

very steady rain all the after-noon. Frank says they will finish these in a couple of hours. Dad and I went down this morning and got a load of soft coals. Dad walked down and I had the coal on when he got down as he stopped in at Dennis's for a while. I saw the station agent who told me we could have a car tomorrow after-noon to ship the sheep and when we found the thrashers would be here so as we didn't get we had better put off the shipping a day so I saw the agent again to night and he said it would suit him better not to let us have the car till Thursday. Frank went down to the dentist this after-noon so I sent down all the certificates to be transferred with first part. Dad and I got Chores this after-noon and I unloaded the soft coal some of it at the barn to thrash with and the rest of it in the wood shed. Frank and I went to V. S. L. to night. We had a pretty fair crowd out and spent the evening deciding on a play to get up. We at last picked on Junior Caesar. There was a grand dance on in the hall to night for the employees of the Foundation Company. Sam and I went up after the clock to find the station agent as he was nearly gone. They were all up in the Red Cross rooms having supper. It's spring sheep in and I thought I would get Joe a shed. I didn't have

Wednesday January 22nd
 Frank went over to Martins for a little while this morning and came back while they were putting through the Chaff to help us get ready for them. They got over here and set up and thrashed about an hour before dinner and steadily all the after-noon finishing up soon after five. We got about ten bushels of nice washing seeds two bushels of which were from the Chaff and may not be quite so heavy as the other. I didn't do very much as Tom came over and we had lots of help. Tom gave me four dollars which he got for the old hens and two dollars for eggs and this after-noon I got a letter from Neff with a check in it for ten dollars to pay my expenses at Guelph and also my score cards. I went down to see Mary.

Thursday January 23rd
 It was very misty this morning and soon turned to rain which kept up all day some times raining quite hard. Frank went over to Pickford's to see if they would thrash but Sam nor Alan put in an appearance. I drove down before dinner to see where our car was to ship the sheep in and thought I would get Joe a shed. I didn't have