

so we could put them on Monday. We had a week in another row before dinner. I first about froze and felt a little sick at noon so didn't do anything for awhile after dinner till Dad & Hubby husked some corn then we put the load off and got another load in with out dividing them. Engle, Quinny and Liddums all went down town this afternoon. It has been thawing all day but a very cold raw wind and before dinner we had a short but fierce snow storm.

Friday November 20<sup>th</sup>  
We intended to haul in the rest of the corn stalks today but Henry and I came over about nine o'clock so I had to help him. It was pretty cold so we didn't try to put the roofing on but we got the sheeting and front on. Hubby came over about noon and he and Dad. husked corn and did chores. About five o'clock Hubby rather unexpectedly presented us with a heifer calf although we discovered that it was just due in stead of being a month early as Dad. supposed. It is a dandy and clear red except for a white tip on its tail which Hubby says will be a fine landmark if Bluck doesn't bite it off. That makes six head of cattle that I now own. It has been sunny today but didn't thaw at all and there was a cold west wind.

Saturday November 21<sup>st</sup>  
Henry came over again this morning and made the frames for the front of the hen house and this afternoon we put the roofing on. It was pretty cold and we had to heat the tar so it would run. Dad. Hank and I hauled corn stalks this morning. We got them all in in two loads and got the last load after dinner. We had to leave one shock in the middle of a water hole as it was frozen solid. Henry only charged me seven dollars for all his work.

Thursday December 3<sup>rd</sup>  
It is nearly two weeks since I last wrote in this but this is first day I have been at all in the mood to write as I have been laid up with the "faller Janders" and have felt pretty rotten although spending only one entire day in bed. I am not yet able to do anything out side although I feel ever so much better. Hank and Dad. have had a pretty rough time of it and haven't been able till to-day to get a thing done but chores although the frost went out early last week and all the other farmers

are well up with their plowing. Dad. got a good 10 early start this morning and Mr. Flemming came over with his team and plow for a surprise so they will get on famously to-day. A week ago Sunday Uncle Hal. was taken very much worse and Flint came over after Dad. who was down nearly every night and often during the day so got hardly any sleep at all. Uncle Hal. grew gradually worse through the week and although they didn't think he suffered much actual pain often had a very hard time with his breathing and on Monday morning about four o'clock he died. He was conscious I think right up to the last. Roy came up Saturday Saturday night and went back Monday night. He might have stayed longer but got word from Vernon that Rebecca was sick but I don't think it was anything serious. The funeral was yesterday and Dad. Hank & Enah all went down and took the baby with them. I stayed here with Mrs. M. & Bride. It has been pretty nice sunny weather for the most part since the first west set. and has only frozen slightly a couple or so nights. It has rained once or twice one all day rain on Tuesday I think.

Friday December 4<sup>th</sup>  
Mr. Flemming came over and gave Dad. another days work to-day so they have got on fine. Dad. says he can nearly finish it if he gets a good day in to-morrow. I felt ever so much better to-day and cleaned out the chicken house and husked & shelled some corn this morning. This afternoon I went down and got the beef scraps and grit at the station. I took Nellie and found Mr. Democrat. Quinny & Quinny Alice came over to night they are going to stay here for awhile. Cold raw wind and cloudy all day.

Saturday December 5<sup>th</sup>  
Dad. plowed all day to day and nearly finished it.