

April 1897
A finished Making Scalding trough
I went to Cedar Grove A M
Boys all helped Thomas mone
a driving sheet P M W. fine
had this morning Cold N W wind
soft snow & rain at times P M
Sunday 10 I & Nancy & Anne went to
Meeting at Altona A & Esther
& Mary went to B. D. P. M.
Retuba was here all day we went
to Abraham Lehman's to dinner
W. Cold N W wind all day
Chr. roads very bad. better up
north
11 Killed 6 Pigs A M
B & A danned in other bush P M
H got 5 more Perry sheet P M
W. Chr. Cold N W wind all
fine had last night, a little snow
12 H took 6 Pigs to Jovite last night
@ \$6.00 per cut 802 lbs other boys worked
at J. A M danned Pine behind woodshed
P M I & Susanna went to Markham A M
I took 4 bus. Pigs to B. D. P. M.
W. very cold N W wind all day

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13 I & Nancy went to P. B. he is not
very well yet Boys helped I they
plowed P. M. W. sharp wind from north
roads getting better. fine & clear
14 Boys helped I Plow & draw stones
H worked at Pilkeys P M he wants
him by the day for awhile & took
B. to Coakmells & went to
Markham P M W. Chr. some N W
Good Friday 15 all went to Meeting ^{wind}
at Helson except Henry & Annie. Annie
is not well & Henry staid with her
remarks & sermon on at John part of
19 C by B. C. I & Nancy went to B. C.
P M. W. fine & clear all day Cool
16 H was at Pilkeys Boys helped I I went
to Markham bought the Shank
farm @ \$5.500. off W. Fleming
he had a claim on it then he bought
all the other claims to save him
self he has it rented to Benj
Bunk holder for one year I get
the rent. W. very fine & clear
17 ^{Easter} Sunday I & Nancy & Anne went
to Meeting at W. Idernan remarks
by C. Bunk holder services on