

Leut Ness Lewis
 out to Dove this
 forenoon with a
 small load of stone
 to put up for founda-
 tion under chimney
 at New M. Church.
 Had some difficulty
 in getting from old
 track, but made it
 out at last.

The boys have been
 fixing fences this af-
 ternoon at different
 points. Our friend
 W. Benson came
 this evening bringing
 our wagon and horse
 back, lately borrowed.
 Have been trying all
 evening to get the
 fruit the delivery re-
 turns done, but in
 vain.

Lewis and I made
 some stumps fence
 this forenoon next
 to Mr. Brides. The fresh-
 et last spring or
 rather in early spring
 may a new fence
 necessary for a few
 rods. Have had
 Joe at work fixing
 fences on the back
 end of the place.

I have been writing
 for Benson this af-
 ternoon most of the
 forenoon. George was
 here this morning
 and I was sorry that
 the papers were not
 ready for him.

The dry weather still
 continues and a
 drought appears to
 have set in.