

Brook 1889

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Jan 1<sup>st</sup> New Year day, very warm, mild day, heavy  
all day. In P.M. called for Bertha D. to go for a  
skate on creek but this is hardly safe so gave it up,  
then this we could do by the basin so we went and  
she stepped on edge, broke through & got her feet wet,  
so went back & got permission to go on river so we  
went had a splendid skate quite a large crowd on  
ice. Bertha skated with Walter J. & I with F. Hanning  
Went up & had tea & had an invitation to spend  
at Mrs. Dr. but I declined but B. went & I come home  
met Dan H. & he came back with me & we had a  
very pleasant eve. Arthur B. called & we had cider  
& oranges, grapes, chest nuts & they went at 12. & I did  
I. duant on Dan Belyas wedding cake which  
Dan & Arthur hid up for us.

It is over 2 months since I last wrote in diary & a great  
many changes have taken place, through I remember  
we had several meetings in our church & Dan H.  
Arthur B. & Bertha D. all got converted & have become  
very much changed. By those meetings I realized  
much goodness and learned to try & help those who  
are <sup>not</sup> trying to help themselves. I got better acquainted  
with Dan & began to look upon him as a brother.