

December

SATURDAY 5

1874

This forenoon went-over to Mr Joshua Modelands and brought home from thence the short-horn bull calf aged months "Momentum" and paid cash \$74.00 the discount being 8 percent for eleven months. In Brampton this evening and bought at H. C. & Co. a \$18.00 overcoat of brown beaver, also some articles in hardware.

SUNDAY 6

Drove spring wagon to S. School. Supt. pres. the pub. lesson. Mark XIV 66 to 72 "The denial of Christ by Peter". Had a short-practice after the school of the tunes for the anniversary. Heard Rev W Bwins preach in Brampton tonight. Text - Hebrews III 1st verse.

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MONDAY 7

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Spent the day chopping up the hemlock tops into fire-wood. Walked to Brampton tonight and mailed a letter to Ashawa {George Rice}. Received from Aleck Campbell a copy of first-number of the new Tory paper "Conservator" for this County. At Lodge this evening, one initiated.

TUESDAY 8

With the help of J. Sewell at fifty cents per day, sawed with cross cut saw 14 logs of hemlock, cuttings the trees down about one half of which were dry and lifeless. A cold freezing day, no snow. At home tonight and had a busy evening, writing music, &c.