

around. Dad is very tired. Tonight Colin Ryerson was because Bill Duncan's man wanted Dad to go with them but he was too tired to go. There was a grand wedding in town today, Leo O'Keim and Anez Schram, Frank saw them go off. Liddums & an walk now all alone but he is a little afraid to unless someone's right beside him to catch him. Very sunny today but cold north wind. There was a fine eclipse of the moon to night, we didn't know about it till we saw it.

Thursday March 12th

We did up the chores this morning and then hauled the hay rack over to where the sheep are and put on a load of hay, we got it on by noon and hauled it over to the horse stable Cousins Phoebe & Lell were over to dinner and after Dad had showed them all around the ranch and talked awhile we put the load off over the horse stable and hauled another load over to the other barn for the cows and left it on the barn floor. The little lamb has been in the pen with its mother all day but still she doesn't recognize it although isn't had to it. Dad has to catch her for the little fellow to get refreshment but once he gets started she stands quietly. Liddums started off of his own accord to walk today noon and was greatly pleased with himself to find out he could. He has prancing around ever since Jonas was over for a visit. After tea and gave us a few selections on the mouth organ. It has been freezing pretty hard in the shade all day. fairly sunny.

Friday March 13th

This morning we did chores and I cleaned out the chicken house and separator as we want to begin separating again now. Lloyd Ryerson came in at noon with a notice for Dad to attend a meeting of the school board at three o'clock on the school ground. We wanted to go after a load of wood up to Evans this afternoon so went around that way although it made us pretty late. The way they have it surveyed out now, there is just the same width of ground on each side of the building and is fifty feet in from Main St. This they all think is too close to the street but they can't move it back without cutting down or trimming up the old hickory nut tree and as none of them want that done, they think it will have to go up where they now have it unless they buy some more lots. When Dad got through with them we went up to Evans and got the way you know full of wood. a lot of it was cut too long for our stove but we managed to get on about three quarters of a cord. We just got home a little before six. Not quite so cold today although freezing all day in the shade.

Saturday March 14th

Dad was up at twenty minutes to five this morning and I got up at six so he and Frank was able to get started at half past eight for a load of wood at Evans. They got back at noon with a little over a cord. I did chores all morning. They got another load this after