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Course there being about 18 in, and all showed a good interest in the lectures Neff gave us on Soils & Fertilizers and Insect Pests. We got home in plenty of time to do up the night chores. Enah was rather upset by news she got from Courtsight to day saying that Jean Jones was married having done the trick on the sly. Collier

Wednesday January 9th

Frank and I went down to the Course this morning and we had a young fellow from Cayuga up to give us a talk on Cultivation but he wasn't much account. Neff also took up Fruit Growing. The fellow from Cayuga said they were to have started a Short Course down there yesterday but all the boys were afraid to leave the farm for fear of being drafted so he said. The tribunals exempted them on condition that they would not go off the farm for more than three days. This afternoon the class went up to Sam Thompson's to judge poultry but as I found out from Hubby that Jack Dewey had a car of coal in and that we could get a ton if we come after it right away I came home and Dad and I went down and got a ton. We were very lucky to get it as the car was nearly empty and there is no telling when there will

be any more in and we were just out. To-night Frank and I went down to County's for tea where Win, Lilla, Dess and Mary were also assembled so we had a very pleasant evening. Not so cold but rather blustery to-day.

Thursday January 10th

Frank and I were down at the Short Course all day. This afternoon we tested whole milk for butter fat. I took down a sample of Elgitha's milk and it tested 3.3% which Neff said wasn't bad. I only took the milk from her front quarters and didn't get the strippings which would make it go higher. I got my film from Billy Gordon to-day and to-night Enah and I printed pictures. The ones I took of the ice covered trees were pretty good. Not cold rather windy. Dad separated the new calf from his mother to-day.

Friday January 11th

Frank and I went down to school this morning and had Subs & Feeding and Bacteriology and this afternoon mostly the class came over here to judge our sheep. Supper's & Stace Lowrie's law suit came off this afternoon and Frank heard when he was down to-night that Supper lost his suit and Stace got \$6.00. Frank went down to the Red Cross to-night.