

5/12

6330
5 3/4
1582 3/4
4728

1-8-9
8-12-6

60
33
9-3

Edward Holt to Mr.
June 1848 to Dix 0-10-0
to Cash 0-10-0

Lumber delivered to Markham
Plant Road
July 1st 1849

50 1/2 feet fair lumber 17-12-6
1 1/4 rough boards 1 7-6
£ 19 0-0

Files drawn from Pettys
1879 Sept 16 120 2 in
do 24 460 3 in
1880 April 20 400 2 8 in
do 24 500 2 in
June 22 500 2 in
1881 July 13 400 3 in
do 14 200 3 in
do do 200 2 in
Nov 3 500 2 in
do 500 2 in

Elizabeth Burkholder Commenced
work October 3rd 1849 at 15/ per month

Oct 6th Cash - £ 0-13-14
absent four weeks
13-4

March 17th 1850 9-7-6
13 12
£ 2-14-4 1/2
Boots 10
£ 2-4-4 1/2

Somes Purdy to Meason 1850

Janry to 9 3/4 lbs pork 0-3-7-
March 3rd to 2 3/4 lbs pork 0-1-0
March 28th to 10 lbs pork 0-3-9
April 9th to 6 3/4 lbs pork 0-2-6
April 20th to 22 1/2 lbs pork 0-8-5
29th to Cash 0-0-1/2
July 2nd to 6 lbs pork 0-2-3
July 12th to 6 1/2 lbs pork 0-2-5
July to Cash 0-15-0
August 10th to 3 lbs pork 0-1-1/2
2-8-1/2
acct of A. K. 3-10-0
£ 5-10-1/2

Paid

Elizabeth Burkholder Commenced
work Nov 1st 1850

absent ten days 120
400
500
500 1720
200
£ 0-2-0
to mending shoes 0-11-3
to 1 pair Lace Boots 0-13-3
March 29 absent 12 days

5 months 4 days

March 1st 1851

46
to Cash

E. Petty Dr to B. B. Reason
 Jan 3rd 1880
 to 29 Cords Hemlock & Pine
 wood @ \$1.75 per Cord
 Received \$15.75 - Oct 29th 1880

Balance full

20 Cords of the above to
 be Paid for with Tiles

~~53 1/2 lbs Beef from Martin
 Nicholasman to be
 returned~~

E. Wheeler to S. Reason Jr

		175	1575	\$	S	D
Sept 1847	to Sawing 1000 feet oak			1	0	0
Oct	to Sawing 9488 feet			4	14	9
	to Sawing 1256			0	12	6
Jan 24	to Sawing 3817			1	18	0
1848	to Sawing 8674 measured and piled in April 1848			4	6	9
April 26 th	Sawing 3788 feet			1	17	2
26	Sawing 575			0	5	9
May 10 th	Sawing 1276			0	12	9
16 th	Sawing 625 feet			0	6	3
24 th	to Lumber 475			0	12	6
June 12 th	to Lumber 1100 to Milton			1	7	6
15 th	to Scantling 80 feet			0	1	11
19 th	to Lumber 516 feet			0	12	9
22 nd	to Lumber 843 feet			1	1	2
26 th	to Lathing 1200 feet			1	10	0
29 th	to Lathing 850 feet			1	1	3
Oct 21 st	to Lumber 1000 feet to young			0	10	0
Dec 27	to Sawing 973 feet			0	9	9
				23	0	6

Anna Lehman to S. Reason

March 17th 1851

to	Cash	1	0	0
to	100 lbs flour	0	10	0
to	1/2 bus dry apples	0	2	6
29 th	to Cash	1	10	0
April 10 th	to 22 lbs pork 1/4	0	7	4
17 th	to 75 lbs flour	0	7	6
May 14 th	to Cash	3	10	0
July 4 th	to 28 lbs flour	0	2	9
12 th	to Cash to S. Hood	1	0	0
August	to Cash	3	0	0
Sept 1 st	to 1/2 bus Beans	0	4	0
		0	2	0

17 13 0
 11 16 1
 5 16 11
 23 39

8-10 1

11-17 1

Dec 22nd 1848

Peter Lapp Act — 12 0/1
Rec'd April 1849 Received on account 12 10 0
£5-0-0 Remains due 7 9 10 1/2
Rec'd Oct 1849 2-10-0

David Vick Paid 10-8-3

Robert Garland Paid 9 15 7 1/2
Jan 8 1849 Received 8 3 10 1/2
Remains due 1 14 15

James Doughty Paid 9-0-3

Christian Weidmann 2 12 9 1/2

Charles Goff Paid 10 12 4 6-1

Jacob Lapp 1-9-6

M^{rs} Davidson Paid 7 3 4
Jan 25 1849 Received 5-0-0

Joseph Niton Paid 10-0-0
Remains due 16 13 13

C. Raymer Paid 1-0-10

paid A. Reiser Paid 5 6 18 11

M^{rs} Mindle Paid 14 2 12 10 1/2
3 7/8
4-6-17 1/2

Abel Miller Paid 3-0-6

Charles Allen Paid 2 10 0

Joseph Cox Paid 4-0-11

5 bushels
47 7-8-5 1/2
27
18
92
11 9-0
7
2 18 4
4 1 1
6-19-5
2
4-19-5

James Purdy to J. Burk

Oct 5 1850

to 47 bushels 0 4 10
to 111 lb beef 1 3 1 1/2
to 1 lb ham 1 3
to 1 lb butter 1 3
to 11 lb Government 0 0 8
to 5 bushels wheat 0-18-9
to 27 lb flour 0 2 6
to 5 bushels wheat 1 0 0
to Cash 0 10 0
to 5 bushels wheat 1 0 0
to 5 bushels wheat 1 0 0
to 37 lb pork 0 12 4
to 16 lb pork 5 4
to 5 bushels wheat 1 0 0
to 8 lb pork 0 2 8
to 3 bushels wheat 0 12 0
to 4 bushels wheat 0-16-0
to Cash from C. Burk 0 7 6
to 18 lb flour 0 1-10
to 4 bushels wheat 0 16 0
to 4 bushels wheat 0 16 0
to 4 bushels wheat 0 14 0
to 11 lb Beef 0-1-5
13 1 3

Settled with J. Purdy

Oct 25 1851
Balance due to Purdy 6 18 7
Paid to Purdy 6 18 7

Elizabeth Burkholder

Commenced work

8th March 1852

March 20th Sick 4 days
24th to mending shoes 1-3-0
Apr 21 to 19 2-6-3
Jan 23 1852 on leave 9-9-0
26th absent 1 1/2 days
July 17th handkerchiefs 0 0 9
August 21st to Cash 1 0 0
absent on 21st August 1 14 0
Nov 1st to Cash 2 0 0

William Watson 1849

Jan 1st	to 2 bushels potatoes	0 3 9
22 nd	1 bu potatoes	0 1 10 ¹ / ₂
Feb 1 st	2 1/2 lbs tallow	0 1 0 ¹ / ₂
26 th	to 6 bushels oats at 1/2 m	0 7 0
Feb 26 th	11 lbs beef at 1/2	0 1 10
March 1 st	to 1 lb Butter	0 0 7 ¹ / ₂
March 1 st	order to Cowan	0 5 0
28 th	to 1 barrel flour to Bells	1 0 0
April 2 nd	to Cash	6 5 0
May 11 th	to Cash	2 5 0
14 th	to 17 1/2 bus oats	1 0 3
June 5 th	to 5 bus peas	0 12 6
11 th	to 3 bus potatoes	0 6 0
Do	to 23 1/2 lbs wool at 1/2	1 3 6
Do	to 7 1/2 bus potatoes from B	0 15 0
to	1 pig from B. Burdett	0 15 0
Aug 1 st	Paid J. Cowan	2 4 2
July 4 th	to 1 peck dry apples	0 1 6
14 th	to 85 lbs flour	0 8 6
21 st	to 1 1/2 lbs Butter	0 0 11 ¹ / ₂
30 th	to 1 1/2 lbs Butter	0 0 11 ¹ / ₂
August 1 st	to 30 lb flour	0 3
4 th	to 10 lbs mutton	0 2 6
Sept 12 th	to Cash	0 15 6
16 th	to 4 bus wheat	0 16 0
28 th	to Cash to Bells	5 0 0
Oct 4 th	to Cash	0 15 0
to	Cash	0 5 0
to	2 sheep at 1/2 each	1 0 0
to	Cash	8 0 0
Dec 12 th	to 3 1/2 lbs tallow	0 1 5 ¹ / ₂
to	log Chain	0 17 6
to	nick yoke and double tin	1 2 6
		36 17 7
	to Heat	5
	Sittled	4 1 17 7

Settled with Wm Watson

January 11th 1850

Due Wm Watson £ 3 18 3¹/₂

Jan 12th to Cash £ 4 0 0

Carried forward 0 1 8¹/₂

Oct 7th 1850

Received 224 lbs Beef from Wm Watson at 1/2 per lb. £ 2 6 8

William Watson Jan 1850

to	5 bushels Spring wheat	17 6
Sept 15 th 1849	to 3 days plowing	1 0 0
Jan 12 th 1850	to Cash	0 1 8 ¹ / ₂
Feb 10 th	to 1 lb Butter	0 0 4 ¹ / ₂
13 th	to 1.00 lbs shorts from H. H. H.	0 10 0
20 th	to 14 3/4 lbs pork at 1/2	0 5 6
March 2 nd	to 15 lbs pork	5 7
9 th	to Cash to Bells	1 12 6
18 th	to 4 bus bran from H. H. H.	0 8 0
to	40 bus oats from Joseph H. H.	2 10 0
to	50 bus oats from J. H. H.	3 2 6
to	10 bus oats from J. H. H.	0 12 6
April 15 th	to order to Barber	1 0 6
May 4 th	to Cash	1 5 0
7 th	to 4 lbs lard	0 1 8
15 th	to 17 1/2 lbs pork at 1/2	0 6 6 ¹ / ₂
26 th	to 2 lbs mutton	0 14 6
June 15 th	to 7 1/2 bus of hay	0 2 1
18 th	to 5 lbs lard	0 2 1
18 th	to 12 lbs pork at 1/2	0 4 6

July 2nd to 104 lb flour 0 11 3

22nd to Cash 2 0 0

24th to 14 1/2 lbs pork 0 5 5

July 11th to Cash 0 1 3

August 1st to 45 lb flour 0 5 6

10th to 49 lb flour 0 5 9

23rd to 11 lbs pork at 1/2 0 3 2

24th Paid J. Cowan 1 12 6

Sept 2nd Paid J. Graham note 11 15 0

£ 32 1 2

Benjamin B. B.

0 9 4

May 22nd 1850 0 9 4

Oct 7th to 4 bus apples 0 4 0

31st to Cash from Joseph H. H. 5 0 0

£ 38 3 10

Paid to 0 5 0

Feb 1851 to 9 bus oats 0 10 6

to 10 bushels wheat 1 17 6

May 13th to 9 bushels oats 0 11 3

July 12th to 12 bus oats 0 18 0

August 4th to 1/2 bushel dry apples 3 9

14 to 6 bus oats 0 9 0

£ 42 14 6

rent for year 1850 12 0 0

rent for year 1851 13 10 0

Sittled £ 68 4 6

Settled

Wm Watson day 24 1851 £ 9 0 0

on note 1851 £ 9 0 0

Saryann Flower Commenced work

October 30th 1848

Nov 1st to 3 yds flannel 0 8 1/2
Jan 1st to 1 yd Calico 0 0 7 1/2
to 1 yd boots 0 8 9

Feb 1st absent 2 weeks at school

March 5th to School for 0 2 1
7th to Cash 0 6 3
apart not absent 10 1/2 days
May 24th to 4 yds Calico & 1 yd 0 3 0
June 19th to Cash 0 15 0
to Cow 2 3 10
to Cow 2 10 0
to 4 13 10

brought to June 30th

June 30th to Cash 0 8 0
6 months 22 1/2 days 5 2 10

for 1851

Mm Mahon due on note 9 0 0
dying will 2 17 6
Remains due 7 2 6
by 13 logs cutting & hauling 1 2 9
Remains due for 1851 4 19 9

Dec 22nd to 12 lbs tobacco 0 5 0

June 23rd 1852 A River cart act 3 3 9

Oct 1852 teaming lumber 5 2 6

due 3 5 0

rent for year 1852 13 10

16 15 0

Mm Flower Commenced work March 5th 1849

March 6th to School for himself 0 3 7
7th to 1 yd for Elizabeth Flower 0 4 1
Do Do to 1 lb of tobacco 1 3 6
May 1st to Pocket Comb 1 10 1/2
to watch guard 18 9
to 1 lb flour 2 6
to 1 glass for watch

21st absent 3 1/2 days

May 31st to 1 lb of Powder 6
to 1 lb of Shot 5
to 25 gun caps 2
June 8th Paid Cowan 3 17 6
23 absent 1 day
23 to Cash for gun 1 6 10 1/2
July 6th to 100 lb flour 0 8 9
7th absent haying Corn 3 days 1 1 0

July 7th one Chip hat 0 1 0
20th absent 1 day
30th absent 3 days in harvest 1 1/2 days stacking

August 11th to 1 lb of tobacco 1 3
to Cash 5 0
26th absent 5 days sick 0 15 0
Sept 25th to Cash 1 1 5 1/2
17th to Cash to H Boyce 0 2 6
19th absent 1 day 9 12 11 1/2
28th Cash to Cowan 4 3 9
to order for an ax 0 10 0
to Cash 1 0 2
15 6 10 1/2

Mm Flower to Cash 1 10 1/2
brought 6 months 14 1/2 days 15 8 9
at 22-10-0 per month

not dying will 2 12 6
Billance on logs 1 3 9
teaming for Cowan 5 2 6
18 7 9

James Purdy wrought

week ending Nov 1st 1851

week ending Nov 8th

Nov 29th

Jan 5th

18th

Feb 14th

4 1/2 days

2 days

2 days

3 days

2 days

1 1/2 days

James Purdy to J. Keenan

Nov 1st 1851

Nov 1st to 16 lbs Beef 1/4 L 0-2-0

4th to 4 bushels wheat 0-14-0

7th to 6 pigs from J. Shindle 2/9 each 0-16-6

22nd to 192 lbs Beef at 49 cents 1-8-9

28th to 113 lbs flour 0-9-0

Dec 15th to 13 lbs flour 0-1-0

18th to 4 bushels wheat 0-14-0

Jan 8th 1852 to 94 lbs flour 0-8-0

28th to 4 bushels wheat 0-14-0

Feb 12th to 3 lbs lard 2 lbs tallow 0-2-1

13th to 4 bushels wheat 0-14-0

March 4th to 2 lbs lard 0-0-10

25th to 4 bushels wheat 0-15-0

April 3rd to 6 1/2 lbs pork 1/2 0-2-8 1/2

26th to 4 bushels wheat 0-15-0

May 17th to 4 bushels wheat 0-15-0

June 7th to 4 bushels wheat 0-15-0

26th to 4 bushels wheat 0-15-0

July 14th to 4 bushels wheat 0-15-0

21st paid School fees 0-7-6

24th to 24 1/2 lbs Mutton at 1/3 0-6-1 1/2

August 6th to 4 bushels wheat 0-15-0

8th to 3 1/2 lbs dry pork 0-1-3

Sept 2nd to 10 lbs flour 0-0-10

4th to 4 bushels wheat 0-15-0

23rd to 3 1/2 bushels wheat 0-13-1 1/2

28th to 4 bushels wheat 0-15-0

15 8 2

Keenan's note 4-5-0

paid 5-0-0

24 12 2 1/2

23 10

Reed's work 1-2 8

to 1 1/2 days ploughing 0-11-3

J. Purdy 1-10-1 1/2

Nov 4th to 4 bushels wheat 0-15-0

Little's above due 2-8-5

James Purdy brought for 1 hour

Nov 1st 2 days thrashing
4th 1 day picking lumber

April 15th Digging Cellar 1 1/2 days
week ending April 23rd 5 days
week ending April 30 5 1/2 days
and John Purdy 4 1/2
May 7th 1 day
John 1 day
14th 5 1/2

24
6 1/2
8 1/2
16
10 1/2

James Purdy to J. Keen

Nov 4th 1852

to Ballance Boney to forward	2	8	5 1/2
Jan 16 th 1853 to 1 bush Pork	0	1	3
27 th to 1 Bbl flour	1	1	3
March 7 th to 1 Bbl flour	1	1	3
10 th to 11 lbs pork at 1/2	0	4	7
17 th to 6 1/2 lbs pork	0	2	8 1/2
20 th to 20 lbs Corn meal	0	1	3
April 4 th to 11 1/2 lbs pork	0	4	10 1/2
9 th to 1/2 Bbl flour	0	10	7 1/2
15 th to 15 lbs pork	0	6	3
22 nd to 1/2 Bbl flour	0	10	7 1/2
22 nd to 80 lbs Corn meal	0	5	0
May 2 nd to 1/2 Bbl flour	0	10	7 1/2
20 th to 1/2 Bbl flour	0	10	7 1/2
29 th to Cash	0	5	0
June 3 rd to 1/2 Bbl flour	0	10	7 1/2
21 st to Cash	0	10	0
28 th to 4 bushels wheat 1/2	0	18	0
July 2 nd to 9 lbs pork	0	3	9
12 th to 1 doz w fish	0	1	10 1/2
15 th to 4 bushels wheat	0	18	0
August 22 nd to 30 lbs flour	0	5	0
23 rd to 22 lbs meal	0	5	6
Oct 3 rd to 1 lb Butter	0	0	6
to Cash	3	0	0

14 15 7 1/2
5
1
20-15 7
11 5
5

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40/1851 teamwork

Settled with Purdy 21-10 10
Nov 4th 1853 paid Cash 10 10 5
73 2 0-3

2500

Talked with Mr. Huber

Oct 21 1851 remains due on acct 9 0 0

Dec 22nd 12 Mr. Callow 0 5 0

75 to 0 due from Mr. Huber 3 3 9

Rent for year 1852 13 10 0

\$ 25 18 9

15 16 3

\$ 10-2 3

work had from station

digging well 2-17-6

Balance of 13 logs 1 2-9

Logging and hauling 89 logs 6 13-6

hauling for Cawson 5 2-6

\$ 15 16-3

hauling brick and lumber 10 0 0

Private Journal of Benj. B. Reesor
 Nov. 22. 1878 D Brown came & brought
 2 men with him to shingle but it began
 to rain about daylight rained all day
 the men went home Brown started & fixed
 turning cellar door & threshed some Peas
 I & John brought a load of sand Pm
 23. I went home. Brown came about
 10 am brought a man with him shingled
 till night. Rained awhile this morning
 Sunday 24 I & Nancy & little boys went to meeting
 at Cedar Grove remarks & sermon on St John
 part of 6 @ by B. C. W. fine clear. roads bad
 25 Brown came & brought a man with
 him nearly finished shingling W. soft snow
 nearly all day about 2 inches on the ground
 26 I & Nancy & Harry helped A. B. kill hogs I
 drew home wood with sleigh A. M. Daniel & I
 Brown finished shingling barn & put a
 window in roof. W. snow several miles
 27 we killed our 8 hogs Mr. Mild A. M.
 heavy rain from east all Pm A. B.
 staid all night Brown hung some
 window shutters A. M.
 28 I salted meat of saved wood
 W. mild cloudy
 29 I & Nancy & Susanna went to
 Monkham roads very bad of Plowed
 in soil Brown sent a man to hang
 shutters W. fine clear over land
 30 frost rather hard to plow of threshed
 Peas. B. C. helped a little while Pm
 to thresh about 40 boxes Oats W. clear
 Sunday Dec 1st All went to meeting
 at Belton remarks by B. C. sermon
 on St John part of 5th @ by B. C. D. H. H. H.
 Uncle Sam Peas & Abraham Hoover
 were here Pm. W. frost last night
 rather clear & today east wind
 2 I & boys cleaned Peas & some
 wheat I was at home W. heavy rain
 from east water high I went to
 Cedar Grove this evening
 3 I & Nancy helped G. to kill
 hogs John drew 2 loads sand. W. fine
 4 I helped A. B. kill hogs I & G. drew
 wood A. M. W. about 3 in snow last night
 5 I helped B. D. kill hogs W. clear
 pretty sharp I & G. drew wood A. M. cut
 timber in bush Pm.

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6 I helped B. C. kill hogs I & P banked
 turnip cellar with dung. W. Clear fine
 7 I went to Markham A.M. weighed
 some hay for W. Morrison P.M.
 G. dug garden W. Mild. Cloudy
 Sunday 8 John & Adeline went to
 Meeting at Wickersham I helped A
 Stover bury a little infant A.M.
 W. mild Clear white frost last
 8 I sawed wood in shed I chored
 W. about 6 in soft snow last night
 I am rain P.M. snow going boys
 went to mill with sleigh. pretty good
 10 I & Nancy went to Fairlawn. W. rain
 this morning Cloudy today rain heavy
 this evening snow about all gone
 this is my Nanceys 39th Birthday
 11 chored I went to Cedar Grove A.M.
 W. Cold. very high wind last night
 12 I & Nancy went to P.B. & I went to
 Tulling Mill at Altona W. fine
 roads wearing level. pretty good wheeling
 13 I brought home great Bear Chap. W.
 pretty Cold wind
 14 John took Jess to Markham to get
 chod P.M. W. east wind A.M.
 snow from east P.M. mild
 Sunday 15 girls went to C.B. we
 all went to B. C. W. pretty cold
 not enough snow for sleighing
 16 chored A.M. I & John went to B. C.
 to help thresh Machine did not come
 I went to Cedar Grove P.M. W. Clear
 17 drew 2 loads wheat to Cedar
 Grove mills old Treadwell @ 90^{cts}
 old life spring @ 78^{cts} W. fine
 18 I & John helped B. C. thresh
 W. very fine roads good
 19 drew 1 load old spring wheat
 A.M. Cleared another & helped
 B. C. move a building W. Clear
 20 drew 2 loads wheat 10 bus
 new Claesson with last load.
 @ 90^{cts} per bus W. pretty cold
 21 Killed geese & turkey A.M.
 I & Goy took them to Markham
 P.M. W. heavy snow from east
 I sawed wood here last night

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Sunday 22 at home all day John
 & girls went to Meeting at Cedar Grove
 W. about 10 in snow this morning
 good sleighing. pretty Cold
 23 I & John helped B. C. thresh
 with team W. Cold west wind
 24 I went to help B. C. thresh with team
 too Cold & Windy. Chored at home
 Christmas day 25 all went to
 Meeting at Hebron except Adeline
 & a few of the little Children
 sermon by B. C. aunt Lizzy Bush
 26 I & John helped B. C. thresh with team
 W. a little windy but mild
 Old Jacob Schuman of Ringwood
 died yesterday thresh with team W. fine
 27 I helped B. C. thresh with team
 28 I & John helped B. C. thresh with team
 W. fine John Wickersham & wife came to
 stay all night
 Sunday 29 Went to Meeting at Hebron
 sermon by B. C. sermon on St
 John by B. C. Wickersham Nancy
 Brothers Enos Dease & Peter & Mary
 Williamson were here at dinner
 & J. H. Ramer & Ben Hoover at
 supper. W. fine not very Cold
 30 went to Markham got
 Lomax shod went to J. H. Ramer
 for piece of Venison. I & Nancy
 went to see Old D. Hoovers this
 evening. W. pretty Cold
 31 I & Nancy & aunt Lizzy went
 to A.B. I helped him kill a hog
 W. pretty Cold sleighing good
 Jan 1st 1879. John & girls went
 to Fairlawn to grinding took B.
 C. & girls along W. very fine Clear
 2. Cleared some wheat W. Cold
 very heavy west wind. some snow A.M.
 3 Brought home load of wood from
 Dykes A.M. W. very Cold West wind some
 4 Took great wheat to Cedar Grove A.M.
 Nancy went along to store W. heavy West
 wind snow drifting pretty bad. Cold

1899 Jan 1 at home N B. weather
with their new Baby girl his Mother
& sisters were here too. W. pretty cold
east & west roads blowed thin in spots
north & south roads drifted in places
6 John & Flavins went to school
9 & little boys drew a load of
pine top wood from Dykes W. fine
went to meeting at Hebron John
kept house remarks by B. C. Leman
on St John by R. C. Gayman
Re Jos Barker & M. N. were here Pm
Martin Barker. This evening Dan
Wiedemann came to stay all night
B. N. called this morning with
C. Gayman's W. fine pretty cold
8 boys drew 2 loads wood &
went to Whitvale Pm. weather
to B. N. this evening. W. clear
9 I & Harry went to meeting at Altone
remarks by R. D. J. Wiedemann sermon
by R. C. Gayman went to M. N.
Pm called at J. Leman's coming
home W. sharp air. going north
10 Went to Dykes bush A.M.
to Cedar Grove Pm. W. fine
D. D. were here this evening
11 Took Benjamin to Toronto
on Car Dr was not at home
W. some snow A.M. fine Pm
Sunday 12 at home John & girls
went to meeting at Altone
W. very fine clear. Mild
13 Choral. W. pretty cold
14 Went to MonRham W. cold
15 Choral W. Cloudy pretty cold
John & girls went to G. Thomas
16 Tula was here at dinner
I & Harry went to M. Dykes
Pm we measured Hemlock
wood I & I went to Cedar Grove
W. about 5 in snow last night
17 I went to MonRham got sell
had good day W. Mild

18 I & John dined 1899 Cold wood to
D. Rainer W. fine. Clear sharp
Sunday 19 John & girls went to meeting
at Cedar Grove W. clear a little
windy this evening
20 I & I took 1 1/2 Cords pine wood to
Snowballs Brick & Tile yard
@ \$2.00 per Cord A.M. G. Cut wood
Pm. W. very sharp clear B. N. D.
were here this evening
21 I & I & John took 2 loads wood
2 1/2 Cords A.M. I took 1 1/2 Cords Pm
W. milder some snow about noon
22 I took 1 1/2 Cords wood to Snowballs W. mild
23 I took 1 1/2 Cords do do W. mild
24 I took 1 1/2 Cords do do W. colder
I brought back 400 2 in tiles each
this time making 1200
25 I & John & Flavins went to Union
ville & returned road list. Came by
MonRham bought Overcoat for
John @ \$6.00 W. Mild A.M.
blowed up from north very
high wind Pm. getting colder
Sunday 26 I & Children went to meeting
at Hebron Harry kept house
remarks & sermon on St Luke 15 C
by R. D. J. Hoover B. C. is gone to
Waterloo to assist in Ordaining a
Bishop. W. clear sharp
27 I took boys to school then
went round by B. D. to Cedar
Grove Mills bought about 465
lbs of bran W. getting mild & soft
28 asked hands to Thrash. soft
29 Thrashed. fine wheat 52 sacks
12 Poor land 95 Clawson 25 W. fine
clear blizzing about gone
30 Thrashed Clawson 32 Oats 425 got
done about half past 3 Pm all went
very well W. fine mild clear
31 I went to Somerville sale on
the old Wheeler farm W. clear cold
Feb 1 Took Benjamin to Dr in Toronto on
Cons he says eye is all right with the
exception of a Cataract he will take that
off in the spring W. very cold. north wind

Monday 2 at home all day. W
 partly cloudy & clear. wind from
 north. milder towards evening
 3 went to Hebron to election of
 Trustees A.M. J. B. D & Manum
 Lots are elected for the current
 year drew some rails & took home
 borrowed O. to W. B. & B. C. W. fine
 4 drew rails & wood W. fine
 5 Chores & made hens nests W. mild
 a little snow
 6 helped Pelkey thresh W. mild fine
 7 I & Herman went to Markham
 middling good sleighing. W. clear mild
 8 I went to Markham. sleighing very bad
 Sunday 9 at home all day. W. very high north
 wind & squalls of snow. Calm strong
 10 Chores & I & John & Herman brought
 some gravel for hens from Pickering
 pit W. pretty cold east wind
 11 Chores A.B.s were here at noon
 W. soft snow & rain. Thawing
 hung up pork to smoke. John
 has not been at school the last
 few days he hurt his knee
 12 I & boys threshed Peas A.M. boys took them
 to mill P.M. W. snow last night &
 13 Chores W. west wind cold John
 took Julius to school & brought
 him home this evening. good sleighing
 14 Chores John brought Chop home
 W. cold
 15 I & boys threshed Peas A.M. cut a
 few Basswood logs & John & Julius
 took 2 to mill P.M. W. cold clear
 Sunday 16 Boys & girls went to meeting
 at Cedar Grove. W. fine clear
 17 I took boys to school & cut a
 little at logs A.M. drew one P.M.
 W. fine. good sleighing east wind
 18 Julius came early this morning
 cut some logs P.M. W. fine
 inches snow last night & this
 morning very fine today mild
 19 cut some logs & drew 5. W. cold
 20 drew 5 logs W. fine in snow last night
 pretty cold

21 Chores A.M. cut big Basswood logs
 P.M. B. & C. Man helped saw 2 cuts
 W. Coldest Morning this winter Mild P.M.
 22 Cut wood in shed till near noon then I
 John loaded one of big Basswood logs
 & brought it as far as the house till
 my mother drew it & the other big one
 P.M. W. some snow last night &
 absolute this morning good sleighing
 Sunday 23 girls & little boys went to
 meeting at Hebron I & Mary & John
 kept house John has cold W. fine
 24 Chores A.M. helped B. & C. kill a beef
 P.M. W. clear. cold
 25 Chores A.M. went for Dr. Robinson
 P.M. Mary gave birth to a son about
 4 P.M. doing very well. W. snow &
 wind from east all day. not cold
 26 Chores W. cold
 27 Chores A.M. drew a log P.M.
 W. very cold. sleighing very good
 28 drew in part of haystack P.M. W.
 cold strong east wind
 March 1 drew home wood I & John
 drew 1 ash log from Dykes to mill
 Sunday 2 at home all day A.B.s called
 P.M. W. fine mild clear
 3 Chores W. very fine. mild thawing
 4 Julius were here. I have had cold
 W. B. went to Toronto with our team
 Poor old horse Frank died at Asmadale
 with inflammation. W. cloudy mild
 a little squally at times he sold
 Butter @ 20¢ eggs @ 18¢
 5 Chores A.M. I & little boys went to
 meeting at Hebron P.M. Sermons on St
 John 10 C by R.B. I & J Bowman from
 Waterloo M.A.s were here at noon I
 Sermons called P.M. W. clear mild
 6 I went to Cedar Grove have cold yet
 A.B.s were here this evening W. fine
 7 J.B.s & Isaac Moyers were here. Mild
 lots at supper & Mary Ramer &
 her little boys all night W. thawing
 Chores Peas boys took them to mill
 got Peas shod W. mild. heavy thunders
 & shower of rain P.M.

Monday 9 at home B. & D. were here
E. Thorman's were here this evening
W. soft, a little rain & thunder at night
10 went to J. Long's bought his pile
shade & m brought home Chop Pm
W. very warm, clear, roads muddy
11 Chopped & a little boys. Cleaned & joint
W. pretty, Cold North wind heavy thunder
last night which makes three nights
of thunder in succession. Tend
12 went to Markham W. warm roads
13 took in some hay & m. Tapped
trees 6 & buckets Pm. sup. sun well
14 I & J. Mainland helped B. & D. ^{W. clear} thresh with
team W. fine. snow squall at noon
15 I & J. M. helped B. & D. thresh Pm
boys boiled 3 quarts Molasses in shop
we draw the sup. home W. Colder
B. & D. were here this evening
Sunday 16 John & girls went to Marting
at Cedar Grove. W. Cold. Clear
17 I & J. M. threshed Peas W. a little
snow last night & A.M. Cold
18 I & J. M. threshed Peas Silman
McDonnell was here Pm for 20
Bar Pm land seed Wheat @ 83
per B. as W. Cold. Clear
19 I & J. M. threshed Peas W. Cold
20 I went to Markham & the Unionville
registered boy baby his name is
Henry Hoover Painter came to
14 P. & window blinds W. sharp
15 21 helped thresh a while then
Simons Hoover's came W. fine
22 I went to Toronto sold butter
@ 24 eggs @ 16 W. a very very heavy
snow storm from east from 9
A.M. till dark very bad coming home
23 I & children went to Marting
at Hebron remarks by B. & C. Remon on
at Mat 16 by R. & P. B. & they A.B.
Remon were here after Leanne & D.D.
youngsters this evening W. mild clear
24 I & John & B. I went to
Markham Pm Bought new spigot
16 aggon with plain base & neck yoke
25 50. we cleaned 86 bus Peas A.M.
W. soft snow A.M. Cloudy drizzle Pm

25 Cleaned 45 bus Peas & 40 at per bus A.M. drew home wood
26 I went to Markham A.M. Chopped Pm
W. strong east wind. Chilled
27 I went to John Cole's this morning
I then went to Cedar Grove Pm. W. a little
harrowed to Cherrywood Pm. W. a little
snow last night. Mild Cloudy today
28 Boiled some Molasses & brought home
Chop. W. cloudy pretty mild roads bad
29 Boiled molasses W. heavy rain last night
30 John & girls went to A.B. & children
went to J.D. W. blowed up Cold Pm
31 Drew in last of hay stack it saved week
W. pretty Cold. Thawed some Pm
April 1 I & John drew Out out of
driving house into barn W. Thawing
fine drew home sup. Pm roads well
Pm M. N. Called Pm boiled this evening
2 boiled all day Made 16 1/2 lbs sugar W. cold
3 I went to Cedar Grove A.M. & the J.
Hagermans. Sale Pm. W. very Cold
4 Worked in barn. setting up Machine
& cut some wood. W. very Cold old
Pump froze fast last night
5 Fixed up things ready to thresh A.M.
threshed about 120 bus Oct. Pm
P.D. Rameis came at noon W. mild
Sunday 6 John & girls went to Marting
at Altoma I & Mary & children went
to A.B. W. fine clear. Cold N. wind
7 Went to Furlows Aunt Lizzy
B. went with us W. Cold N. wind
roads getting good. I & John went
to Isaac Moggis this evening to watch
for a Lynx that has been prowling round
his place a few nights lately saw nothing
8 Boiled 11 lbs sugar & 11 stones Chopped in
old bush W. fine. Clear. sup. sun
9 Boiled 11 1/2 lbs sugar stones & his 2 boys
Chopped & sawed & John & girls went
to Cherrywood & to A.B. this evening
W. very warm Clear sup. sun A.M.
10 Cleaned seed Peas & some seed
Spring. Went for M.C. Tracts W. rain
A.M. soft snow Pm from east
Good Friday 11 all went to Marting
at Hebron remarks & Remon on
Friday 12 by B. & C. B. N. Peter & his
wife were here Pm W. ground white
with snow. This morning all thawed
today sup. sun well Pm roads
very bad

12 Boiled Sap all day untill Midnight
didn't sugar off. Storer & his boys cut
wood. W. froze hard last night fine
runs very well

wood. W. froze well
today sap runs very well
B. C. Sunday 13 at home B. C.
Children well here W. Whiteford
rather Cloudy great sun of sap

Easter Monday 14 I sugared off
16 1/2 lbs this morning then loiled at
day rest of our folks had holiday
young folks went to B. C. Camp
gathered lot of sap this morning
or sun clear warm

15^g boiled all day Symplocit of
Stone & his

26 1/2 Use this evening Shovel & two
boys Cut wood. John split or
Clear, front this morning
P. 11

16 Store & his boy cut wood
John helped I helped while Ann
went to Cherrywood Pm. McCle
split wood. don't feel

very well have Cold in head & little frost last night Cold wind
stone split wood A M, boys

18 J. Stover spit wood & N. W. took him $\frac{1}{2}$ ton of stacked hay @ \$6.00 per ton & boiled sap W.

fine warm. little frost last night
19 I & boys made 6 quarts Molasses
and did not do much here. Boys & sales

A.M. didn't do much. Nurse
on face Esther has Inflammation & some
five Dr. Robinson was here at noon
with the Cold & East wind

Mr. J. C. Chas. rather cold & the
roads getting rather better
Sunday 20 I kept house all the next
except a few I little ones went to

except a few of little ones went to
Meeting & Sacrament at Lebanon
Tennessee. Revs D Hovers & old Uncle
P. in the house here. P. in

David's Ravens were here & one
my face pretty bad. It fine
21 Stomach split wood & m. J. O. L.

22 I went to Clods for Duckens
got 50 for myself & 25 for B. C.

Then helped John & stores saw
cordwood in two with small cross
cut W very fine. woods getting better

23 John & Clara home sep brought home
grist. I angled furrows below garden
& began to sow oats with seeds. Am
little boy boiled 5 quarts molasses &
cleaned seeds out & began to gang
furrows in field, north of Orchard
stone split wood. Mr. Fin. Cls

24 John finished sowing Oats below house
then sowed spring wheat (poor land)
in field east of dam R. Goulet
opened piece of drain in same field
it was stopped I & Flarens brought
home harrows & he harrowed after
seeder. W. fin. Chas

25. John finished wheat & began
sowing Oats in north half of field
north of Orchard. I & Lang went
to Mackinac P.M. We were rain
8 m

26 sowed Knoll in sod to NW
Corner field with Oats. Planted
Potatoes behind Ails house

Potatoes behind house
W. Chasely wean fine grain
Sunday 27 all went to Meeting at School
(except Abram & little girls they staid

(except Abram & wife J. M. & J. M. at B. C.) appropriate sermons for Celebration of Lords Supper present to Guilds after service

W. fine warm, cloudy a m
28 Cleaned seed grain & some
as seed and I & boy went

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Things are growing splendid
29 John finished sowing oats & spring
wheat in field north of Orchard
We live clear

Flora's borrowed W. fine
30 I finished borrowing. Am went
1 m. 11.30 P.M. Flora is dead

to Markham & M. Jones
W. Cold north since
May 1 both plowed in red W. Cold.
little snow. flying from a little

a very little seed & I sowed 6
2 finished flowering seed & I sowed 6
bus Peas this evening. W. Middleton
a little frost last night.

a little frost last
M N was here P m for ^{seed} ~~Smith~~
3 sowed last of Peas John Hammond
with 3 waggon tires & flour with 3

with 3 waggon loads of
kerosene W. fine warm showers P.M.

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Dandy 4 at home all day W. Showers
 5 I & Mary & little boys went to B. C. ^{at} ^{the} ^{house}
 and Hoonie W. a little showy this
 morning. Clear today. John down wood
 6 I & Benjamin went to Toronto sold
 Butter @ 18¢ Eggs @ 11½¢ Dr Day
 he will look at Benjamin's eye
 about October W. Cool. Clear
 7 John finished harrowing Peas
 & I & John took Peas to get Chopped
 & drew 2 loads edgings got some
 Pickets sawed W. fine. Cool
 8 drew in our Basswood logs
 A M Piled lumber P. M. W. fine
 9 finished Piling lumber. W. warm
 10 weighed a ton of hay for J. Coxworth
 @ \$8.50 A M I & Mary & Flucius went
 to Markham P. M. W. fine Clear
 Dandy 11 all went to Meeting at
 Cedar Grove remarks by B. C.
 Sermon on St John 5 C by R. D.
 Hoonie went to B. C. P. M.
 John & girls went to J. D. W. warm
 12 helped B. C. move his old house
 a little back from the new
 one this morning then Corned Potatoes
 out of Cellar. I went to see Postman
 Trip. P. M. W. very warm
 13 I & John went fishing with
 Lotron & Diller's Benjamin
 Caught only 14. I went to Dr
 Robinson Dorsman has Rheumatism
 W. very warm for the season
 14 John & Adeline helped scrub
 meeting house I cut Potatoes
 A M fixed fences P. M. W. thunder
 Showers last night wein today
 lightning struck a post in townline
 fence north of Meeting house
 fine growing weather bush
 out in leaf
 15 boys harrowed fallow I helped
 B. C. & Tilman Clear 80 bus Oats
 @ 38¢ W. fine Showers at noon
 16 John Plowed flats east of South
 near Meeting house I went to Markham
 P. M. W. Clear Cool

17 Danced 2 bus Oats on flats. John rolled
 the 1st then boys went fishing awhile P. M.
 I rolled while they were gone they caught
 a fine lot with little net W. fine Clear
 Dandy 18 I Mary & boys went to Meeting
 at Hebron remarks by B. C. Sermon
 on St Luke 14 C by R. D. Hoonie
 M. N. & Joseph Groves were here
 P. M. B. C. at supper. W. fine
 19 I went to Cherry wood A M
 rolled last of our grain P. M.
 John don't feel well. W. very warm
 20 I & John drew dung south of
 graveyard for Potatoes A M
 Planted some potatoes in old orchard
 - and P. M. W. very ~~cool~~ warm
 21 John Plowed & harrowed below
 graveyard A M then we planted
 3 bags potatoes P. M. W. very Cool
 Ascension day 22 Went to Meeting
 at Hebron Susanna & some of the
 little ones kept house remarks by R.
 & Snider from Waterloo Sermon
 on St Mark 14 by R. G. Smith
 from Wilmet Finches & Abraham
 Smith from Vaughan were here P. M.
 W. fine Cool
 23 I drew dung on turnip ground
 with 2 Waggon's I Mainland filled
~~with~~ I made a new Mall
 A M I & Mary went to Meeting
 at Altoua P. M. Sermon on
 by the same 2 men
 went to M. N. for supper. W. Cool
 24 John & Flucius plowed turnip
 ground A M John drilled I
 Mainlands potatoes P. M.
 Dandy 25 at home John W. Clear
 went to Meeting at Widener's I D. Sermon
 here. W. Clear Cool
 26 I helped B. C. move his old
 house he is moving it to his W.
 corner near sideroad W. Cool
 27 John helped B. C. move house
 I went to Dykes with H. Stoen
 he split rails I drew 2 loads W. Cool
 28 I went to Toronto sold Butter
 14¢ eggs 10 apples \$1.20 per bus W. Cool
 white frost last night John chaw
 2 loads rails H. Stoen split rails

29 Washed Sheep AM I & Nancy
Went to Markham PM W. Warm
30 John began plowing in fallow & went
to Cherrywood got 2 sheeps fixed
Both plowed PM W. very warm
31 Both plowed and plowed in drain
PM. fine rain & Thunder Showers
after supper & till Bedtime
Gardening finished drains tonight
very warm today fall without
heads bursting out
Monday June 1 at home all day with
Whit Monday I & Nancy went to
Finlans Mother-in-law has Erysipelas
on face W. Cloudy. Cool
3 I went to Abraham Raymours - AM
John & Flavin plowed, Chord
PM W. Cloudy AM heavy rain PM
4 I & John went to Cedar Grove this
morning Chord till noon & sheared
Sheep PM - plowed after supper
W. Cloudy & Clear Showers tonight
5 Both plowed Matthias Bar R. hold
was here last night & today Chris
Storey came today. staid over dinner
& took her away. W. fine clear
General Election for the Province
of Ontario today Candidates G W
Backhouse & J. Robinson Badger
elected May 24th
6 I took milk Gess to B. D. & M. J. Plowed
to Cleared wheat PM I took load to
Cedar Grove @ 9.5 W. heavy wind
7 I took 2 loads wheat Spring @ 8.2
W. White frost last night done us no
harm
Sunday 8 at home boys & Adeline went
to Meeting at Cedar Grove John Boyer
were here today Ann Shirk & B. D.
Youngster PM W. Clear fine
9 John & Flavin plowed & Chord W. Clear
10 I & John plowed W. warm clear
John went for Dr Robinson very early
this morning Father is sick again
with Intermittent fever he was at the
Plow at 8 o'clock I began near noon
11 I went to Cordingville John plowed
AM we made a stone boat PM
John finished plowing I & Nancy
went to Cedar Grove after supper
W. very very warm

12 I went to Markham ^{June 15} 1st Cent & Jess Shod
went to Unionville on Cars got my coal list
went to Jonathan Gates after supper W. warm
13 I & John drew 2000 Bricks from
Snowballs. W. fine Clear Cool
14 I & N B went to Toronto sold Butter
@ 11 1/2 & 11 1/4 Eggs @ 12 W. Clear AM light
rain PM. Butter has not been so low
in 15 years
Sunday 15 went to Meeting at Debon
Desamie kept house she is better
but hardly able to go today remarks
by B. C. Sermon on St Luke & C
by R. J. Do Barby J. D. youngsters
were here after Service B. N. P.
youngster PM W. raining all day
heavy this evening Finlans called PM
16 Ached hands to work on roads over
Friday & brought B. D. Truck AM
drew stones PM. went to see Amos
Cole (about building a piece to
Kitchen) this evening W. Cool
17 drew 4 loads Sand. Joseph
Weber & wife from Waterloo
M. C. Fretts & Jacob Ressor's were
here awhile PM & J. H. Ressor at
supper. W. very Cool
18 I & Nancy went to B. D. & John
Hovors then I & he went to W
Watson Tailor in Claremont
went to Simon Hovors PM
John & Flavin harnessed fallow
19 John made Turnip drills & sowed
them Jacob Groves were here
W. warm
20 Worked on roads drew gravel
John drew dung on fallow
with 2 waggons & Mainland
filled W. warm clear
21 worked on roads Turnip drill
John & Mainland drew dung
Jess Ressor's were here at supper
W. very warm
Sunday 22 at home A. B. were here
PM & Moses Moyer W. very Close
fine rain last night. growing weather
23 I was on road with Lesaigies Man
till after 10 o'clock I & Flavin brought
14 barrels Lime from Markham PM
W. very very warm

24 I & Flavins took some flooring
to W. A. Milnes to get matched

W. very very warm
25 was on road with Colin Ransom
& Shank W. warm as usual
John & Mainland finished
Manning fallow

26 Took Pump out of well at front door
This Morning Then John & Flavins drew
stones to fill it up. Mainland had
Potatoes in old Orchard I was on road
with Shank A.M. Thunder & rain P.M.
very warm I & J Milroy fixed road
at end of 11th Con. This evening

27 I & boys finished filling old well
& drew some posts from Gounlays
Belonging to J. J. Ransom to make
fence in front of Meeting house
W. not quite so warm

28 Chored A.M. I & all the boys went
Fishing awhile to dead water of Rouge
P.M. Caught a fine mess W. Cloudy
Sunday 29 all went to Meeting at
Altona remarks & sermon on
Hebrews 4 C by R. D. Brown

Went to M. A. John & girls went to P.B.
30 I finished road work with Shank
I & John & Flavins went to J. Mans bay
with Finlay for Whitefish This evening
got 30 whitefish & lot of Catfish
W. warm

Dude 1 Topped thistles W. fine warm
14 I went to A. Honeis & A. B. this evening
2 had a Bee to make fence in front
of Meeting house A.M. I went to
Markham P.M. W. warm. Showers

3 Small Bee to finish fence A.M.
I & John made Boat to draw
wood P.M. W. very warm. Showery

4 I & Mary went to Claremont
for my new clothes then went
to R. D. Honeis John & Mainland
drew out wood at Dyke W. fine

5 I & Hermann went to Toronto
Batter 13 eggs 13 W. pretty warm
Sunday 6 all went to Meeting at
Cedar Grove remarks & sermon on
Mat 20 C by R. D. Brown

Bo. C is ^{July 1879} not well went to B. M. Doherty
& girls went to B. M. Peter W. fine
I took lumber to W. A. Milnes
A.M. Took some fencing to
Markham to fence our lot P.M.
W. pretty warm Cloudy P.M. a little
drizzle John & Mainland finished
Mowing Old Orchard & rather

& Coked new Orchard They mowed
it on Saturday
& John mowed meadow behind Cedar
house Mainland mowed fence corner
& Coked Old Orchard & a little
in meadow This evening W. heavily
I shoveled plowed Potatoes &
scuffled some turnips

I drew in little Orchard 3 loads
A.M. raked & Coked in meadow
over half till 2 just 3 P.M.
showers stopped us W. warm
went to Cedar Grove after supper

10 Mainland mowed in Swale back
of garden we scuffled turnips &
fixed fork & Pulley A.M. Cleared
grist P.M. I & Susanna went
to Cedar Grove This evening
W. Cloudy & Clear A.M.

rain & Thunder & rain
11 Plowed in fallow A.M.
Chored P.M. W. foggy A.M.
rain P.M. very wet

12 I went to Cherrywood then we
turned hay till noon drew in 5 loads
P.M. W. warm Clear

Dundy 13 all went to Meeting at
Hebron remarks & sermon on
Mat 24 C by R. D. Brown B. C
was not able to go Michael Fack
John L. Ransom & D. Nishwander
were here W. warm heavy rain & wind

14 Turned some hay Cocks A.M.
drew 5 loads P.M. W. very very warm
I went to Cherrywood this evening

15 Turned hay Cocks A.M. & drew 1 load
drew 5 loads P.M. W. very very warm
heavy squall of wind P.M.

July 1879
16 J Plowell & fullers I brought
lumber from Milnes & m spread
dug & finished. Scaffolding lumps
& went to Cherry wood after supper
Mainland & little boys had turnip W
17 J & J Plowell W. quite cool
18 John & Flavis Plowell I got a
house from B. C. & went to
Markham & m W. fine clear
19 J & J Plowell & m Cut roads
round wheat Pm. W. fine
Sunday 20 All went to meeting
at Widemans remarks by R
Dac Wideman sermon on St
Luke 19 C by R Dac Prasky
went to D Lehman & J B. John
& girls went to Daniel Ramon &
Michael Lutz W. fine pretty warm
21 Cut wheat opposite B. C. &
4 sounds behind barn till supper
heavy shower stopped us pretty warm
B. C. Stoen helped us load
22 J Mainland dug foundation for
addition to kitchen & m boys Plowell
a little Pm. W. wet. rainy Pm
boys brought home grain this evening
23 I went to Markham & m
Cut wheat Pm. W. pretty warm
24 Finished cutting fall wheat
B. C. W. Peter helped I went to
see J Tripp after supper W. clear
25 John Cut wheat & early for Peter
J & Mainland & Flavis Shuckel
Went then Mainland spent day
& Flavis Plowell. I brought some
lumber & brought home scaffolds
from Cherrywood W. fine
26 John finished cutting for Peter
& m the Mainland & boys worked
at turnip Pm I went to see a
Dr. Adams at Dunbarton I went
to Stouffville to Dr. Freck Pm
they are to meet to see my brother
Christian he is worse, W. warm

July 1879
Boy & Mainland took in one load wheat
Monday 27 Went to A B. W. warm
28 drew in 11 loads wheat. Cole then
Mason & Tripp the Carpenter began
tearing out end of kitchen Cole
began foundation on Saturday W. fine
Saguard I saw this evening Dr
29 both met at B. C. today they gave
him good encouragement
29 helped pull down kitchen &
J & John brought some lumber & m
drew in 6 loads wheat Pm. W. clear
30 J Mainland helped B. C. draw
in wheat J & boys drew in 7 loads
31 drew in 1 load & raking 2 loads
W. very warm
Aug 1 I went to Toronto Butter 5¢
eggs 12¢ W. very very warm
J Mainland mowed Orwails
2 I helped M Dyke thresh with
team J Mainland & boys Cocked
Owail by I went to see Tripp this
evening W. very very warm, slight
shower at noon another tonight
Sunday 3 all went to meeting at
Coles Grove remarks & sermon
on by R D Hoover John
& girls went to J Ds after dinner
& we went to A B. W. very warm
4 J Mainland went to Haverthick
J & boys drew in 4 loads hay I went
Whitewale this evening boys brought
load edging W. pretty warm
5 Cut Oats below garden. W. heavy
shower at 2 Pm. Pulled weeds out
of Potatoes Cut again after supper
6 J M helped A B. Thresh I
brought 19 Bunches shingles from
Whitewale & 8 Bunches after supper
& finished cutting & shocking Oats
except a little piece that was done
7 Cut Oats in north half W. warm
north of Orchard W. fine of fresh
fine shower after dark

8 Finished binding Oats & Cut some
of Spring Wheat in field east of dam W. fine
9 J. M. helped Pilkey truck with team
I Spence the boys & myself finished
Cutting binding & shocked the most of
field east of dam I & John & Spence
kept up with Flannins as he cut it
W. fine very cool north wind
Sunday 10 all went to Meeting at
Helion remarks by B. C. he is
pretty smart he has been bad with
Neuralgia or Catarrh in the head
by R. J. Williams
20 People & 8 horses here at dinner
Deacon David Liedman & his sister from
Ohio B. D. David & Christian Bushkole
Peter & Lizzy & old Aunt Mill Reaser
Faulkner boys & etc W. fine. Cloudy rain
this evening
11 Shocked Spring Wheat & Oats A. M.
Cut Spring Wheat in South half of field
north of Orchard didn't quite finish binding
12 finished binding & shocking W. fine
& Cut road round Oats on knoll in
W. W. corner field A. M. Cut bound
& shocked the Oats P. M. I went to
Cedar Grove this evening W. fine
13 J. M. helped B. N. Wheat & boys
tried to Pull Peas with horse rake
didn't go well so I spread
dung & boys Plowed in fallow
W. fine. squall of wind & rain
14 J. M. finished mowing & mowed this
morning then pulled Peas boys finished
plowing fallow A. M. then we set
Machine & I went to Cedar Grove
15 threshed 255 Boxes fall wheat
till 4 P. M. then I & boys brought
some plowing after supper W. fine
16 didn't do much W. rain from
east nearly all day. Cool like Sept.
Sunday 17 all went to Meeting at Helion
remarks by B. C. Sermon on Helion
11 C. by R. D. Hoover went to Faulkner
John & girls went to D. Liedman
18 I helped Tripp built stone
Butments for stoop A. M. I & boys
drew 5 loads Spring Wheat P. M.
W. fine J. M. pulled Peas

19 J. & boys drew 8 loads Spring
Wheat J. M. pulled Peas W. very fine
20 drew 6 loads Spring Wheat ~~at~~
& 3 loads Oats J. M. helped till
supper then pulled Peas W. warm
21 J. & boys drew in 9 loads Oats
J. M. & Spence's man pulled Peas
22 J. & John helped B. N. Wheat with
team J. M. & Spence's man pulled Peas
W. very warm 82 deg in shade high
& hot wind heavy shower about dark
I & boys drew in 2 loads Oats P. M.
23 J. M. finished pulling Peas B. N. Peter
& our John helped A. M. I & John cut
some Oats in flats P. M. W. fine clear
Sunday 24 I & Mary went to Meeting at
Altona remarks by B. D. Barker sermon
on St. Luke part of L. C. by B. C.
went to George Liedman's at dinner
& to Widow Henry Barker at supper
25 drew in 18 loads Peas W. cool
B. C. & man & W. Morrison helped
26 we finished Peas 8 loads & drew
2 loads Oats W. fine clear
27 John began ganging Pea ground
I & J. M. & Flannins drew in 3 loads
Oats & 1 load hay then I & J. M.
cut East of Oats in flats till
supper I & Mary went to
Whitewale after supper W. warm
Herman raked stubble
28 John ganged J. M. bound oats & hauled
turnips I went to Cherrywood with
plow A. M. & to Cedar Grove P. M.
W. very warm. Wind hail & rain
after supper hail like Cherris
no damage done. wind not strong
29 I finished ganging Pea ground & har-
rowed till night John Plowed in East
end of fallow where it is thickest
30 John Plowed & finished harrowing Pea
ground & brought home plow A. M.
I & little boys drew in raking P. M.
J. M. hauled turnips I & Mary went
to Whitewale after supper W. warm
Sunday 31 all went to Meeting at
Cedar Grove remarks by B. C. Sermon
on St. John L. C. by R. D. Hoover
went to D. Hoover John & girls to B. D.
W. very very warm clear

Sept 1 John & Elmer finished plowing
east end of fallow then Elmer began
ganging the rest of it & John began
plowing Peaground I went to Markham
Chapel P.M. W. very warm
2 John Plowed Elmer ganged & hoed
weeds out of turnips W. warm
3 John Plowed & I ganged till
about 11 o'clock when it rained pretty
heavy at 3 the boys went out again
after dark rained heavy
4 I & John Plowed in Peaground I
went to Cedar Grove to get Beef
off D. Hoover he comes every Thursday
W. very strong west wind
5 John Plowed Elmer finished
ganging fallow till 6 P.M. then I
sowed 4 bus. with seed W. fine
6 John finished sowing fallow I & Elmer
& Benman drew in 2 loads Oats out
of Creek flat A.M. I & Nancy went
to Markham P.M. I got J. & S. Shook
Nancy went to J. H. Ramey W. fine
A.M. heavy rain P.M.
Sunday 7 all went to Meeting at
Hebron remarks by R. D. Hoover
Sermon on Mt 5 C by B. C.
Abram Hoover's 8th Con. Pickering
& J. H. Ramey youngsters were here
W. fine A.M. drizzly rain P.M.
8 I & John Plowed in Peaground
I & Nancy went to Cedar Grove this
evening W. Cool
9 I & John finished plowing
A.M. done doing on Peaground
P.M. W. pretty Cool
10 John done doing with 2
Waggon & M. filled I went
to Markham A.M. spread
dung P.M. W. Cool Clear
heavy white frost last night
11 Thanksgiving day, all went to
Meeting at Hebron, a man by the
name of William Thoman was
buried to day at the meeting house

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Remarks by B. C. Sermon on Hebron
Sept 21 C 27 C by R. D. Hoover J. B. is
here P.M. W. fine Clear
2 Sowed Part of Peaground I plowed
a little on Knoll in same field W. Clear
3 finished sowing wheat I plowed
a while A.M. dug 6 rows Potatoes P.M.
W. fine warm. fine shower after dark
Monday 14 at home all day B. C. is
here at supper W. steady &
heavy rain nearly all A.M. light
drizzle nearly all P.M.
15 I helped D. Hoover's Thresh
John & Elmer Plowed wheat
stubble behind barn W. fine
16 boys Plowed I brought few
tides with Cent & Spring Wagon
we bought B. C. old shell for
\$10.00 so we have 5 horses
R. Goussley is putting a few into
Peaground wheat I & Nancy
went to Sparta with wool P.M.
W. fine warm a little Cloudy A.M.
17 I & Nancy went to Markham
to John Storey they are living
near Wideman's Meeting house
W. Cool, squalls of wind & rain
18 dug Potatoes W. drizzly A.M.
Clear towards night
19 boys Plowed I & little boys
finished Potatoes I went to Mill
A.M. W. fine we have fine times
shooting Pigeons
20 boys finished plowing field
behind barn I helped A. Burkholder
Thresh P.M. W. frost last night
I went to D. Burkholder's this morning
Sunday 21 We went to J. D. John & girls
went to B. C. W. fine Clear
22 John helped B. C. Thresh with
team I plowed below garden A.M.
helped Thresh P.M. B. C. were here
at noon with Peter Schuman & wife
from Clarence New York W. fine Clear
Monday 22 boys finished plowing
Knoll in NW field I killed a sheep A.M.
went to Cedar Grove P.M. W. fine warm

24 I helped thresh. awhile this morning
John helped all day I have plowed
a while then I & he brought 300 3 in
tiles. A m he brought 150 P m R
Gandy is putting some in spring
wheat stubble field where 2 in
were stopped W. Cool Clear
25 I & Nany went to David Barker's
then I went to see the old Uncle John
Barker's farm. sold it belongs to
James McGuckin it was offered by
Auction but it was not sold
we sowed knoll in N West field
with Rye this morning. W. fine
John went to school house A m
boys thought they saw a Bear on
Tuesday he saw nothing
26 I went with Simon Hoover
& P Davis & 4 hounds to look
for Bear saw none I shot a
Rabbit W. fine boys plowed
27 John & I have went to get
Boots measured I plowed A m
got up wood & helped Cole fire
turning cellar wall P m. W. fine
Sunday 28 I Nany John & girls
went to Meeting at Wideman's
little ones staid at B. D's
appropriate sermons for the
Celebration of Lords Supper
by P J Doe Wideman & B. C
went to J A Rame's P m W
cloudy. a little rain last night
29 I & John finished plowing
below house W. fine warm
Finlans here today.
30 I & John plowed opposite B. C
W. fine warm Clear
Oct 1 Threshed Oats near 100 bus
B. C & his man & J M helped
I & John piled some lumber P m
& J M levelled around new end of
Kitchen W. very warm
2 I John I have & Benjamin Dill
went trolling on Bay Camp R m
Pike W. foggy A m rather cloudy P m
3 I & John finished plowing opposite B. C
about 3 P m then I went to Cedar Grove
W. fine. pretty warm

4 I took Benjamin & Abram to Markham
to get Boots John & Herman borrowed
field behind barn A m cleared up
rubbish in lane & fixed fence at end
of Kitchen P m John Stover's came
to stay all night W. fine warm
Sunday 5 all went to Meeting at Hebron
except I have & Benjamin. I have
is not well. sermons by P J Doe
Wideman sermon suitable for the
Celebration of Lords Supper by B.
C M N's were here P m Abraham
Wideman's wife from Notawaga
came here P m I & Nany took her to
B. C's this evening W. fine
shaver this morning. fine today
6 I & Nany went to David Rame's & I
went to Michael Gerts for some
Peaches. Boys picked winter apples
called at J A Rame's I got shell
shod W. very very warm. Sully
John began to plow in spring
wheat stubble east of house
I went to Cherrywood A m I &
I have made Cider P m. W. very
8 Boiled Sance I brought new ^{wagon}
home from Cherrywood P m got spring
seat & shelving made for it John
plowed then we began to clean
some wheat Finlans was here at noon
I cleared & drew 2 loads ^{W. warm}
Clawson took it to Cedar Grove
@ \$1.15 per load heavy rain last
night Close & foggy today Cloudy
all went to Meeting at Hebron sermon
on St Luke 15th C by Rev C Snider
from Waterloo & Gottschall from
Pennsylvania Jos Groves & Jacob
Wideman were here After Service
I & Nany went to Markham
A m Lent \$400.00 to Finlans today
he is buying 50 acres land off Bette
at Markham boys took load wheat
to mill. Cleared another & I took
it P m @ \$1.15. W. very Cloudy foggy
Sunday 12 all went to Meeting at
Wideman's sermon on St John
10th C by Rev C Snider & Gottschall
John & Girls went to Finlans we
went to David Hoover's W. very
very warm & Sully

13 Picked apples & cleaned a
great box took it to mill W
fine not quite so warm
14 dug potatoes in Orchard &
Picked some apples & killed a
pig boys brought home & set it
very fine not quite so warm
15 I & Nancy went to M. B. for 2 pigs
John helped D. Hone's Thresh Flavis
Plowed in Spring Wheat stubble W.
16 I & Herman made Cider A.M.
John Plowed I & John went to
Markham got old Hell Shock
W. very very warm
17 I killed some John & Flavis
began plowing second time behind
barn B. D. brought John Blosser
& wife from Indiana to stay all night
18 I & Nancy took Blosser to B. C.
to A. B. for dinner to Wagon while
them to A. Hone's were not at home
then to Menno Bushholder's W. Cool
Flavis Plowed a.m. John P.m.
Sunday 19 at home all day B. C.
& old David Honeer were here
W. quite Cool rough wind from
north A.M. finer & Clear P.m.
20 I & John Plowed W. Cool
21 Both Plowed W. warm
22 I & Nancy took W. M. C. by &
wife to J. D. A.M. Nancy B. a
John & wife were here when we
came home boys Plowed finish
field except headlands W. fine
23 I & John took in Potatoes A.M.
Chored P.m. W. fine A.M. Cool P.m.
24 I & John made Cider A.M.
drew home wood P.m. W. quite
Cold snow flying P.m.
25 I & Nancy drove to Markham
this morning took the Cans for
Goodwood Met J. Bushholder
& wife at Stouffville. Spent
an agreeable day with J. McGuckie
& family came home in good time
W. hard frost last night fine today
boys Plowed after 10 A.M. this morning

Monday 26 all went to meeting at
Cedar Grove Remembrance by B. D. Hone
Sermon on St. Luke 20 Ch. B. C.
A. B. were here P.m. W. fine Clear
27 I went to Cherrywood A.M. &
to Markham got Cent Shock then
went to sale of farm & effects of late
H. Wismer P.m. farm sold about 80
per acre W. fine Clear boys pulled turnips
28 Chored & killed a pig A.M. John
drew wood for J. Mainland & I
went to B. D. & Cedar Grove
P.m. W. heavy thunder & rain
early this morning a little rain P.m.
29 Boys Plowed & I filled drain A.M.
all pulled turnips P.m. W. mild
30 drew in loads turnips W. Cool
31 drew in loads turnips & finished
pulling W. Cold. Squalls of snow
Nov 1 John drew turnips from B. C.
for J. Mainland I & boys drew 6 loads
A.M. I went to Markham P.m. John
Plowed little boys drew 2 last loads
turnips P.m. W. Cold. Clear
Sunday 2 Flavis & little ones
kept house the rest of us went to
meeting at Hebron Remembrance by B. C.
Sermon on St. John 3 Ch. B. D. Hone
Henry Boyer & R. D. Hone were here
P.m. Cans highlanders & Head Bushholder
at supper W. snowed nearly all A.M.
didn't thaw much P.m.
3 I & John tied up Cattle & Threshed
Peas W. pretty Cold. Snow drifting
looks like winter about 4 in snow
4 I John & J. M. drew out wood at Dyke's
Hemlock & hardwood that Dyke cut W. fine
5 Put apples down Celler drew home
wood into shed & Chored W. fine pretty
good sleighing
6 I & John cut some Hemlock sawlogs
Flavis & little boys drew home
some rails A.M. put last of apples
in cellar & I went to Cedar Grove
P.m. W. Thawing snow going. Mild
few inches snow last night
7 Chored A.M. John & J. Mainland
cleaned Peas P.m. I went to J.
McMackon's sale W. mild thawing
8 Boys plowed I went to Cedar Grove A.M.
to Cherrywood P.m. W. fine mild
snow gone