

January 1st 1889 April 9 1890

Through December we were busy getting up a tea-meeting for the benefit of S. L. Had C. O. Johnston to lecture at tea-meeting which was held on 9th Dec. Hadn't a very large crowd but made over \$8.

It was a lovely night. Dore Bertha & I now waiters at one table and Ida Charlotte & Arthur B. at another & Annie, Oda B. & Ed. Blanchard at the center table.

Six of us went over to church together & sat up in front.

Xmas day passed very quietly with out either skating or sleighing was at home all day. Started to write to Frank but Dore & Arthur came & Archie there we cracked nuts & played games had a lively evening after all.

Sun 23rd before Xmas Joe B. came down to church & he & Dore walked up road together & come in for tea Archie also. Dore so comical kept us all laughing. Max C. called & all in parlour talking they all went at 10.30. I gave Joe B. a shoving tiddy. On Mon 24th Ed & I drove a load of saws up to Mr P. Xmas tree 2 from Brays & 4. D & I & Arthur B. Joe B. there he took us to a sleigh. Ed & I & Jane sat beside Joe B. & I. I got a nice plush green velvet off tree. Had a nice present from & tree. Got home at 12.

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