

October

FRIDAY 30

1874

Commenced operations in the turnip plot, with a hoe cutting off tops from turnips they are mostly under the average size, and will be considerably under an average crop. Spent evening at Edmonton Temple they elected their Officers for ensuing term. the attendance of members is not so good as it should be

SATURDAY 31

At same work as on yesterday. Drew in 5 small loads and put them in driving house cellar. Quite a cold day, with light-westerly snow showers. Barley is now selling @ \$1.00 per bush in Brampton. "Hallow-Gen" is a fine time for mischievous boys, but not so commonly observed as it used to be some years ago

November

SUNDAY 1

1874

Drove up to S. School at 10 A.M. Supt - pres. See abs. lesson - Mark XI, 19 to 24. "The fig tree withered" a pointed & instructive lesson is taught - by this incident - Misses Jennie Peacock & Elsie Woodland spent the day here. Heard Rev Mr Bell preach in Brampton tonight - text - I Thess^{ms} V 17th verse. A good practical sermon indeed.

MONDAY 2

Rutabaga harvest continued. Had the help of a man {J Sewell} pushed the work lively as the weather is fine and dry. Drew in 8 loads beside doing a good deal at-lookin'. At Brampton tonight - and heard Mr Bengough, {the cartoonist of the Grip} deliver comic lecture Pleasuries of Public life with illustrations.