

21. MONDAY. [80-285]

Brought home the heifer Father bought. Then took in barrel potatoes, & shifted peas straw off hay as we are feeding horses ^{out} of frame barn. Afternoon Sharpened saw it was my first attempt so it took a good while to get over it, then sawing in bush cut over a cord. Evening at Y.P.C.A. Spent 4 pages of the Rose of Sharon D. Carr will read next night! (Debate.) I am on the negative side

22. TUESDAY. [81-284]

Set the saw, fixed stove pipes & one & a thousand things besides. Afternoon Sawing cut a good bit

We have got a slight coat of new snow & it has been pretty cold today so I think we may get some more snow tomorrow. Tomorrow never comes does it?

23. WEDNESDAY. [82-283]

Drawing home wood & loads pretty fair sleighing between bush & here. We have now 15 cords at the least at home now, which I think ought to bring us to the snow. Afternoon Sawing in bush got on well. We are making the bush quite thin & piling brush of every tree we cut so it is a little like a fallow now.

24. THURSDAY. [83-282]

Sawing & chopping all day. We had a fine beech tree just off the stump at dinner time. Afternoon we notched him up & took off 24 blocks of splendid splitting wood. Put down another tree & took off 2 blocks in trimmings. Sunny afternoon. Snow going slowly

25. FRIDAY. [84-281]

Annunciation—Lady Day.

Sawing & chopping all day. Cut up 2 beeches & part of a small maple. Sunshine all day but very cold north wind. Made an axe handle evening

26. SATURDAY [85-280]

Cold morning. Put handle into axe & opened turnip pit & took in 5 small loads of good turnips. Afternoon Ground 3 axes split Sunday wood & made another handle for old splitting axe

Had a long letter from F. Cathrae. Bermuda today. Cold north wind

27. SUNDAY. 4 in Lent. [86-279]

Attended Divine service in Presbyterian Church today. The Pastor Rev. H. Currie preached from the text "So go work today in my vineyard" Matt 21st & 28th.