

Frank also went down after dinner to hear a trial between Lloyd Cryder and Carl Linn over some hay deal. Lloyd was the defendant and won the case. I did up the chores after dinner but felt pretty rough and when I got through I was afraid I was going to have an ear-ache so I curled up on the sofa for the rest of the day and took hot salt bags on my ear which staved off the pain pretty well and I went to bed soon after tea. Dad. came home early and he and Frank did all the chores. Dad. says they have opened the Post Office down in Harold Linn's old ice-cream parlor and Patterson is opening an electric and telephone & telegraph office up in Coleman's little shack where Hubby used to be. It was raining when I went up to the fire this morning but about five o'clock the wind switched around to the north-west and it got very cold and still is.

Saturday March 6th

I stayed in bed till noon today and have not been outside all day but to night I feel better. It has been bitterly cold all day and windy. Dad. and Frank have done all the chores and Frank took Joe down town this afternoon and had her shod. He also took down the bag of good clover seed to Harry Wisener and he gave him 67¢ for it but didn't weigh it up then. Dad. went to the doctor yesterday to ask him about his arm as it has been paining him a lot lately. The doctor didn't know what it was but gave him some pills to take.

Sunday March 7th

Frank went down to Sunday school and church this morning but I have not been out of the house all day although I feel better. Amby came over with Frank to dinner and was here all the afternoon. Dad. went back with her to tea and I think he went up to see Cassin till to night. Lloyd Rye came up just after dinner and he & Frank went over and spent the afternoon at the Englands. Still very cold.

Monday March 8th

I have been in the house all day again today but would have gone out if the weather had been decent but it has been very windy and blustery although not very cold. Dad. and Frank just did chores. I still have quite a cold in my head but my throat is much better. I spent the day reading Livius & Cassius which I didn't care much for. It's representation of the Trojan war and the Grecian heroes was rather tame after the Illiad. I went out this afternoon to gather the eggs and found the two white roosters had got together and had a battle royal and were both about all in. The one that was with the pullets has died but the other one will come around I think. He is the one I was most particular about as his mother is 74 last year's best layer. He is the only rooster I have now as Dad. killed my cock on the other day, he was sick.

Tuesday March 9th

This has been a beautiful spring like day and sunny