

On account of the continued cold weather I can do but little besides work in the woods and at doing chores. I have been helping Lewis cut his wood this afternoon. Had to file the saw, though. It went so bad. There was quite a heavy fall of rain last night but it turned cold immediately after.

Was disappointed in getting a man as I expected yesterday. Sent Lewis up to Hartford after a friend of his but he happened to be engaged for the summer.

Heard yesterday that Alice Deane was just married to a Miss Mulvaney of Putnam.

I helped Mrs. Lewis cut wood again this forenoon most of the time. This afternoon I have been trimming trees in the back yard. The weather has been quite cold with the usual North West wind blowing. Otherwise it has been very fine. Notice that the continued freezing and thawing is making the wheat and meadows look very bad in places.

My soil, watered up as the Lord more than they that wait for the morning. Yea, more than they that wait for the morning. How he is on Lord. What gift.