

we owe a him, they haven't a place yet but are thinking of taking Charlie M. Queen if they can ever get Charlie to make any agreement. So night I went down town and just sat around and talked to Mary. In evening, she and Essie have each knitted a Red Cross sock so I tried them both on. Cloudy and saw wind all day. Clear and frosty to night.

Friday February 11<sup>th</sup>

We didn't do much but chares this morning, and unloaded our load of coal. This after noon I copied out a long letter I wrote to W. L. Pratt in answer to the one I got on the recruiting subject. I sat up till two o'clock last night to write it. About four o'clock Dad hooked up Joe & Ginger to the cutter and took Euch & the baby down to Auntie's for tea, after that Dad and Frank and I walked down as Auntie Alice's party that she has been talking about for the last month in honor of Jack's birthday. All the family were there but none else except Mary's Dads. We had a great time baby keeping us laughing most of the time and the baby enjoying himself but not very bad. I showed baby the letter I wrote to Pratt and he advised me not to send it. Dads and I got a ride home with Alan Law but had to wait till after twelve in at bed for him to start. Rather stormy but not very cold.

Saturday February 12<sup>th</sup>

Did chares all morning and Dad drove down and brought Euch & the baby home, as they stay'd down at Auntie's all night. This after noon we hooked Joe & Queen up to the cutter and went down town. Queen went fine, she balked a little when we first started out at a snow drift and broke her martingale. Jim isn't any better to day Dad gave her another dose of salts, but she won't eat or drink a thing. It has been very blustering but not very cold.

Sunday February 13<sup>th</sup>

Frank and I went to church this morning and Frank went down to Sunday school. This after noon I took Joe & Ginger with the cutter and took Mary's off Mad. Law for a drive it was pretty cold up the gravel so we didn't go far. I brought the team home and then went down to Auntie Alice's to see her. There was no church in our church to night. Cousin Willie conducted the service this morning. Mr. Johnson is still in Maskota. Det. Cranbury told me this after noon that they had telephoned over from the Jones to get Euch to go down first thing in the morning so I went up to inquire into things to night. and found Mrs. Jones was in bed with a swelled neck and Clea wanted Euch to go down in the morning so she could go to work. I then went around and