

has just been vacated by grandpa. Charles  
Quabery is home now and has been helping Art  
finish his house today. Jack Martin asked him  
when Art was going to be married but Charles says  
he doesn't know any thing about that. says that  
Alan Law has the dates for the 30th. Charles says  
that you can't buy a job in Buffalo and there  
are a great many out of work. It is the same  
all over. It is still very mild not freezing tonight.

Saturday January 8<sup>th</sup>

Mary went over with me to the farm this morning  
and after I fed things up. she and I drove down  
to Will M. Neily's I wanted to ask him if he would  
buy a bull but he said he had not room for one  
just now. The roads were pretty rough and the  
was delightful but there was a little breeze and  
as Mary just had an overcoat on since her house  
dress and no sweaters she got pretty cold, and as we  
were late getting home she got hungry too, so his  
"cordial draught" was packed with Oats. However  
she felt more like living when he had dinner out  
I went to sleep and slept most of the afternoon we  
came home for tea and tonight the Lewis boys  
came over and we had a nice time. Frank  
helped Mary feed it. Feeding will murder tonight.

Sunday January 9<sup>th</sup>

Mary and I went down to Sunday school and  
Church and then went over to the farm for dinner.  
Aunty Alice went over there with us. He went home  
about four o'clock but Mary and I stayed right there  
for tea and to spend the evening. The chickens here  
didn't get fed but when I went down after we  
got home I found they had laid five eggs and as  
there was a suspicion of a broken one on some  
of them we believe they must have laid six. Mary  
was surprised and delighted. Dad went down to  
Church tonight before we had tea and went to see  
Aunty after Church. He spent most of the afternoon  
reading Tom Sawyer (which Rebecca sent to Lid  
for Christmas) to the family, but I started on another  
book and went to sleep. Frank actually finished  
reading a book "The Hoarse Schoolmaster" and Aunt  
was caught reading it on the other day. Something  
must be going to happen. I hope nothing awful.  
It has been a beautiful day a little colder but sunny.

Monday January 10<sup>th</sup>

We hauled in a load of corn this morning and  
spent most of the afternoon unloading it and  
husking some. I husked and Dad & Frank un-  
loaded. We have the one now full now and when