

FEBRUARY

THURSDAY 17

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Pete went away  
this forenoon to  
attend a funeral  
of a friend. He  
has been getting  
up wood this after-  
noon however.

I went up to  
Hilkinsville this  
morning to see about  
getting some cattle  
to take straw - back.  
Succeeded in getting  
a promise to take  
half a dozen young  
cattle for a while.  
Had Nettie Matthews  
and Nora here to  
dinner and to visit  
it for the afternoon.  
Nettie has about fin-  
ished her visit in  
Canada and soon re-  
turns to Michigan.

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The weather con-  
tinues very change-  
able, most of the  
time warm. Pete  
kept on drawing  
wood until to-day.  
wood however how-  
ever, when the snow  
was as far gone as  
to make the plowing  
very poor. Have  
got a nice pile of  
wood in the yard now  
for which I am  
thankful. This af-  
ternoon he has been  
splitting at the wood-  
house while I have  
been fixing forks  
and doing chores.  
It has become very  
warm this afternoon.  
Had a shower, the  
first this season.