

30 Weighed a ton ^{my} hay for Martin ¹⁰⁷ Bass (he has bought
30 Reams place & news on 3^d (Can Pickering) @ G & S top
threshed some oats & shews & I went to Cedar Grove
W. pretty Cold Ch. froze pretty hard
Dec: 1 Choral of threshed Peas. W. pretty Cold
Sunday 2 all went to Meeting at Hebron remarks
& sermon on St Mat 5 C by B. C. I & Nancy
went to B. C. awhile Pm. B. C. were here
this evening. W. pretty Cold
3 I & Nancy helped B. B. kill hogs W. Mild
4 I & Nancy went to J. H. Ransom's had dinner
of Ransom. Saw a Bear that he shot in the
northern woods he was away hunting five
weeks got six deer & a bear W. Mild
5 I helped J. D. kill hogs W. ^{some rain Pm} Mild
6 I helped B. B. kill hogs I helped C. B. W. Mild
7 I cut wood in old bush W. pretty Cold
8 I drew wood in shed from old bush W. Ch.
Sunday 9 at home J. D. were here W. fine Clear
10 I & Nancy went to Markham & to Finlows
roads pretty good W. some snow, a m. soft
11 I helped B. C. kill hogs I went home has a boil
on his wrist W. fine Clear mild
12 I asked hands to thresh on Friday W. very fine
13 I & John fixed up Machine W. Mild very high
14 threshed about 300 bus wheat & about ^{wind} 200 ^{of} ^{oats}
15 finished threshing a m about 300 bus oats
W. very fine & mild for the season
I went to Dyke's bush with B. D. he buys all my ^{oats}
down pine & logs in the bush W. very mild
Sunday 16 went to B. D. W. Mild Clear
17 began to fix an Arch for boiling sap in
Calf Pasture behind Cedar house I & Nancy
went to A. Hoover's they live on Chris Ransom's
old place W. very fine like April
18 I threshed Peas I Choral & killed a Calf
Pm. W. froze hard. rain a little at bedtime
19 I finished threshing Peas I Choral a m I & Nancy
went to Cedar Grove Pm. W. fine mild like spring
20 went to sale of Uncle C. B. property Pm I went ^{to} ^{the} ^{place}
Briden David Hoover's were here at noon W. Mild Cloudy

21 Choral a m went to Cedar Grove Pm W. ¹⁶ Mild Cloudy
22 J. D. & his boy & Isaac Meyer went to James bay to
Toll for Pike's caught none W. foggy. very mild roads bad
Sunday 23 all went to Meeting at Cedar Grove
remarks & sermon on St Mat 5 C by B. C.
went to B. C. after service. W. foggy & mild
24 I went to Markham. roads very bad. W. damp. foggy
Christmas day ²⁵ went to Meeting at Hebron remarks &
sermon at St Luke part of 2^d C by B. C. went
to B. C. Pm. W. mild. foggy. trees covered with
beautiful white frost. a very little rain. this
26 I worked for B. C. I & boys went shooting awhile
Pm. finished Arch for boiling sap. W. throwing ice
off trees mild & soft people plowing all over
27 I sawed wood I & boys drew sails off
mountain east of lane to bush fence on 11th Cove
W. like April bright & Clear I am certain
I & Nancy saw yellow birds last week
28 Choral Peas a m I sawed wood & boys took
saw Chop to mill Pm. W. almost like May
29 I & John dug fine roots behind barn a m
& John dug Pm I & Nancy went to Markham
W. fine Mild roads pretty bad yet
Sunday 30 all went to Meeting at Hebron
remarks by B. C. sermon on St Luke
part of 2^d C by Rev J. Hoover I & his folks
were here Pm. W. Cold
1 Chopped in old bush I & John sawed tops off posts
behind fence Pm. W. sharp frost cold wind
went home this evening he has 3 1/2 days to work yet
Finlows Camp to stay all night
January 1st 1878 went to A. B. to gutting. W. Mild
Choral. W. about an inch of snow. pretty Cold
Choral. I & Nancy went to Cedar Grove Pm roads
very rough. Cold & sharp
Cleaned some oats & Choral in shop. W. snowed all
washed double harness. I & John went ^{to} ^{the} ^{place} ^{to} ^{hunt}
with J. H. Ransom in suburbs. got one. snow about
inches deep blowed had last night. temp like pretty here
2nd day 6 went to J. D. W. very Cold. rough thin sleeping