

Peter has been getting up wood to day, from the back woods. The weather has become quite warm again with every prospect of another thaw. I have doing a number of odd jobs through the day such as putting brine on meat &c. &c.

Had a short visit from James Holcomb this evening. He came to do some trading at the Victor Store.

Received a letter from my sister telling us of her daughter's ~~and~~ Nettie's marriage this Spring.

Have had Peter drawing up wood again to day. The weather has been quite mild; but, still the snow and ice remain in sufficient quantities for drawing wood. I have been fixing up a sheep-shed back of the barn, out of the old ~~W. P. H.~~ hen-coop, besides doing some other work. Have of few thought, this if the fences and buildings should be so much out of repair after one season with a tenant what would they be after a term of four or five years.