

Dec 15/11
Christmas Day 25 went to Meeting ^{Jan 1872} at Abson
Remarks by B. C. Lenson on by R. H. Barker
P. M. Do here here P. M. John Storey; here here this
Lucie W. fine Car. heard today that O. H. Rainey
house was burned yesterday morning at day light
& a good part of the furniture
26 went to S. L. Leman's W. Col'd
27 I & R. W. killed our beef & some snow & equal
Received a ~~subpoena~~ ^{summons} to appear at Court as a Petitioner
Mary man on the 8th of January 1872
28 went to Markham & a while to J. H. Rainey's
29 Had James Miller to thresh few loads, closed
barned out 5 bus. I & J. B. began drawing wood chaps
P. M. drew & P. M.
30 I & J. B. drew 6 logs A. M. then he went home
& I brought load edging P. M. W. East wind
31 Went to Haven's W. Thawing rain ^{rain this} after
Zimlans came to stay all night
Jan 1st 1872 at home all day. N. & W. Moyer from
were here while A. M. W. fine Car. road. a sheet of ice
the centre of the tumpike, fields mostly bare
I & J. B. drew 16 logs. Uncle Sam's youngster
& youngsters from Bayaga & Anna Rason were here
at noon. W. strong sharp East wind
3 I & J. B. drew 9 logs. A. M. cut some sheaves put some on
Pork & I & Nancy went to Cedar Grove P. M. W. East
soft snow & a little rain P. M. mild
4 I & J. B. & little John brought home Cow that I bought of A. B.
@ \$35.00 this morning. Then we drew 11 logs W. W. Cloney
5 I Chined A. M. helped B. C. kill beef P. M. W. fine
R. W. killed my poor old faithful horse Tom tonight
Aged 29 yrs 6 m. he got down and could not rise
6 I & Nancy went to Markham. Called at J. Storey's
for dinner he bought 2 Steers off me @ \$25.00 each
I moved some power behind Ed's house W. Col'd
Sunday 7 all went to Meeting at Abson remarks
by R. H. Barker sermon on St. Mat. 8 C. by B. C.
David Ramer & Mary Hoover & Zimlans youngsters were here P. M.
I bought three D. B. the Choke for me & intend to go to Toronto tomorrow
next ^{very} cold a little milder ^{this} evening