

March, Thursday 17

Pleasant [sic] wind North went down into the woods to chop some timber for fence posts and wood cut down a tree a cut it up in the afternoon drew it up and went over to Fitchburgh in the evening Paid Mr Hans by 10 dollars and got somethings and Paid 18 cts [cents] for them thawed some

March, Friday 18

Pleasant [sic] and warm chopped [sic] in the wood in the forenoon in the afternoon drew up wood and rail cuts and fence post in the afternoon went to Dansville and staid [stayed] to the Lodge in the evening I ricieved [received] a letter from Allen It has thawed very fast today The sleighing is used up for the present

March, Saturday 19

Pleasant [sic] and warm wind south thawed very fast I got Fathers Sars last night cut up two trees and drew them up and a couple loads of wood and cut some wood to last over Sunday in the evening Squares folks came over here and Otis Richmonds and his folks They came over to see the baby

March, Sunday 20

Rainy in the morning did not go to meeting to day [sic] Andrew went and Alpheus went down to Unadilla last Friday and has not come home yet Mrs Richmond is here with Samantha Mary McCann has gone to Church Thawing very fast

March, Monday 21

Cloudy and thawing sawed on the chip yard this fore noon cut some wood and rails and fence posts Andrew went and carried the saw home in the afternoon and Alpheus came home in the afternoon I talked of going over to Fitchburgh [illegible]

March, Tuesday 22

Cloudy and chilly wind in the north west Went over to Fitchburgh in the forenoon to get some things and take Mrs Richmond home in the afternoon cleaned up some wheat to take to mill and some feed to get ground for the horses and cows thawed very fast this afternoon

[Notes added by transcriber]