

December 1891

17 This has been a very cold day, we have no thermometer so I do not know how cold, The Protest was tried in Cornwall today, and Rory was defeated but may try another election next month Pa paid Mrs Jones wages \$4⁰⁰ for the horse rake, there is one wheel that is good for nothing, I sent a few lines to Far,

18 The village schools closed today. Birdie got an address and plush dressing case & plush album, from her pupils Cousin Jimmie came home last evening so did Murdy, he had \$5 for one from Litch

19 Got home the carpet 27 yds, cost for warp & weaving \$4⁵⁶ got nutmeg cream taster B. strap 40 cts

20 Heavy hoar frost last night. The trees were, and are beautifully ornamented with crystal, I did not go to church for I have twinges of toothache

21 Began to paper down stairs bedroom, girls sewing carpet.

22 Cleaned sitting room, Bot 10x beef 100 lbs ^{paid 3} 5⁰⁰

23 Had a letter from Sandy, he expressed a box

24 Sleighing mostly all gone, have to take wheel carriage again, Jimmie went to Lancaster and got the box, in it were two fine pictures one of Sandy, one of Elizabeth, I gave \$ to Jimmie he got cloth for pants

Murdy came home tonight he had the raisins Bird sent for and currents

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