

Friday March 25th
Tom and I went down with the wagon this morning and got a little coal and harnessed a set of triple & double blocks from Vel. Leaney. We also found that the harness had come & brought it home. This afternoon Frank & Al came over and with the use of the double blocks and the good hay rope we were able to move the chicken house up on to level ground in two sets. We anchored to Frank's tractor and a post and pulled with the team. Once they got started they didn't seem to have much trouble moving it but the ground was very soft, and we thought it best not to try to do any more than level it up till the ground dries up. On our last set we were trying to cut the corner a little and broke a chain and the end of one of Vel's skids so will have to cut a pair before we can try it again. Fine but rather cold east wind.

Saturday March 26th
The ground was white with snow this morning and it has been snowing and raining by turns all day making itself very disagreeable. Tom came over with some old binders - one of them he had harnessed from the harness he calls old Evans and we taped

it up over part of the open end of the chicken house. but they were not suffering as much from the storm as we thought they would be as the wind was south east and the building is turned so that the open front faces the north and the open end the west. Tom went home again to unpack and oil the new harness which he is very pleased with and I spent the remainder of the forenoon finishing the dining room wood work or some of it for Mary. Mary Evans came over this afternoon to see if Frank had come over to grind his valves or do some other un-understandable thing to his tractor but as there was no sign of Frank he and I walked over to Louis and spent the afternoon helping him put the harness together. It certainly looks like good solid harness and good leather. Mrs. Butler served afternoon tea and we had quite a party. I called in at the Lamp kin's with some cooking & taste that Mary made for them this morning. They are both pretty sore, and neither can use their right arm. John is still there.

Sunday March 27th
Just did chores and sat around reading and writing the day. A shave was included with the chores. Tom has not been over except to get some milk this morning. He