

with Harry and Joe. It froze a little during the night and there was a slight North west wind but the roads were good. we couldn't have chosen a better day to go, the sun was hot and coming home the snow was pretty well off the roads in places, so we took longer to get back but went up in about three hours. we got our load on before noon and had our dinner over at Mr. Peter Bachhuses. Clara was sick in bed, we got a dandy great big walnut bureau and a heavy walnut wash stand besides a smaller washstand also walnut but with two big holes cut in the top of it for basins, the first two Auntie Ida gave to Dad and also a bedstead supposed to be walnut. The bureau is the best of the lot hand built and built as solid as a house and walnut right through except the back, the only trouble is every thing is varnished. We unloaded it after Art & Charlie Swanbury came in for a while, they had been out to the farm with a load of manure. I went down to a travelling show that a truck driver called "The man from Canada". I went to bed fairly early as I was inclined to be tired.

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Glen Kyser came this morning about half past ten, we had begun to think he wasn't coming but he did and got the old shed all icked up and in place by about our 10 o'clock, it wasn't nearly the job to get the ends of the rafters on the purline plate that we thought it would be when we raised the front posts. Glen just pryed the ends of the rafters up and as the front raised the rafters slid in on the plate. The middle rafters didn't meet on the plate but Glen said if we raised the middle of the shed till they did meet there would be a hump in the shed roof the same as is in the barn roof and would look bad. The hump in the barn roof being caused by the corner posts rotting and settling. Frank stayed home from school and we could have got along with out any extra help but I had told Art Swanbury to come over after dinner so he came, he had to tell Jack that Glen was going out to his own place to get off as he was very busy with Chris being sick. Art and I nailed pickets on the two rafters over the purline plate so that they can't spread again so easily. Glen got through about four