

properly so he and I tried to examine her mouth. We couldn't see much but he faked around with his float and knocked the cap off one of her teeth. She said he had never heard of a cow having capped teeth like colts but didn't see why they shouldn't have. To night he found another one so we think that from now on she will be able to eat properly. Alan Law came in while we were out there and took Dad down to look at a caulked lock on a new horse shoe last fall and which caulked itself running through a snow bank. Dad was down there till noon. She has not felt very well this afternoon. After I did up the after dinner chores I took a walk back to the woods and across Iney's gully into Preston's woods. The snow is about all off the level now and just in the cuts and on the north side of hills are thin banks left of honey combed dirty snow. I saw Old Walker and Benny & Charlie's Jay Siple working up the big trees in Preston's which the big wind storm took down. Sunny & spring like but cold wind.

Wednesday March 17th

I haven't done much today but chores. Frank has been firing up some old double trees getting them ready for seeding. Dad went over to Inanburg's this morning to see Charlie's cow which got into the chop the other day and has been blooded up ever since. He found Karl Coleman there spinning her. Poor Charlie's cows have tough luck.

Dad. hasn't felt at all well all day to day and his arm is paining him to night again. Enah is feeling miserable too Frank and I did up the chores early to night and Frank went down to Auntly's for tea. I went down right after tea and went with Aunty Alice to Church to night. After church Mary. and I went over to the entertainment put on by J. W. Benough for the local part of the Grand Army of Canada. She was certainly amusing both as a cartoonist and a talker. She drew a picture of old Fred over at the Dominion Hotel which was a very good likeness of him and which tickled the boys in the gallery immensely. He also made a dumy Irish mud out of a potato and an English one out of a plum pudding and also a Scotch one out of a thistle. There was a dance after the show but we didn't stay.

Thursday March 18th

Dad. went over to see John Woot's this morning and didn't get back till about two o'clock and hadn't had any dinner. John's over there all alone now as Cam. & his wife have gone back home to settle up their affairs before coming back here to look after John. Frank went down to the butter factory this morning to get some butter as no one has called since poor old Tom had the stroke. Cliff Loan told Frank they had no one yet to take Tom's place. This afternoon Sam Law was in for quite a while. he brought some pass he got out of his horse's lock to show it to Dad. and ask him if it was point water. Frank said