

October

SUNDAY 18

1874

Father and another went to Brampton Church this morning. My sisters walked up to S. School and I kept home alone. Supt. was pres. at school lesson. Mark IX 38 to 42. "The Mind of Christ". J. C. Snell and family were here for tea, he is for a two weeks tramp to Kentucky this week. Heard Rev W McFadden preach tonight text. James I 25th verse.

MONDAY 19

Engaged at plowing, turned over 1/3 acres. Had visitors for dinner and afternoon. Mrs J. M. Jones of Bowmanville & Rev W McFadden of Brampton. Had the wood plow brought home from shop, a new sole shear and coulter laid cost \$3.00 Bought of Benj Watson a fine home made cheese weight 23 lbs @ \$ 2^{7/8}

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TUESDAY 20

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Completed plowing the field and the cross furrows. Messrs Pickering & King put a new pump in our barnyard well, it is neat and well finished with latest improvements \$10.00 Made a bargain with Jas Sewell a certain amount of logs in bush for 8 days work. A bright warm day. Spent evening at home paring apples.

WEDNESDAY 21

Started plowing across the oat stubble field {old orchard} to day, it is heavy work, being harrowed last spring when wet it is packed hard in the bottom. Sold a lamb to Mr John W Smith @ \$12.00 six months credit. Was helping J Woodhall to thresh.