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Ordained in City Road Chapel, London, in 1838, and arrived in Newfoundland during the autumn of that year.

In 1839 sent as a visiting missionary to Hermitage Bay. During that autumn he visited nearly every harbour and cove as far West as Cape Ray. Marshall spent three years here, having his residence at Hermitage Cove. He left in 1842 and was followed by Rev. John S. Peach.

At the close of the district meeting of 1842, William Marshall and his young wife sailed from St. John's for Green Bay, and he opened the first church at Twillingate in May, 1843. He held his last service there on December 31, 1845, and died a little while after. He was buried in the Methodist cemetery at Twillingate.

(See Book of Newfoundland - Vol II, Page 293 for tribute to Marshall as reported by Dr. Levi Curtis.)
June 8th, 1839: This day left St. John's on board a small fishing Boat belonging to Mr. Robert Walsh bound for St. Lawrence, Placentia Bay, on my way to Fortune and Hermitage Bay, having been appointed by the District to visit the destitute inhabitants of the harbours and Coves along that shore, and to preach to them the unsearchable riches of Christ.

June 9th: We were obliged to run into Renews Harbour, for the purpose of obtaining Ballast; as it was the Sabbath I went on shore intending if profitable to have divine Service, and was introduced to a Mr. Johnson, by one of the men belonging the boat and was at first received very coolly. Mr. Johnson and his children are Protestants, but his wife is a Roman Catholic. I made enquiry as to the number of Protestants in the harbour and whether we could collect them together for the purpose of divine worship; he said that there were scarcely any Protestants in the harbour and that the few there were generally read prayers in their own families. He appeared to look upon me like any thing else rather than a Protestant minister, and said that he thought one religion was enough; &c. I conversed with him for some time and his prejudice appeared to be partly gone; he then requested the mistress to get me something to eat, then after breakfast was over, the children began to prepare for prayers it being then about 11 O'clock. The children, 7 in number, all assembled and as Mr. J. had retired I sent to request his attendance, but the answer I received was that he was not coming in. I thought it strange but however I proceeded and read prayers, &c. with the children and gave them some tracts, after dinner finding that we could not have public service I walked out and distributed tracts to the people I passed — and made enquiry for the other Protestant families. I was directed to the house of Mr. Sanders. Mrs. S. & Mrs. Garland received me very kindly. (Mr. Sanders being from home); I took tea with them and spent the evening very profitably in conversation, singing and prayer, and then returned to the boat and we again set sail for St. Lawrence.

Monday, June 10th: We were obliged to return to Renews in consequence of contrary wind and coarse weather. I now felt resolved that if it were profitable I would have at least the public service among them. I returned to Mr. Sanders's house and had tea with them, and prayed with them and returned to Mr. Johnson's in order to try to obtain a bed for the night. They received me very kindly.

Tuesday, 11th: The wind still contrary after breakfast I waited upon Mr. Kellygrouns in order to ascertain the real number of Protestants in the place. He said that there was near 50. I then proposed having service in
the evening to which he at once agreed. I then sought out a place and in the evening preached to a small but attentive congregation in Mrs. Garland’s School Room, we had a profitable season, I then prayed with Mrs. W. and family, bade them farewell and went on board, and immediately left the harbour. The population is about 950, 900 Catholics and about 50 Protestants entirely destitute.

Saturday, 15th: St. Lawrence. By the mercy of God I am brought in safety to this place after a most tedious passage. I was received with open arms by Mr. Neck and family, after tea I baptized two children and then walked about 1 mile to a place called Little St. Lawrence, for the purpose of seeing Mr. Thom (Thorn or Thoin) to enquire for a passage to Fortune or Grand Bank, but could not hear of any vessels that were likely to go soon. I then returned to Mr. Neck and stayed all night.

Sunday, 16th: Arose this morning much impressed with a sense of the divine presence. Head prayers & preached twice to large congregations, the people appeared to be deeply affected under the word. There are about 70 Protestants in these two places and near 300 Catholics. There is no Protestant minister within 16 miles of this place.

Monday, 17th: Still detained in St. Lawrence. I intended to have left for Burin but was detained in consequence of the person having taken ill that I had engaged to take me to that place.

Saturday, 22nd: Left St. Lawrence for Lawn a place about 3 Leagues from St. Lawrence expecting to meet with some vessel there bound for Fortune Bay but on my arrival round there would be none for some days. I was kindly received by a Mr. Cluks a Protestant gentleman Agent for Nicholas & Co.

Sunday, 23rd: Lawn. I preached and read prayers twice in Mr. Cluks’s house to a congregation of about 30 persons, there are very few Protestants in this place. I should think not more than 20 but there are several here fishing at present.

June 28th: I am still detained in this place; during the past few days my mind has been very much exercised in reference to my work but I look to God who said so I am with you always even to the end of the world. A gentleman from harbour Neaton arrived here to day he states that the people are anxiously expecting a missionary among them. I feel very anxious to be among them but in consequence of all the men being engaged in the fishery I cannot get a pilot, but there is a vessel from this place to go there in a few days.
June 29th: I this day married a Couple who have been living together as man and wife these 22 years without having been married. They have had twelve children ten of whom are now living. I also Baptized one of their children at the same time, all the others have been baptized by the Catholic Priest there being no Protestant Minister near: surely these things have a voice and cry aloud to the Protestant Church for Missionaries to instruct these in the things belonging to their peace (?) and to preserve them from being deluded and led away by the servants of the man of sin.

30th: This is the Sabbath my soul rejoices on the approach of this day. I Read prayers and preached twice to a very attentive congregation, we felt it good then to wait upon the Lord in his ordinances. Lord water the seed sown, may souls be saved. And thy name glorified. Amen.

July 2nd: I this day left Lawn on Board a small Skiff bound for Lamalin a place about 5 Leagues from Lawn, and arrived there about 7 0 Clock in the evening, after having been out for thirteen hours. I was kindly received by Mr. Thomas Pitman and family and after tea we spent some time in conversation. I then prayed with the family and retired to rest.

July 3rd: Lamalin. There are about 300 inhabitants in this place upward of 100 of whom are Catholics, it is visited once or twice a year by our Missionary at Grand Bank. The People are very anxious for a Missionary.

July 4th: I this day visited several Protestant families and prayed with them, &c.

July 5th: Spent this day in reading and meditation.

6th: Visited a part of this Harbour called Muddy Hole where there are several Protestants residing. I took tea at Mr. Cake's House and then returned to Mr. Pitman's.

7th: Sabbath. I this day read Prayers and preached twice to large and attentive congregations in a large store fitted for the occasion. I trust that good was done among the people.

10th: I this day left Lamalin for Grand Bank, having heard that my Luggage had been sent from Harbor Britain to that place, arrived at the Mission house Grand Bank about 12 0 Clock at night and was kindly received by Brother Sprague.

11th: Walked up to Fortune a place about 4 Miles from Grand Bank and preached in the Evening to an attentive congregation.

12th: I this day visited several Families in Fortune and in the evening returned to Grand Bank and preached with great liberty to an excellent congregation, truly the presence of the Lord was with us. O may the Lord water the seed sown, may it bring forth in some thirty, in other sixty and an hundred fold.
July 13th: Spent this day in reading, meditation and prayer, and in the Evening took tea at Mr. Evans's with Bro/ Sprague. We spent profitable evening together.

14th. Sunday: Preached in the morning and afternoon at Grand Bank and in the evening at Fortune on the Judgement. Had a very comfortable day.

15th: Returned from Fortune to Brand Bank and attended a Prayer meeting in the evening and felt much of the divine presence.

16th: I this day left Grand Bank in a small skiff bound for Harbour Britain at which place I arrived about 10 O Clock at night, the distance from Grand Bank is about 24 miles - on my arrival I was kindly received by Mr. Ellis Agent for Newman Hunt & Co.

17th: Visited Jersey Harbor a place about 2 Miles from Harbor Britain and was kindly received by Mr. Chapman Agent for Messrs. Nichole & Co. I then returned to Harbor Britain.

18th: I heard of an opportunity for proceeding up the Bay a short distance. I immediately embraced it and went to a place called Hermitage Cove about 9 Miles from Harbor Britain and was at first very coolly received by Mr. Rose the principal Planter there. I read prayers and preached in the evening to a small congregation of people and Baptized two children.

19th: This morning heard of an opportunity for Gaultois where there is a large whaling establishment carried on by Messrs. Newman Hunt & Co. I immediately embraced it and arrived there about 1 O Clock and was very kindly received by Mr. & Mrs. Gallop. I stayed there all night but not hearing of any opportunity for up the Bay, I left the following morning and returned to Harbor Britain in company with Mr. Gallop and Mrs. Ellis in a large gig which Mr. Gallop had provided for the occasion. Arrived at Harbor Britain about three O Clock in the Afternoon.

Sunday, 21st: Read prayers and preached twice in a large Sail Room which Mr. Ellis had kindly fitted up for the occasion, after the Afternoon service I Baptized George the infant son of Mr. Ellis and then proceeded to Jersey Harbor in company with Mr. & Mrs. Ellis and others, and preached again to about 40 persons in Mr. Chapman's large parlor - the congregation in each place were good and attentive. May God water the seed sown.

Monday, 22nd: This morning felt very poorly having caught cold yesterday: I called upon Mrs. T(?) and others and spoke to the Skipper of a Boat for a passage to Pass Island. He agreed to take me there.
Tuesday, 23rd: I this morning wrote to Mr. Faulkner and then went down to the Wharf to enquire when the Boat would be ready to go to Pass Island the Skipper said we cannot possibly go until we have more wind. I then proceeded to Mr. T's house and sat a few minutes, and then went out to see whether they were ready and behold they were gone a considerable distance. I felt very much grieved as I had lost also an opportunity for proceeding to Gaultois. In the evening I took tea at Mr. Gaden the Magistrates House in company with Mr. & Mrs. Ellis and spent a very pleasant evening.

Wednesday, 24th: Mr. Ellis kindly proposed to furnish me with a Boat and Crew to go as far as Great Harbor, Connaigre Bay. I most gladly embraced the offer and proceeded thither, the day was exceedingly warm and the Mosquitoes very troublesome we arrived at the above place about 6 O'Clock and was very coolly received by a Mrs. Rose especially after I had stated that I should need a crew to take me across the Bay the following day - she said; Oh you must not send the men back again as we poor people have so much to do with the fish we cannot spare time to go with you; I then shewed her the unreasonableness of them requesting the services of a Minister and yet would not be at the trouble to put him across the Bay; they then consented and I sent the men home to Harbor Britain and I read Prayers and preached in the evening to about 20 persons there are only 28 persons residing in the Harbor. I then Baptized a Child --

Thursday, 25th: Left Great Harbor and crossed Connaigre Bay a distance of about 5 Miles to a place called Dawson's Cove where there are 20 Protestant residents. I was very kindly received by Mr. Crew and read Prayers and preached about three O'Clock to a small company of people, felt much of the divine presence -- and then proceeded across the country about 2 Miles to Hermitage Cove read Prayers and preached in Mr. Roberta's House and Baptized a Child --

Friday, 26th: Left Hermitage Cove and crossed the Bay to Gaultois and was very kindly received by Mr. & Mrs. Gallop. In the evening I again crossed the Bay to a place called Furbys Cove it is about 4 Miles from Gaultois. Mr. Gallop very kindly furnished me with a Boat and Crew. There are about 90 Protestants in this Harbor I read prayers and preached in Mr (?)'s House to an attentive company of people.

Saturday, 27th: The people this morning sent to enquire if there was to be service this morning. I then sent them word that there would. I read preached and delivered an address to them after which I baptized two children. I then proceeded to another part of the Harbor and Churched two women and baptized one child, the father of the other not being at home. I then returned to Gaultois.

Sunday, 28th: I this morning read prayers and preached to about 80 people in a place which Mr. Gallop had fitted up for the occasion, after service I baptized Mr. Gallop's two sons; - having sent word that I would preach at Hermitage Cove, I set off in a Gig provided by Mr. Gallop but was obliged to return as we could not cross the Bay, the wind being high.
I then returned to Gaultois and during the afternoon was sent for to go across to the other side of the Harbor to baptize a child. I went and baptized the child, their habitation was one of the most wretched that I ever saw; it is about 6 feet by 8. I then returned and preached in the evening to an excellent congregation.

Monday, 29th: I have this day been engaged writing home to England to my friends.

Tuesday, 30th: Left Gaultois and walked up to Picard, a place about 3 Miles West of Gaultois, but the path is a most shocking bad one and I almost thought that I should have been devoured by the Mosquitoes; however, I got to the place, there are 34 Protestants in it. I read Prayers, preached and Baptized a child in the house of Mr. Thomas Engram. The people are exceedingly ignorant as it respects spiritual things. It is two years since they saw a Minister before. After holding service among them I was carried to another Harbor about 2½ Miles further West in a punt. On my arrival there I was welcomed with joy. Mrs. Lee, a widow Lady, as soon as she saw me coming she came out to meet me on the stage; she said, Oh I am glad to see you. She then took me up to her house and after tea she called in the neighbours and I read Prayers and preached. The Lord was very present with us. The population is about 30.

Wednesday, 31st: The people again assembled this morning. I read the 18th Chapter of St. Luke and expounded it unto them and prayed with them and left for Gaultois on board a small punt, rowed by two women; at which place I arrived about one O Clock and was kindly received by Mr. & Mrs. Gallop - after dinner I wrote to Mr. Alder and in the evening left Gaultois on board a Trading Vessel bound for the Burgeo Islands.

Thursday, August 1st: Arrived at a place called Seal Rocks where there are about 16 Protestants residing, they are I think the most ignorant people in reference to spiritual things that I have met with: I spent the greatest part of the day with them in reading conversation &c and in the evening we were obliged to leave it and run into Round Harbor on account of the weather. I was gladly received by my friend Mrs. Lee. After tea we had prayers &c. The Lord bless this loving people.

Friday, Aug. 2: As we were not able to get out of Round Harbor in consequence of the wind, after reading and Prayer I set out in company with two females for Little Bay and Samitches or Long Island Harbour, the one about 2 the other about 5 Miles from Round Harbor. On my arrival at Samitches I was kindly received by Mr. Wm. Strickland(?) and family, they are endeavouring to serve the Lord. I preached in the evening in his house to a goodly company and Baptized 3 Children.

Saturday, Aug. 3rd: Samitches - Long Island. After reading singing and praying with the people I was carried out in the Harbor in a punt by Mr. Strickland and his daughter in order to go on board the Trader again. We then left and after contending against a Head wind for 8 hours were obliged to return again to Samitches - or Long Island Harbor.
Sunday, Aug. 4: I this morning was carried in a punt to Round Harbor where I read Prayers, preached and Baptized two children, and then in the evening returned to Samitches and read Prayers and Preached to a good company. Lord water the seed sown, and save the people.

Monday, Aug. 5: Left Samitches early this morning for Groule but were obliged to put in at a place called Push Through, Grand Jervis, where 91 Protestants reside. I was kindly received by Mr. King, and in the evening preached to a good company and Baptized 4 Children and then went on Board the Boat again; and again left for Groule.

Tuesday, Aug. 6: This morning arrived at Groule and was grieved on my arrival to find that at least half of the population that were arrived at maturity were in a state of intoxication (words here very faint); the accounts that Mr. Donald, a good Scotchman gives of the wickedness of the people in this place is truly awful and affecting. I this morning read Prayers and Preached to a small on Prepare to meet thy God, 0 Israel. Amos 8. 12, and in the Afternoon visited some of the people and in the Evening read Prayers and Preached again to a large company of people and Baptized 2 Children. I felt the presence of the Lord to be with me.

Marginal Note:
The majority of the people in this place generally go after their weeks stock of Wood in the Sabbath day, and then on their return from the Woods spent the evening in drunkenness.

Wednesday, Aug. 7: I this morning Baptized two children and in the Afternoon having procured a crew I went to Pass Island, a place about 3 Miles from Groule. I was kindly received by the people -- I read Prayers and Preached to about 20 persons and then returned to Groule and after reading and Prayers retired to rest.

Thursday, Aug. 8: This morning left Groule and proceeded to Rencontre, a place about 7 Leagues from Groule; arrived there about 3 O Clock and was kindly received by Mr. Balla respectable Jerseyman; and in the evening read Prayers and preached and Baptized a child -- there has not been a Protestant Minister here for the last 4 years.

Friday, 9th: This morning after praying &c with the family I was carried up to New Harbor in a punt, and was very kindly received by Mr. James, a very intelligent Old Gentleman. In the Afternoon the people assembled together in Mr. James' House and I read and expounded a Chapter of the New Testament to them and prayed with them. There are upward of 30 inhabitants in this place - they have never been visited by any Minister except once by the Archdeacon. My soul bleeds while beholding the destitute state of these shores in reference to religious matters. Lord send forth more labourers into the harvest fields. -- In the evening I returned to Rencontre and after tea assembled the people and read several portions of Scripture.
and one of Mr. Wesley's Sermons to them and prayed with them.

Saturday, August 10th: Arose this morning much impressed by a sense of the divine goodness toward me in preserving me to see the return of my birthday. Ah Lord, how much of my short life has been spent in folly, and even since I was brought to the enjoyment of thy favour, what backslidings of heart, what (T), and sloth. Lord have mercy on me and quicken me according to thy word. I would be thine, thou knowest I would and have thee all my own.

       Thou O my all sufficient good.
       I want and thee alone.

I do give myself afresh to thee, and to thy work, Lord grant that this year upon which I am just entering may be the best I ever enjoyed. Amen.

We are detained in Rencontre, have had very much wind and rain today. The Sea is very rough indeed. I had intended to have gone to Chaleur but could not get in consequence of the weather, however in the evening I visited two or three families and conversed and read and prayed with them. The people here many of them never saw a Minister before except Archdeacon Wex. they are very anxious to receive instruction. Lord make me useful among them; they have got a number of tracts and books chiefly religious but very few of them can read them. It is their practice as soon as a stranger who can read comes among them to hand out their little stock and request the stranger to read them to them.

Sunday, Aug. 11:

I this morning read prayers and preached in Rencontre to a goodly company who appeared to feel the power of the Word while preached. In the Afternoon I was carried in a punt to New Harbour, a place about 3 Miles west of Rencontre as referred to before, and was very kindly received by Mr. & Mrs. James; we collected the people together and I read prayers and preached to an excellent congregation and after tea returned to Rencontre and preached again. I felt great liberty in speaking on the Jailor's (?) conversion. the people appeared to be deeply affected. Lord grant that it may be lasting.

August 12th:

Spent the principal part of this day in reading and study. I wrote a letter for Mr. Ball to his son and daughter who resides at Rose Blanche and in the evening expounded a portion of scripture to the people and prayed with them - it was a profitable season.

August 31th:

This day left the dear people of Rencontre in order to proceed up the Bay on Board Mr. Lee's Boat and were obliged to run into New Harbour in consequence of a head wind. On my arrival there I was kindly received by Mr. Joseph James as referred to before. In the evening the people assembled and we had prayers&c
August 14th:  New Harbour. I this morning assembled the people and read and prayed with them and then again set sail for Burgeo Islands. On this afternoon passed Chaleur Bay and Bay Francois.

Aug - 15:  We this morning passed Cape La Hune and the Penguin Islands. This is said to one of the most dangerous places on this coast, and arrived at a place called Fox Island I (?) with a man who had been (words blotted out) him a New Testament and a few tracts for which he appeared to be very thankful. I then read prayers and preached to about 12 people. They heard with deep attention. I then returned to the Boat and left immediately for Rameau Islands which are about 4 Miles from Fox Island. During the night I was almost devoured by the Mosquitoes.

August 16:  Rameau Islands. Arrived at this place about 5 O Clock this morning and was invited ashore to visit an Old Gentleman who is in dying circumstances. I conversed with him for some time on the great necessity of a preparation for heaven. He appeared to be very ignorant in reference to spiritual things. I prayed with him &c. Lord save his soul by thy heavenly grace. After breakfast I visited another family and was very kindly received by Mr. G. W. Keeping. They stated that I was the first minister that had been in that place. In the afternoon I visited another part of the Island called Ship Cove and Baptized Hannah the infant daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Jones after which I returned to Mr. Keeping's house and read prayers &c to a small company and then retired to rest. Population 48.

August 17th:  Arose this morning much impressed with a sense of the divine goodness towards me. After breakfast &c went on board and set sail for the Burgeo Islands and after contending against a head wind for 24 hours arrived a Burgeo and was kindly received by the people. This place is 3 Leagues from Rameau.

Sunday, Aug.18:  Burgeo Islands. Preached and read prayers to a large congregation this morning at what is called Lower Burgeo. After Preaching Baptized two children. The people appeared to be deeply affected under the word there never was a Protestant Minister except the Archdeacon here before in this place. I found several who had sat under our Minister in Grand Bank and Fortune. They rejoiced in having a opportunity of once more hearing that Gospel which they loved. After service I was invited to dine with Mr. (?) and family. After dinner, I retired to Mr. Keeping's house, read a chapter of the New Testament and sang several of our beautiful Hymns and prayed with the people. I was then carried in a punt to a place called the Sand Bank to the House of Mr. John Cox and preached and read Prayers with the people. Lord water the seed sown.
Monday, 19th: This morning visited some families and also a company of Micmac Indians and in the Afternoon crossed over to a place called Western Burgeo. I here visited the King and Queen of the Micmac Indians and then preached to an attentive company. Baptized two children and returned to Mr. Cox's house and after reading and prayers retired to rest. Lord give thy blessing with the word delivered to this people. O may it be productive of much good to the souls of these people, for thy name's sake.

Tuesday, Aug 20th: I was this morning carried to Lower Burgeo in a Punt. This place is about 4 Miles from Upper Burgeo. On my arrival was kindly received by the people. In the afternoon I visited several families and in the evening I preached to a large and attentive congregation of people; they appeared to be deeply affected under the word. I have found several in these islands who have heard our Ministers in Grand Bank and Fortune - they appear not to have heard in vain. After preaching I returned to the house of Mr. Drew where I remained all night.

Aug. 21: This morning returned to the Sand Bank and was kindly received by Mrs. Cox and in the afternoon visited the people on the opposite side of the Island and read and prayed with them and was then carried back to the house of Mr. Cox in a Punt, and Baptized a Child and retired to rest. It is said there are 365 different Rocks or Islands connected with the Burgeo.

Aug. 22: This morning left Burgeo in a small Skiff bound for La Poile Bay and were obliged to put in at Hatters Point in Cutts Bay. I was kindly received by Mr. Thomas Anderson, there are only 13 residents in this place. I read Prayers &c in the evening to those and a Boats Crew from Burgeo.

Aug 23: This morning read prayers and Preached and Baptized three Children, and then set of again for Grand Bruit and La Poile and were obliged to return again to Hatters Point in consequence of the weather.

Aug. 24: I again left Mr. Anderson's to proceed up the shore and was obliged to row all the way there being no wind; I amused myself in catching fish in going up - we arrived at Grand Bruitt in the Afternoon about 4 0 Clock. This place is about 7½ Leagues from Burgeo, there are three families residing here, there never was any Minister here before, there are about 15 inhabitants. I read prayers in the evening and then retired to rest in a very curious kind of bed, but I believe it was the best they had.

Aug. 25. Sunday: I this morning read Prayers Preached and Baptized 4 children. During sermon I was obliged to stop and reprove two females for talking during that time - the people in this place are deeply sunk in ignorance and crime. After service was concluded I was carried up to a place called the Eastern Point of La Poile Bay, arrived there at ½ past One
and was very kindly received by Mr. Thomas & Philip Frazer(?) and
their families, they were formerly members of our Society in Fortune.
I preached to 20 people and felt much of the divine presence and
power and spent the remaining part of the day in singing, conversa-
tion and prayer. This has been the best evening I have enjoyed since
I left Grand Bank. O may the Lord bless this dear people and preserve
them by his power to full salvation.


Arose this morning with my mind deeply impressed with a sense of the
divine presence. After meditation and prayer in private took Break-
fast at the house of Mr. Philip Frazer(?) and then sang a hymn and
read the Lesson for the day and prayed with the family and gave them
a few tracts &c - and was then carried in a punt across La Poile Bay
to a large mercantile establishment belonging to Messrs. Nichole & Co
of Jersey. On my arrival I was kindly received by Mr. (?), Agent
for the Company. I then took dinner with him & Mr. MacNeil from
Halifax. Mr. MacNeil is the son of one of our most respectable
members of Society in Halifax and Brother in Law to one of our
Missionaries in Nova Scotia, viz, Mr. Webb. As Mr. MacNeil was about
to proceed up the Bay in his Schooner he kindly offered to give me a
passage to Port aux Basque. We then left for the place where his
Schooner was laying, it is called Little Poile, it is about 2 Miles
from the Merchants Room. There are two families in this Harbour, the
population is 13 -- in the evening I read prayers, preached and
Baptized two children.

Aug. 27.

After reading, prayer &c with the family I left for Garia Bay in
company with Mr. MacNeil and two other men. On our arrival at the
House of Mr. Baker we found that he and his family had gone up the Bay
about 6 Miles to cut grass. We went up after him, it rained very much
and I should have got very much wet had not one of the men very kindly
lent me the use of his pea jacket. On our arrival at his Winter House
he received us very kindly and he and his family returned with us to
his Summer House. I read prayers and preached in the evening to about
16 persons, the people are very kind but exceedingly ignorant in ref-
erence to spiritual and eternal things; many of these people never
saw a minister before - my heart bleeds while I behold the destitution
of this people.

Aug. 28.

I this day was carried in a punt to visit a family living near to
Garia in order to Baptize two children belonging to the place. In
the evening I returned to Mr. Baker's House in company with Mr. Foyle
from Indian Island. he stated to me that he had been 25 years in this
country but had never seen a minister before; he pressed me to call
at Indian Island on my return which I promised I would do.
Aug. 29: We this morning left Garia Bay for Port aux Basque but were obliged to run into Rose Balnch Harbour in consequence of the wind being contrary; I went ashore to the house of Mr. Francis Payn(?) where I was kindly received. As I expected that I should have to stay all night there I gave the people notice that I would Preach to them in the Evening, but just when the people were collecting together Mr. MacNeil gave me notice that he was ready to sail. I felt very much grieved at being thus obliged to leave the people so soon. I promised them that I would call again and Preach to them. I then went on Board as the Vessel was under sail.

August 30th: I this evening arrived at Port aux Basque and was very kindly received by Mr. Warren MacNeil, Brother to the Captain of the Schooner on which I came to this place; he is a very sensible and intelligent Gentleman. I made many enquiries of him in reference to the population of St. Georges Bay and Bay of Islands. The accounts which he gives of those places is truly affecting, he stated to me that he had been in different countries and had seen the most depraved and wicked characters to be found in those countries; but he had never seen or heard of any such wickedness as was practised in the Bay of Islands; I had seen the statements of Mr. Wix in reference to them and had thought that his statements were exaggerated but Mr. MacNeil assures me that they are not from what he had seen himself &c.

Aug. 31: A tremendous gale of wind and rain not able to look out all day.

Sept. 1: Sunday. I this day preached twice to attentive congregations in Mr. MacNeil's Cook(?) Room. The population of this place is 57.

Sept. 2: Monday. Have been engaged the principal part of this day in reading and writing, and in the evening baptized two children.

Sept. 3rd: I this morning left Port aux Basque for Cape Ray, a place about 3 Leagues from Port aux Basque on board a very small punt. We were obliged to put into a place called Gails Harbour(where there are 11 persons residing) in order to obtain assistance to row the Boat, wind and tide being both against us. After having obtained assistance we proceeded to a place in Grand Bay called Durans Island where there is one family residing, there we had some tea. On the way to this place my mind was much affected while passing the place where a Barque of the House of the (blank) was lost having 500 people on Board who were all lost except 27. All around this shore is full of graves where drowned persons have been buried. It is a most dangerous coast for Vessels passing. (I am told that nearly every year there are two or three lost near this place). After tea we proceeded by land to another part of this Bay where Mr. Nicholas Williams resides. He was my guide. We remained
there about two hours and then proceeded to Cape Ray by land. We crossed two small Bays in a leaky Punt - at length we arrived at what is called the Great Barrisway, here we were put to a stand as the punt which is left for the purpose of crossing it was on the opposite side of the water. We used various means to make the people at the Cape hear us; but could not succeed so that at length we were obliged to return to Mr. Williams' house. They contrived to make me up a bed upon the floor and I rested very comfortably. I trust that I have by the grace of God learned in every state to be content.

Sept. 4th:

Arose this morning very early and was carried in a punt to the Cape. After being there some time I got the people collected together for divine service, the whole of the people that were at home attended. This people are exceedingly ignorant &c. I found it very difficult to keep their attention for any length of time. After the conclusion of the sermon, I baptized eight children and then concluded the Service, after which I churched a woman and Baptized her two children. I was then requested to go and take dinner at the house of Mr. W. Topp, to which I at once consented and afterwards was carried in a Punt to Durans Island in Grand Bay where I Baptized other two children and was then carried down to Port aux Basque and was again kindly received by Mr. McNeil and after tea spent some time in conversation &c and then retired to rest.

September 5th:

Spent the principal part of the day in reading &c.

6th:

I this morning baptized two children and was afterward carried in a punt in company with Mr. MacNeil to a place called Isle La Mort, or Dead Islands and was kindly received by Mr. G. Harvey and family. This place is 5 Miles from Port aux Basque. We were nearly three hours out, the wind blew hard and it rained very much. I spent a very pleasant afternoon with this family. The Lord bless them.

7th:

I this morning read Prayers and preached in Mr. Harvey's house and baptized two children and was afterwards carried by Mr. Harvey and one of his daughters in a punt to Burnt Islands, a place 4 Miles from the former. On our way down Mr. Harvey pointed to the Rock on which a large Brig was lost in 1828 named the Dispatch with 200 passengers on board, 160 of whom Mr. H and his daughter succeeded in carrying from the Rock on which the Vessel had struck. Some of the poor creatures lived on this rock for 8 days with scarcely any food or clothing. Mr. H received a reward of 100£ s together with a Gold Medal for his humane services on this occasion, which he truly deserved. On our arrival at Burnt Islands I was kindly received by Mr. & Mrs. Kippin - spent the evening very comfortably and I trust profitably to the people.
September 8th: This is the Sabbath. I this morning read Prayers, Preached and baptized 4 children, and after dinner was carried in a punt about 3 Miles to a place called Brazils(?) where there are two families residing. I there baptized two children and was then carried down about a Mile further to the east to Rose Blanch. We got there a little after Sunset, and after tea I collected the people together, Read Prayers, Preached and Baptized three Children. The people listened very attentively while I directed their attention to the Great Love of God as manifested in the gift of his son - after service I retired to Mr. Paynes' house for the night.

Monday 9th: I this morning married a couple. Richard Sweet and Mr. Payn's daughter. During the day my mind was grieved on account of the conduct of the people, there is such a fondness for dancing &c., prevails on this shore as I never saw manifested before.

Tuesday, 10th: Enjoyed the presence of the Lord while reading and praying with the family, and also in the evening while singing several of our Hymns with them, &c.

11th: I this morning left Rose Blach for Seal Island in a punt - on my way down I called at La Moine Bay and baptized a child belonging to Mr. Brown, after which I was carried to Seal Island and was kindly received by Mr. & Mrs. Bowdridge - after taking tea I baptized three of their children and as there was a Boat ready to leave for La Poile I immediately embraced the opportunity and arrived in La Poile about 9 past 10 at night. I was very kindly received by Mr. (A?)

12th: La Poile. I spent the principal part of this day in Mr. (A?'s) company and in the evening took tea with Mrs. Bagg and family in company with Mr. Cox from Burgeo.

13th: I spent this day in reading and meditation and in the evening took tea at the house of Mr. Reid Magistrate, and Subcollector of her Majesty's customs, during the night this place was visited with a most tremendous gale of wind &c.

September 15: Sunday. La Poile. I this morning heard of a large Brig named the Hope being wrecked near this place on friday evening last, belonging to a Jersey Gentleman, a member of our Society. all the crew except one man were saved. The Captain came to this place just as we were preparing to assemble for divine worship - he is very much hurt. I preached and read prayers twice to a large and attentive congregation in a carpenter's shop which Mr. Anthoin had kindly fitted up for the occasion. The people in this place expressed themselves as being very anxious that a Missionary should visit them frequently. Never was a Protestant Minister here before.

17th: I this morning left La Poile on board a fishing boat belonging to Grand Bank and was very much grieved with one of the crew who appeared
to take a pride in blaspheming &c. I reproved him sharply. he did not appear to take it well. (O may the Lord save him!)

Sept. 19:

I this morning arrived at Burgeo about 10 O'Clock after a most unpleasant voyage from La Poile, a distance of 30 Miles, in consequence of head wind and fog. We were out 48 hours with no water and very little bread on board. On my arrival at this place I was kindly received by my former friends, Mrs. Cox and family.

Eastern

20th:

I this day visited several families in Burgeo and in the evening returned to the Sand Banks and took tea at Mr. Samuel Cox's house - spent a very pleasant evening.

22nd:

I was this morning carried in a Punt to Lower Burgeo, Preached read prayers and baptized three children and was then carried to what is called the Island and preached again to an attentive congregation in Mr. Thomas Anderson’s House and then returned to the Sand Banks to Mr. Cox's House.

Monday 23rd:

Spent this morning in reading and conversation on the best subjects and in the Afternoon went across to the Island to invite the people to come to the Sand Banks to preaching and was deeply grieved to behold the carelessness of some of the people living in what is called Lobster Cove. one man said he would not go the length of his foot to hear preaching. Oh may the Lord have mercy upon them. I then returned to the Sand Banks and preached to a small but attentive congregation with much liberty from 2 Cor. 8 Chapter, 9 Verse.

Tuesday 24:

Spent this morning in reading and conversation with Mrs. Rose, Mother-in-Law to Mr. Cox. She is a member of our Society in Grand Bank and appears to be a very sensible and pious woman, it is truly pleasant to meet with one who can thus speak the language of Canaan. In the evening I was carried in a punt across to Lobster Cove and visited the people and occasion to reprove them for their apparent carelessness &c in reference to spiritual things, and baptized a child and then returned to the Sand Banks.

Wednesday 25th:

I was this Afternoon carried in a Punt down to Eastern Burgeo by Mrs. Matthews and her two daughters and in the evening preached to a large and attentive congregation in Mrs. Vatcher's House on 50th Psalm, 15 Verse and then was carried in a punt to what is called the Old Room and slept at the house of Mr. Morgan Keepin.

Thursday 26th:

I this morning married James Rose and Deborah Vatcher and baptized a child &c, and then returned to the Sand Banks and spent the evening in reading, singing and conversation.
Friday, 27th: A most tremendous gale of wind, scarcely able to look out, during the day a French schooner was driven ashore (words blotted out) laden with fish and Oil from Magdalen Islands.

Sunday, 29th: Preached this morning at Eastern Burgeo to a large and attentive congregation, and was then carried back in a Punt to the Sand Banks and then across to the Island and preached in Mr. William Anderson Senior's House and returned to the Sandbanks and after tea preached again to an attentive congregation, some of the people from Eastern Burgeo remained with me all the day and after the conclusion of the evening service returned home, a distance of 4 Miles. of them it may be said they receive with gladness the word of God.

Sept. 30th: I this morning left Burgeo for down the Bay on Board of Mr. Hickman's Boat. I felt much at leaving this dear people. Reached Rameau Island about 4 O Clock in the Afternoon, and anchored there, as the wind had died away; in the evening visited two families. was much grieved by the wickedness and impurtinence of a certain man there. After supper I returned to the Boat and spent an uncomfortable night.

October 1st: I this morning visited all the families in Rameau and in the Afternoon read Prayers and preached, during service occasion to reprove a Young Man for misbehaviour &c. Baptized 4 children and afterwards returned to the Boat.

October 2nd: Left Rameau about 1 O Clock this morning and arrived at Cape La Hune about 4 O Clock in the Afternoon. This place is about 7 Leagues from Rameau, and was taken to the house of Mr. John Bagg, and in the evening read prayers and preached to a small congregation of people. The people in this place are exceedingly ignorant and wicked. The women especially are exceedingly vulgar in their language &c. Population 40.

October 3rd: I was this day carried by four men in a punt from the Cape to a place called Bay Francois - a distance of 7 Miles. there are two families residing in this Harbour; it is a curious place. It is enclosed on each side by very high Cliffs. I read a Sermon to them and explained a portion of Scripture and prayed with them, and then retired to rest. Population 12.

October 4th: I was carried in a punt to Bay Chaleurby two men; this place is 3 Miles from the former; on my arrival I was kindly received by Mr. & Mrs. Samms, there are three families residing here - of this place see Archdeacon's Journal - I read Prayers and sung several Hymns with them, the presence of the Lord was with us in a special manner. Population 15.

October 5th: I this day Baptized Mr. Samms Child and in the Afternoon walked across Chaleur hills to Rencontre; passed St. Albans and Iron Cliffs; and
October 6th:

This is the Sabbath. I this morning read prayers and preached in Mr. Ball's House to an attentive congregation and after dinner was carried in a punt to New Harbour 4 Miles, and on my arrival was grieved to find that nearly the whole of the people had gone into the country to gather Berries and Shoot, a crime too common on this shore. I collected what we could together and read prayers and preached to them; and then returned to Rencontre and preached again on the Judgement; I trust that I was enabled to clear my blood of this people. I long to be useful Lord, use me for thy glory.

October 7th:

I was sent for by Mr. Cox from New Harbour, he having received some things for me from St. John's; I immediately got two women to go with me and we rowed up to New Harbour and received the articles and was happy to find a letter from my dear Father and Mother, I was more especially glad to hear that my Brothers & Sisters are seeking the Lord. The language of my heart is "O Jesus ride on till all are subdued &c" We then returned with Mrs. Cox and Miss Reid from Burgeo on board, in the evening I read several tracts and portions of scripture to the people and prayed with them&c.

October 8th:

I this morning left Rencontre in a punt with Mr. Danford & Mr. John Ball and two females for Cul de Sac, a place about 6 Miles to the Eastward, and was very kindly received by Mr. La Force, & family, after tea I read prayers and preached to a small congregation of people,

Marginal Note:
During service in this place a woman got up and looked out of the window, and seeing a boat coming into the Harbour shouted out to another woman "What boat is that coming in &c"

On our way to this place we passed a place called Jabbouls (?) or Devils Bay & a place named Holland Shirt, so named from a Holland Shirt having been found on the Cliff, and another place called Pinch Gut, so named by the people; population 43.

After preaching I was carried in a punt by two men and two women to Tichards Harbour, a place about 6 Miles further to the East, and preached in Mr. Hardy's House in the evening. My heart bleeds to behold the wickedness that abounds on this shore. O Lord enable thy dust to preach to this people in such a way that souls may be saved. I left the Harbour in the evening for Mosquito in the same skiff in which I had been taken thither. We were obliged to come away without one man belonging to the crew, he being drunk &c. so that I was obliged to row 3 Miles myself against a head wind and heavy sea. We reached Mosquito between 9 & 10 O'Clock at Night, I lodged all night in the house of Charles Countenay.
October 15th: I was this morning carried in a Punt to Push Through a place about 3 Miles further down the Bay, in the evening I preached in Mr. William Lee's house to an attentive congregation -- the people appeared to be deeply affected under the word. Lord grant that it may be lasting.

16th: Push Through. This morning married a couple and in the evening preached to an excellent congregation on Matthew 6th Chapter 33 Verse. They heard with deep attention, the people in this place speak of the visit which Mr. Addy paid to this place three years since very frequently.

17th: Left Push Through for Round Harbour on board Mr. W. Lee's Schooner. got very much wet with the spray &c, arrived at Round Harbour about sun set, distance 6 Miles. In the evening read a Chapter and expounded it to the people and prayed with them.

18th: Was this day carried in a punt to Long Island Harbour and was kindly received by Mr. W. Stickling and family. I preached to them in the evening on Prepare to meet thy God, 0 Israel. Amos 4 - 12. had a good time. God bless this people.

19th: Preached in Round Harbour this morning, then left for Gaultois. Gaultois. Arrived at this place about Sunset and was kindly received by Mr & Mrs. Gallop & Mr. Gaden from Harbor Britan. Praise the Lord 0 my Soul for all his mercies and especially for the care he has exercised over me in preserving me in my absence from this place. Since I left this place in August I have visited nearly every Cove and Harbour on this shore.

October 20th: Sunday. Preached twice to attentive congregation in a large room fitted up for the occasion by Mr. W. Gallop. Lord water the seed sown.

21st: Was this morning sent for to go to Round Harbour to inter the remains of Mrs. E. Ball of Rencontre and her infant child. (how short and uncertain is life, only a fortnight since I left this good woman in good health. Truly in the midst of life we are in death. I endeavoured to improve her death to a large and attentive congregation by preaching on "Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord" O may this afflictive dispensation be sanctified to the good of the family.) - after interring the corpses &c I returned to Gaultois and spent the evening with Mr. & Mrs. Gallop in reading, singing & prayers.

22nd: Spent this day in writing &c to several friends .

23rd: Was this afternoon carried in a punt to Hermitage Cove, and in the
October 24th:
This day visited several families and in the evening returned to Gaultois.

25th:
Left Gaultois for Harbour Briton had a very wet walk and head wind in crossing the Bays. Reached H.B. in the evening about 4 O Clock was kindly received by the friends who united with me in praising the Lord for bringing me in safety among them again. I spent the evening with Mr. Gaden and family.

Oct. 26th:
Was carried in a Gig to Jersey Harbour in order to ascertain whether there were any opportunity for Grand Bank, but found there was none so after remaining a short time with Mr. Chapman I returned to H.B. and began to prepare for the Sabbath.

27th:
Preached this morning and afternoon in H.B. to excellent congregations and baptized two children and in the evening preached at Jersey Harbor - several of the friends from H.B. accompanied me, after service returned to H.B.

28th:
I this day received a letter from Bro/ F and one from my Father, together with the ( ?? ). By the Kingfisher from St. John's.

29th:
Was carried in a punt to Jersey Harbor, spent the afternoon in reading and meditation and in the evening sung a number of Hymns with Mr. Chapman.

30th:
Been employed in writing to friends.

31st:
Walked down to Little Bay a place 3 Miles from Jersey Harbor. Was kindly received by Mrs. Keddle and family, endeavoured to collect the people together for preaching but could not succeed, so I read, prayed &c with Mrs Keddle and her family.

Nov. 1st:
Returned to Jersey Harbor and preached in the evening to an excellent congregation on the Choice of Moses &c.

2nd:
Returned to Harbour Briton and spent the day in reading.

November 3rd:
Preached morning and afternoon at Harbour Briton and in the evening at Jersey Harbour to excellent congregations. felt much of the divine presence - people appeared to be deeply affected. Lord grant that it may be lasting.

4th & 5th:
Read 1 Volume of Jays Sermons.

6th:
Spent the day in writing &c.
November 8th: Returned to Harbour Briton, spent the evening with Mr. & Mrs. Proud - they appear to be endeavouring to serve God.

9th: I this day visited several families and prayed with them.

10th: Sabbath. Preached this morning and afternoon at H.B. and in the evening at Jersey Harbour, and after service returned to H.B. in company with Messrs. Baden, Wade and Hicks.

12th: Left H. B. This morning about 8 O Clock for Grand Bank on board a small boat belonging to Messrs. Newman & Co. Very high winds, were obliged to reef sails. I was very sick. - there was a very heavy sea on the Bar at Grand Bank in consequence of mismanagement by the Captain our Boat was thrown on the Beach, the Sea washed over us several times, but after some time I was carried ashore in a punt. Found Mr. Sprague well and in the evening I met a Class. Felt it good to draw nigh to God.

13th: Preached in Grand Bank in the evening to an excellent congregation.

14th: Walked down to Fortune 4 Miles and a half, kindly received by the friends, I preached & met a Class in the evening, felt reason to exclaim Best of all is God is with us.

Nov. 15th: Walked up to Grand Bank, spent the afternoon in reading and in the evening met a Class, enjoyed much of the divine presence. How valuable are these means of grace &c.

16th: Spent this day in preparing for the Sabbath.

17th: Walked to Fortune and preached to an excellent congregation and after dinner returned to Grand Bank & preached afternoon & evening and administered the sacrament of the Lord's Supper to the members of society.

18th: Returned to Jersey H. and was kindly received by Mr. Chapman.

26th: Preached this evening to a large congregation in a large store which Mr. Chapman had fitted up for the occasion. The people appeared to feel under the word. Lord grant that the impressions made may be lasting.

27th: Was carried up to H. Briton in a punt, kindly received by Mr. Ellis and all friends.

28th(?): Preached and read prayers in Harbor Briton to attentive congregation.

29th: I this day married a couple in H. Briton and afterwards proceeded up the Bay to Gaultois arrived there about 6 O Clock in the evening.
Dec. 1st: Preached and read prayers in the morning at Gaultois and in the Afternoon at Hermitage Cove and then returned to Gaultois.

5th: Was carried in a punt to Round Harbor 5 Miles in the evening held a meeting of the few inhabitants felt much of the divine presence.

6th: Returned to Gaultois in company with Mr. Strickland and his daughter from Long Island Harbour, sang several Hymns on our way down to Gaultois.

Dec. 7th: I was carried across to Furby's Cove in a Gig belonging to Newman & Co.

8th: Spent this day in Furby's Cove preached to large and attentive congregations and in the evening returned to Gaultois, in company with Mr. & Mrs. Gallop. This has been a good day to my soul.

December 12th: Mr. Gallop this morning furnished me with his Gig boat and a crew in order to proceed to Groule arrived there in the evening and was kindly received by Mrs. Fudge and family. this place is 12 Miles from Gaultois by water. In the evening I read Prayers and preached to the people.

13th: Was carried along to Pass Island in a punt by Mr. W. Strickland and three women distance 4 Miles arrived there about one O Clock. After dinner walked across to what is called the Western Point and read prayers, preached &c to a large congregation in Mr. Thomas Rideout's House at what is called the Tickle and after tea Read prayers and preached again to an attentive congregation. Lord water the seed sown. population of this Pass Island is 72.

14th: Spent this day in visiting the people and reading &c, and in the evening preached again. The people appeared to feel under the word. O Lord grant that the impressions made may be lasting for thy names sake.

15th: Walked across to Groule by land 4 Miles had a very troublesome walk arrived at Groule between 12 and 1 O Clock, after dinner collected the people together read prayers and preached to a large congregation after tea preached again. The Lord was present in a very powerful manner.

December 16th: Groule. Spent this day in visiting the people from house to house, in the evening took tea at Mrs. Spencer's house with Mrs. Fudge.
December 17th: This morning left Groule to cross by land to Hermitage Cove, had a most tiresome walk called at Bastier Shore where there are three families residing the inhabitants formerly belonged to Grand Bank - they complained very much of want of the means of grace &c. after dinner I baptized two children and then proceeded on my journey. arrived at Mr. C(?)'s Winter house near Connaigre about Sunset, was kindly received by Mr. Crew(?)and family, they pressed me to remain with them all night to which I consented spent the evening in reading singing and prayers. I felt that even in a tilt the Lord was with us.

18th: Arose this morning with my deeply impressed with a sense of the divine goodness. Read and prayed with the family and then walked about a Mile further to visit the other families belonging to Connaigre. we then proceeded to the Cove. arrived there in the Afternoon, kindly received by Mr. & Mrs. Engram.

19th: Proceeded across to Gaultois was kindly received by Mr. & Mrs. Gallop and in the evening again returned to Hermitage Cove.

22nd: Preached thrice to large and attentive congregation with considerable liberty. the people appeared to feel in some measure the power of the word. O Lord, make it thy power to their salvation.

23rd: Walked across to Connaigre 3 Miles and Baptized a child and Churched a woman spent a very profitable evening with the two families residing there.

December 24th: Returned to Hermitage Cove spent the Afternoon in reading &c.

25th: Christmas Day. My soul felt much of the divine presence this day while directing the attention of the people to the incarnation of the Redeemer and the design of it. In the evening I was carried across to Gaultois and spent the evening with Mr. Gallop and family in reading singing and prayer.

26th: Returned to Hermitage Cove and married a Couple and after dinner returned to Gaultois.

28th: Mr. Gallop having furnished me with a boat and Crew I returned to Hermitage Cove; spent the evening in preparing for the Sabbath.

29th: Sunday. Preached this morning to a small congregation in Mr. Engram's house on the choice of Moses and in the afternoon to a large congregation in John Rose's house on Isaiah 3 Chap 10 V. 11. God was very present with us (words torn away) I preached to a good company in Mr. Engram's house on the Saviour's encouraging invitation "Come unto Me all ye that labour &c. Matthew 11 — 28. I felt my own soul blest while thus exhorting all to come to the Saviour. My soul longs for the salvation of this people.
December 31: Held a watchnight in Mr. James Engram's house, a large congregation attended, the presence of the Lord was with us in a powerful manner. The people were deeply affected under the word. They said that they never closed the year in that way before, many of them appear resolved to serve the Lord.

1840. January 1st: Praise the Lord that by His mercy I am spared to see the commencement of another year while I look back on the last year I see much cause for humiliation before God. Oh what backslidings of heart from and forgetfulness of God, what opportunities for doing and getting good neglected. Lord have mercy upon me, and for the sake of thy dear son's suffering and death quicken me according to thy word. I give myself afresh to thy Lord (?). I as thy own and may the year upon which I have just entered be one of great spiritual prosperity. Lord make me holy, happy and useful. Amen.

I this day walked across to Connaigre in company with Mr. Wade and Dr. Morris from Harbour Briton. Spent the afternoon with the Crews (?) family in reading, singing and prayer, and then returned to the Cove.

January 3rd: I this morning left Hermitage Cove in company with Messrs. Wade & Morris and a crew for Harbour Briton, and in attempting to cross Connaigre Bay were near being lost there being a very heavy sea in the Bay &c. it was with difficulty we got back to the shore again. We then returned again to the Cove.

4th: Spent the day in reading and meditation.

5th: Sunday. I preached this morning on "Now if any man have not the Spirit of Christ he is none of his" and in the afternoon assembled all the children together for to form a kind of Sabbath School and in the evening preached on the Barren (?). This has been a good day to my soul. Lord water the seed sown may souls be saved.

Jany 6th: Spent this morning in reading &c and in the afternoon assembled the children to hear their lessons &c. Spent the evening in singing, conversation, reading & prayer. Some of the young people appeared to be much affected. Lord save them.

7th: Spent this morning in reading and meditation, in the afternoon the children assembled for the purpose of receiving instruction we commence with singing and prayer, the children then attend to their lessons after which I deliver an address to them and pray with them. In the evening several of the Young men came to my house and requested me to teach them to read &c to which I agreed. Lord grant that these young people may be blest and made a blessing to this neighbourhood.

8th: Spent the morning in my Studies in the Afternoon attended to the children and in the evening preached to an excellent congregation on the 50th Psalm 15 Verse many of the people were much affected. Lord deepen the work.
Jany. 9th: Was carried across to Gaultois was kindly received by Mr. & Mrs. Gallop. I felt much humbled and encouraged in reference to my labours among the people at the cove by the remarks Mr. Gallop made in reference to the improving state of the people &c. To God be all the praise - in the evening returned again to the Cove.

January 12th: Praise the Lord for the return of the Sabbath. Preached this morning on the rest (?) which remains for the people of God, and in the Afternoon attended to the children &c. and in the evening on Romans 1 - 16 - 17 the presence of the Lord was with us in a powerful manner.

* 13th: Been employed this morning in endeavouring to close in the house so as to prevent the snow from drifting in upon me &c -- afternoon and evening attended the children.

* 15th: Have spent this morning in reading Feltcher's works. After dinner met the children &c, and in the evening preached to an excellent congregation on Luke 18 - 35 - 43 felt much of the divine presence and power.

* 16th: We have this day had a most tremendous gale of wind and a heavy fall of snow. I have been employed reading &c all day.

* 17th: Still very stormy weather, finished reading 1st Volume of Feltcher's works, began with another Volume.

* 18: Spent the morning in reading and study, in the Afternoon attended to the Children &c.

* 19th: Preached this morning on the Hebrews 4 - 9. "There remaineth a rest for the people of God." In the Afternoon attended to the children in the School, and in the evening preached to a large and attentive congregation on Acts 16 - 30 - 31 felt much of the divine presence. I do humbly trust that good will be done among this people. Lord the work is Thine save them for thy mercy's sake after the preaching I was carried across to Gaultois in his Gig Boat which he had sent for me. On my arrival found Mr. & Mrs. Gallop well, sung two or three Hymns, read prayers and retired to rest.

January 20th: Gaultois. Spent the principal part of this day in reading &c.

* 21st: Felt much blessed while reading Benson's sermons, especially one on the death of Mrs. Foster, Birmingham, England.

* 23rd: Returned to Hermitage Bay Cove, intended to have preached in the Evening but was prevented by the men being out fishing until late in the evening.
Jany. 24th: A very heavy fall of snow, not able to look out all day: employed it in reading &c.

25th: I was this evening carried in a Sailing Punt to Furby's Cove 4½ Miles got a little wet, there being a very heavy swell in the Bay. On my arrival was very kindly received by Mr. Kendle and family and as it was too late for service that Night, I visited some of the people, sung a Hymn conversed and prayed with them and then returned to Mr. Kendle's house sung, read, prayed &c with the family and retired to rest.

January 26th: Furby's Cove. Preached this morning to an attentive and deeply affected congregation on 2 Cor. 8 - 9 and in the Afternoon on the Judgment, after which I was carried in a Punt to Gauloises 3 Miles, kindly received by Mr. Gallop and family, after tea preached in his Parlor to a small congregation on 50th Psalm 15th Verse. I felt it good thus to draw near to God.

27th: Spent this day in reading &c.

28th: --

30th: Returned to Hermitage Cove and in the evening preached to a small company.

February 1st: Proceeded across to Dawson's Cove, Connaigre in company with Mr. T. Porter - having been sent for to Baptize a child and Church a woman, Mrs. W. Crew, and then returned to the Cove and in the evening heard the Children repeat their Lessons &c.

2nd: Preached this morning to a large congregation on Ezekiel 33 - 11 - the people appeared to feel under the word: immediately after dinner I assembled the Children heard their Lessons and then preached to an attentive congregation Numbers 10 - 29, and in the evening met the Children and young people & endeavoured to instruct them in the great doctrines of the Gospel. O My Lord bless those dear young people with early piety &c for thy names sake.

February 3rd: Left Hermitage Cove for H.B. this morning was favoured with a pleasant passage across the Bay arrived at H.B. about 1 O Clock kindly received by Mr. & Mrs. Ellis and all friends, spent the evening in reading and conversation and prayer; my heart rejoiced to find that Mr. Stevens, one of the young men in the Office, had begun to read prayers &c to the people on the Sabbath and also to teach the Children.

4th: Visited two or three families and in the evening took tea with Mr. Gaden and family.
February 5th: Hearing of an opportunity for Little Bay I gladly embraced it, spent the evening in reading, conversation and prayer with Mrs. Keddle and family. I this day heard of a Catholic Priest in Guysborough having Shot himself.

February 6th: Walked across from Little Bay to Jersey Harbor 4 Miles, an a very tiresome walk, was kindly received on my arrival by Mr. Renoof, the Winter Agent, a young Gentleman educated in an Academy conducted by a Member of our Society. I spent the evening with him.

February 7th: Returned to H.B. in the Afternoon spent the evening in reading (?) 's Letters addressed to the Wesleyans. -- endeavoured to compare his assertions in reference to Mr. Wesley & his (word indistinct) with Mr. Wesley's works. poor Daniel his missed it sadly this time and his cause will fall. it causes me to Love the name of Wesley more &c.

February 8th: A terrible rough day, blowing and Snowing most fearfully not able to look out all the morning.

February 9th: Sunday. Preached and Read Prayers morning and Afternoon in Harbor Briton to a small congregation and in the evening Preached at Jersey Harbour to about 40 People. Lord water the seed sown.

February 10th: Spent the day in visiting the people at their own houses; found them deeply sunk in ignorance &c. many of the females much addicted to swearing.

February 11th: Returned to Harbor Briton spent the evening in writing to Bro. F. St. John's.

February 12th: Spent this day in reading Wesley's Works & in the evening took tea at Mr. Froud's house in company with Mr. Gaden.

February 13th: Spent this morning in reading and in the Afternoon visited several families in company with Mr. Stevens. found them very ignorant and careless. In the evening took tea at Mr. Gaden.

February 14th: Left H.B. for Htge Cove. this morning arrived at the Cove about 3 O Clock and then proceeded across H Bay to Gaultois, found Mr. Gallop very poorly.

February 15th: Spent the morning with Mr. Gallop and in the evening returned to H Cove got very much Wet &c.

February 16th: Sunday. Preached this morning on Acts 3 - 19. in the Afternoon attended to the Children and in the evening preached again to a small company.
February 17: Monday. Spent this morning in reading and meditation, in the Afternoon and evening attended to the Children.

* 18: Spent the morning in my Studies and in the Afternoon visited a young man who is sick and also two or three families.

* 19: Preached this evening to a good company of people on 1 Peter 3:18. felt much of the divine presence. the people appeared to feel under the word. Lord grant that it may be lasting.

* 20th: This morning visited two families at their Winter houses. Read a Chapter and prayed with them & returned to the Cove. met with Mr. Gallop and Dr. Morris they spent the Afternoon with me.

* 21st: Left H Cove this morning about 10 O Clock for Grole in company with Mr. T. Porter. In consequence of the Rain and Wind were obliged to put up at Connaigre for the Night - spent the evening in reading, conversation, singing and prayer in the Winter house.

* 22nd: Left Connaigre for Grole. favoured with a very fine day. on our way we called at the house of Mr. (D?) Bastier Shore had some tea &c and proceeded: called at the house of Mr. Cribb a noted Sabbath Breaker. reached Grole about 4 O Clock found Mrs. Fudge and family well.

February 23rd: Sunday. Walked out to a place called (O?) Hills in order to Church a woman and Baptized a Child. Felt very much grieved to behold the people engaged carrying their provisions &c from the Harbor to their Winter houses. I spoke to them and requested them to come to prayers, they promised they would but none of them ever came. I returned to the Harbour. Read Prayers and preached to a small company of people. After dinner I was requested to go to another Winter house to church a woman and baptize her child. I did so, returned to the Harbour. preached again to about 40 people on Proverbs 14:32. While thus engaged some of the people were out in the Harbour, Shooting. I spoke on the sin and danger of Sabbath breaking. this people are famed for wickedness. In the evening I again assembled the people. Read a Sermon and Catechized the Children and prayed with them.

* 24th: Left Grole for H Cove (15 Miles), called at several Winter houses on our way down, and prayed with the people. The people at Bastier Shore were very anxious that I should preach to them, but having pledged myself to be at home, I could not consent.

* 25th: Visited a Young man who is sick and in the evening Preached to a good company on "Oh that they were (?) &c". The Lord was present with us.

* 28th: Was carried across to Gaultois and returned again in the evening.

February 29th: Mr. Stevens from H.B. called at my residence and spent the evening with me in reading and conversation on the best subjects.
March 1st: Hermitage Cove. Preached this morning on "Them that honour me I will honour &c" and in the evening on Philippians 4 - 6. In the Afternoon attended the school, enjoyed very much of the divine presence during the day.

2nd: Spent this day in reading &c.

3rd: Crossed the Bay to Gaultois in company with Mr. Stevens and returned in the evening - had a very unpleasant time in crossing the Bay & got very much wet.

4th: Preached this evening to a large congregation on "He that covereth his sins shall not prosper, but whoso confesseth and forsaketh shall have mercy." After service I requested two or three of the people to carry me across me across to Gaultois the following day but not one of them offered to do so.

5th: Mr. Engram offered this morning to go with me to Gaultois. We waited some time to see whether any other of the people would come but none of them had come, Mr. Engram and Mr. Stevens and I rowed across. I was kindly received on my arrival by Mr. & Mrs. Gallop. I then requested Mr. Gallop to furnish me with a Boat and Crew to proceed down the Bay to which he at once agreed so after dinner we proceeded to the bottom of the Bay a distance of 11 Miles. Had a very unpleasant passage, after contending against a head wind and heavy sea upward of three hours we arrived at the Bottom of this Bay. I cannot describe the joy which the people manifested to see me; they stated that I was the first Missionary that ever visited that Harbor. In the evening I preached in the Winter house of Mr. W. Stickland from Long Island Harbour on 30th Psalm 15th Verse felt much of the divine presence and power. Population is 38.

6th: I this morning visited several families in their Winter houses and Baptized 4 Children belonging to James Macdonald, and in the evening Preached to attentive congregation and Baptized other 3 Children in the house of Thomas Macdonald, his wife stated that I was the first Minister that she had ever seen. I felt much of the presence and power of God while preaching on the Judgement and while engaged in prayer and singing. The people did not separate until one O Clock in the morning and then they left unwillingly to go.

7th: Spent this morning in reading and in the Afternoon visited John Lilly and his family at their Winter House and Baptized a child. Mr. Lilly was formerly a member of our Society at Fortune, he and his family are endeavouring to serve the Lord. In the evening the people assembled again. I read one of Mr. Bensons Sermons to them. One preached on the occasion of the death of Mrs. Foster, Birmingham. Sung several of our Hymns and prayed with them. God was very present with us.
March 8th: Sunday. Preached and read prayers this morning at Thomas Macdonalds House to a large and deeply affected congregation. I think I never felt greater liberty in preaching than I did this morning - to God be all the praise. After which I was carried up the Bay to Furbey's Cove a distance of 8 Miles collected the people together and preached to them and then proceeded to Gaultois 3 Miles intending to preach again but could not get the people to collect together. I felt grieved as I should have had a good congregation at Furbys Cove had I remained. I read a portion of scripture and prayed with Mr. Gallop and family and retired to rest.

9th: Visited Picaire this day in company with Messrs. Gallop and Stevens, and returned again in the evening.

10th: Returned to Hermitage Cove spent the evening in reading &c.

11th: Preached this evening to an excellent congregation on "As Moses lifted up the Serpent(?) &c" felt the presence of the Lord. During service there was much thunder and Lightning.

12th: Spent this morning in reading "Isaac's Universal restoration considered etc" and in the evening took tea at the house of Thomas Porter. spent a very pleasant and I trust profitable evening.

13th: Employed in reading and study in the morning and in the evening attended to the children.

14th: A very rough day, much Wind and Snow

15th: Preached this morning on the Hebrews 4 - 1 in the Afternoon attended to the School, in the evening preached again to a deeply affected congregation.

Monday, March 16th: Left Hermitage Cove for Harbour Briton in company with Mr. Stevens, had a very unpleasant walk the snow being deep and very soft so that we sunk almost every step. Kindly received by friends at H.B. on our arrival spent the evening with Mr. & Mrs. Ellis.

March 17th: Was carried down to Jersey Harbor in a Punt kindly received by Mr. Renouf and all friends, returned to H.B. this evening spent the evening at Mr. Froud's in company with Mr. & Mrs. Gaden and Miss Reid spent the evening in conversation and singing etc.

18th: Engaged in reading this morning in the Afternoon wrote to England by way of Halifax, and in the evening took tea at Mr. Gaden's house.

19th: Spent the Afternoon and evening with Mr. & Mrs. Clinton.
March 20th: I this day heard of Father Ivers being at St. Jacques endeavouring to make proselytes, I at once resolved to pay a visit to St. Jacques and Belleoram engaged a passage in one of Newman & Co's Boats which was bound for Belleoram.

21st: A very wet morning and very little wind we left H.B. about the middle of the day bound to Belleoram were becalmed all the Afternoon, in the evening about 8 O Clock we got into Little Bay. I expected to have been able to get ashore for the Night but felt disappointed in not being able to do so as there was no Funt in the Harebr. I slept on Board in a very uncomfortable place.

22nd: The Sabbath. Left Little Bay a little after 6 O Clock this morning for Belleoram but did not arrive there until about 2 O Clock though the distance is not 20 Miles.----

Belleoram. I was kindly received on my arrival by Mr. John Cluett and his family and the people generally. After partaking some tea I requested Mr. Cluett to collect the people together for prayers, and in about an hour I had a good congregation. I read prayers and preached to them on the sufferings and death of the Redeamer, and in the evening preached to them on the Judgement, they appeared to listen with deep attention. This people is very anxious to receive a Missionary. population is 158 Protestants 29 Catholics.

March 23rd: I this morning visited several families and distributed a few tracts among them and after dinner Churched Mrs. Cluett and Baptized her Child and then left for St. Jacques by land a distance of 3 Miles. was kindly received by Mr. & Mrs. Lee. Mr. Lee is a son of Mrs. Lee at Round Harbor. I am the second Wesleyan missionary that has visited this place. in the evening I preached to a good company in Mr. Lee's house - the people appeared to feel under the word.

24th: Spent the day in St. Jacques, in the evening preached to a large congregation in Mr. Lee's House.

25th: I this morning left St. Jacques for English Harbor distance 4 Miles had much wind and snow and in consequence of my guide not being acquainted with the path we wandered some distance into the Woods. were about 4 Hours wandering about before we found English Harbor. on my arrival I was kindly received by Mr. & Mrs. Pine, they made me some Tea and in the evening I read prayers and Preached to the whole of the inhabitants of the Harbour in Mr. Pine's House.

26th: I this morning Baptized 4 Children and intended to have visited the people at their own houses in the Afternoon but was prevented by the heavy rains - in the evening I preached to a small company of people I am the first Wesleyan minister that has visited this Harbour. population is 33 souls.
March 27th: I this morning married a Couple - James Looman(?) and Mary Butler, after dinner I proceeded to Mossambers a place about a Mile and a half from English Harbour, here there are 7 families residing. On our way we had what is called a Barriway to cross the water was very high my guide very kindly offered to carry me across on his back to which I at once agreed, we arrived at the house of Mr Green and were received with sullen (-?-) the people stared at me as though they had never seen any man before, the inhabitants of this place are deeply sunk in poverty, ignorance & (-?-) I was not able to collect them for service as the most of the men were engaged about a Boat which had come ashore the proceeding Night. I Baptized three Children. There is neither Bible nor Testament in the Harbour and only one very old woman that can read at all. I felt much for the poor people -- population 42 souls -- returned to English Harbour and Preached in the evening in Mr. Pine's House, nearly the whole of the inhabitants together with the Crew of a Schooner belonging to Nova Scotia attended.

28th: Left English Harbour for Coomb's Cove, the people carried me in a Punt to a place named Boxey 4 Miles. I and a young man walked across to Coombs Cove 4 Miles by land kindly received by Mr. & Mrs. (?) preached in the evening and Baptized a Child - during service had occasion to reprove a young very sharply who was striving to disturb the congregation.

Sunday, March 29: After Prayers &c I left Coombs Cove for Little Bay and Jersey Harbor remained some time at Little Bay and then proceeded to Jersey Harbour, the Passenger Vessel arrived from Jersey immediately after my arrival I assembled the people and preached to them - congregation much larger than usual.

March 30th: Was carried up to Harbour Briton in a Punt kindly received by friends heard of Mr. Roberts a curate and schoolmaster connected with the established Church who is employed as Travelling Agent for the Newfoundland School Society. received a note from Bro Sprague, Praise the Lord for the good news it contains in reference to the state of the work of Good in Grand Bank - I feel that I prefer the prosperity of God's cause to my own joy. this evening met with Father Ivers he received me very kindly he is one of the most liberal of the Catholic Priests that I have ever seen.

31st: Intended to have proceeded to Hermitage Cove this morning but was prevented by the Rain. I spoke to Mr. Ellis in reference to my holding service that evening but he stated that the people would not be able to attend during the day I wrote to Bro Sprague in the evening took tea at Mr. Gadens House.

April 1st: Spent the morning in reading and in the Afternoon proceeded to Hermitage Cove in company with Father Ivers who was proceeding to Gaultois.
April 2nd: Spent the day in reading and in the evening preached on Isaiah 1-18, "Come now let us reason &c".

4th: I was carried across to Gaultois in a Punt was received kindly by Mr. & Mrs. Gallop and Father Ivers - spent the evening in reading, conversation &c.

5th: Preached this morning in Gaultois to a very good congregation in a place fitted up by Mr. Gallop. After dinner returned to Hermitage Cove attended the Sabbath School felt much pleasure in hearing the children repeat the whole of the Conference Catechism together with a number of Wesley’s Hymns. Preached in Hg Cove in the evening to a large congregation of people on 1st Samuel 12 Chapter and the last 3 Verses felt much of the presence of the Lord.

6th: Employed this morning in Packing up my Clothes, Books &c and in the Afternoon attended to the Children.

7th: I this day Churched a woman in Hermitage Cove and then proceeded to Connaigre, Preached in the evening to an attentive congregation — Weather very stormy.

8th: Returned from Connaigre early this morning to Hermitage Cove and then proceeded to Gaultois was kindly received by Mr. Gallop and family and several friends from Furby’s Cove, after dinner was carried across to Furby’s Cove in a Whale Boat 3½ Miles in 10 Minutes, preached in the evening to a good congregation in Mr. Kendle’s House.

9th: I this morning visited several families in Furby’s Cove and returned to Gaultois, spent the Afternoon in reading &c.

10th: I this day visited Picaire read prayers and preached to a small company in Mr. Thomas Engram’s House, there are 6 families in this Harbour. I found that there was neither Bible nor Testament in the Harbour, nor one that can read.

11th: Spent this day in reading and study.

12th: Read prayers and preached this morning in Gaultois, after morning service baptised a Child and after dinner was carried to Furbys Cove in a Whale Boat preached again to a large and attentive congregation with considerable liberty on "Beloved if God so loved us, we ought also to love one another." and then returned to Gaultois. During this day I have found it good to draw nigh to God. Praise the Lord 0 my soul and all that is within me bless and praise his holy name.
April 13th: Left Gaultois early this morning in a small punt for Round Harbour 5 Miles when we left the Harbour there was scarcely any wind at all, but before we had proceeded far the wind blew very fresh and the Sea rose very high, we expected every moment to have been thrown upon the Rocks but by the mercy of God we were preserved without suffering any injury except getting much wet. We got into Picaire and then walked across to Gaultois by land. Mr. Gallop and the friends received me very kindly and rejoiced that I was returned in safety.

14th: Left Gaultois this morning for Pushthrough in a small Boat belonging to Mr. Thomas Rowe(?) arrived at Push Through about 2 O Clock and was kindly received by Mr. & Mrs. Lee and family and all friends. As the day was remarkably fine I procured a crew and proceeded across to Mosquito 5 Miles. Was kindly received by Mr. John Buffet preached in the evening to a small company of people.

15th: I was this morning carried in a Punt to Richard Harbour, 7 Miles, by Mr. Buffet and his man, was kindly received by Mr. Hardy and family. Preached in the evening to a good congregation felt much of the presence of the Lord.

16th: Left Richards Harbour for Muddy Hole and Facheaux, was carried down by three women to Muddy Hole and from thence to Facheaux Bay by 4 women. was very kindly received by Mr. Warren formerly a member of our Society in Grand Bank. I read Prayers and preached in his house to a small company and then proceeded to Moschito and spent the evening with Mr. Buffet.

17th: Read prayers and preached in Moschite to a small company on the sufferings and death of the Redeemer, in the Afternoon proceeded to Bonne Bay(?) and baptized a Child, after tea was carried down to Push Through was kindly received by Mr. & Mrs. Lee and Mr. Furey and preached in the evening to a good company in Mr. Lee's House.

18th: Visited several families in Push Through during the day & preached at night.

19th: Read prayers and preached twice and baptized 5 Children in Push Through the congregations were good each time, in the evening was carried down to Long Island by Mr. Cremer and another man had a very unpleasant time. it rained much and there was a very heavy Sea in the Bay. I was kindly received on my arrival at Long Island Harbour by Mr. Stickland and his family, after tea preached again to an attentive company.

20th: Preached this morning in Long Island Harbour and Baptized a Child and then proceeded across by land to Round Harbour, assembled the people, sung a Hymn read a Chapter and prayed with them and then proceeded to Picaire procured another Crew and proceeded to Gaultois. Spent the evening in company with Mr. & Mrs. Gallop & Captain George.
April 21st: Left Gaultois for Hermitage Cove and Harbour Briton, arrived at Harbour Briton about 9 O Clock in the evening, tired enough, and was kindly received by Mr. & Mrs. Gaden, they very kindly provided some refreshment for me. Mr. Gaden informed me of Brother having lost 3 of his children by death - how short and uncertain is life.

22nd: I this morning visited Jersey and was kindly received by Mr. & Mrs. Chapman, spent a well and returned to H.B. via on Board of Mr. Forsey's School, were obliged to run into Lit- trary. I was kindly received evening with them.

23rd: A very stormy day, have been

24th: Left Little Bay early this against Head Wind and a heavy to Little Bay, in the Afternoon houses and invited them to pray in the evening, near I preached to them on Amos 3:6 power during the service returned to the Boat and about Grand Bank.

25th: Grand Bank. Arrived this p breakfast with Mr. & Mrs. Forsey to the Mission House across the Bay to Harbour B day in reading & meditations from H.B. I received a par to him, took tea to very pleasant evening.

26th: I this morning walked up to congregation on Romans 1 - and preached Afternoon and appeared to feel under the made may be lasting.

27th: This morning attended a Pr service - and there was a great number of people at it. I felt much of the presence and love of the people. It is very valuable to them.

28th: This evening attended a Communion service in Mrs. Buffet's House, a delivered an exhortation to them.

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April 29th: We this morning left Grand Bank for St. John's, immediately after we left the Harbour the wind changed and blew very fresh, had a very unpleasant day

30th: We this morning were obliged to run into St. Peters for a harbour. The wind still contrary in the Afternoon went ashore kindly received by Mr. Edward Thorn, took dinner ashore. in the evening it blew very fresh during the night the place was visited with a very heavy gale of wind, several Boats were driven ashore and some of them dashed to pieces on the Rocks.

May 1st: We this morning attended the Catholic Chapel.

2nd: This evening left St. Petars a little after sunset for St. John's with a Fair wind and a heavy Sea, about 9 0 Clock we had prayers &c and the Captain, Bro Sprague and myself retired to rest leaving Messrs. Lee and Sims to manage the Schooner, about 11 0 Clock p.m. the Captain awoke seeing that something was wrong, got out of bed and looked out at the companion and was alarmed by seeing us surrounded by Breakers, he ascertained that we were close by Lamlin Shagg Rocks the most dangerous place on this coast. He at first saw no way for our escape from a watery grave. He however recollected that there was a passage through which the fishermen sometimes passed in their small skiffs that was our only chance. So the Captain put all the sail he could on the Vessel and by the mercy of God we passed through without striking on the rocks. I praise the Lord for that tranquility of spirit it felt while thus exposed to danger and death. I see and feel very deeply the necessity of being always ready for the coming of the Lord.

3rd: This is the coming of the Sabbath, cosseed St. Mary's Bay during the day Bro Sprague and I were engaged reading singing &c in the evening we were taken in another gale of wind, were obliged to heave to under our foresail, in this way we lay for 2 days and 2 nights off Mistaken Point -

5th: We this evening got into Treppasse - remained there all night.

6th: Left Treppasse and were obliged to put into Bay Bulls.

7th: Bay Bulls. Wind still contrary, went ashore this morning in order to ascertain whether there were any Protestants in the Harbor, but could not hear of any, there are about 1200 inhabitants in this place all Catholics. They have a splendid Chapel which we visited.

8th: Spent the day on Board the Schooner.
May 9th: Wind still contrary. Bre Sprague and I left the Schooner and walked across by Land to St. John's 19 Miles were kindly received by Bre. Faulkner and family and all friends. In the evening attended a Prayer Meeting in the Vestry and the friends united with us to Praise the Lord for having preserved and brought us in safety to this place.

10th: Bre S. preached this morning on "My heart and my flesh faileth but God is the strength of my heart and my portion for ever." In the evening and afternoon I preached to large and attentive congregations. This has been a very good day to my soul.

11th: After the evening's service the sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered to the members of society.

12th: Bre. Sprague preached this evening.

13th: Met Bro. Faulkner's Class.

14th: Met Mrs. Creed's Class.

15th: Attended the prayer meeting, felt it good to draw nigh to God.

16th: Felt very poorly all day.

17th: Preached this morning on "In My Father's House" Afternoon on "Call upon me&c" , in the evening at Quitti Vitta on Proverbs 14 - 32. "God was with and blest my (?) soul.

18th: Visited several families and in the evening met Mrs. Haddon's Class, felt much of the divine presence.

19th: Preached this evening on Acts 11 - 23 - 24 felt much liberty in preaching. To God all the praise.

20th: Engaged in town during the day; received a letter from the Chairman requesting Bro. Sprague and myself to go across the Bay to Carbonear.

21st: Crossed the Bay to Carbonear, was kindly received. I preached in the evening to a large congregation on John 14 - 2 - 3. felt it good to wait upon the Lord. slept at Mr. Apsey's House.

22nd: Spent this day with the Chairman in conversation &c.

23rd: Bro Sprague left and walked across to Harbour Grace.

24th: Preached this morning at Fresh Water to a large and attentive congregation on Romans 1 - 16 & 17, in the afternoon preached at Carbonear to the largest congregation I have seen in that place on the Judgement and in the evening held a prayer meeting at Mrs. Howell's House This has been a good to my soul. 0 for a heart to praise my God for his goodness.
May 25th: Spent this day in visiting the friends and in the evening preached at the South Side on "Call upon me etc" - the power of the Lord was present with us in a special manner.

26th: Attended the Missionary Meeting at Harbour Grace it was a very interesting meeting.

27th: Returned to Carbonear this morning in company with Messrs. Snowball, Sutcliffe, MacMurray, England and Sprague. We this morning commenced the business of our District Meeting. The business of the day was the investigation of Character &c of the brethren. Bro. Snowball preached in the evening on "My grace is sufficient for thee."

28th: Attended to the appointment of the preacher & in the evening heard Bro. Addy preach.

29th: Bro MacMurray preached on "Wherefore we receiving a kingdom which cannot be moved let us have grace etc."

30th: Attended prayer meeting this evening in the church.

31st: Preached this morning in Harbour Grace on "For ye know the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ &c" felt much of the presence of the Lord. In the Afternoon heard Bro. Sutcliffe preach on "Set ye up a Standard in the Land," and was favoured with the opportunity of the sacred memorial of the Saviour's death with the brethren and society in Carbonear - about 500 persons attended, it was a solemn and profitable meeting. In the evening Bro Addy was Publicly examined as to his experience, Call to the work, views of our doctrine &c. he was much favoured of the Lord. I felt it to be a profitable season to my soul.

June 1st: Been engaged all day in district business, stations were fixed. I am appointed as Visiting Missionary to the Westward. Oh Lord go with me and bless me.

3rd: Bre England preached this Afternoon "As the Lord liveth and as thy soul liveth there is but a step between thee and death", it was a solemn and I trust profitable season.

4th: Brether Addy preached on "Set thine house in order for thou shalt die and not live."

5th: This morning left Carbonear for St. John's in company with Bros. Faulkner and Addy, had a very dull time across the Bay, arrived in St. John's just in time for the Prayer meeting. had a good time. many attended.

6th: Spent this day in preparing for the Sabbath.
June 7th: Preached this morning with considerable liberty on "Brethren pray for us &c" Bro. Addy preached in the Afternoon on the promise of the Spirit. I preached in the evening on The address of the divine Being to Cain. Genesis 4 Chapter. felt much of the divine presence while pleading for those who have not yet my Saviour known, I trust that I feel that it is my duty more than ever to care for my brethren.

8th: Spent this evening at Mr. Carrington's (?) House in company with Bros. Addy, Faulkner and several other friends.

9th: Bro. Addy preached this evening from "(Words indistinct)"

10th: Spent this morning in Bro. Addy's company and in the afternoon took tea at Mr. Freeman's in company with the brethren, Faulkner, Snowball, Sutcliffe, MacMurray and Addy, after tea Bro. F. and I visited Poor Stephen Burt who is dangerously ill at the Hospital & also another person or two who are sick & then returned to Mr. Freeman's House.

11th: Spent this day in preparing for the Missionary Meeting, in the evening took tea at Bro F's with several friends and then attended the Meeting it was a very excellent meeting. To God be all the praise.

14th: Walked out to Portugal Cove I got very much wet. Preached in the morning and afternoon with comfort and returned to St. John's in the evening, felt very poorly in consequence of having caught a cold.

15th: Felt very poorly all day in the afternoon visited one or two families.

16th: Brother Sprague preached in the evening - took tea at Miss Forsaith's House with a number of Friends.

17th: Took tea at the house of Nicholas Stabb Esq.

18th: Met Mrs. Creed's Class had a profitable season, in the evening visited a sick person.

19th: Been engaged all day in preparing to go to my station & in the evening attended a Prayer meeting felt much of the divine presence. Just immediately after I had concluded the meeting the intelligence of our beloved Bro Pickavant's (?) illness reached us. I felt much and as did all the Friends. Oh Lord we beseech thee have pity upon us, and spare thy servant.

20th: Expected to have sailed today but was prevented by contrary winds, in the evening took tea with Bros. Faulkner, Green and several friends at Mrs. Moore's House. spent a profitable evening.

21st: Expected to have left St. John's this morning. I felt much about leaving on the Sabbath and prayed to the Lord to prevent our having to leave on
June 21st: the Sabbath. The Lord heard my prayer for when we went to go on board at 11 A.M. the wind changed so that we were prevented from starting. Returned to the Chapel in company with Bro. Green & Freeman. Heard Bro. F. preach an excellent sermon on "Beloved are we the sons of God &c", after which he published that I was likely to be detained in St. John's all day I would preach After noon and evening. I did so with much fear and trembling, the Lord was very present during the services, I felt much encouraged by hearing that several souls had been blest hearing the sermons. Not with me, not unto me O Lord but to thy name be all the praise & Glory.

22nd: We this morning left St. John's for St. Lawrence. When we got out of the Harbour found the Wind aHead. I felt very sick, were off Cape Spear at night.

23rd: Wind still contrary & much sea. The Captain proposed going into Bay Bulls for a Harbour for the Night to which we all agreed, but when we had just got inside this Head the Wind changed and came fair. We then put out to sea again.

24th: Much wind and a heavy Sea this morning, were becalmed in the evening & the Fog was very dense and thick.

25th: Saw land about 1 past M. Burin Island very light and a Head.

26th: Reached Great St. Lawrence - 60 Leagues - this morning about 3 A.M. went ashore were very kindly received by Mr. Beck and family. I cannot describe the joy they manifested to see me again, they made ready some breakfast for us. After Breakfast, prayer &c I walked across to Mr. John Thorn's of Little St. Lawrence, was kindly received by them. Could hear of no opportunity for Fortune Bay. After dinner returned again to Mr. Beck's in order to get my luggage ashore from the vessel & then returned again to Mr. Thomm's for the Night.

27th: Spent this day at Mr. Thomm's in reading, conversation &c.

28th: Read prayers and preached this morning in Mr. Beck's House to a good company, in the Afternoon preached again on "Prepare to meet thy God. The people appeared to feel under the word, in the evening preached at Little St. Lawrence on "In My Father's house &c."

29th: Preached again this evening in Mr. Beck's house on "Sirs, what must I do to be saved."

July 5th: Preached this morning in Mr. Beck's house and in the Afternoon at Little St. Lawrence & in the evening in Mr. Beck's house on "Now if any man have not the Spirit of Christ he is none of his."
July 7th: Left St. Lawrence for Fortune Bay.
  9th: Arrived in Grand Bank this morning at 1 a.m. - 2 Leagues - in the evening walked down to Fortune Bay and Bro. Green preached, after which I delivered an address.
  11th: Visited several families and took tea at Mr. Evan's House.
  12th: Preached this morning and Afternoon at Grand Bank and at Fortune in the evening after which I met the Class. God was with us.
  13th: Walked up to Grand Bank took tea at the house of Jonathan Hickman & afterwards held a prayer meeting in Mr. Buffet's house, many felt much of the divine presence.
  14th: Been engaged in seeking a place for a School room for Bro. Green & in the evening Bro. Green met a Class.
  15th: Left Grand Bank for H.B. arrived there about 4 P.M. heard of an opportunity for La Poile from Jersey Harbour. I asked Mr. Ellis for a Boat and Crew which he immediately furnished me with, went down to Jersey Harbour found that the Vessel would not leave until after the Sabbath returned to H.B. and spent the evening at Mr. Gaden's House.
  16th: Obtained a Crew from Mr. Ellis and went across to H. Cove, sent the Crew home again to H.B., spent about an hour with the friends in H. Cove, obtained another Crew to put me across to Gaultois, arrived there about ½ after 9 p.m. found Mr. & Mrs. Gallop and family well, engaged in prayer and retired to rest, felt very poorly during the Night.
  17th: Heard of an opportunity for H.B. & returned to H.B. in company with Mr. Stickland, kindly received by Mr. Ellis.
  19th: Preached twice in Harbour Breton & was carried down to Jersey Habbour and preached there in the evening to a small company.
  20th: Spent this morning in reading and meditation & returned to H.B. and took tea with Mr. & Mrs. Froud, spent a profitable evening.
  21st: Returned to Jersey Harbour.
  22nd: Intended to have sailed this morning for La Poile but was prevented by Fog and contrary Winds.
  23rd: Left Jersey Harbour for La Poile on board the Schooner Ariel, wind a head we reached Sagona Bank about sunset 9 Miles
July 24th: We were off Cape Miquelon at sunrise this morning, favoured with a light breeze of wind all day, were near the Penguin Islands at sunset, Fog dense all night.

25th: Fog still very dense feel very anxious we suppose we are near land but cannot see it, about Ten after 1 P.M. the fog cleared up and we made an Island called "Little Island" in La Poile Bay reached La Poile about 5 P.M. kindly received by Mr. Anthony.

26th: Reached this morning and afternoon at La Poile on board the schooner Ariel to about 40 persons. I was much grieved to behold the carelessness and indifference manifested by many of the people in this Harbor.

27th: Left La Poile for Isle La Mort on board Mr. Bowditch's Boat called at Garia at the house of Mr. Baker, was kindly received by him and his family, I preached and baptized a child in the evening.

28th: Left Garia about 6 A.M. called at Seal Island remained there a short time and then proceeded to Rose Blanche, arrived there about 5 P.M. kindly received by the people, preached in Mr. Caines's house in the evening to a very dull congregation.

29th: Rose Blanche. A very stormy day not able to look out until the evening. Preached in the evening to a small congregation.

30th: Left Rose Blanche about 11 o'clock for Burnt Islands arrived there at 8 P.M. Mrs. Keepin made me some tea etc.

31st: Preached this morning at Burnt Islands to a most careless congregation, in the evening proceeded to W.G. Harvey's at Isle La Mort and preached in his house, distance from Burnt Islands 5 miles.

Aug. 1st: I was this morning carried in a small jolly boat from Isle La Mort to Port aux Basque was kindly received by Mr. MacNeil and all friends.

2nd: Read prayers and preached this morning and evening and baptized of children in Port aux Basque congregations large and attentive felt much of the divine presence.

3rd: Mr. MacNeil very kindly offered me a boat and crew to carry me to the Cape this morning which offer I immediately accepted we called at a place called Durants Island on our way up and then proceeded to the Cape arrived there about 5 o'clock P.M. collected the people together. Read prayers preached and baptized 3 children and retired to rest in a curious kind of a bed.

4th: Returned to the house of Nicholas Williams and baptized a child and in the afternoon proceeded to Port aux Basque had a very rough time in coming down, we scarcely expected we should have got down on account of the heavy sea.

5th: Spent this day in reading &c.
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Aug. 6th: Left Port aux Basque on board a small boat bound to Isle La Mort arrived there about 4 P.M. 5 miles. Read prayers and preached and baptized to children in Mr. Thomas Hervey's house during the service felt my own soul blest of God.

7th: Engaged during the day in reading Fletchers works, preached in the evening to an attentive congregation.

9th: Still detained in Isle La Mort. Read prayers and preached twice, had intended having an evening service but could not get a congregation.

10th: Praise the Lord that by his mercy I have been preserved and brought to see the anniversary of my birthday, while I look back on the past year I see and feel much cause for humiliation before God. Oh what backslidings of

Mose Ambrose 42 Here he was received with sullen silence. Inhabitants sunk in poverty ignorance and crime. There was neither bible nor testament in the Harbour and only one very old woman who could read.

Returned to Jersey Hr. and Hr. G. with a Priest named Ivers a day or two after went to Hr. Cove with him. Found a place in H. Bay where there was neither bible nor hymn book and no one who could read (7 families)

Went to Grand Bank Apr. 25th and left for St. John's in company of Mr. Sprague on 29th Schooner forced to make St. Pierre. Nearly lost on Lamaline Shagg Rocks Long 2 days and nights in gale of wind off

Attended Missionary meeting at Carbonear.

Reappointed visiting Missionary on Western Shore.

Sailed for St. Lawrence with Mr. Green evidently a school master for Grand Bank.

St. Lawrence to Grand Bank and thence to Hr. Br. June 15.

14th: Wrote to Mr. Broadbent by way of Oport spent the afternoon in reading &c.

16th: Read prayers and preached three times and baptized a child this day, congregation large and attentive. I have this day enjoyed much of the presence of the Lord. Praise his name.

17th: Left La Poile on board a small boat belonging to Mears. Anthoine & Nichole bound to burgeo had a very pleasant passage, arrived at Burgeo about 6 P.M. was very kindly received by Mrs. Cox and all friends; after tea invited with the family to praise the Lord for his kindness in preserving and favouring us with the privilege of meeting once more in the flesh. Lord grant that the visit of thy unworthy servant to this place may be made a blessing to these people.
Aug. 18th: This morning visited Mr. Samuel Concorde's family and in the afternoon visited several families at the Island and took tea at the house of Mr. Thomas Anderson felt it good while uniting with the family in the exercise of prayers then returned to the Sand Banks had prayer with the family and retired to rest.

§ 19th: Have been engaged reading principal part of this day, preached in the evening to an excellent congregation on 50th Psalm 15th Verse felt it good to wait upon the Lord.

§ 20th: Spent this morning in reading and conversation with Mr. John Cox Senior, had much conversation -- the propriety of establishing a school and setting a Missionary in Burgeo. The people are very anxious for one, in the evening was carried down to Lower Burgeo in a punt by four women, and preached in the evening on John 14-2, to a good company.

§ 21st: After reading & prayers with Mrs. Vatcher and family I visited three families living in another part of Burgeo, the people appeared to feel quite disappointed that there was not a Missionary appointed to reside among them, I feel for them. Oh Lord we beseech thee send forth more labourers into this part of the harvest field, returned to the Sand Banks took dinner and then proceeded across to Mr. William Anderson's house took tea and spent the evening with them felt disappointed in not receiving any letters from St. John's by Mr. Anderson.

§ 22nd: I this day returned to the Sand Banks and in the evening visited Mr. William Anderson and family.

§ 23rd: Was carried down to Lower Burgeo and read prayers preached and in the morning in the afternoon established a Sunday School about 30 children & in the evening returned to the Sand Banks and preached again in Mrs. Samuel Cox's house on John 3 Chapter 16th Verse felt the presence of the Lord.

§ 24th: Preached again this evening at Mr. William Anderson's house to a large congregation.

§ 25th: Intended to have visited Bay de Leau, but was prevented by the Wind, in the evening preached at Lower Burgeo to a large congregation.

§ 26th: Returned to the Sand Banks in company with Mrs. Drew and Mrs. Dicks, preached in the evening to an attentive congregation in Mr. Thomas Andersons house, & baptised a child.

§ 27th: Employed reading this morning and in the afternoon baptised Mr. Cox's child, spent the evening at Mr. Samuel Cox's house.
Aug. 28th: Was carried down to Lower Burgeo and visited several families and took tea at Mr. Colliers house, spent the evening at Mrs. Vatcher's house in reading, signing and prayer. Praise the Lord for the happiness I feel.

29th: I this day visited Bay de Laune in company with Messrs. Collier, Dreks & Matthews, distance about 4 miles. Visited Mr. Milburn who is much afflicted spoke to him on the necessity of a preparation for death and found him extremely ignorant of the plan of salvation, prayed with him and then baptized 5 children & returned to Burgeo & preached in the evening on Luke 18:35-43 - felt it good to wait upon the Lord.

30th: This is the Sabbath my heart rejoices on the approach of the Holy day. Preached this morning & baptized a child in the shell of a new house belonging to James Rose, after dinner assembled the children in the sabbath school was much pleased with the answers of the children to the questions put to them, & preached again on Hebrews 2-3 - after which I was carried up to the Sand Banks & preached again to a large & attentive company in Mr. J. Cox's house.

31st: Left the Sand Banks for Lower Burgeo in order to join Mr. Lee who is proceeding down the Bay: but could not leave Burgeo in consequence of the wind having changed, preached in the evening to a very large and deeply affected congregation on Numbers 10-29 - Verse. I trust that some good was done. retired to Mr. Keepins house for the night.

Sept. 1st: Was sent for this morning to go to Mr. Dick's house where all the men were assembled together for the purpose of making a small collection towards the support of the Gospel they collected near 4£ among themselves they are very anxious to be favoured with the regular visits of a Missionary. We are still detained by contrary winds. I published that I would preach to them in the evening, but the congregation could not assemble themselves in consequence of bad weather.

2nd: Left Burgeo early this morning for Kameau arrived there about 11 A.M. preached in the evening the people listened very attentively to the word.

3rd: Left Kameau this morning & arrived at Cape La Hume in the evening distance 7 leagues preached in the evening.

4th: This morning married a couple at Cape La Hume "William Dorning and Charlotte Bagg. felt grieved with the conduct of the people.

5th: Left Cape La Hume this morning for Rencontre passed Bay Francois & Bay Chateau, the inhabitants being from home, arrived at Rencontre in the evening & after tea preached to nearly the whole of the inhabitants of the Harbor together with a few from the neighbouring places, felt much peace of mind.
Sept. 6th: Read prayers, preached and baptised three children this morning, preached again in the afternoon to an attentive congregation intended to have preached again in the evening but the people could not attend in consequence of the weather. Read sung and prayed with the family.

7th: Left Rencontre for Cul de Sac, distance 5 miles shortly after we left Rencontre a very heavy sea arose & it rained much so that we scarcely expected that we could reach cul de Sac, but the Lord preserved and brought thither in safety. Prisoe his name. I was kindly received on my arrival by Mr. LaForce a French Protestant and family, during the afternoon visited a sick man he appears to be in dying circumstances. I urged upon him the necessity of seeking to make his peace with God. He appeared to feel in some measure the importance of these things. Stayed with him and left him & visited several other families and preached and baptised 2 children in the evening.

8th: Left Cul de Sac on board a small skiff bound to Richards Harbour arrived there about 12 o'clock was kindly received by Mrs. Harding and family, preached and baptized 3 children in the evening.

9th: Left Richards Harbor for Muddy Hole and Mosquitoe had a very rough time I arrived at Mosquitoe about 4 P.M. Preached in the evening to an attentive congregation on the judgment, a few appeared to feel under the word. Lord grant that the impressions made may be lasting, for thy names sake.

10th: I this morning married a couple in Mosquito and afternoon proceeded down to Bonne Bay, could not get a congregation as the most of the people were from home. I then proceeded to Push Through I was very kindly received by the people especially by Mr. & Mrs. Lee & Mr. Young from Grand Bank. assembled the people and preached to them in Mr. Lee's house on the Jailors conversion & also baptised a child.

11th: Still detained in Pushthrough by contrary winds and rain. Preached in the evening in Mr. King's home to an attentive company in John 14-2.

12th: Much fog and rain today scarcely able to look out.

13th: Read prayers and preached this morning and in the afternoon set off for Long Island Harbor but was obliged to return in the evening again in consequence of the wind being against us and also a heavy sea, was kindly received again by Mr. Lee and family intended to have had service again this evening but the people could not come on account of the weather Spent the evening in reading singing, conversation & prayer with Mr. Lee's family and Mr. Forsey.
Sept. 14th: Spent this morning in reading and in the afternoon visited two families and preached in the evening in Mr. Lee's house it is two years this day since I was solemnly ordained & set apart by the imposition of hands for the important work of the Ministry & to the Mission work especially while I look back I behold sufficient cause for deep humiliation before God. Oh what unfaithfulness what backslidings of heart from God, what coldness of affection. Lord have mercy upon me & quicken my soul according to thy word. I do give myself afresh to thee and to thy work, make me I beseech thee a workman that needeth not to be ashamed rightly dividing the word of truth.

15th: A very wet morning and wind still contrary, however, in the afternoon the wind changed and the atmosphere became clear and I left for Round Harbour and arrived there about 8 P.M. I was kindly received by Mrs. Lee and all friends, after tea sung two or three hymns read and prayed with the family and retired to rest.

16th: Assembled the people together in Mr. Lee's house and preached to them on the necessity of a preparation for death and judgment and then proceeded to Gaultois, expecting to meet with letters there from St. John's and home was kindly received by Mr. & Mrs. Gallop found that there were no letters for me.

17th: Was sent for this morning to go to Round Harbour to marry a couple John Balland Jane Spencer I went and married them and spent an unprofitable day.

18th: Returned to Gaultois & Mr. Gallop very kindly provided me with a boat & crew to go to Hermitage Cove was very kindly received by the people, preached in the evening to a large congregation on the coming judgment.

19th: Left Hermitage Cove this morning for Gaultois after dinner crossed the Bay to Furby's Cove received a letter from St. John's together with some periodicals.

20th: Read prayers, preached and churched a woman this morning after dinner proceeded to Gaultois. Preached again to a large and attentive congregation was then carried across to Hermitage Cove preached & baptized 2 children and then retired to rest.

21st: This morning met the people together to arrange for the erection of a place of Worship in Hermitage Cove they all agreed to do their utmost towards it. I then left for Gaultois and purchased materials necessary for the proposed building. In the evening sung several hymns.

22nd: Spent this day in Gaultois.

23rd: Left Gaultois this morning for Hermitage Cove and Mr. Breton had a pleasant time was kindly received at H.B. heard of the appointment of 2 clergymen to the West.
Sept. 24th: I this morning visited Jersey Harbour kindly received by Mr. Chipman met with a note from Brother Green pressing me to go across to G.B. & Fortune, returned to H.B. was much grieved with 4 men blasphemy the name of my God, in the evening met the members of the Board of Education to consult together on the business of the Society. 7 members attended agreed to establish 4 schools, one in Hermitage Cove, Mr. Breton, Belleoram, & Grole had a very pleasant meeting, Left Harbor Breton for Grand Bank about midnight on board of George Tibbo's boat, had a number of drunken men on board. I felt much grieved with them & reproved them; arrived at Grand Bank this morning about 8 o'clock Sept. 25th took breakfast with George Tibbo, was kindly received by Mr. & Mrs. Green walked up to Fortune and preached in the morning to a very attentive congregation on 50th Psalm 15 Verse, God was with us.

26th: Returned to Grand Bank and married a couple, spent the evening in preparing for the sabbath.

27th: Preached this morning in G.B. on "In my Father's House &c had a precious time, preached in the afternoon on Proverbs 14-32 and baptized a child had a very solemn time, preached in the evening at Fortune on Amos 4-12 Verse I trust that good was done, Lord deepen the impressions made.

28th: I this morning married two couples at Fortune and spent the afternoon with them. felt somewhat condemned having given way in some measure to a lightsome spirit. Lord have mercy upon me and establish my heart with saving grace.

29th: Returned to Grand Bank and married a couple felt deeply grieved with the wickedness of the people, such drunkenness & swearing as I have scarcely ever met with before. Lord take to thyself thy great power and save the people.

30th: Walked up to Fortune married two couples and preached in the evening on Numbers 10-29 Verse

Oct. 1st: Returned to Grand Bank, preached, & baptized 3 children and married a couple, spent about 2 hours very happily with the new married couple & their friends, closed the day with singing reading and prayer, Praise the Lord 0 my soul.

2nd: Left Grand Bank for Fortune & Lamalin had a very tiresome walk it is about 21 miles, was kindly received on my arrival by Mr. & Mrs. Pitman and family after tea, read a Chapter prayed with the family & retired to rest.

3rd: Lamalin spent this day in reading &c.

4th: Read prayers, preached twice to attentive congregation & baptized 2 children, spent the evening with Mr. Pitman's family, in reading, singing and prayer.

5th: Spent this morning in reading and in the afternoon visited Muddy Hole, took
Sept. 5th: Contd.  
tea at Mrs. Cakes House in company with Mrs. Pitman then returned to the Meadows and from thence to what is called the Island and married a couple and baptized a young person, then returned to Mr. Thomas Pitman's house for the night.

Oct. 6th:  
Left Lamlin this morning for Fortune arrived there about 5 o'clock in the evening took tea at Mr. Snook's house in company with Mr. Forsey from Grand Bank.

7th:  
During the day engaged visiting our people at their houses & preached in the evening to a small congregation.

8th:  
Returned to Grand Bank this afternoon in the evening held a prayer meeting and delivered an exhortation to the people and baptized two children.

9th:  
Been employed all day in writing took tea with Mr. & Mrs. Forsey in the afternoon attended a meeting to consider what would be done towards erecting a school house in Grand Bank could not decide on anything as so few of the men were present.

10th:  
Grand Bank. Spent this morning in reading and meditation in the afternoon walked up to Fortune spent the evening with Mr. & Mrs. Snook at their house.

11th:  
Fortune: Read Prayers & preached morning and afternoon to good congregations, subjects were moving. Brethren pray for us &c. Afternoon the Great Salvation. Preached in the evening at Grand Bank on "The Love of God to a perishing world. This has been a good day to my soul. May all that is within me praise the Lord.

12th:  
Grand Bank. I this morning held a meeting in the Church about the school house &c. a few attended. Held a prayer meeting in Mr. Buffett's house many souls attended it was a good season. Held another meeting about the school house &c. many of the men attended.

13th:  
Spent this morning with Mrs. Green and Mrs. Chilcott & in the evening met the Claggs had a very refreshing season after meeting I left for J.H. in Philip Nicholls's boat the wind blew very fresh from the N.W. I was very sick arrived there about 1 A.M.

14th:  
Jersey Harbor. Was this morning very kindly received by Mr. & Mrs. Chapman spent the day in reading intended to have gone to H.B. but could not get an account of the wind and sea which were very high.

15th:  
Still very rough weather. I spent this day in writing to St. John's and the Committee in London.

16th:  
Left J.H. for Brunette this morning, was kindly received by several of the inhabitants. Preached in the evening with considerable liberty and baptized 3 children. Slept at Mr. Scott Senior's house.
Oct. 17th: Population of Brunette more than 100. Visited some of the people at their own houses I am the only Minister that has visited this place during the last 4 years.

18th: Read prayers and preached morning & afternoon and in the evening was carried to what is called the Island where there are 10 or 11 families reside this place never was visited before by any Minister I preached to about 40 souls it was with much difficulty that I kept them quiet &c during the service.

19th: I this morning baptized three children and in the evening returned to Grand Bank arrived there about after 10 o'clock at night was kindly received by Mrs. Chilcott and all friends.

20th: I this morning received a letter from Bro. England heard of the safe arrival of our beloved Chairman and felt glad also to hear of the appointment of two additional missionaries for this District Oh may the Lord bring them in the fulness of the blessings of the Gospel of Peace I felt a little on finding that there were no letters from home for me. Well Well. They will be done. In the evening walked up to Fortune Preached and gave tickets to the members of society found several of them in a good state of mind. Praise the Lord.

21st: Walked down to Fortune Grand Bank and preached in the evening in Luke 186.35-43 Verse had a good time.

22nd: I this evening met the members of the Society and reserved their tickets had a very precious season.

23rd: Held a prayer meeting this evening in G.B.

24th: Left G.B. for Frenchman's Cove and Garnish arrived at Frenchman's Cove about 1 P.M. Mrs. Osmon made some cakes and tea of which I partook after which I visited Mr. Shear's family then walked down to Garnish 20 miles the few people from Frenchman's Cove having engaged to come down to Garnish to prayers on the Sabbath.

25th: Garnish. Read prayers and preached thrice to good congregation and baptized two children. this place has received an visit from our Missionaries stationed in Grand Bank.

26th: A very stormy and wet day. Read Mrs. Fletchers memoirs

27th: Visited Frenchman's Cove this morning & expected to have left for Point Rosey in the afternoon but could not get a crew. I preached in the evening and baptized a child.

28th: I this afternoon left Garnish for Point Rosey 9 miles on board a small fishing skiff arrived there about 7 P.M. and was very kindly received by the people there are 36 Protestants reside in this cove they are extremely poor and very ignorant. I assembled them together read prayers and preached to them they listened attentively while I exhorted them to prepare to meet God. they have never been visited but once before by any Minister.
Oct. 29th: I this morning baptized a child and then left Point Rosey for Belleoram (12 miles) on board a punt rowed by four men, arrived at Belleoram about 2 P.M. as the day was moderate and the water very smooth I embraced the opportunity for visiting what is called the Reach where there are several families residing; obtained a Crew and proceeded hither after tea, was very kindly received by John Tibbo and family they have only been once or twice visited before by any minister. Read Prayers preached and baptized a child. they listened attentively to the word preached.

30th: This morning left for Belleoram got very much wet with the spray, was kindly received by Mrs. John Cluett. Preached in the Evening to an attentive congregation.

31st: Bean employed reading most of this day.

Nov. 1st: Read prayers and preached thrice to attentive congregation and baptized 9 children. This has been a good day to my soul.

2nd: Left Belleoram this morning for St. Jacques 4 miles by land in company with Thomas Cluett, was kindly received by Mrs. Lee on our arrival Read prayers and Preached in the evening to an attentive and deeply affected congregation

3rd: Left St. Jacques for English Harbor in a rowing boat 5 miles, was kindly received by Mr. & Mrs. Price Preached in the evening to a small company.

4th: Visited Moseambrose was not able to have service on account of the most of the people being from home I visited a child which has nearly been burnt to death the women in this place are very careless in reference to their children, I baptized one and returned to English Harbor

5th: This morning left English Harbor for Combes Cove was carried to Boxey by water 3 miles by two women. took some dinner with Mr. & Mrs. Blagdon and then proceeded by land to Combes Cove in company with Mr. Vallance 4 miles was kindly received by Mr. Fiander, Read prayers and preached in the evening to a small company

6th: Left Combes Cove for Little Bay and Jersey Harbor, intended to have held service at Little Bay but was prevented by most of the people being from home I then proceeded to Jersey Harbor in company with Mrs. Parsons, was kindly received by Mr. & Mrs. Chapman & spent the night with them.

7th: Left Jersey Harbor for Harbor Breton was kindly received by all friends.

8th: I was this morning carried down to Jersey Harbor. Read prayers and preached there and after dinner returned to H.B. intending to have afternoon service but was prevented by the Sail Maker having gone away with the key of the Lift in his pocket. Read Prayers & preached in the evening in one of the stores to a large company on Proverbs 14-32 many appeared to feel under the word Lord grant that it may be lasting.
Nov. 9th: Spent this morning in reading. Afternoon visited two or three families and in the evening took tea at Mr. Trood’s house. Had a good time in prayer with the family.

10th: This evening took tea at Mr. Gaden’s house.

11th: I have felt much encouraged in my work during this day; having heard that several of the Shoremen belonging the Room were deeply affected on Sunday evening. Preached again this evening to a good company on John 3-16.

12th: Was carried down to Jersey Harbor and preached to a small congregation on Proverbs 14-32.

13th: Returned to H.B. and spent the evening with Mr. & Mrs. Ellis.

14th: Spent this day in preparing for the Sabbath.

15th: Read prayers & preached to a small company in the Sail Loft on Palm 50-15 and in the afternoon at J.H. on Romans 1-16 returned to H.B. and preached in the evening on Numbers 16-29.

16th: Left H.B. for H. Cove and Gaultois arrived at Gaultois a little after night was kindly received by Mr. & Mrs. Gallop.

17th: A very stormy day scarcely able to look out.

18th: Crossed the Bay to Hermitage Cove and preached at night to a small company.

19th: A very heavy fall of snow &c.

20th: Spent most of this day about the Church.

21st: Crossed the Bay to Gaultois and from thence to Furbys Cove, and preached at night on Ex. 8-12.

22nd: Read prayers & preached this morning at F. Cove & was then carried across to Gaultois. Read, preached &c again intended to have crossed the Bay to Hermitage Cove but was prevented by the weather obliged to be silent in the evening.

23rd: Spent this day in Gaultois.

24th: Timothy Hatcher of Furbys Cove died very suddenly this morning early; he went to bed last night in perfect health, and about 2 o’clock this morning his spirit entered the eternal world. Truly in the midst of life we are in death. Oh my God enable thy dust to deal faithfully with the souls committed to his charge.

25th: Spent this day in writing to my friends in England.

26th: Employed in reading and writing.
Nov. 27th: I this day buried poor T. Hatcher and endeavoured to improve his death to the living by preaching on 2 Kings 20-1 and then returned to Gaultois.

28th: Crossed to H.B. and J.H.


30th: Spent this day in writing to the Chairman.

Dec. 1st: A very heavy gale of wind, took tea at Mr. Froud's

2nd: Heard of Frederic Curnew being drowned. Preached in H.B. in the evening on 2 Peter 3-14

3rd: Intended to have crossed the Bay to the Cove but could not on account of the wind

4th: Crossed to H. Cove.

5th: - to Gaultois and back

6th: Preached twice and attended to the children in the afternoon, endeavoured to improve F.C.'s death by preaching on Matthews 24-44

7th: Left the Cove for Pushthrough to bury F.C. and preached in the evening.

8th: A very wet day, been employed in reading all day I preached in the evening on Luke 18-35-48

9th: Left Pushthrough for Gaultois had a very rough time down

10th: Crossed the Bay to the Cove and preached in the evening on What is a man profited if he gain the whole world and lose his own soul &c

11th: Spent this day in writing.

12th: Left the Cove in company with Mr. Porter for Grole, arrived about 5 P.M. was kindly received by Mrs. Fudge & family.

13th: Preached thrice to attentive congregation - there appears to be a desire manifested by some of the people for instructions. Mr. Jaynes has promised them a Schoolmaster and Parson

14th: I this morning visited the family of Mr. W. Cribb as none of the family had been to prayers I inquired the reason, Oh says the Mistress frowning at the same time I say my prayers and teach my children at home and I dont know but that is as good a way as can be, I showed her the impropriety & sinfulness of her conduct
Dec. 14th: (Contd.) in not availing herself of the privilege of attending where the Gospel is proclaimed. What I said did not appear to make any impression so I left her, giving her three or four tracts we then proceeded down the Shore to Seal Cove, but how very different was the conduct of the people in this place from the former. They manifest a great desire to be favoured with the means of religious instruction, they pressed me much to remain with them all night, but as the weather appeared likely to change I was obliged to leave them after singing and prayer in each house, I felt much of the divine presence and power while engaged in these exercises. We then proceeded to Connaigré to the houses of William & Martin Crew. Took tea at the latter house, sung several hymns and prayers with the family then proceeded to W.C.'s sung a few hymns and prayed with the family, then retired to rest.

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Praise the Lord 0 my soul and all that is within me Bless and praise his holy name. I am spared to enter on another year O Lord I do most humbly beseech thee to enable me to give myself afresh to thy service Oh my God "Claim me for thy service claim, All I have and all I am".

I trust that I can say with the Poet

"Lord in the strength of grace
With a glad heart and free
Myself my residue of days
I consecrate to thee."

Seal me as thine own and may the year upon which I have just entered be one of great spiritual prosperity, make me holy, happy, wise and useful in thy cause for thy great names sake.

I this morning married a couple in Jersey Harbor and then proceeded to H.B. took service with Mr. Ellis & tea with Mr. Goden & Mr. & Mrs. Trood. Received a letter from our beloved Chairman which I read with mingled feelings it gives an account of his being obliged to desist from all public labour on account of a vomiting of blood. Lord hear prayer on his behalf, may he be restored and spared with us, may he be increasingly useful. Amen.

" 2nd: Left H.B. for H. Cove arrived there in the evening, spent the evening in preparation for the Sabbath.

" 3rd: Read Prayers & preached this morning in Mr. Engrams house subject "These shall go away &c Matthew 25 & last in the afternoon attended to the school, and in the evening proceeded to Gaultois & preached to a small company on 2 Peter 3-14

" 4th: I this morning attained a crew from Mr. Gallop and proceeded to Round Harbour was very kindly received by the people & preached to them in the evening, had a good time. Praise the Lord.
Jan. 5th: Intended to have left this morning but in consequence of wind and heavy sea not able to look out scarcely. I then determined to visit Little Bay 3 miles from R.H. by land and immediately set off had a very tiresome walk, was kindly received by Mr. & Mrs. Walsh I then baptized their child and returned to R.H. spent the evening in reading, singing & prayer in which exercises the people appeared to take an interest.

6th: Read prayers & preached this morning in R.H. and in the afternoon at Picard and baptized 4 children and then proceeded to Gaultois, arrived there about 8 P.M.

7th: Spent this day in reading & conversation

8th: Spent this day with Mr. Gallop

9th: Left Gaultois and proceeded to Furbys Cove kindly received by the people spent the evening in reading tracts to the people & singing & prayer.

10th: Held three services & baptized one child the people listened attentively to the word preached. Lord water the seed sown & may it be fruitful.

11th: Returned to Gaultois.

15th: Left Gaultois for the Cove, attended to the children in the evening.

16th: Spent the day in reading & c.

17th: Read prayers & preached this morning in Mr. J. Roberts house in Rev. 14-13 and in the afternoon attended to the school, & in the evening preached in Ezekiel 33.5. But he that taketh warning &c. Held service in Robert Rose's house some appeared to feel.

18th: Spent this day at the church in the evening attended to the children.

19th: A very stormy day have been employed reading & writing all day in the evening attended to the children.


21st: Crossed the Bay to Gaultois in order to purchase some board to cover the church and returned in the evening.

22nd: A very unpleasant day been employed in my study all day.

23rd: Spent this day at the church.
Jan. 24th: Read prayers & preached this morning in H. Cove in Mr. Green's House subject Isaiah 3-16-11 a very powerful influence attended the word many felt and some wept. Lord grant it may be lasting. attended the school in the afternoon and preached in George Harris's House on Acts 11-23.

25th: Walked across to Connaigre in order to beg timber for the church and obtained one bulk.

27th: Preached this evening in George Meads House on the thing is needful &c. had a good time.

31st: Sabbath. Read prayers and preached in Mr. Engram's house on Matthew 11 Ch. 28 Verse and attended the school, preached in the evening in B. Hatcher's on Number 10 Ch.

Feb. 1st: Walked across to Connaigre and returned in the evening to the Cove.

3rd: Preached this evening to a small congregation

5th: Left the Cove for Grole in the evening arrived at William Crews winter house a little after night and lodged there. Moon eclipse.

6th: Left Connaigre. Barrisway for Grole in company with William Crew, called at Martin Crews house & had dinner, Samuel Crew then went with me to Seal Cove as a guide spent some time at Seal Cove, and then proceeded in company with George Dollemont to Grole was very kindly received by Mrs. Fudge and family, felt very weary and tired. Read a portion of scripture and prayed with the family and retired to rest.

7th: The Sabbath I had this morning an opportunity witnessing for myself that of which I had often heard from others. Viz. how awfully the Lords day is profaned in this place, the day being moderate nearly all the men belonging this place went out to sea with their guns &c. to shoot birds, my soul was much grieved on beholding it. Oh Lord take to thyself thy great power and snatch these poor careless dying souls from the burning gulf. I read prayers and preached three times to small congregations nothing appears to move these people. Oh my God the work is thine, use me for thy glory.

8th: Spent this day in visiting several winter houses occupied by persons from Pass Island people deeply sunk ignorance &c. returned to Grole took tea at Mrs. Spencers. Read and prayed with them & returned to Mrs. Fudges house for the night.

9th: Left Grole and proceeded to Seal Cove and spent the evening in reading, conversation, singing and prayer. The Lord was present with us. Praise his name.

10th: After singing and reading and prayer with the two families. I left Seal Cove for Connaigre & Hermitage Cove. Arrived at the Cove a little after night tired enough was kindly received by Mr. & Mrs. Engram.
Feb. 11th: Been employed about the Church principal part of the day. Preached in my room to a very small congregation my soul mourns to behold such carelessness and indifference about spiritual things as these people manifest. Lord have mercy upon them, Oh my God save their souls for thy names sake

12th: Spent this day in my studies &c.

13th: Left for Gaultois was kindly received by Mr. & Mrs. Gallop spent the evening in reading conversation & prayer

14th: Read prayers & preached in Gaultois this morning some appeared to feel under the word. Lord make the impressions lasting. After dinner was carried across H. Bay to Furbys Cove had a rough time. Preached in the afternoon to a good congregation in the evening. Read one of Mr. Fletchers sermons to the congregation.

15th: Left Furbys Cove in company with Mr. T. Kendle & Richard Hardy to walk to O Cove immediately after we left the weather became very rough, snowing & blowing most frightfully we continued walking for several hours. Our faces were nearly covered with ice at length it became so thick with the snow drifting full in our faces that we concluded we should not be able to get to Cove by night so we returned tired enough during the night it blew a most awful gale of wind several skiffs and some few lives lost, had we remained out all night we must have perished in the woods. Praise the Lord O my soul for our preservation.

16th: Weather very boisterous, spent this day in F. Cove & preached in the evening.

17th: Preached again this evening.

18th: Left F. Cove for down the Bay in a punt with Thomas Rendle called at O Cove obtained another crew to put me down to Mr. Warrens house was very kindly received by him had some tea sung two or three hymns and prayed with the family and then proceeded to the bottom of the Bay the people all appeared to receive me as an Angel of God. I preached in Thomas Macdonalds house had a good time Praise the Lord sung a number of our beautiful hymns.

19th: Spent this day with three families from Long Island Harbour who are residing in Salmonier and preached again in the evening and baptized 3 children in Thomas Macdonald's house several were deeply affected. Oh that it might be lasting.

20th: Intended to have left this morning for Gaultois but just when I was ready to start the wind changed and blew very fresh from the N. West. The people rejoiced exceedingly as I was thus detained and had the opportunity of preaching Jesus unto them. I preached in the evening in J. Lillys house to a small company of people.
Feb. 21st: Read prayers and preached this morning after dinner proceeded to Mr. Warrens house sung hymns and prayed with the family and then proceeded to Furby's Cove intended to have preached but in consequence of my crew being unwilling to stay I was obliged to proceed to Gaultois expecting to get a congregation there, but was again disappointed the people would not come on account of the weather. felt much grieved.

22nd: Gaultois spent this day in reading &c.

23rd: Mr. Gallop very kindly offered to furnish me with a boat and crew to proceed to Hermitage Cove had a rough time, got very much wet, heard of several persons being drowned during the late gale. Oh my soul Praise the Lord for his preserving care over me. What am I O Lord that thou art so mindful of me.

24th: Ash Wednesday. I this evening read the Commendation and preached on "If the righteous scarcely be saved where shall the ungodly and the sinner appear, had a very solemn time, Oh how my soul longs for the salvation of the souls of the people. Lord make me useful among them for thy names sake

25th: Walked across to Connaigre with a crew after some Board. Met with the children in the evening. felt it good to draw near to God in family prayer. Praise the Lord

27th: During this day my mind has been much cast down on account of the state of the work of God in this place. Oh Lord save sinners I humbly beseech thee.

28th: Read prayers and preached this morning in Mr. J. Roberts house many attended I preached again in the evening.


3rd: Preached this evening in Robert Rose's house.

4th: Been employed for the Church, crossed the Bay to Gaultois for some shingles & nails.

5th: Left the Cove for H.B. in company with Mr. Gaden had a very pleasant time across the Bay. Praise the Lord O my soul. found all friends well.

6th: Obtained a crew and proceeded down to Jersey Harbor kindly received by Mr. & Mrs. Chapman.

7th: Read prayers and preached this morning in J.H. a few from H.B. attended I felt the presence of my divine Lord and master in a powerful manner. after dinner returned to H.B. & Read Prayers and preached to a small congregation on "Godliness is profitable for all things &c. Preached again in the evening.
Mar. 7th: (Contd.) to a good company on Ezekiel 33 Ch. 5 Verse.

"8th:
Spent this morning in reading and writing in the afternoon took dinner at Mr. Gadens in company with Mr. Gallop & in the evening went down to Jersey Harbor purchased some shingles for the church and returned to H.B. again an unprofitable day. Lord have mercy upon me.

9th:
A very rough day. took tea at Mr. Prouds house spent a pleasant and I trust profitable evening.

10th:
Visited several families and in the evening preached to a small company on "as Moses lifted up the serpent in the wilderness &c. felt much grieved on account of the carelessness of the people.

11th:
Left H.B. for the Cove in company with Mr. Gallop had a rough time across the Bay. I preached in the evening.

13th:
Crossed the Bay to Gaultois was kindly received by Mr. & Mrs. Gallop.

14th:
Read prayers and preached this morning to a small congregation "subject" Ezekiel 33-5 in the afternoon returned to the Cove and preached in the evening on "Because there is wrath beware &c. a solemn time. Oh my God deepen the impressions made & may souls be saved for thy name's sake.

17th:
Preached this evening in Mr. G. Harris's house to a small company; my soul mourns to witness the carelessness of this people. Lord undertake for me, the work is thine, save souls and I will praise thee.

18th:
Left the Cove for Pushtho on board a small Punt, met with the schooner Dido, bound to Pushthrough I went on board & arrived at the place of our destination about 4 P.M. was kindly received by Mr. & Mrs. Lee and family was not able to have service as the punts were out to sea very late. had a good time at family prayer. Praise the Lord.

19th:
I visited Bonne Bay but could not collect a congregation for service. Sung a few hymns and prayed with Mr. Lee and family.

20th:
Bonne Bay. I this morning Mr. Matthew Lee & Miss Lucy Chislett, after dinner proceeded to Mosquitoe found nearly all the people from home, took tea then returned to Bonne Bay & Mr. & Mrs. Lee accompanied me to Pushthrough spent this evening in reading singing and prayer.

21st:
Read prayers & preached this morning in Mr. Lees House subject the Faithful saying, in the afternoon preached in Charles Hatcher's house to a good congregation, subject Ezekiel 33-5 the people stared at me while I endeavoured to warn them of the danger attendant upon a life of sin and folly, may they take warning. Preached in Nathaniel King's house in the evening on Timothy 4-9 V. many attended trust some will be induced to seek that "Godliness which is profitable for all things."
Mar. 22nd: I spent this morning in reading, in the afternoon visited widow Creamer's house & family and in the evening preached in Mr. Lee's house probably for the last time on Samuel 12:23-24. 25 Verses, was enabled to use great plainness of speech with them after the conclusion of the service. I read over to them the form of a petition or request which I had intended to urge upon the Committee the propriety of stationing a Missionary for Hermitage Bay alone. But tell it not in G. Publish it not in Ashkalon lest the wicked triumph. With only one or two exceptions they refused to sign it. I felt deeply grieved at them. Lord open our way before us. I humbly beseech thee. Let they work appear unto they servants &c. &c. Mr. Lee was much grieved also.

23rd: Left Pushthrough in company with Mr. W. Lee and his men for Long Island Harbor was kindly received by Mr. John Strickland and family. In the evening I preached to a small but attentive congregation we continued singing Hymns till near midnight.

24th: Left Long Island Harbor for Round Harbor was very kindly received by Mrs. Lee and family I assembled the neighbours and preached to them in Mrs. Lee's house.

25th: Spent this day in reading and in visiting from house to house; Preached again in the evening to a small congregation &c made a collection for the Mission.

26th: Left Round Harbor & proceeded to the bottom of the Bay. was gladly received on my arrival by the few families who reside there, I preached to a large congregation in the evening some Romanists attended, after service I made a Collection for the Mission.

27th: Left the Bottom of the Bay called at Warrens Cove sung a hymn and prayed with the family. We then proceeded to Oliver Cove remained a short time and then set off again against both wind and sea, however by the mercy of God we arrived safe at Furby's Cove, after supper I preached to a good congregation.

28th: Read prayers preached and baptized there three young persons and after dinner proceeded to Hermitage Cove had a very unpleasant time and preached in the evening.

29th: Crossed the Bay to Gaultois spent the day with Mr. & Mrs. Gallop

30th: Wrote to Mr. Caden and Mr. Blackie at Gaultois. Felt much cast down on account of the state of the work of God. Lord save sinners.

31st: Crossed to the Cove. Had a very rough time but arrived in safety. Praise the Lord.

Apr. 1st: Preached this evening in James Rose's house to a small congregation.

2nd: Left the Cove for Grole, called at Connaigre. Mr. Crew's servant then proceeded with me to Seal Cove, there I remained for the night read several Tracts, sung a few Hymns & prayed.
Apr. 3rd: Left Seal Cove in company with Mrs. Dolemont and Loveys arrived there about 1 P.M. had dinner shortly afterwards it began to rain & blow most fearfully I preached in the evening.

4th: Read prayers & preached this morning in Mrs. Fudges house, afternoon in Mr. William Cribbs House a noted Sabbath breaker. He appeared to mock &c. Preached in the evening in Joseph Burtons house and made a collection for the Mission.

5th: Left Grole for the Cove in company with Mrs. Crewes, his wife and two sisters, just as we got near the mouth of the Harbor the wind arose to a gale, had a very narrow escape. Praise the Lord O my soul &c.

6th: Spent the day in the Cove attended to the children &c.

7th: Crossed the Bay to Gaultois this morning & in the afternoon walked up to Fortune 2½ miles assembled the people together and preached unto them. They listened attentively while I spoke to them on the advantages of Godliness from 1 Timothy 4 Ch. 9 Verse. I trust some of them will devote themselves to the service of God, after service returned to Gaultois and spent the evening with Mr. & Mrs. Gallop.

8th: Left Gaultois this morning for Round Harbor & Long Island Harbor, had a very unpleasant time, in consequence of wind and snow. I was kindly received by the people on my arrival. I preached in the evening in Mrs. Lee's house, a blessed and hallowing influence rested on the congregation during service at the conclusion of the service I made a collection for the Missions.

9th: Praise the Lord O my Soul and all that is within me bless his name that I am brought to see the return of that day which is kept in commemoration of the sufferings and death of the Redeemer. I felt much of the presence of the Lord while engaged in family prayer and then left for Gaultois having promised to preach there but on my arrival was disappointed to find that in consequence of the people being so much scattered and the weather very rough I could not get a congregation. I spent the day in reading and meditation.

10th: Crossed the Bay to Hermitage Cove and made preparation for the Sabbath.

11th: I this morning read prayers and preached in the shell of the new Chapel. Preached on Thus it is written and thus it behoved Christ to suffer &c. had a good time, joy beamed in every countenance at being favoured in seeing a Church erected for the worship of God in this place. After dinner I met the children connected with the Sunday school heard their lessons, catechisms &c. and preached again to them, many felt & wept under the word. Lord save this people & may the feeble efforts of they unworthy servant be rendered an abundant blessing at the conclusion of the service I baptized a child.
Apr. 12th: Intended to have crossed the Bay to Gaultois but was prevented by the weather in the afternoon walked across to Connaigre to Mr. Crew's house spent about 2 hours in reading, singing conversation & prayer & made a collection for the Mission, then bade them farewell and returned to the Cove & preached & settled with the people about the church & made a collection for the Mission.

13th: Crossed the Bay to Gaultois & from thence to Furby's Cove & could not get a congregation in consequence of the weather. Read one of Fletchers sermons to the family and a few young people.

14th: Preached this morning to a small company & crossed the Bay to Gaultois, weather very rough.

15th: Spent this day in Gaultois, making collection for the Mission.

16th: Left Gaultois for H.B. remained a short time in the Cove, several of the people came running to me to bid me good bye. Oh Lord bless this people, may I meet them in heaven. Arrived at H.B. a little before sunset kindly received by Mr. & Mrs. Ellis and spent the evening with them.

17th: Was carried down to Jersey Harbor & baptized John the infant son of Mr. Chapman & returned to H.B. & spent the evening at Mr. Ellis's house.

18th: Read prayers & preached twice in H.B. to very attentive and deeply affected congregations & made a collection. After service I baptized Mr. Gaden's child & took tea with them, spent a profitable evening.

19th: Spent this day in visiting the people at their homes & in the evening took tea at Mr. Trood's house in company with Mr. Gaden after tea I prayed with the family and retired to Mr. Ellis's house for the night.

20th: Left H.B. early this morning for G. Bank had a very rough time across the Bay

21st: Arrived at Grand Bank this morning about 9 a.m. & was kindly received by all friends felt much grieved to find that Mr. Greens school was closed. In the evening I walked up to Fortune & preached in the evening and met the class found the members generally in a good state of mind. Praise the Lord.

22nd: Returned to G.B. Preached in the evening to a good congregation after which I met the men to settle about Mr. Green and the school but could not come to any agreement. I felt much grieved with them.

23rd: Visited several families & held a prayer meeting after which I again met the men, and they agreed to send their children to school on condition that Mr. Green should give up going to Fortune on the week day. to which Mr. Green agreed we then parted in peace & love. Praise the Lord.

24th: Spent this morning in visiting the friends and making the collection and in the afternoon took tea at Mrs. Buffetts and proceeded to and preached at Fortune in the evening.
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Apr. 25th: Read Prayers & preached this morning in Fortune. Afternoon & Evening at Grand Bank. had a good day.

26th: Spent this morning in writing and about the middle of the day left for Burin on board of Mr. Holletts boat with a head wind and thick fog.

27th: Arrived in Pt. Peters about 10 A.M. a very unpleasant day, in the evening the weather cleared up a little and we again left the Harbor but as soon as we got outside the wind died away and the Fog set in very thick.

28th: Felt very sick all day the fog continues thick we stood in for the land this evening but as soon as we got near the land the wind died away, so that we were again obliged to put out to sea and hove to for the night.

29th: We this morning were much alarmed at day break by the sight of Rocks on each side of us but by the mercy of God were preserved from striking upon any of them when the fog cleared up we discovered that we had overrun our port 21 miles we were near a place named Oderin. We then put about and had to contend with a head wind and heavy sea all day in the evening we were of the mouth of the Reach.

30th: We this morning arrived at Great Burin about 4 A.M. was kindly received by the people and preached in the Evening to a good congregation.

May 1st: Bro. Angwin arrived here this morning in order to take me with him to Burin Bay. 2 miles. I returned with him and spent the evening with him and Mrs. Angwin.

2nd: Preached this morning and afternoon in Burin Church and in the Evening at Mr. Collin's house had a good day. To God be all the praise.

3rd: Visited a few families and in the evening met a class at the Mission House.

4th: Preached in Great Burin the Jailors Conversion.

5th: Returned to Burin Bay and preached in the Mission House to a good company on Phillipans 4-6-7 felt much encouraged to cast my care upon God.

6th: Preached this evening in Collin's Cove on 2 Peter 5-14.

7th: Attended a Prayer Meeting in the Mission House.

8th: Spent this day in Reading & Study.

9th: Preached this morning on the Great company before the throne, had a precious season. Praise the Lord. Brother Angwin delivered a Farewell address to the congregation and Society on 1 Samuel 12-23-24. I preached again this evening on Ezekiel 33 - 5 -

10th: Met the Class at the Mission house had a good time.
May 11th: Spent this day in reading &c.

" 12th: Visited a few families.

" 13th: I this evening parted with my dear friends in Burin and left for St. John's on board Mr. O'Neils Boat about 9 in the evening & had a fine breeze of wind all night.

" 14th: Wind very moderate all day. arrived in Bay of Bulls during the night.

" 15th: Detained in Bay of Bulls by contrary winds visited Mr. Williams & family in company with Mr. O'Neil and Mrs. Benning. received me very kindly.

" 16th: Left Bay of Bulls for St. John's by land after Breakfast it rained much all day. I got very wet. called at the house of an Irishman and had dinner and then proceeded to St. John's arrived there about 4 P.M. was kindly received by Mr. & Mrs. Pickavant & all friends. heard Bro. Addy preach an excellent sermon on There shall be a resurrection of the dead both of the just and also of the unjust. I conducted a prayer meeting after preaching.

" 17th: Visited several families of our people and felt my spirit refreshed by their Society.

" 18th: Preached this evening to a large and attentive congregation on 2 Peter 3-14.

" 19th: The brethren all assembled in the Vestry and we commenced the District Meeting by singing and prayer. Brother Nightingale preached in the Chapel and I on the South Side this evening.

" 20th: Engaged in District Meeting all day. Bro. Addy preached in the evening. A profitable season.

" 21st: We this evening held a Lovefeast in the Chapel it was rather a dull season -

" 22nd: Crossed the Bay to Carbonear. kindly received by Mrs. F. and all friends. Married a couple in the evening.

" 23rd: Preached this morning & afternoon in Carbonear and interred a Corpse and returned to Carbonear and visited a few sick.

June 1st: Visited several families this morning; dined with Mrs. Chancey, and after dinner crossed the Bay & took tea at Mrs. Knights with Miss Haddon.

" 2nd: Took tea with Miss Parsons and heard Bro. Ingham preach in the Calvinist Chapel.

" 3rd: Engaged all day making preparation for leaving for my station.

" 4th: Attended the prayer meeting in the Vestry had a good time.
June 5th: A solemn day, our beloved Chairman and family left this morning for England on board the Brig Convivial bound to Liverpool direct. Brother Angwin engaged in prayer with the party previous to their leaving the Mission House to go on board the Vessel, it was an affecting season & reminded me much of the parting season with my friends on the 17th of September 1838. The Brethren, Angwin, England and myself and several friends accompanied them to the Vessel and went with them as far as the Narrows and bade Mr. & Mrs. Pickavant good bye perhaps for ever. Lord preserve them as in the hollow of thy hand, after bidding them Adieu Bros England & I accompanied. Mr. Forsaith to their residence and dined with them during the afternoon I visited several families and about 7 P.M. went on board the Brigantine Swan, and left for H.B. about midnight.

9th: H.B. By the mercy of God I have been preserved and kept in safety to the present and am brought once more to the scene of my labours for the present. was kindly received and welcomed by all friends.

10th: Went on board a Vessel laying here named the Xanthus from Sunderland "Captain Burnade" found him a very agreeable person. found that he was acquainted with some of my friends in Sunderland. In the afternoon left H.B. for Brunette & Fortune on board Mr. Lake's boat but in consequence of fog & contrary wind did not arrive at Brunette until 10 A.M. following day.

11th: Spent this afternoon in Brunette and left in the evening for Fortune were out all night.

12th: Arrived at Fortune & gladly welcomed by all friends.

13th: Read prayers & preached twice in Fortune & in the evening walked down to Grand Bank and preached in the evening to a good congregation. A good day.

14th: During the day visited several families and held a prayer meeting in the evening.

15th: Visited two or three families and met the Class in the evening for Tickets.

16th: Preached this evening at Grand Bank on Acts 16-30-31

17th: Visited two or three members of Society who had not attended their Class lately. spoke to them on the subject they promised amendment walked up to Fortune and preached in the evening. Matthew 5-4 -

18th: Returned to G.B. visited a few families & took tea at Mr. Forsey's and met the Class in the evening.

19th: Read Prayers & preached in G.B. morning & afternoon and in the evening at Fortune & baptized 3 children.
June 21st: Walked down to G.B. held a prayer meeting in the evening a dull time.

22nd: Met the Class precious season Praise the Lord. Received a note from Bro. E. enclosing note from ?

23rd: Preached in G.B. on 1 John 4 - Beloved if God so loved us &c.

24th: Preached in Fortune this evening small congregation

25th: Returned to G.B. met the Class. One new member.

27th: Read prayers and preached twice in G.B. and baptized a child belonging to Mr. Green and preached in Fortune in the evening.

28th: G.B. Prayer meeting in the evening.

29th: Met the Class had a good time.

30th: Spent a day with Mr. Forsey and preached in the evening on Romans 8-9

July 1st: Preached at Fortune.

2nd: G.B. Class Meeting

3rd: Crossed the Bay from G.B. to H.B. was kindly received by all friends.

4th: Read prayers & preached twice in J.H. and once in H.B.

5th: Visited Mrs. Kiddle & family at Little Bay and returned J.H. in evening.

6th: Returned to H.B. took tea with Mr. & Mrs. Ellis.

7th: H.B. At Mr. Troods house.

10th: Crossed the Bay from H.B. in company with Mr. Gaden. had a pleasant time was kindly received & gladly welcomed back by all the people both at the Cove & Gaultois.

11th: Read prayers & preached in Gaultois to a small company. After dinner crossed the Bay to H. Cove in company with Messrs Gallop & Gaden. I preached to a large congregation.

12th: Visited Connaigre & preached to a congregation in the evening.

14th: Preached in Hermitage Cove to a small company.

15th: Left Hermitage Cove for Seal Rocks and Grole was kindly received by the people Preached at Grole in the evening on Jabez's Prayers.
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July 16th:  
Was carried from Grole to Pass Island. Read Prayers & reached in Mr. William Ridouts house in what is called the Tickle enjoyed much of the divine presence while speaking on 1 Samuel 12-23.

17th:  
Spent this morning in reading & conversation with Mr. & Mrs. Ridout. Mr. R. was brought up in connection with a Wesleyan family in Dorsetshire he spoke very feelingly of the good impressions which were made upon his mind at that time and of his having resisted the strivings of the spirit, many there are on this shore who have previous to their leaving England been similarly circumstanced there is a famine of the word of God in these shores. Lord hasten the coming of thy kingdom in the afternoon Mr. R. and I walked across 1 mile to what is called Mooring Cove where several families reside. Here my spirit was stirred within me to find that nearly all the men were drunk. I read prayers & preached to a small company of women, and then returned to the Tickle and spent the evening in reading &c.

18th:  
After family reading & prayer I was carried down to Grole but in consequence of the current or tide being against us did not arrive so early as I expected. However, after partaking of some refreshment I read prayers and preached to a large and attentive congregation and baptised a child and then obtained a crew 3 females and 1 man to bring me to Hermitage Cove arrived there in the evening and preached to a large and attentive congregation on 2 Kings 20-1.

19th:  
Was carried across to Picarre to baptise a child which is sick and I think near death returned again in the evening.

20th:  
Crossed the Bay to Gaultois and from thence to Furby's Cove. Preached at night to a good company on "Blessed are they that mourn", had a good time.

21st:  
Read prayers and preached this morning to a small company on The Brass Serpent was then carried across to Gaultois, dined with Mr. Gallop and spent the afternoon in writing to St. John's & England in the evening crossed to the Cove.

22nd:  
Returned to Gaultois and the afternoon was carried up to Picarre by Mr. Gallops men I then obtained a crew to carry me up to Round Harbour arrived there about 9 P.M. remained all night.

23rd:  
A heavy gale of wind during this afternoon, I read prayers and preached in the evening to a good congregation was enabled to preach with much liberty. Praise the Lord.

24th:  
Left Round Harbor after family prayer and breakfast for Pushthrough arrived there at 9 A.M. was kindly received by all the people in consequence of the men being out late fishing we could not have service sung a few hymns. Read & prayed with Mr. Lee's family.

25th:  
Pushthrough. Read prayers and preached this morning in Mr. & Mrs. Lee's house to a good congregation. After dinner met the children and established a Sunday school and preached in the house of Mr. Norris, evening preached in Mr. King's house and baptised a child. Trust good was done.
July 26th: Was carried up to Bonne Bay kindly received by Mr. Lee & all friends. Read prayers, preached and baptized two children spoke with much liberty on the coming judgment.

27th: Returned to Pushthrough & preached in the evening to a good company on the prayer of Jabez. I trust some will imitate his conduct & example.

28th: Left Pushthrough for Gaultois on board the Swift belonging to Mr. William Lee, arrived at Gaultois took breakfast with Mr. Gallop & family.

29th: Spent this day in Gaultois, The Brigantine Duck arrived

30th: Employed in reading & c all day

31st: Gaultois

Aug. 1st: I this morning left Gaultois for the Westward on board Mr. Jean's boat with very little wind. & arrived at Long Island Harbor about 2 P.M. took tea with John Chislett and family. the people assembled and I read prayers and preached to them on I Sami 12-23-24, the people listened attentively. I preached again in the evening with Mr. John Sticklands house on Matthew 4-4 Verse.

2nd: Left Long Island Harbor again for the Westward wind contrary arrived at Grole about 3 P.M. kindly received by Mrs. Fudge and family. Preached in the evening to a small company.

3rd: I this morning visited several families and after dinner left Grole very light wind remained at the Sea all night.

4th: Arrived at Chaleur this afternoon and was kindly received by the people on my arrival. After taking tea I left in company with two women for Rencontre met Mr. Forsey there, was very kindly received by all friends. I visited all the people, baptized two children & prayed with the people, took tea returned to Chaleur & preached at night on the necessity of preparation for death.

5th: Left Chaleur for Cape La Hume but did not arrive until very late at night, about 11 P.M. was kindly received by Mr. & Mrs. John Pink, they made me some tea for which I was quite ready. I could not have service as nearly all the people had retired to rest.

6th: During the day I visited a place in Cape La Hume Bay called Deadmans Cove from the circumstance of a number of corpses having been found in it about 70 years ago. they being the remains of a crew belonging to a vessel wrecked near God Roy. My host Mr. John Bragg stated to me that he had several times covered the bones with earth but always found them uncovered on his return and he thought that there was something supernatural connected with it. it appears that his statement is correct as the bones were nearly all uncovered when we visited the place.
Aug. 6th: (Contd.)

I read prayers preached and baptized two children in the evening the people appeared to pay but little attention to the word delivered Lord fasten thy truth upon their minds.

7th:

Left Cape La Hune for Ramea. arrived there in the afternoon, could not have public service on account of the fishermen being out late.

8th:

Read prayers, preached and baptized one child this morning the people listened attentively while I expounded unto them the word of life after dinner I left for Burgeo but did not arrive until near sunset. I cannot describe the joy the people manifested on my arrival Men, women and children flocked together to welcome me back among them. My soul felt the force of the hymn. "What am I O thou Glorious God &c... After tea I preached to a large and deeply affected congregation on "Blessed are they that mourn for they shall be comforted Praise the Lord I felt much of his presence and powers while thus comforting & encouraging the mourners.

9th:

Was this morning carried up to the Sand Banks was kindly received by Mr. & Mrs. Cox and all friends & preached at night in Mr. Coxs House.

10th:

Visited three or four families during the day and in the evening took tea at Mr. Thomas Andersons house. This is my birthday O Lord I praise thee for past favors and now give myself to thee and thy service.

11th:

Preached in Mr. Thomas Andersons house to a good company and took tea at Mr. Edward Andersons house.

12th:

Visited Lower Burgeo & preached to a good company in Mrs. Watchers house felt much of the presence of the Lord. I this evening met Mr. George Lake from Fortune he stated that poor Mr. Green was still very poorly. Lord undertake for Brother Green. Open his way before him for thy names sake

13th:

Visited the Old Room found Mrs. Keepin very poorly I read & prayed with her and proceeded to the Sand Banks and from thence to Mr. Williams & Mr. Andersons. I took tea and then returned to the Sand Banks for the night. Mr. Cox spoke on the subject of stationing a Missionary in Burgeo he offers him his board free of expense. I wish the committee could comply with the request and accept the offer. Lord send forth more labourers unto this portion of the Harvest field.

14th:

Was this evening carried down to Lower Burgeo in a punt and preached on "Godliness is profitable for all things &c..."

15th:

The Sabbath. Read prayers preached and baptized two children in Mr. John Matthews house had a good time after dinner proceeded to the Sand Banks read prayers preached and baptized a child a very large congregation attended several not able to get into the house in the evening Preached at Mr. William Anderson seniors House and baptized three children.
Aug. 16th: Spent the morning in reading and writing in the evening visited the Island.

17th: Preached this evening in Mr. Samuel Cox's house on the prayer of Jabez a good congregation attended after service I named the propriety and importance of building a church in Burgeo the people immediately agreed to it and more than 80£ was raised towards it that evening. Praise the Lord the people are thirsting for the word of life.

18th: Spent this day at home at Mr. Cox's House.

19th: Preached at Lower Burgeo to a deeply affected audience "and if the righteous scarcely be saved where shall the ungodly and sinner appear."

20th: Visited several families this morning & after dinner returned to the Sand Banks and from thence to the Island and preached in Mr. Edward Andersons House on "Godliness is profitable for all things."

21st: Was carried to Lower Burgeo and preached in the evening on "Beloved if God so loved us, we ought also to love one another.

22nd: Read prayers and preached this morning on Daniel 6-10 after dinner met the children and preached on Proverbs 14-32 a blessed influence attended the word in the evening Read prayers and Preached on the SandBANKS to an overflowing congregation on Numbers 10-29. Lord give thy blessing with the word.

23rd: Visited several families in lower Burgeo in company with Mrs. Jane & Ann Cox returned in the evening.

24th: Preached in George Keepins house at the Island on "Amos 4-12 --

25th: Preached at Mr. Cox's house on Phillipians 1-27

26th: Preached at Lower Burgeo to a good company.

27th: Returned to the Sand Banks and preached in the evening.

28th: Was carried down to Lower Burgeo and preached in the evening to a good company had a good time.

29th: The Sabbath. Read prayers and preached this morning at Lower Burgeo, and afternoon and evening at Sand Banks and the Island to large congregations, obliged to preach in the open air no place large enough to contain the congregation, the people felt much under the word. Lord save the souls of these dear people.
Aug. 30th: Left Burgeo for Cape La Hune on board Mr. F. Cox's boat arrived at Cape La Hune, but could not have service as Mr. Bagg said it was far too late. The people here are very careless and wicked. Lord have mercy upon them.

31st: Left Cape La Hune for Francois Bay, heard that the most of the people were gone from that place as I proceeded to Chaleur and preached in the evening to a small company.

Sept. 1st: Left Chaleur by land for Rencontre very kindly received by the people, preached in the evening to a small company.

2nd: Preached this evening in Thomas Danford's house and baptized a child.

3rd: Left for Cul de Sac 6 miles arrived there and preached in the evening and baptized a child.

4th: Was carried down to Richards Harbor distance 5 miles kindly received. Preached in the evening to a small but attentive company.

5th: Read prayers and preached this morning at Richards Harbor and proceeded to Muddy Hole. Preached and visited a sick person then proceeded to Fachieu Bay kindly received by Mr. E. Warren after tea. Preached again to a good company after which sung several of our hymns then retired to rest.

6th: Left for Pushthoro arrived there and preached in the evening.

7th: Visited Bonne Bay slept at Mr. Lee's house.

8th: Visited Mosquitoes and preached.

9th: Married C.C.I.K. a scene of drunkenness and riot, was carried to Pushthoro and married J. Sutton and Miss King the wedding conducted very differently from the former.

10th: Was carried across to Grole and married a couple less drinking than I expected, Praise the Lord for this change.

11th: Married another couple and proceeded to the Cove, mind much grieved.

12th: Preached this morning at the Cove afternoon forbys Cove evening at Mr. Cove again.

13th: Married a couple at Picarde, returned to Gaultois.

14th: Married a couple at Forbys Cove and returned to Gaultois.

15th: Was carried to Long Island Harbor preached in the evening.
Sept. 16th: Visited Pushthro and returned to Round Harbor and preached in the evening.

17th: Heavy gale of wind preached this evening in Round Harbor.

18th: Visited Picarre and returned to Gaultois.

19th: Preached in Gaultois this morning and Furbys Cove in the afternoon and Hermitage Cove in the evening. A dull day.

20th: Left H. Cove for H.B. young men belonging the Cove carried me to Great Harbor and Mr. Rose of Great Harbor carried on to Head of H.B. Harbor he returned home and I proceeded to H.B. was kindly received by all friends.

21st: Visited J.H. and returned to H.B.

22nd: Left for Brunette arrived about 2 P.M. proceeded to Duck Island and married a couple and returned to Brunette Cove intending to preach but it was too late.

23rd: Married a couple at Forwards Cove and preached at night.

24th: Married two couples, spent the afternoon in reading.

25th: Left Brunette for Fortune out all day at last arrived at Grand Bank Mr. Ingham at Fortune visited two or three families slept at Mission House.

26th: Preached twice in G.B. and some in Fortune congregation good and attentive

27th: Attended prayer meeting at Mrs. Buffetts a good time Praise God

28th: Wrote to St. John's and attended Class meeting in the evening

29th: Wrote to Miss M and preached at night

30th: Left Grand Bank called at Sagona and preached people deeply sunk in ignorance &

Oct. 1st: Arrived at H.B. from Sagona took tea at Mr. Gadens.

2nd: Visited J.H. and returned to H.B.

3rd: Read prayers and preached twice in H.B. and once in J.H. to attentive congregations felt much blest in preaching

4th: Returned to H.B. from thence to J.H. and back and left for Lamlin and Burin in Mr. Collins boat had a good time only 7 hours between H.B. and Lamalin, did not go ashore till morning.

5th: Went ashore this morning was kindly received by Mr. Pitman and family Preached in the evening
Oct. 6th: Preached at Muddy Hole and baptized a child weather very stormy

7th: Married Richard Bonnel and Jane Lockyer.

8th: Very rough day. Employed reading all day finished Clarke's Ench... a good work

9th: Married two couples on what is called Allens Island.

10th: Preached thrice and baptized a child, subject Preached from Numbers 10-29-1
Timothy 1-15-1 Chronicles 4-9

11th: Very unpleasant weather, employed reading & c.

21st: Expected to have left but am disappointed Preached at night

13th: Feel very anxious to get forward in my journey but cannot scarce know what to do. Lord direct me

14th: Left for Burin had a beautiful time arrived at Great Burin kindly received by
Mr. & Mrs. Darby, preached to a large congregation in Mr. Darby's parlour, had
a good time. Praise the Lord.

15th: Burin Bay. Met Mrs. England at the Mission House spent a very pleasant day with
her, and preached in the evening.

16th: Spent this day at Mission House in conversation about friends and home.

17th: Preached twice in the Church and baptized one child

18th: Met the class at the Mission House this evening had a good time Praise God
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19th: A very pleasant day dined with Mr. MacKay at his house

20th: Visited Guys Cove and returned to Mission House

21st: Spent the day in reading &c.

22nd: Intended to have preached at Collins Cove but weather prevented.

23rd: Preached to a large congregation at Mission House

24th: Preached twice in church, subject 1 Samuel 12-23-24 &c. 2 Cor. 5-10- and
returned to the Mission House with Sister England

25th: Arose early this morning took breakfast and prepared to leave Burin. Left Burin
about 6 A.M. for Garnish, had a beautiful run up to the head of the Bay
remained there a short time learnt that Tights Brook was impassible resolved
to go by what is called Fresh Water Pond crossed the the neck to it found that
there were no oars for the boat Pilot returned to Burin Bay to seek some
Oct. 25th: Pilot returned with ears &c. Crossed the Pnd and set off had not proceeded far before the wind began to blow very fresh and the rain descended almost in torrents however we proceeded and in company crossing one of the Brooks I happened to stop short and fell into the water upto my waist, got out and proceeded forward came to another brook which was quite here we were put to a stand scarce knew what to do, were obliged to return the way we had come and in crossing the brook referred to I fell in again. My clothes were perfectly saturated with wet. We hesitated for some time as to what we had best do, but to go back appeared worse than to proceed, and we set off again through marshes and water and mud. We walked forward and at length night drew on. A little before sunset saw Garnish Rocks quite distinctly set our course for that place hoping to reach it before dark, we got into the woods, got benighted and bewildered, we walked about until near Eleven o'clock but could not find the way out, at length we were obliged to seek shelter underneath the branches of a tree, and lay down on the cold camp ground tired, weary and wet. My pilot fell asleep but I could not but lay shivering with the cold all night. At last day light appeared and if I ever felt the truth of the Wise mans expression "Truly light is sweet and a pleasant thing it is for the eyes to behold the sin, I felt it at that time, My Pilot said Mr. M. we must make a start I replied that I felt as though I could not walk I prayed for strength to be communicated and the Lord graciously strengthened me so that I was enabled to proceed and at length reached Frenchmans Cove. The people very kindly set me some tea of which I partook, I then proceeded to the House changed my clothes &c. walked over to Mr. T. Cluetta house, very poorly, I requested the mistress of the house to warm some water for me to put my feet in and to make me some strong mint tea to drink she did so, and I bathed my feet and drank the tea and retired to rest, and the Lord blessed me with a refreshing sleep Praise the Lord.

- 27th: Arrose this morning quite refreshed and invigorated. Baptised a child and proceeded to Garnish by land. kindly received by all friends and preached at night.

- 28th: Preached again this evening to a good congregation.

- 29th: A very cold day strong breezes from the Westward visited the people at their houses and preached night.

- 30th: Left Garnish on board Harry Nicholes boat had a dull time across arrived about 9 P.M. kindly received by Mr. & Mrs. Chapman. Read and prayed with family and retired to rest.

- 31st: Preached twice in J. Hand once in H.B. received letters from Bros. Snowball and Ingham. Lodged at Mr. Troods house.
Nov. 1st: A little snow fell this morning spent the day at Mr. Gadens House.

2nd: A very dull day wind S.E. arranged for to proceed to St. Jacques.

3rd: Left H.B. had a beautiful time to St. Jacques. Preached in Mr. Lee's house in the evening to a small company.

4th: With some difficulty obtained a crew to carry me to Belleoram arrived there about 5 P.M. Read prayers and preached on Matthew 5-4 the people listened attentively.

5th: Visited a few families and preached in the evening.

6th: An opportunity offered for English Harbor which immediately embraced had a very dull time out all day distance 8 miles kindly received by Mrs. Price on my arrival suffered much from the tooth ache. Prayed with the family and retired to rest.

7th: Felt very poorly from tooth and ear ache. Preached twice and baptized two children.

8th: Left English Harbor for Boxey and Gosmbs Cove a wet walk, preached at night

9th: Baptized a child and left for Wreck Cove in company with Mr. Wallaces son and daughter found the people in a most wretched condition both in temporal and spiritual things could not get them together for service. I left and proceeded to Millers Passage kindly received by Mrs. Sheppard a Catholic there are three families of Protestants in this Harbor I visited them and arranged for service next morning.

10th: A very heavy gale of wind. Held service in Mr. Abbotts house and baptized 4 children. Then took dinner and proceeded to River Head and Little Bay by land had a most tiresome walk spent the evening with Mrs. Kiddel.

11th: Walked across to Jersey Harbor

12th: A very unpleasant day.

13th: Left J.H. for H.B. and Hermitage Cove arrived at H.B. but could proceed no further in consequence of the weather met with the Rev. W. Boone clergyman of the Established Church. He received me very kindly took dinner at Mr. Ellis and returned to H.H. in the evening received letters from St. John's and Island Cove.
Nov.  14th:  Preached twice in Jersey Harbor felt very poorly.

   15th:  Left J.H. for Hermitage Cove had a beautiful time was grieved to find that the people had done nothing to the Church – surely if the people loved God they would love his house –

   16th:  Cove. Very strong breeze of wind from E.S.E. spent this day in the Cove, in reading &c.

   17th:  Preached to a small congregation this evening.

   18th:  Crossed the Bay to Gaultois and returned in the evening.

   21st:  Preached twice and met the children in the afternoon and evening; felt much blest in speaking on Rev. 6 &

   22nd:  Employed about the church all day

   23rd:  Engaged writing home to friends.

   24th:  Employed about the church during the day spent the evening in writing.

   25th:  Employed about the church during the day and preached at night.

   26th:  Mr. Ellis called this morning to bid me farewell he is leaving for England. I was engaged principal part of the day with the church employed writing in the evening to Mr. Broadbent.

   27th:  Finished Mr. Broadbent's letter and sent it by Dr. Morris to H.B., employed in the evening preparing for the Sabbath

   28th:  Preached this morning on Heb. 11-24-25 and in the evening on "Because sentence against an evil work is not speedily executed therefore the hearts of the children of men are fully set in them to do evil. Was enabled to speak with great planning trust some will attend to the word preached. Lord give thy blessing.

   29th:  Left the Cove for Gaultois in company with the Carpenters. Dined with Mr. Gallop and family and returned to the Cove in the evening.

   30th:  Preached in the Cove this evening to a small congregation. Afterwards wrote to St. John's by way of Harbor Breton.

Dec.  1st:  Left for Gaultois in order to obtain a passage to Pushthro or Grole. Spent the day with Mr. Gallop and Captain Hilton.
Dec. 2nd: Mr. Trood arrived from H.B. walked out near Picarre in company with Mssrs. Gallop, Hilton & Trood. Spent an unprofitable day. Lord have mercy upon me.

3rd: Left Gaultois for Round Harbor in John Kendles boat had a dull time up. Preached in the evening in J.Kis house all the inhabitants of the Harbor attended.

4th: Left R.H. for Little Bay by land hoping to obtain a passage for Pushthro but was disappointed. Preached in the evening to the two families and their servants residing there.

5th: During the last night the wind blew a perfect gale towards morning it became more moderate. Read prayers and preached in Little Bay this morning and in the evening at Long Island Harbor.

6th: Strong breeze of wind from N.West not able to leave the Harbor employed reading to the people.

7th: Wind continues.

8th: Left L.I. Harbor for Pushthro had a dull time Wind & Tide both against us. Preached in the evening to a good company.

9th: Heard of Mrs. Gallops illness. Preached & Baptised a child in Mr. King's house, subject Rev. 6-17. A very solemn time. I trust good is done.

10th: Visited the people at their houses, heard of poor Mr. Blackies sudden death. A loud call to survivors to be ready. Lord enable thy dust to give diligence to make his calling sure.

11th: An opportunity offered for Grole which I immediately embraced had a good time across kindly received by Mrs. Fudge and family on my arrival. the day being moderate I obtained a crew and proceeded to Pass Island. Preached &c in the evening to a good company.

12th: A very stormy breeze of wind and heavy rains not able to look out all the morning, was employed reading &c to the family & engaged in prayer. After dinner the wind became more moderate so that I was able to cross the Tickle and had a most tiresome and wet walk to Grole near 5 miles. Assembled the people on my arrival and preached to them a blessed influence appeared to rest upon the congregation.

13th: Having heard that dear Mrs. Gallop was not expected to live I left Grole in order if possible to get to Gaultois to visit her and administer comfort and c. unto her had a very tiresome walk through water & wind. arrived at Cove about 8 in the evening. Had tea after which I read, prayed &c. with the family and retired to rest.

14th: I this morning visited and prayed with dear Mrs. Gallop and returned to the Cove but had not been long there before a crew arrived from Gaultois requesting me to go across immediately as Mrs. Gallop was dying. I immediately set off with them found Mrs. G. very ill indeed. I spoke to her as to the state of her mind, she returned very satisfactory answers to the questions proposed to her I then administered the Sacrament of the Lords Supper to her and three others. A solemn and I trust profitable season. after which I baptized her
Dec. 14th: (Contd.)

infant. It was cheering to see with what composure she was this meeting the last enemy I sat up all night with her and the friends.

15th: Symptoms of Mrs. G's complaint somewhat more favorable this morning than last night, but not as well in the evening. I spent the day in reading &c.

16th: Mr. A. Ellis arrived from H.B. heard particulars of poor Mr. Blaikies death. Mrs. Gallop very poorly a little delirious towards evening sat up all night.

17th: Spent the day with Messrs. Clinton, Ellis & Gallop in the evening conversed and prayed with Dear Mrs. Gallop she appeared to repose all her confidence in the death of Christ. I believe the Lord is fitting her for himself. Lord cut short thy work in righteousness! For the name's sake.

18th: Mrs. Gallop continues very poorly the doctor has but very little hope of her recovery. Mr. Gallop is much distressed. Dear Mrs. G. is frequently insensible: not able to converse with her. As the doctor orders that every thing be kept as still as possible. Feel very dull and languid mind depressed Lord undertake for me.

19th: Mr. Gallop very kindly furnished me with a boat and crew to proceed to the Dove to preach &c. I described to a large and attentive congregation in the hope of the righteous in death. had a good time after which I returned to Gaultois was sorry to find Dear Mrs. G. much worse than when I left her. After tea I preached to a small congregation on Philippians 4-6 had a good season, after which I retired to my room &c.

20th: A very rough day confined in the house reading &c.

21st: Mrs. G. is evidently drawing near to the brink of Jordan. She is scarcely able to notice any thing frequently quite delirious.

22nd: This morning at 25 min past 5 the spirit of our dear friend and sister exchanged mortality for life. She died without a struggle or groan. Aged 28 years 3 months and 9 days.

23rd: Poor Mr. Gallop much distressed. Creation appears as a blank to him and endeavoured to comfort and encourage him from the circumstance that we had great reason to believe

"She has found the rest we toil to find
She is landed in the arms of God."

Oh how short and uncertain is life. Lord enable me to give myself afresh to thee.
Dec. 23rd: (Contd.)

"I would be thine thou knowest I would
And have thee all my own
Thou O my all sufficient good
I want and thee alone.

During the day visited H. Cove and returned to Gaultois in the evening.

24th:
I this day interred the mortal remains of deal Mrs. Gallop at Furby's Cove.
a large company of weeping mourners attended after which I retired to Gaultois
and spent this evening with Mr. Gallop. had a precious season at family prayer.

25th:
A very rough day intended to have preached &c at H.C. but could not go in
consequence of the weather and could not obtain a congregation at Gaultois.
Spent the day in reading, meditation &c.

26th:
Was this morning carried to Furby's Cove and endeavoured to improve the
death of Mrs. Gallop by preaching to a large congregation on Rev. 13-13.
after which returned to Gaultois. Preached in the evening on the "Righteous
hath hope in his death" a good company attended. Lord give thy blessing with
the word.

27th:
Was sent for to go to Round Harbor to marry Mr. Thos. Lee proceeded thither
married them and returned to Gaultois.

28th:
Visited Picarre baptized a child and from there proceeded to the Cove and
preached in the evening in James Rose's house on "What meanest thou O Sleeper
&c. Jonah 1-5.

Dec. 29th:
A very unpleasant day, much wind spent the day in reading.

31st:
I this evening preached in my room to a good and attentive congregation
on "Examine yourselves whether ye be in the Faith &c. and held a watch night
only a few remained with me in concluding the year. I felt much cause for h
humiliation and self-abasement of soul on the review of the divine goodness
toward me, in preserving me from danger in comforting me under trials in
assisting me in the performance of duties &c &c, when contrasted with my
unfaithfulness, my coldness, my ingratitude, forgetfulness of God, my want of
seal and stability in his sense, my unfruitfulness backslidings of heart &c.
Truly it is of the Lord's mercies that I have not been concerned. "What am
I O thou Glorious God.

O what my Fathers house to thee! That thou thus hearest with me and
continues to shower blessings upon me; and give me the sense of thy forgiving
love. Oh may all that is within me Bless and Praise the Lord. I do most
adorable Saviour give myself afresh to thee and thy cause.

Oh "Take my soul and body's powers
Take my memory, mind and will.
Claim me for thy service claim
All I have and all I am."
Jan. 1st 1942. Praise the Lord O my soul I have been permitted to enter upon a New Year. I felt good to draw near to God in prayer while entering upon this year. I trust that this will be a good year to my soul, it is likely to be the most important of my life yet perhaps it may be my last. How many who began the past year with us are now no more. Lord prepare me for all thy will, make me ready for death and heaven. My one desire is.

"To glorify thy name below
And find my way to heaven"

My only desire to live is to be more holy and useful. I long to be made the means of bringing lost sinners to God. Lord I am thine use me.

2nd: Hermitage Cove. I preached this morning in the Church on the 116th Psalm 12 Verse to a good congregation. Afternoon attended the Sunday School and in the evening Preached on The Parable of the Barron Fighter in Henry Rose's house a powerful divine influence attended the word. I trust these barren and hardened sinners will yet bring forth the fruits of righteousness which are by Christ Jesus to the praise and glory of God the Father. Lord grant it for thy name sake.

3rd: A very rough day employed reading &c.

4th: Preached this evening on Romans 1-16 V. & read extracts from the Missionary fathers, the people appeared to feel under the word. Lord make the impression lasting.

5th: Spent this morning in my study, afternoon visited Henry Rose Junr. who is very sick in the evening took tea at John Rose's and received a note from Mr. Gallop stating that poor Elizabeth Harding is not expected to live and requesting me to proceed to Gaultois. God willing tomorrow morning to accompany him on a visit to her. How uncertain is everything here below! how necessary to be ready.

6th: Left the Cove early this morning for Gaultois and Furbies Cove found Mr. Gallop much cast down in his mind on account of his late bereavement and also the severe affliction under which his sister in law is at present labouring. after taking breakfast with Mr. Gallop he accompanied me to Furbies Cove found Mrs. Harding very ill indeed. I spoke to her in reference to the state of her mind &c. she appeared to be seeking salvation through the s blood, I promised her to the "Lamb of God which taketh away the sin of the world and engaged in prayer with her, Oh may the Lord make her a happy witness of her pardoning mercy; returned to Gaultois spent the afternoon in reading conversation &c with Mr. Gallop in consequence of my not being able to obtain a congregation in Gaultois.
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Jan. 7th: Read prayers and preached this morning in Gaultois to a small congregation after dinner walked across to Picarre 3 miles Preached &c to the whole of the inhabitants of the Harbor together with two or three visitors on Rev. 6-17 A solemn Season. Lord give thy blessing with thy word intended to have returned to Gaultois in time to have evening service but was prevented by the weather, it was with difficulty I reached Gaultois. It was snowing and blowing most furiously.

12th: Still detained in Gaultois. Mr. Gallop this afternoon accompanied me in his boat to Furbys Cove to visit Mrs. H. found her somewhat better. I spent a considerable time with her in reading, conversation and prayer I felt much encouraged by the statements made by her in reference to the comfort she felt while I was directing her to Jesus as the only Saviour and also while engaged in prayer for her. Oh may this soul be truly converted to God. Lord I humbly beseech thee make me useful, my one desire is to be Holy and Useful. Lord I am thine save me.

13th: Very rough weather spent principal part of the day in reading feel anxious to get to the Cove and into my work.

14th: Still detained by contrary winds and rough weather.

15th: Visited 3 families and one sick person "Ambrose Morris.

16th: Mr. Gallop kindly furnished me with a boat and crew to carry me to H. Cove Preached morning and evening and attended to the school afternoon and after evening service, published for a meeting at my Room on Tuesday evening for Religious conversation and prayer.

18th: Only one person attended this evening felt my mind much cast down. Lord direct me to the use of the best means for the salvation of these people. Amen.

29th: Employed this morning about the church in the evening attended to my studies.

30th: Read prayers and preached this morning to an attentive congregation subject Acts 17 Ch & 30 & 31 Verses attended to the children in the afternoon and afterwards preached to a large congregation on M Repentance &c See 2 Chron. 33-12-13. felt much blest in my work. Oh may the Lord own the word delivered by his most unworthy servant, for his names sake.

Feb. 2nd: Preached in Robert Rose's house on "Unto you is the word of this Salvation sent Oct. 13th trust some will accept the offer of mercy and salvation thus made unto them.

4th: Left the Cove for Gaultois spent the evening with Mr. Gallop.

5th: Purchased some timber from Mr. Gallop for the church.
Feb. 6th: I this morning walked up to Picaree had a tiresome walk. Read prayers and preached to a good congregation on Rev. 7 Ch 9-17 Verses. returned to Gaultois dined then proceeded to Furby's Cove had a very rough time. Preached in the evening on M Repentance &c 2 Chron. 33-12-13.

7th: Was carried across to Gaultois in a punt rowed by two females spent the afternoon in reading and conversation.

8th: Left Gaultois for Harbor Breton and Jersey Harbor. had a beautiful time across the Bays kindly received by all friends took tea at Mr. Gadens in company with the Rev. Mr. Boone.

9th: Visited Messrs. Trood, Clinton & Ellis families took tea at Mr. Ellis's spent a very pleasant evening.

10th: Drank tea at Mr. Clintons house, found them extremely kind, returned to Mr. Ellis's to sleep.

11th: Been employed this morning in reading Burnette pastoral care, a good work, spent the evening at Mr. Gadens in company with Messrs. Boone & Stevens spent I trust a profitable evening, to God be all the praise.

12th: Left for Jersey Harbor very kindly received by Mr. & Mrs. Chapman spent the evening with them in reading conversation and prayer.

13th: Read prayers and preached twice in Jersey Harbor congregations good and attentive left for H.B. intending to have preached again but it was too late before I arrived. I then took tea at Mr. Troods and spent a profitable evening with them.

14th: Expected to have left this morning for the Cove but wind was contrary.

15th: A very rough and stormy day, much wind and snow. Finished reading Burnette Pastoral Care. & also a pamphlet entitled Father Croly's Essay on E Finances.

16th: Left for Jersey Harbor in company with Mr. & Mrs. Gadens. Mr. & Mrs. Trood and Mr. Boone spent a very happy evening with them in conversation, singing & closed the day with prayer.

17th: Returned to Harbor Breton. Spent the evening with Mr. & Mrs. Ellis.

18th: Still detained by contrary wind and weather.

19th: Left for Cove arrived at Great Harbor found that we could not cross the Bar in consequence of the heavy sea which was heaving in upon it. We then returned to H.B.
Feb. 20th: A very rough day intended to have preached at J.H. but could not get there on account of the weather. Heard Mr. Boone preach twice. I preached in the evening to a large congregation, felt much liberty of soul while speaking on Rev. 6-17. A very solemn season. I trust good will be done.

21st: Left again for Cove and Gaultois in company with Mr. Ellis had a rough time but arrived in safety to God be all the praise.

22nd: Left for Round Harbor and Pushthrough in John Chisletts small punt the day was very cold arrived at R.H. about 7 O'Clock distance between 5 & 6 miles in the evening, after tea I assembled the people together in John Lee's house and preached on M Repentance &c and afterwards sung a few of our hymns.

23rd: Left for Bonne Bay weather very cold and severe. had a very dull time owing to the tide being against us. was kindly received by Mr. Lee and his wife. Preached in the evening to a good company on Matthew 4 & 5.

24th: I this morning baptized Mr. Lee's child then walked across to Mosquitoe found that nearly all the people were from home or else out fishing, returned to B.B. and proceeded to Pushthro not able to have service in consequence of the punts being out late.

25th: Preached this evening on the Happy people, to a good company.

26th: ....this evening on Luke 11 Ch. 9-13 Verses.

27th: Read prayers and preached service to excellent congregation subjects 2 Chron. 33-12-13 &c Because sentence against an evil work is not speedily executed &c. not able to have service in the evening owing to the difficulty in the people walking from place to place after dark, the Roads being slippery.

28th: Expected to have left for down the Bay but am disappointed the wind being contrary, sung several hymns, prayed &c. with the family.

Mar. 1st: Left Pushthro called at Little Bay found most of the men were from home, then proceeded to Gaultois having promised to visit Little Bay shortly.

4th: Left Gaultois for the Cove on Board Mr. J. Porters skiff had a very rough time got much wet, but through mercy arrived safe, spent the evening in my room.

5th: Been engaged preparing for the Sabbath

6th: Read prayers and preached this morning on Revelations 3 & 20. Attended to the school in the afternoon and preached to a very large congregation on Ezekiel 18-31. A blessed influence attended the word. Oh my God enable this people to attend to the devotions of thy Holy word. After tea I met th children in my room.
March 7th: Mr. Gallop and Mr. Morris called at my residence and spent a short time with me to day. Having requested those who were anxiously seeking salvation to meet me at my House Eight persons came we spent some time in reading, religious conversation and prayer had a very profitable season together. Praise the Lord.

8th: Spent this morning about the church and in the afternoon attended to the children and in the evening visited Connaigre and baptized Martin Crew's child -- spent some time in reading and prayer.

9th: Preached this evening at the Cove on 2 Cor 6 & 1st Verse

10th: An opportunity offered for Grole which I immediately accepted, was kindly received by Mrs. Fudge and family, visited Mrs. Burton who is very ill indeed sat up with her a part of the night.

12th: Preached this evening on Luke 11-9-13...Verses to a small company

13th: Preached this morning in Mrs. Fudge's on 2 Chron. 33-12-13 Verses & in the evening on Ezekiel 33 & 11th Verse the people appeared to listen attentively to the word preached.

14th: Left Grole for the Cove, called at Seal Cove & Connaigre on my way down, arrived at the Cove about Sunset.

15th: Spent this day about the Church and in the Evening attended to the children.

16th: Crossed to Gaultois and purchased some lumber for the church returned in the evening and intended to have preached but was prevented by the punts being out late.

17th: Preached this evening in George Meads house on "And ye will not come unto me that ye might have life" John 5/48.

19th: Took tea at Robert Rose's house and spent a profitable evening in reading, conversation and prayer.

20th: Preached this morning on Hebrews 6-19 and afternoon on 2 Chronicles 26-5 and in the evening attended to the children.

21st: Crossed to Gaultois intending to proceed to the Westward but in consequence of Mr. Gallop agreeing to send the Carpenter about the Church I returned in the evening three of those who are under conviction for sin, and seeking salvation met me at my room - spent sometime in reading conversation and prayer.
March 24th: Preached at Connaigre on John 5-40.

25th: Good Friday. Praise the Lord O my soul that I have been preserved and brought to see the return of that day which is kept in commemoration of the sufferings and death of our blessed Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ. I felt much blest while preaching this morning on Romans 8- & 32 and in the afternoon on John 17-19 a blessed influence appeared to rest upon the congregation I trust that the seed sown in great weakness will be raised in power.

26th: Engaged in my studies all day.

27th: Easter Day. Praise the Lord for the return of this day. Preached this morning on 1 Cor. 15-20 and in the evening on Acts 31st after Preaching read the account of the Conversion of Christopher Sinclair of Frysdaile near Whitby Yorkshire. many appeared to feel under the word, and while I was reading that memoir Lord deepen the impressions made...Met the children in the evening

28th: Expected to have left for Pushthoro but was prevented by contrary wind. Met two or three persons who are seeking salvation had a good time with them.

29th: Left for Pushthoro on Board a skiff belonging to Mr. John Lilly of Pushthoro called at Little Bay on our way took dinner, sung a few hymns and prayed with them then proceeded to Pushthoro, kindly received by Mr. Lee and family Preached in the evening to a good company on Luke 24-46 & 47 had occasion to reprove a young man for misbehaviour during service.

30th: Proceeded to Bonne Bay in a punt rowed by two persons intended to go from thence to Richards Harbor but was prevented by contrary wind. Preached at Bonne Bay on Ezekiel 18-31 and baptized a child. the people in this place are deeply sunk in ignorance &c.

31st: A very rough day. Preached at night on Isaiah 38- & 1-

April 1st: Proceeded to Mosquito by land a troublesome walk. Preached on Acts 16-30 & 31st verses. and Baptized a child.

2nd: Returned to Pushthoro spent the evening in reading conversation singing and prayer.

3rd: Preached in the morning on 2 Chron. 26 & 5 and after meeting the Sunday scholars Preached on Ezekiel 18 & 31 and at night on Phillipians 1 & 27. A solemn day. Lord save the people.

4th: Still detained in Pushthoro. Preached again this evening to a good company.
April 5th: Left Pushthro on board the schooner Tom. bound to Long Island Harbor and preached in the evening and made a collection for the Missions.


7th: Arrived at Gaultois and received letters from home from Grand Bank Burin and St. John's. heard of the sudden but happy death of my dear uncle Robert Marshall. Lord undertake for my dear aunt and her fatherless children.

8th: Crossed the Bay to H. Cove took dinner Mr. Gallop called on his way from Harbor Breton at his request I returned with him to Gaultois heard of a poor man in Fortune Bay being starved to death.

9th: Was carried to Furby's Cove in a row boat.

10th: Preached this morning to a small congregation returned to Gaultois took dinner walked across to piccare. Preached then returned to Gaultois 2½ miles and after tea preached again.

11th: Left Gaultois for Pass Island on board the schooner Mary belonging to Messrs. Newmont Co. not able to have service as the fishermen were not late, spent the evening with Mr. & Mrs. Ridout.

12th: After family prayer and breakfast I walked across to Mooring Cove in company with Mrs. Ridout and preached in Mr. Percy's house returned to Mr. Ridouts and then proceeded to Gorely by water. Kindly received by Mrs. Fudge and family - No service.

13th: Visited several families during the day and preached at night and made a collection for the Mission.

14th: Was carried down to H. Cove by William Stickland and three young women preached in the evening.

17th: Preached twice in the Cove and attended the Sunday School.

18th: Crossed to Gaultois with my luggage and returned to the Cove from thence to Dawsons Cove and preached.

19th: Married John Engram and Susan Crew and returned to the Cove, spent the evening at Thos. Porters house in company with John & Susan Rose, spent a very happy evening.

20th: Intended to have proceeded to Round Harbor but am prevented by contrary wind spent the evening at Mr. Roberts.
March 26th: I this morning baptized 4 children and intended to have visited the people of their own houses in the afternoon but was prevented by the heavy rains - in the evening I preached to a sound company of people I am the first Wesleyan Minister that has visited this Harbour population is 33 souls.

27th: I this morning married a couple "James Lockinac and Mary Butler after dinner I proceeded to Mossemers a place about a mile and a half from English Harbor here there are 7 families residing on our way we had what is called a Barrisway to cross the water was very high my guide very kindly agreed to carry me across on his back we arrived at the house of Mr. Green and were received with sullen silence the people stared at me as though they had never seen any man before the inhabitants of this place are deeply sunk in poverty, ignorance and crime. I was notable to collect them for service as the most of the men were engaged about a boat which had come ashore the proceeding night I baptized three children. there is neither bible nor Testament in the Harbor and only one very old women that can read at all I felt much for this poor people - population 42 souls - returned to English Harbor and preached in the evening in Mr. Pine's house nearly the whole of the inhabitants together with the Crew of a Schooler belonging to Nova Scotia attended.

28th: Left English Harbour for Coombe's Cove the people carried me in a punt to a place named Boxey to 4 miles I and a young man walked across to Coombe's Cove 4 miles by land kindly received by Mr. & Mrs. Flander preached in the evening and baptized a child during service had occasion to reprove a young

April 1st: Spent the morning in reading and in the afternoon proceeded to Hermitage Cove in company with father Ivers who was proceeding to Gaultois.

2nd: Spent this day in reading and in the evening preached on Isaiah 1:19 'Come now and let us reason.