for Gerd to go out this pm. Captain thinks it too risky to attempt to go out. Tried Capt Jacob Kean of Prospero to tow her out & offered to pay him but he did not care to do it

Sunday, July 14

Wind WSW at 4am

Meany & Sullivan went aboard Gerd and got her away for Batteau say she sailed 6am. Gerd sailed for Batteau

Monday, July 15

Wind Southerly Fine dull

Had not Gerd got away early in am she may not have got out at all yesterday Fog Horn going this am

Gerd had fine slashing breeze from SSW all yesterday and last night and today

Coal laden schr Whitman arrived from Sydney to Fred Morris yesterday

Message from Batteau this pm says Saffron and too Dysons & Geo Johnspn 150 qtls each Sam Wilcox 60 others from 20 to 30

Nothing with jiggers no caplin sgd Tom Sullivan

Schr Courad coal laden bound to Heart's Content struck on Green Island near Ireland's Eye last night and was put ashore near Islands Eye

Tuesday, July 16

Wind ENE with heavy rain till 9:30 am

Wm Sullivan and two men hence to Clifton 4am in motor boat to assist loading Our Lady

Schr Conrad ashore near Irelands Eye now a total wreck so message to Magistrate Somerton says

Wednesday, July 17

Fine in forenoon - calm

Elijah Batson went home (ENg Hr) this forenoon for his motor boat and he & writer left 3pm for Irelands Eye to see about wreck of Schr Conrad ashore in that vicinity. Found her outside of harbour of Ireland's Eye Her deck all under water Captain & crew gone to St. John's Spars sails running & standing rigging hoisting engine 2 chains & one anchor saved by 8 men of Ireland's Eye and all in I Eye Harbor to await advice of Lloyd's agents as to disposal of same. Writer proceeded thence to Clifton to see how Lady progressing with loading her lumber cargo from John Duffett Gerd arrived Batteau this pm a good passage

Thursday, July 18

Fine day very little wind

Writer (EJ Ryan) here from Clifton after calling at Ireland's Eye en route at 4pm

Lady would finish loading about noon today

Salvors of Conrad's gear got main mast out today and other small gear & still working salving anything above deck - Hull is submerged but stern floats

Wired Hon DA this pm about her hear as to his opinion of buying - when and if sold

Our Lady finished loading lumber at John Duffetts 1pm today

Friday, July 19

Wind light South fine

From Trouty up to the Sound trawlers are doing fairly well with caplin bait.

Saturday, July 20

Wind Southerly fine and light in forenoon Little more wind in evening

Levi Fifield came to office about 5pm and wanted to be paid off. I told him I would not let jim go under a month's notice see under date of July 8th

Our Lady arrived St. John's from Clifton at 2pm today so Skipper nurse wired

Sunday, July 21

Fine day. Warm. Wind North West in forenoon

Monday, July 22

Wind Northwest to South west light fine

SS Prospero here from Northward at 5am. Mr EJ Ryan
passenger by her to St. John's

Levi Fifield paid off this forenoon

Men painting front of shop and repairing flake

Tuesday, July 23

A warm day. Wind South West

A few showers of rain in early morning but remainder of day fine

Wednesday, July 24
Wind South West strong breeze
Fine and very warm
Fog Horn blowing for a time after dinner

Thursday, July 25
Came all day. Fine and warm
SS Prospero here from St. John's at 4:45pm
SS Kyle left Twilingate at 4 o'clock this morning en route from
Labrador and arrived here at 8pm
Kyle brings fairly good report of codfish on Labrador

Friday, July 26

Wind South West light fine

Blowing strong after dinner

Lady sailed at noon today from St. John's for here calling at Clifton to land some goods for John Duffett

Saturday, July 27

Fine in morning. Wind South West Raining at 3pm with wind N East

SS Kyle leaves St. John's at 5pm for Labrador

Sunday, July 28

Wind SSW fine light

Lady here from Clifton at 6am

SS Kyle going North here 3:30pm Writer (EJR) passenger by her from St. John's

Monday, July 29

Wind Southerly - Blowing strong Dull and sultry

Lady discharged and took in shingles for Bonavista and King's Cove and brings back Hf Hhd Hoops and flour barrels

Too windy for fishermen to get out fishing today

Raining hard from 11:30 tonight with heavy thunder and lightning

Tuesday, July 30

Wind Southerly dull & foggy

Lady sailed for Bonavista and King's Cove at 6am

Lady went direct to King's Cove got there 6pm today

Wednesday, July 31

Wind Southerly fine day

Wrote to King's Cove after dinner taking over Jim Ivany to join the
Lady one of latter's crew being sick and unable to work

Thence he went to Plate Cove to see Lawrence Moss re - quid -
dried for market aboard

Lady had discharged her shingles and had hoops & c aboard &
would start for Bonavista early Thursday am to take flour barrels
there for us

Thursday, August 1

Fine day - very moderate

Little more wind from South at noon

Friday, August 2
Calm dull & very foggy sultry

Saturday, August 3
Wind Southerly blowing strong
Dull & foggy
Our lady here from Bonavista about 1am with hoops from King's
cove and flour barrels from Bonavista

Sunday, August 4
Fine day. Wind WSW Writer to Catalina this am by train &
motored to Bonavista in evening

Monday, August 5

Wind Southerly dull

Raining at 11am

Hard rain during evening

Our Lady lying up no freighting to be done

Mac Toop entered our employ this am going in shop as a junior hand and to learn the business

Tuesday, August 6

Wind Southerly dull before breakfast

As day advanced it became finer and wind increased

Blowing very strong from SSW at 1pm

A big number of men at work on so called High Road from Lockston to King's Cove instead of going at work from Lockston in on old road to King's Cove they are working from Lockston to meet Port Rexton road which joins the King's Cove Roads at Freshwater Pond. From Lockston to port Rexton Road is 2 1/2 miles

Wednesday, August 7

Wind WSW Fairly fine but blowing very strong all day
Too windy for any fishing to be done

Thursday, August 8

Wind Nor West Strongish breeze in early morning but it
moderated during forenoon
Reports says no fish no squid

Friday, August 9

Fine day. Wind WS West

Boats trawling in Bay today did very good with fish

Saturday, August 10

Wind SSW Foggy in Bay till 9am Blew strong afterwards and boats in Bay had to come in on a/c wind being too high to haul trawls

Squid very scarce up and down the shore

Kyle here from Labrador 8pm Made this trip in a fortnight

Prospero here from St. John's at midnight

Sunday, August 11

Fine day - but fog out in Bay Rather cool in afternoon & evening

Monday, August 12
Wind SSW Fine day
Foggy outside in the morning
Men & Lady's crew variously employed

Tuesday, August 13
Wind SSE light sultry & foggy

Wednesday, August 14

Wind South light foggy

SS Kyle for Labrador sailed from St. John's 10am today

Thursday, August 15

Wind NE in morning dull & foggy

Schr Armenia with 80 brls flour 30-10's butter & 12 sacks meal
here from St. John's at 5am

Robt Nurse with Wm Sullivan & Hart left in motor boat at 10am for
Ireland's Eye for foremast & bowsprit of wrecked schr Conrad to
bring same here as Mr DA Ryan bought these articles at St.
John's

SS Kyle at 10:30am bound Labrador. Shipped 23 brls coals on
her for Batteau

Friday, August 16

Wind Southerly light foggy

Robt Nurse & crew returned 10am today from Ireland's Eye bring a pitch pine spar (foremast) with rigging (3 gangs_ for same, spruce bowsprit with 2 guys and a new foresail bought of Bowing Bros agents for a/writers for Schr Annie E Conrad lost near Ireland's Eye on 15th July

Writer & Jas Meaney went to Trouty this pm to see if any fish could be got if Lady went up tomorrow. Got back at 9:30pm a good many people from there working on the High Roads and more out fishing

Saturday, August 17

Fine day. Wind SS West

Lady with James Meany went to Trouty at 10am

She left Trouty at 6pm got only 15 qtls. Writer & Wm Sullivan went up 8pm in motor boat and picked her up outside Trinity becalmed Got here 10:30pm

Louis Goldsworthy at Champney's today having a look around. Everyone fishing some good bits of fish trawled in Bay when bait can be procured

Sunday, August 18

Fine day. Wind Southerly

Writer motored to King's at 8pm with Wm E McGrath & Wm Sullivan

Monday, August 19

Fine day but air little soft

Lady lying by wharf waiting for a wire from Tom Moore advising if she will get any fish if she goes there

Tuesday, August 20

Wind light air from South

Begun raining at 7am & continued so more or less till 2:30pm

Rained very hard at 1pm

Very fair fishing in Bay with trawls past ten days by men below here in P Rexton Champney's & English Hr

Wednesday, August 21

Wind Easterly Rainy day

In afternoon wind went to North East

Schr Saladin with 198 tons coal from Sydney arrived at 8pm to this firm

Thursday, August 22

Wind NE drizzly and dull

Saladin getting to wharf for discharging cargo

Begun landing at 10:30am

Landed 488 tubs roughly 32 1/2 tons

Friday, August 23

Wind Easterly - light dull

Saladin discharged 732 tubs coal = 48 3/4 tons

Lady by wharf now for a long time

Saturday, August 24

Wind Southerly light fine but air a bit soft and sultry

Saladin discharging coals landed tubs today

Sunday, August 25

Fairly fine day

Wind Southerly Raining 10:30pm

Monday, August 26

Wind NE and Northerly

Rain in early morning

Saladin finished discharge of her coal cargo at 5pm

A squally & showery day

No boats in today

SS Kyle coming South left seal Islands 3:10pm today

Tuesday, August 27

Wind Northerly fresh fine

Saladin went up SW Arm to get ballast

Lady sailed for Bay de Verde at 9am

Jas Meany & Jas Ivany in her

Thos Clarke Dunfield shipped 25 qtls fish this pm

Caz Butler, Geo Ranell & Peter Randell home today from Belle

Isle well fished & loaded

Wednesday, August 28

Dull & calm

Raining very hard at 11:30am and again at from 2pm till 4pm

Finished ballasting Saladin coal vessel at 1pm today

No one in from outside settlements today

Thursday, August 29

Wind Southerly light fine dull sultry day

Saladine sailed for Sydney this morning

SS Kyle from Labrador supposed to sail from Wesleyville at noon today

No one in from outside settlements today.

Some fish being got on trawls out in Bay when bait obtainable

SS Kyle here from Labrador 8pm

Friday, August 30

Wind Northerly light fine but air soft

In afternoon and evening Southerly and air softer

Our St. John's mail which should have come by this am's train
was mislaid or carried West

Saturday, August 31

Wind Southerly dull

Our Lady here from Bay de Verde 10am with 43 qtls fish

Landed same at noon

Dull in evening with SE wind

Rained hard tonight

Sunday, September 1

Wind Northerly

Fine Rained hard in early morning

Monday, September 2

Wind NN West fresh fine

Spread a few qtls fish on breastwork

Our Lady hence to Champney's at 9am

Packed first 4 or 5 casks new codfish this pm

Our lady took 90 qtls today at Champney's Wind South at 5pm

Raining 9pm and very dark

SS Sollund with 250 brls flour for us left Carbonear for here at 5pm

Tuesday, September 3

Wind NE strong wet & drizzling rain

SS Sollund here 7am begun discharge flour 8:30am all ashore at 11am

Our Lady here from Champney's at 8:30am. Lightered all our 250 brls flour from Gov't wharf to our store & finished at

SS Kyle bound Labrador here at 3pm

After all our flour was got over from the Gov't wharf as twas fine they landed some qtls fish from the Lady

Wednesday, September 4

Wind Northerly A little dull till 7am

Lady started land her fish at 8am

Lady after landing her fish left for Little Hr at 11am

Packed a few casks fish in store this pm

Now packed 10 casks prime, 4 - B 1 ex small 15 casks

Thursday, September 5

Wind NE Drizzly rain and cold & raw

Consider it too damp to pack any fish in store today

A falls day- squally and with rain showers at intervals

Friday, September 6
Wind NE Strongish wind
Dull bad poor day unfit to pack fish in store
Our lady supposed to be at Little harbor
This is not fit day to handle fish even in store

Saturday, September 7
Wind Southerly and Easterly dull & Sultry
Too sultry to pack any fish in store
SS Prospero here at 5pm from St. John's Hon DA Ryan
passenger by her

Sunday, September 8
Dull day Very little wind. Wm Sullivan hence to British Hr in motor
boat this pm
Hon DA Ryan went to King's Cove after dinner

Monday, September 9

Wind Northerly strong breeze fine. Packing shore fish in store

Our Lady at British Hr today

Mr DA Ryan here from King's Cove at 6pm

Writer home today with a bruised shin to nurse

Lady at British Hr today

Tuesday, September 10

Wind South light fine

Packed some fish in store today

Lady at Trouty taking fish today

Now packed in store 20 prime 8 B 3 TC

Wednesday, September 11
Raining hard this am
Wind Southerly strong wet day
Lady here from Trouty 12:30pm
Hon DA Ryan hence St. John's tonight by train

Thursday, September 12
Wind WNW Beautifully fine day
Our Lady discharged all her fish collection today 427 qtls finished
at 6pm

Friday, September 13

Fine day. Wind SW

All fully employed today packing shore fish

Packed today 36 casks shore fish of prime B & Small qualities

Total now packed in store 67 casks

Saturday, September 14

Wind Southerly light dull

SS Susu to wharf this am and took 40 casks prime - 20 B and 5 ex

small = 65 casks for Clarendville

Raining at 9am Men packing fish in store today

30 casks fish packed now in store

Sunday, September 15

Fine day. Writer indoors all day resting sore leg

Monday, September 16

Fine day. Wind Northerly in forenoon & morning Southerly at 2pm

Packing fish in store today

Had some spread on flake & wharf in forenoon

Tuesday, September 17

Wind Southerly. Light dull foggy in Narrows 10am

Lady carried 54 casks shore fish and landed same on Govt

Wharf after breakfast

Schr Notice landing some goods for us after breakfast

Packing fish in store today. Not fine enough to send Lady to

Champney's today. Lightered over 18 casks fish to Govt wharf

5:30pm

Wednesday, September 18

Wind Southerly dull & foggy all day

Bending sails & ballasting the Hunter today

Too dull for lady to go Champney's

Circuit Court SS Daisy here 8:30pm with Chief Justice Horwood
and staff aboard. No cases civil or otherwise to be tried here

Thursday, September 19

Wind Southerly strong and dull no fish day

Many flags flying in honor of Chief Justice Horwood

Soft and sultry all evening and blowing very strong

Friday, September 20

Wind NNE strongish

Hard rain from 5am to 9am and raining more or less all thro the day

Not disagreeable day

Saturday, September 21

Wind North East strong dull. Cold air today

Not fine enough to spread any fish

Schr Gerd with 3800 qtls Lab fish sailed at noon today from

Batteau coming here for orders

Sunday, September 22

Very fine day. Drying good. Wind Northerly fine breeze

Monday, September 23

Wind NN West Dull till 9:30am

Spread some damp l & m fish on wharf & took it in at once after dinner

Hon DA R Wired this forenoon to keep good look for Gerd from Batteau She will heave up off Harbor to get sailing orders for Seville Spain at which place her cargo is sold.

Tuesday, September 24

Wind N by W Fine but not a drying day. Schr AWS Loder, James White master of New Perlican landing his Lab catch of fish today and tis being packed in flour barrels as tis landed

Rain 4pm had to stop landing

Landed & packed 136 - 2 qtls and 28 qtls L & M put in store

Shipped 50 brls aboard of her after discharge stopped

Writer & Wm Sullivan out six miles in Bay after breakfast to see if Gerd in sight

No wind tonight

Wednesday, September 25

Wind SW very light air and round about during rest of day

Finished landing & packing all fish ex Schr Loder and begun shipping the two quintal barrels as soon as twas ready

Our Lady loading coals for K Cove after dinner

AW Loder sailed for St. John's 7pm with 191 - 2 qtl casks Lab fish

Thursday, September 26

Fine morning. Very little wind from any direction.

SS Kyle here at 5:30am bound to Labrador

Schooner Gerd which left Batteay on the 21st was boarded at

7am about 3 to 4 miles off the Harbor and given orders to

proceed to Seville to discharge her cargo

Mr EJ Ryan in motor boat left here at 9am for Heart's content with

Gerd's papers to try if possible to get them to St. John's in time to catch SS Newfoundland sailing for Liverpool sometime tomorrow

night

Shipped 37 tons coal on Our Lady today

At 4pm blowing strong from North East

Friday, September 27

Calm morning Dull Writer returned from Heart's Content after going to Carbonear from there to post Gerd's B/Ladings etc at 1:30am - left Heart's Contents 6pm yday with stiff North Easter
Our Lady sailed for KC 10:30am coal laden
Showery at 11am
Wind NE at 6pm has been so all afternoon

Saturday, September 28

Light Southerly and Easterly winds mostly calm during the day
Not a drying day by any means
Our Lady was not at King's Cove at 8pm

Sunday, September 29

Wind Southerly light dull Rain in evening

Monday, September 30

Wind North East light dull in early am

Got finer at 10:30am

Guide here from Champney's at 10:30am

Arranged with Fanny Osborne today to come to work in shop tomorrow.

Wages at first to be six dollars per month. If she gives satisfaction will give her a little present at Christmas

Tuesday, October 1

Wind Northerly light fine but not very drying

Guide landing & packing Lab fish

Schr R Grenville here with 550 to 600 qtls Lab fish bought same from Geo Vey master @5.50 and ten cents freight pr qtl to St.

John's

Guide finished landing her fish at 3pm

R Grenville schr started landing shortly after and landed & packed 102 qtls by 6pm

Wednesday, October 2
Wind South very light fine
Big hoar frost last night
SS Prospero here at 4am
Landing & packing fish ex Schr Grenville

Thursday, October 3
Wind South very light
A little scad rain before breakfast
Grenville finished discharge her fish at 12:30pm and begun
loading 2pm rain at 2:20pm had to stop loading
Our Lady here from King's Cove 2:30pm She left K Cove 10:30am
yesterday

Friday, October 4

Wind Southerly goodish breeze

Rain before breakfast

Loading Lady with 2 and 3 qtl brls Lab fish

Finished her loading at 5pm

She has aboard 77 - 3 qtl brls, 210 - 2 and steel drums Sun
shining at 6pm

Saturday, October 5

Wind Southerly strong

Schrs Grenville & Our Lady both sailed for St. John's at 6am

Grenville came back at 8am and Lady returned to Champney's

SS Prospero here 4:45pm from St. John's

Writer went to Catalina by Prospero and thence to Bonavista by
car

Sunday, October 6

Fine day. Wind NNW Grenville sailed for St. John's before
daylight

Monday, October 7

Wind Southerly fresh fine but not a drying day

Packed some L & m Labrador in butts and a few casks shore

Writer here from Bonavista 11:30am

Tuesday, October 8

Wind Southerly Dull & foggy

Raining hard all forenoon

Albert Fowlow schr Robin here from St. John's early this am

Wednesday, October 9

Fairly fine day

Wind Northerly light

Not much life in today for drying

Albert Fowlow landed some goods for us from St. John's this am

Motor boat to Ragged Island today with three tons coals for light house there

Thursday, October 10

Wind Northerly fine after breakfast

Motor boat to Ragged Islands with 4 tons coals

Friday, October 11

Wind Nor Westerly a fine day

Hunter with James Meany aboard went to Champneys after breakfast

A few hands on drying & packed 8 casks

Hunter took about 120 qtls today at Champney's

Saturday, October 12

Wind North by East - dull in morning

Blowing strong - showery in forenoon

Our Lady here from St. John's at 2am and discharged during the day.

Hunter here from Champney's 5pm with 120 qtls fish

Sunday, October 13

Wind SW Saffron arrived from Batteau via Seldom at 4:30am

1450 qtls fish 50 casks cod oil & c

Monday, October 14

Wind S by West - Raining in the morning

Shipping oil from Room aboard Our Lady after which Saffron
hailed to wharf & transhipped her deck load to the Lady & then

Lady took aboard all the steel drums on Room

Too dull to land any fish ex Hunter

Lady loaded 6pm with 80 casks cod oil and 100 steel drums

Tuesday, October 15

Wind West light fine at 6am

Lady sailed 6am for St. John's Has it very calm all day

Saffron started landing fish & same is being packed in 5 qtls
casks as landed

Hunter landed 170 qtls from Champney's before starting work on

Saffron

ED Humby here from Summerville this forenoon and signed
agreement to rebuild the schr Wilson bought from Pat Furlong

Landed & packed 72-5 qtl casks ex Saffron today

Wednesday, October 16

Dull Southerly

Saffron discharging Lab fish and same is being packed in 5 qtl casks as tis landed

Lady arrived St. John's at 1pm today

Thursday, October 17

Wind SSW Blowing strong

Rained hard before daylight

Started landing fish from Saffron 9:30am and packing same in sugar barrels as tis landed

Friday, October 18

Wind Southerly dull

Started to land fish ex Saffron & had to stop at 2:30pm on account of rain

Landed 168 qtls

No fine day this week

Hunter by the wharf all this week Not fine enough to go collecting

Saturday, October 19

Wind Southerly light dull

At fish ex Saffron after breakfast

Finished her discharge at 4pm

Sunday, October 20

Fine day Writer in doors all day. Resting foot

Lady here from St. John's 4am

Monday, October 21

Fine day. Wind light South

Saffron moored up in Cove Had sails hoisted for drying

Hunter went to English Harbor & got 107 qtls fish there today

Our Lady discharged

Saffrons crew all paid off this pm

Tuesday, October 22

Wind none

Lady took in Saffron's mens provisions and sailed 12:30pm No
wind to get underway sooner

Hunter here from Champney's 3:30pm got only 7 qtls there today

None dry enough to ship

Wind from North East at 1:30pm

Thick and dull in late evening

Gerd arrived Seville sailed from off here Sept 26th

Wednesday, October 23

A fine dull not drying day

Hunter landing fish after breakfast

Not good enough to spread any for drying

Kyle bound Labrador left St. John's at noon today

Thursday, October 24

Dull day. Nothing of note doing

Lady here 1pm via British Hr from Hodge's Cove where she
landed Leander Peddle & his crew

Lady brought some 1/2 & 3/4 in board from British Harbor

WJ Phillips Goss here from Queen Cove at 4pm with his Lab
catch of fish

Friday, October 25

Wind strong Nor West fine

Our Lady took in balance of goods for Ed Humby Summerville all ready to proceed but blowing too strong

Schr Phillips landing fish & same is being packed in 2 qtls barrels

Lady sailed for Summerville 2pm

At 6pm wind Southerly

Saturday, October 26

Wet morning & dull showery forenoon

Phillips finished landing hos fish this evening

Wind Southerly 6am but at 7am it came from nor West and blew strong

Our Lady left Catalina this am for Summerville got the Northern squall off Stone Island and went back to Elliston

Sunday, October 27

Wind WNW A fine day

Our Lady reached King's Cove 4pm today

Monday, October 28

Wind Southerly dull and gloomy

Eleazer Goss & crew settling up today 3 buying provisions etc

Wind this pm at 6 oclock NNW

Our Lady left k Cove 7am and anchored at Seal islands in
Newman's Sound

Tuesday, October 29

Wind SW Strong. Fine in early morning. Filled both wharves with
damp fish but had to take it in at 9:30am on a/c dwyes

Packed 9 casks shore today

Wind 5pm Northerly dull & showery since 10:30am

Wednesday, October 30

Wind Northerly strong fine day

Had both wharves filled with damp fish for drying

The WJ Phillips left for home (Queen Cove) in early morning

Hunter left for up the Bay 3:30pm

Our Lady arrived Summerville 9am

Thursday, October 31

Wind NN West. Fresh breeze fine

Spreading fish before breakfast & after breakfast filled both wharves with damp fish most of which only wants a blast

Our Lady here from Summerville (Bonavista Bay) at 9pm

Lady left Summerville this am got here 9pm

Friday, November 1

Wind Northerly in am and forenoon and light Southerly in afternoon and evening

Our Lady took aboard 38 casks L & M fish before breakfast and landed it on Govt wharf for transshipment to St. John's by Prospero tomorrow

Big hoar frost last night so much so that we could not spread any damp fish on wharves till 11am a/c wharves being wet

Spread some damp fish and packed 7 casks shore

Lady's crew brought Saffron down from the Cove and moored herth long wharf

In evening Lady transhipped her ballast & hoisting engine to the Saffron

A few boats in from outside in forenoon

Saturday, November 2

Wind Southerly strong fine

Had both wharves & flakes spread with fish

Begun taking in same after dinner

Lady unbent all sails & running rigging and stored same for winter

Lady carried up to Tom Homes Cove moored for winter in afternoon

Weather little damper in evening than all day

Sunday, November 3

Fine day - air a bit cold Hunter here from Bonaventure 11:30am with 100qtls Wind NW fresh

Monday, November 4

Wind Northerly moderate fine

Landed 100 qtls from Hunter Had some damp spread on wharves and flake

Put provisions etc aboard Hunter for Trouty tomorrow

Got calm at 3:30 and turned a bit dull

Tuesday, November 5

Wind Southerly Raining all morning and forenoon more or less

Too damp to pack any fish in store

Hunter and Saffron lying by the wharf

Wednesday, November 6
Wind Easterly Wet dull day
Nothing doing outside
Got little finer afternoon
Packed a few casks fish in evening

Thursday, November 7
Fine day. Wind Northerly fresh Not a drying day A big frost last
night and a long time before wharves got dry
Hunter to Trouty 9am took 175 qtls these today
Packing a large medium & small shore fish today in store
Not many boats in today

Friday, November 8

Wind SE Wet snow falling from before daylight till 3pm bit it went as it fell on roads

Hunter here from Trouty at 1pm

Schr Arthur Stone here from St. John's and landed 100 flour 30 pork & beef & sundry other goods for us

Saturday, November 9

Wind Southerly dull

Carrying coals to fog alarm after breakfast

Raining more or less all day

Snowing in evening and all night

At 11pm wind NE with glitter

Sunday, November 10

Fine day. Wind Northerly - six inches of snow on ground - did not melt much during day - at 7pm soft & mild

Monday, November 11

Wind Nor West light fine

Went all around during day & Southerly at 5pm

In the sun the snow melted - cleaned all snow off wharves

Landed 175 qtls ex Hunter from Trouty

Tuesday, November 12

Wind East North East not much - Raining all morning till 11am
when it stopped. Very slushy walking now under foot

Schr Blake here from Hr Grace at 4am and anchored off the
Room

Took over the Blake from Capt Sam Elliott at noon after he
signed Bill Sale and sanded writer the Register of Blake. After
dinner motor boat towed her to Tibbs Cove and moored her

Wednesday, November 13

Calm morning west and disagreeable All snow gone

Have stove going in fish and a few hands are packing some fish

In afternoon and evening wind ENE strong and cold

Thursday, November 14

Soft dull fine day. Wind light North in morning and it went round to South by 2pm.

Blake's sails hoisted today Shipping 5 & 3 qtls casks on Saffron at 9:30am

No drying of any note in air today

Wharves were not dry till after noon

SS Kyle here from Labrador at 11pm

Jno T Sheehan & his men returned by Kyle

Friday, November 15

Wind Southerly light dull

Saffron finishing loading with 5 qtl casks & 3 and 2 qtl barrels of
Labrador fish

Raining from noon till midnight

Saffron all ready for St. John's soon as time offers

JT Sheehan is at home sick with asthma. Has been ill all
passage from Batteau

Saturday, November 16

Wind SSW Blowing a gale all day

Too much wind and too scant for Saffron to sail

Not many around today

No abatement in wind up to 10pm

Sunday, November 17

Fine hard day. Still blowing a gale from WN West

Too strong for Saffron to sail.

Monday, November 18

Wind NN West Fine day

Still blowing a gale of wind

Too much for Saffron to sail

Wind begun to drop after 10am

Saffron sailed 1pm for St. John's left with reefs in Jib & foresail

Saffron arrived St. John's 9pm all well

Tuesday, November 19

Wind Southerly light at 9am and begun snowing fine

Jas Meany with a crew creped Blake's parted chain this

forenoon and secured same to her bow anchor and moored her properly

Strong wind from South at 3pm with fog horn going

A schooner came in at 3pm and anchored up in the Cove

Wednesday, November 20

Raining at 9am

Got finer at 10:30am

Blake's sails hoisted but had to lower then again too squally

Fairly fine day but not drying enough for fish. Air too soft

Packing fish in store

Mailed a lot of cheques to Batteau planters and dealers today in
payment of fish shipped at Batteau

Thursday, November 21

Wind Nor Nor West Blowing strong

Lot of damp fish spread today

Blakes sails hoisted & dried unbent and stored this pm

Packed some fish in evening

A few boats in from outside today

Friday, November 22

Wind Northerly Hardly good enough for drying today as flakes & wharves are covered with a frost and sun not strong enough to melt

Schr Howard Young here from St. John's 4:30pm with 80 tons coals & other cargo for this firm

SS Prospero here 6pm from St. John's

Saturday, November 23

Wind Northerly Strongish breeze

Fine day. Doing nothing with fish today

All crowd landing coals from Schr Howard Young

A few boats in from outside in early morning

Saffron at St. John's ready for here this pm

Sunday, November 24

Fine day

Light Southerly from 10am

Monday, November 25

Fine dull fresh Southerly wind

Saffron here from St. John's at 1am Discharging cargo til 4pm
when had to stop too much snow falling

Snowing at noon had to stop discharge of coals ex Schr Young
and also from Saffron at 4pm and moor latter for the night

Snowing all evening and through the night

Tuesday, November 26

Wind North by East blowing stiff. Soft day

From one to two feet of snow fell from noon yesterday till this am

Cleaned down wharves & at noon landed balance of cargo from

Saffron

Packed a few casks fish in store

Wednesday, November 27

Fine day. Wind South light and dropped off calm at 11am

Blake carried up in Tom Jones cove & moored for winter

Howard Young landing coals landed 25 1/2 tons

Saffron begun taking aboard cask fish at 2pm and took aboard

61 butts of large & medium before knock off time

Blake pumped dry today

Thursday, November 28

Calm dull drizzly day

Finished discharge of coals ex Howard Young in early forenoon

Men packing a few casks L & M fish in evening and cleaning up stores

Scarcely any one around today

Friday, November 29
Wind Nor West fine day
Saffron begun loading after breakfast
Nothing new to report

Saturday, November 30
Blowing strong SW fine day cold
As day advanced wind to WNW and at 6pm calm at 10pm South
and soft
Saffron loaded & ready for St. John's at 5pm

Sunday, December 1
Wind S West Fine blowing a small gale from 9am

Monday, December 2

Wind SW blowing strong till 9am

Wind 9am Nor West Still blowing strong

Saffron sailed for St. John's 10am

Skipper Nurse went home yesterday and did not get here till
9:30am today

Saffron arrived St. John's 6pm towed in all well

Tuesday, December 3

Calm dull Begun snowing at 8:30am

Hunter left for Little Hr 3pm for limber got there 7pm

Wednesday, December 4
Wind Nor West fine strong

Thursday, December 5
Calm morning Fine
Scad of snow 10:30am
Wind Noon SW and in evening WNW fresh
Fine day bit had scad snow in forenoon and another in evening
but only for short time

Friday, December 6

Wind SW in morning fine a fine time from St. John's

At 1pm blowing strong from W by N

At 4pm wind Nor West

If any schooners left St. John's this am I expect they went back
when wind came up

Saturday, December 7

Wind WNW stiff fine

Hunter from Pope's Hr via British Hr at 1pm with Board and
staves

Landing same in afternoon

Sunday, December 8

Fine day but cold. Moderate Westerly

Monday, December 9

Wind North East 10am

Saffron and Alma Francis here from St. John's at 3am also Dan Frampton & Hy Stone's schr

Alma Francis discharged her freight also Saffron both at short wharf

Saffron unbent and landed her sails soon as she got to the wharf

Saffron moored by long wharf in evening for the night

Hunter also finished discharge of her lumber

Tuesday, December 10

Advise Mr Jos Fr Clifford Thoroughfare how many sugar barrels we can deliver via at Station @50c each also how many flour barrels @35c

Wind WNW fine fresh breeze

Hunter taking in supplies for Orestes Vokey and iron nails etc for rebuilding of Hunter

Saffron moored by long wharf till time offers to carry her up one of the Arms

Hunter all ready to go to Little Hr this pm

Wednesday, December 11

Wind Nor West fresh fine

Hunter left for Little Harbor at 10am and arrived there at 6pm

Wind Little more Northerly at 5pm

Thursday, December 12

Wind Northerly strong cold

We are having a hard snap past fortnight or over

Friday, December 13

Wind Northerly light fine cold

Towed Saffron up in SW arm this forenoon and moored her for the winter

No boats in today or yesterday

A few people in getting horses shod

Saturday, December 14

Froze hard last night SW Arm all caught over

Wind Southerly fresh

Wm Sullivan and 2 men in motor boat left for Pope's Hr at 8:30 to bring down the Hunter's sails they found Pope's Hr frozen over and they could not get in there. Snowing fast from 2:45 till 4pm when it cleared

Motor boat returned here 5pm

SS Prospero here from St. John's at 5:30pm

Send 5 CPR Interim receipts for certificate

Sunday, December 15

Fine day Light Northerly

Monday, December 16
Fine day Almost calm
Light draft from Nor West
Blake pumped today
Took three minutes to pump her
Last time pumped was on 27th Nov

Tuesday, December 17
Wind Southerly light
Wm Sullivan & two men left here at 8:15am to go to Bonavista via
little Hr for Orestes Vokey to get a capstan for hauling up the
Hunter
At noon wind Nor west and light all thro evening
Some people in from outside today
Nice civil evening at 6pm
Wm Sullivan back 8:30pm Got capstan at Britannia & landed it at
Litle Hr & then brought Hunter's sails here

Wednesday, December 18
Calm today but cold last night
Snowing little at 6pm
A few people around today but not many

Thursday, December 19
Wind North East light
Kind of a glitter snow falling more or less all thro day very fine &
sundy
4pm wind fresher than all day and looks as if snow may turn to
WNE thaw
Not many people around today

Friday, December 20

Wind Northerly light in forenoon

Southerly in evening

Raining at 6pm and continued so thro night turning to sleet after midnight

Saturday, December 21

Wind Southerly fresh soft Roads are all covered with glitter and walking is slippery and dangerous

Sunday, December 22

Fine day cold

Monday, December 23

South West Arm frozen over

People crossing it yesterday An unusual occurrence for this time of the year

Tuesday, December 24

Fine day. Cold Southerly

Susu here 3pm shipped on her 30 butts 4 qtls L & M seconds viz
15 med seconds & 15 large seconds

Snowing and drifting at 7:30pm

Wednesday, December 25

Christmas Day General Holiday Fine cold day. Wind North West
Mr EJ Ryan went to Bonavista by train at 6am

Thursday, December 26

St. Stephen's Day Stores closed
Fine day. Wind Northerly light
LOA paraded at 11am

Friday, December 27
Cold day Wind North West strong
No strange happenings
Everything and everyone very quiet
Snowing at 9pm

Saturday, December 28
Mild day. Fine
Wind Westerly light
Motor boat to Trinity East this am for butter and wrapping paper

Sunday, December 29
A fine day cold. Wind West very light S.S. Susu here at 6am
shipped a quantity of goods by her including 12 bdl's hay

Monday, December 30

Raining hard Wind South West blowing strong. Glass 28.40 at 10am

Blowing a gale at 6pm with rain and sleet glass 28.30 wind now about West or West by North

Wind moderated a bit after 10pm

Tuesday, December 31

A beautifully fine day

Wind West light breeze