

of the loaves and taking up the room. To night I went skating the ice was in beautiful shape. Dad has felt sick all day.

Wednesday January 12th

Dad has been in bed all day and feels properly sick. I guess he has the grip like all the rest of them although he hasn't a cold. It has kept me busy all day just doing the chores. Frank has felt a lot better but not well enough to be out. Dick still has his eyes pretty sore. Nicholson & Hazen came over to see him this evening. They told him not to try to come to work. Hazen told me last night they were getting along fine. Mr. Adams has sold about fifteen dollars worth of chickens and only spends about ten minutes a day in the bank. It rained most of the day but is colder to night.

Thursday January 13th

Dad has been sitting up to-day but doesn't feel much better I think. Frank has been well evening to day to help me do some of the chores but we didn't get anything else done. Mrs. Dyer came over to see Dick today. He doesn't feel much better. It has been cold and stormy today.

Friday January 14th

I saw they had steam up over at Lano's this morning and about nine o'clock Alan came in to see if one of us could go over. I was just going in to breakfast but he said he had to go down town so I didn't need to hurry. I went over and hung around for half an hour and we got started about half past ten, but as there were only two loads of blocks we got through before noon. It turned out pretty well as they got three bushels. I was the only extra hand there. Bert and I pitched out of the man and Sam & Alan did the rest. I had dinner over there but when I got home found Frank had all the chores done so this afternoon he and I took a small visit to the mill, and because we could only find about half a dozen empty bags. To night I went skating there was a little snow on the ice but it was pretty good. Desi & Grace Dyer came over to see Dick to night so Frank had to see them home and didn't get back till long after midnight. Dick has felt a great deal worse to-day about the sickest he has yet although his eyes are better. Dad says he feels better to night but he is pretty weak. It has been a nice day but pretty cold. This was Aunt Alice's birthday and I called in to wish her a happy one. Aunt & Aunt Alice were both at church but I saw them on my way home.