

To dinner with Dick, who spent the afternoon down town. Dad did chores. I read most of the time. We had some music. Frank went back in the gully to look at his empty snares. It has been much colder today with a raw wind, freezing hard at night. Dad is very anxious about his little pigs and today patterned up the cracks in the pig pens, he says they feel as warm as toasts. There are thirteen ^{live ones} and one dead one.

Monday February 24th

Allan Law came over this morning before I was through break fast - all ready to start for Jarvis. I got ready as quickly as I could with Dad's big caon skin over coat and stalked out to Law's as Allan had to load up their seed we got started about nine o'clock. we went as we had a big load on this morning. Dad has when we got down about to the fourth concession Allan been over to Law's this afternoon, their cow is getting better got out to walk and then got in with Ballack who was he had a very enjoyable visit with John Wess on his way leading a team to Jarvis to sell to Dave Ward who is shipping to-day, so I drove on to Jarvis alone. I pulled thirteen ^{one} caulked number anyway. Emery McPherson into the association store as I saw the name of Tess. and Mrs. Johnson were over this afternoon. Mrs. McGinnis above the door but Allan saw me and told me to come in he had been here a long all day. Dick did not get home - a - down farther to a brother of this fellow, as we went to night, had to work & supper. Pretty cold to day down and left our load at the other place till but sunny and nice Roads are awfully rough down east

after dinner. I came away in such a hurry this morning that I forgot to take any money so had to look to Allan for dinner, and so got a dandy. It took the fellow all the afternoon to clean up aer alseike & ~~chaygo~~ red clover and we had to leave our bluegrass for another time - we got \$12 for the alseike & \$4 for the red clover, which is as good as any hay is getting now I guess. I got \$8 for mine. Allan only got \$10 for his alseike as it was part white clover. The fellow said it would have been worth a lot more than ours if it had been brought in two months

sooner but now the market was closed for it. Allan got the same for his red seed as we did. I think he expected more than he got. We left there I guess about half past five and got home about seven, we came a lot faster than

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