

last night. He has rented Lew Morgan's property up the  
radical road about twenty two acres. house & barn some fruit  
and a grape vine for <sup>the</sup> 5 years. He thinks he will be able to  
make it growing vegetables, To night. Enah & I went down  
to Elva's to another pedro party. We got there early so I  
went back to town and came over with Dick & Harry ~~they~~  
We had another very enjoyable evening but didn't  
get home till two o'clock. Dick won a box of blacking this  
time for the hockey prize with the inscription "If you can't  
shine at the head shine at the feet. There has been a rather raw  
wind all day and this afternoon it began to snow it  
was still snowing when we came home but the wind had gone  
down and it had turned very soft.

Saturday March 6<sup>th</sup>

I haven't done any thing but chores all day and haven't  
been very swift at them. I had a short snooze before dinner.  
Tonight before six Sam & I went down and got the receipt  
some coal oil. Long Bannister came over after dinner and  
he and Frank went back to see if there were any fish in the river  
but there wasn't any water in it yet. Truman Walker was  
in at noon and borrowed the saddle as he was taking  
one of his mares to Simcoe to sell her for an artillery.

horse. His father is in Toronto having his eye treated and  
has been gone for several weeks. Jim says it will be a long  
time before he will be back. It has been cloudy and snowing  
a little but very soft. There were quite a few cutters & sleighs  
out to-day but I guess it sleighing is pretty poor.

Sunday March 7<sup>th</sup>

Frank was the only member of the family at church or Sunday  
school this morning, and he stayed down at Herb's for  
dinner. My cold was so bad that I didn't do a pesky thing all  
day but sit around practice on the fiddle write a letter to  
Gunt. and read. Dad. did all the chores and this morning  
drove Enah and Liddums down to the latter's Grand-ma's where  
they had dinner and ~~and~~ spent the afternoon. Dad. brought  
them home at five o'clock. Dick got up about two o'clock and  
went down to see Jess for the rest of the day & a good part of the  
night. I went to bed right after tea. Snowed a little but mild.

Monday March 8<sup>th</sup>

I didn't get up till after noon to-day and have just sat around  
all the rest of the day. Dad. went down this morning to ask  
Sairy if she wanted his blind lamb to look after and this  
afternoon Jonas came after it. They are getting all ready to