

Chores. Mark was in for a few minutes on his way down town and we had quite a heated discussion on prohibition to-morrow. Auntie is to decide whether or not she will allow the importation of liquor and we all have our own ideas about it. Mark and I stick up for the rights of the individual on principle while the others are more practical and think the welfare of the state should be considered first. I'm no friend of booze but I feel that prohibition is more of a Prussian ideal than it is British but as most people think the other way I don't care. Dad went down to night to see Aunt Ida who has been quite sick. It has been a miserable day. Snowed three or four inches last night and has been snowing all day.

Monday April 18th

Frank went down to Pickfords this morning and they finished building the cellar. I took some eggs over to Jack Martin and Dad took Sid to school and brought Jack Walker back with him. Jack is canvassing the congregation to increase the revenue of the church and is doing very well. This afternoon Mary and Enah drove down town and Mary stopped down to tea and went to the Girls' auxiliary

to-night. I went down to band practice to-night and we came home together. Aunt Ida was sitting up to-night but looks very sick. Elgitha dropped a row of teeth sometime during the night. Dad is going to try to milk her but she is pretty wild. I have to stand and scratch her all the time. Dad is working at her as she kicks with great force and no warning. Lovely day, sunny & mild but windy.

Tuesday April 19th

We bagged up some oats first thing this morning and Frank took them to the mill. Mary and I pruned raspberry bushes till noon. This afternoon Frank & I went down and got a load of saw dust to put in the ice house. Frank also got a couple of boards to make a little closet in our room. I saw Auntie down town and she says Aunt Ida's worse again. Dad went down to see her to-night and Enah went over to Uncle Ward's to see Ida who is improving. Dad had a letter from Dick to-day saying that he has been ordered to report at Montreal, but doesn't know what they intend doing with him there. The returns of the polling are not all in yet but so far there is over 100,000 majority for with importation so I guess the boys have it. Dover went 150 maj. for