

Croton February 1888

- Mon Feb 20 cloudy high wind from the West, and soft. the snow pretty nigh gone in the fields. the river rising ice beginning to break up. it is turning cold this evening I think it will check it. I was splitting wood to day. Walter attending the stock. Vic started this morning to go to John Olbers
- Tue Feb 21 cloudy and cool. I was thrashing out peas the fore part of the day latter part we were cleaning up peas.
- Wed Feb 22 clear and pleasant we were sawing stove wood part of the day. I heard a blue to day the first this season.
- Thu Feb 23 cloudy part of the day and soft we were sawing stove wood most of the day we saw some robins the first this year
- Fri Feb 24 clear part of the day and warm. I was splitting wood. Walter and Rose went to Shamessville and had their aching teeth drawn

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- Sat Feb 25 cloudy and soft. rain most of the night and this fore noon. the river a getting up almost bank full the ice beginning to move. we were not doing much to day.
- Sun Feb 26 blustering and cold.
- Mon Feb 27 a cold blustering day. I was thrashing out peas Walter taking care of the stock
- Tue Feb 28 cloudy and cold. I was thrashing out peas again to day
- Wed Feb 29 clear and quite warm in the after noon. we was taking straw in the barn in the fore noon after noon cutting wood.
- Thu Mar 1 cloudy and wet. we were grinding our axes this fore noon
- Fri Mar 2 cloudy rain and sleet. the ground covered with ice was not doing much to day.