

Kess. has been cleaning out the creek again today and Joe. has been working corn as usual. Ma and I went out to look over this morning and the invitation of Mr. Alderson, for an excursion over the lake. Had not go however, the wind blowing rather strong broke the banks west making the lake rough. Mr. Alderson arrangements had been changed as well so as to prevent his returning to night. Had discussed it with Alderson however and came home afterwards.

Lewis and I have continued to clean out the creek and did not get done until nearly night. Brought home our first load of corn stalks this evening however.

Joe has continued to work corn as usual. He has got a nice piece husked and ready for drawing off.

The weather is turning much colder again, & to night it feels a good deal like winter. Have had not frost to fill corn as yet, though