

February, Tuesday 15

Pleasant [sic] Went to Jackson to do some trading traded seventeen dollars and tirty [thirty?] two cts [cents] Sent a box to Allen with some things Paid seventy three cts [cents] freight on the box thawed considerable and quite muddy did not get home till late it was pleasant [sic] in the eve

February, Wednesday 16

Pleasant [sic] wind South thawed to day [sic] Went over to Squares in the afternoon Byron and his folks and Tommy and Lucinda was there with them Looks some like storm in the afternoon but cleared off in the even

February, Thursday 17

Warm and cloudy looks like rain went to chopping [sic] to draw to the house and chopped [sic] some rail cuts and after dinner drew up a load wood and it commences rain in the afternoon and it snowed in the evening and it was a cold night There was a man here to look at my cows and staid [stayed] to dinner for which he paid 50 cts [cents]

February, Friday 18

Cold but pleasant [sic] wind west The boys staid [stayed] home in the forenoon to help me load some hay to take to Dansville to Martha went to Dansville with the hay And when I came home found James and one of his boys there and was glad to see them I bought some things amounting 85 cts [cents]

February, Saturday 19

Cold looks like snow James and Addison went from here after break fast along about ten o clock it commenced to snow and is snowing still helped around the house moved down a bedstead from up stairs and set it up in the bedroom and filled a bed with straw

February, Sunday 20

Very cold the coldest day we have had in some time I did not go to meeting to day [sic] The boy went I staid [stayed] at home with Samantha and the children the weeks are passing away and we are all still spared to enjoy each others society and may we all so live that we may meet to part no more