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around following the vessel as she came ashore;) Duncan Irvine, Donkin: It was a terrific gale blowing on shore. And there was a mine up here • Dominion Number 6 Colliery~it had closed down around 1925 but a lot of the buildings were here and there was a great big tall smokestack • and the captain of the ship said he saw the stack here and mistook it for a stack in Sydney Harbour. That morning we saw the ship passing here very close • and we followed down. We ex? pected her to hit a rock down there they call Schooner Pond Rock but she missed that. (You knew she'd wreck?) Oh, yes, she was in close and she kept blowing her whistle, //e followed her around and she cetme in--and they claim if she'd have been out another 30-40 feet she would have made it all right. If she got around that point she had a big channel into Morien Bay and she'd be fairly well sheltered then. We were walking. Terrific gale. You could try and jump over the bank, I imagine, it would blow you right back on