

January 1st 1914. Thursday,
Began the New Year very badly by allowing the sun to get up
or nearly so before me, but I was utterly unaware of it until
too late, of course we didn't pretend to do any thing but chores so it
didn't matter much. We got every thing done up - and I got dressed
ready for dinner at Aunty Maude's which was supposed to be at
half past one sharp, but as Liddums went to sleep and they didn't
like to wake him, Dad, Edith, Roy & Frank didn't get down till about half
past two, but I went down on time and told Aunty Maude how things
stood. However when we did get after the turkey we soon polished him
off. Dad, Liddums and I came home about five and did chores and
minded Liddums by turns. Roy had to go back to night and Enah
and Frank went down to the station to see him off Enah and Aunty
Maude also went over to Mrs. Johnson's reception where Winnie
was tending door. Mrs. Johnson sent word over to have Hubby go
over this morning, as she wanted a man to be the first caller on
New Year's day. Dick was skating all the afternoon and I guess it is
great on the pond. Enah came home after dark and Frank and Lila
a little later. Hubby and Aunty Maude went up to Mrs. Bellis's to a party. Winny
came over to Aunt Lucy's and Jim is capable of looking after himself
so Lila came over here to stay all night. Ed. was over here just before
Dad. went down town this morning to talk over the coming election. Ed.
says he has gone over the voters list and given it up all the