

April

THURSDAY 9

1874

Commenced laying a new fence of old rails, dividing the orchard field in two parts of about  $9\frac{1}{2}$  acres &  $5\frac{1}{2}$  acres - Sold a 4yr old cow to Joe Smith for \$36.50 for beef. Spent evening and staid all night - at J.C. Snell's, all the talk was about the sale the prices on the shot-horns were not so high as they expected

FRIDAY 10

Spent the day chopping in the lower bush some large maples and beeches that were thrown down by the wind into lengths for sawing, from 12 to 20 ft - according to size - Had a visit to day from Mr and Mrs Jones, they intend leaving Brampton shortly for Bowmanville -

April

SATURDAY 11

1874

Spent - last - evening at the Edmonton Lodge, two visitors from Brampton, J.M. Jones & G.H. Golding, a very pleasant evening was spent - At the same work as yesterday. Vinny mailed a letter to Aunt Jennie Rice. The weather is very cold and blustering -

SUNDAY 12

Spent forenoon at school. Abs. see pres. - Lesson Exodus XXXIII 1 to 6 & 19<sup>th</sup> & 20<sup>th</sup> verses - "The golden calf" - Rev. J.G. Scott preached at Zion at 2 P.M. and renewed the quarterly tickets - Heard him preach in Brampton tonight text - Job - XXXV 10<sup>th</sup> verse. A good sermon - some thoughts on music.