

dollars an acre. Dad doesn't want to say that John
Wess isn't assessed high enough but his land is
certainly worth more to the acre than ours is as
it is all cleared and now hills. L'ail made it
thirty seven dollars an acre I think. It has been another
lovely spring day, with lots of mud but sunny.

Sunday March 30th

This afternoon morning after I got the chores done I
started to paint my colony house. I got one end and
most of the back done before dinner. Aunty Celis was
over for a little while and to dinner. This afternoon
Dad and I went down to John Watts sale we got a
ride down and back with Charlie Quamby, the roads
were awful we all had to walk up Monticello's hill
and Charlie had the team and little light democrat.
There wasn't such an awful crowd there and the good
of especially high. It was a nice day but the sale was over
by about four o'clock. Johnny Long has sold out
and enlisted and Erny Kinds of Nantucket has sold
out and every body supposes he has enlisted. Young
Lee Boyghner has enlisted and left his part with

two farms on his hands and no man. You said he couldn't
stand it any longer he couldn't get time with out them
getting after him. So night I went down to see Mary
for a little while. Another beautiful spring day.

Saturday April 1st

It has rained off and on all day and we haven't
done much but chores. I went over to Jack Martins
and got an inside hover that she wasn't using
he thought it would work better than my outside
hover. I was over there quite awhile speaking over.
Charlie Quamby is quitting today and Jack's new
man came, he is going to live in Brice's house
and Brice is going to move into Vige's house.
While I was gone Dad & Frank sacked up some
barley and Frank and I took it down to the mill.
This afternoon, we went up to Best Thompson's
and got an incubator of Art Quamby's which Best
had but wasn't using and which Art said I might
use. It is an Essex 70 egg machine. Hubby and Fels
came over just as we were taking the team off and
they stayed till it was time to do the night chores.