

Oct 7 Ground for 15th last night C helped J Hall thresh
8 J & little boys made 2 barrels cider. W. very fine. C helped Hall thresh
9 Boiled dance & finished digging sod potatoes. W. very fine. Simon Hooper
10 Boiled dance & dug potatoes in turnip field they were planted
the 27th & 28th days of June the Harrison & Janet Chili kinds
& they are a very fine crop. W. fine. Clear beautiful
11 J & Nancy went to Belford this evening
12 Both plowed A.M. Picked a few apples P.M. W. began
to rain about 3 P.M. J & Nancy went to A.B.'s this evening
Sunday 12 Went to meeting at Debron sermons on
H Luke 10th Chap by Rev Joseph Hagey & Rev Abraham
Martin. Visitors Cross Hooper & Esther store J B & wife
Finlans & Abraham Martin & wife & a few young
folks were here this evening W. Cool. Cloudy
13 J & Nancy went to meeting at Wiclanes sermons
on H Luke 10th Chap. by Rev Menno Coessman from
Waterloo & W Hagey & Martin after which
Candidates were nominated for the Ministry for
the district East of the 10th Con of Markham. When
the following Brethren were nominated viz -
David Burkholder, Menno Burkholder, Samuel
Hooper, John Hooper & Jacob Reeson. and it
pleased God in his infinite goodness to once more
let me stand free in return for which I hope he will grant
me grace to lead a new life of thankfulness. went to
Finlans after service. W. pretty Cool. looks like rain
Finlans son Peter came home with us tonight
14 J & girls & Peter went to meeting at Wiclanes again
when the Candidates drew lots & it fell to Bro Samuel
Hooper (may the Lord be with him) went to J D Ramer's
after service. W. very fine Clear beautiful
15 Both plowed A.M. Picked apples P.M. W. fine warm
16 J & C finished plowing in field near Doone's A.M. Picked
apples P.M. W. fine. Clear. very warm
17 I drew out cord wood for Flavis A.M. Took 10 bus
oats to Bro J's to Chop P.M. C harrowed west half of
field back of old barn A.M. drew on dung P.M. W. Clear
18 drew dung A.M. Chaired P.M. W. Cloudy A.M. rainy P.M. J & Nancy

Oct 18 J & Nancy went to Belford this evening 1873 700
Sunday 19 J & Nancy went to David Davis on a visit they live
on lot No 10 5th Con Scarborough. W. fine. miles. rather cloudy
20 J & Nancy took 10 bus grain to Cedar Grove Mills and
then went to Michael Jact's. J & he went awhile
to Jas Break's sale. W. Cold wind A.M. soft snow
21 C plowed for his father A.M. began to rain P.M.
P.M. I killed a pig & chared. W. Cool. windy
22 Both plowed in Oats stubble. W. fine Clear
23 J & little John made 70 gals cider I plowed
awhile P.M. W. rainy
24 I boiled dance. plowed awhile P.M. W. very fine
25 Both plowed. W. fine Clear
Sunday 26 at home. 15th Nov were here. W. Cloudy Cool
27 C finished plowing out stubble I & steel divided
potatoes in little Orchard. W. Cloudy. Clear at noon
28 I took 14 bus oats to B & J's to Chop A.M. C
drew dung on Pea stubble. rained till 3 P.M. then
C drew dung & I shot 3 Black squirrels in old bush
29 I went to Belford & Whitewale A.M. C finished
drawing dung. Both began pulling turnips P.M. W
a little snow last night. Cold. north wind today
30 Pulled turnips. W. ground a little frozen thence P.M.
31 Pulled turnips. W. fine. W Burkholder threshed Peas
Nov 1 drew in potatoes out of pits A.M. Took Emaline
Ramer home P.M. C finished pulling turnips P.M.
W. ground white with snow this morning. all over tonight
2 at home all day. A.B.'s wife was here & J Disawhile
P.M. W. rather Cloudy a little rain P.M. Robert Deime
Died yesterday of Typhoid fever and there are several
other cases though Markham this fall
3 Down wood into woodshed & C drew in 3 loads turnips
Received a visit this evening from Manasse Jact's wife
& David Jact & wife & B.C. W. rough wind. Calmer tonight
4 Drew in 20 loads turnips. W. Calm. fine Clear
5 Finished drawing turnips 17 loads. W. Sharp. Calm. Clear
6 J & Nancy went to J Deime's. W. sharp. ground frore this morning
& chared awhile then plowed in dung in Pea ground. W. Clear. frore this morning