

Saturday February 13<sup>th</sup>

Ruby and Lile came over this morning and have been here all day Ruby & Frank cutting wood most of the time. This morning Dad, Lile and I went up and got another load of gravel. Yesterdays thaw made the roads pretty slippery and in some places the snow was nearly all gone, we had no trouble getting home with our load however although Prestons hill was pretty bad in spots. As Frank wanted to make a trip to the gravel pit so dad went up yesterdays load this afternoon. They wanted to put it off way up at Sam's corner but when they crossed the ditch the hubs got stuck and they had to throw the load of where it was, on back the team as Harry fell down and pull the sleighs out with the chain. Ruby helped me put the netting on the chicken house windows this afternoon and then Ench. Tiddums and I drove down town. Ench took down seven dozen eggs and got 25¢ for them. We saw Dick down town and while Ench was shopping he, Tiddums and I had a great drive around town which apparently delighted God to the utmost. It rained this morning and hasn't frozen all day but the wind is much colder.

Sunday February 14<sup>th</sup>

I just watered the horses and fed the chickens this morning and then got ready and went down to Sunday school with Frank.

Hagen started back a few weeks ago so I thought I would keep him company. I went around and called for him. He invited me over to dinner so I went after church. Hagen, Dave & Booy were keepin' hatch to-day. and Hagen did the cooking. We had a chicken which was mighty good. I was over there all the afternoon and didn't get home till after five, just as I was coming over the bridge. Dad always took me with the team, sleigs and all the family. They had been out at the Shands and had come around by town to get Aunty's and Aunty Alice's luggage as they are going to stay over here for awhile. To night we all listened to Dusty read "Little Lord Fauntleray." Very mild and Spring like all day with quite a heavy shower of rain after dinner.

Monday February 15<sup>th</sup>

I happened to get up early this morning and while poking around heard a sheep bleat. I lit the lantern and went out and saw the ewe which has been sick all week No 24 looked very much like lambing so I called Dad and sure enough before long there was a lamb and before breakfast another and soon after a third but it was dead. Dad has been running back and forth to the barn all day with first one and then the other to keep them warm and also to feed them as the ewe so far has hardly any milk for them, but to night they look fairly comfortable.