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Feb 1

Rev. W. McClean preached here at night.

2 I went to Esquelt with Bags of oats to goint
~~for the pigs and cross to the fair day~~

3 I drew a load of ~~oats~~ ^{was} home this forenoon
he went to the outlet for a load of ~~oats~~ ^{was} sandstone

4 I drew a load of hay from Bruce for his horse
Frank is taking care of the cattle & getting wood

5 I was up all night here with Philaw he has got a rub
of the scarlet fever the 2^d Hannah was for 4 or 5 hours
lost night I suspect & grandma has been ^{up} most of the night

I went for a load of wood this forenoon he left it here

6 I drew a load of wood he left one of them
and took the other home called him day

7 I drew a load of cord wood ~~is the~~ ^{is the} fore noon
~~to the telegraph office to the mill for the 2^d Hannah was for 4 or 5 hours~~
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I left it here and brought a load of long wood & left it here

Rev. W. McClean preached here this morning he got

Mr. Darling to him to San Bay & Fair at night

He and Abie was here of night Philaw he a little corner

9 I brought a load this forenoon he took it home

it stormy all the afternoon snow & rain at night

10 rain most of the night snow and a heavy crust

I was here half the night with Philaw he is very weak

I went to Brookfield and the Hicks got back on the Express

11 very stormy last night rain and snow with high winds
all night most of the day ^{yesterday afternoon} Mr. Higbee came out to

see Philaw he is very low the 2^d is here every night and

12 very fine forenoon snow and blew away ^{morning} heavy

Mr. Higbee went home this morning Matt and Lizzie came

from Delta this afternoon I came on the Express

to be here for dinner this is our wedding day we were

fifty years ago When I and one got a present of a pair of

mounted Speck from little Watt from Penabrock they are

very fine ones. He and Abie Matt & Lizzie & I were all back dinner

together and had a good time Philaw is again a deal better

13 the roads is very bad very little travel I went to her

School at Glen Brook on the Hicks this morning

14 I drew a load of wood this morning