

- Thursday 17 Bury at report & at German translation,
windy
- Friday 18 Bury in office. In afternoon in Gallon business.
cloudy
after. Snowy
- Saturday 19 The weather has taken a decided cold turn. Bury in office. In evening took my first measurement ^{of a series} of the height of the reflection of the Gall electric light. -
cold
- Sunday 20 Bury in the office. After tea played the favorite game of "Cross-Cross" with the children, the word selected was rather too good a one - Speculation - as we spent an hour writing and it took another hour to check off the words. We had made over 300 words out of the given word - Thereafter we had music & song.
- Monday 21 In morning drove to Gall taking Max along to school. At Gall I inspected Newland's woven mill where he is now making an imitation buffalorobe of wool, in appearance & "feel" it is very good. - Then I interviewed McCausland - Chairman of the Light Committee in reference to the position & distribution of the electric lights in connection with my observations.

Oskar's Birthday

Newspore is has been our custom to have the breakfast table decorated and presents thereon on the occasion of the birthday of one of the family, but today we made a change to evening so that we could all be together. -
Oska having a cold remained at home. -

Bury in office. - When supper was announced, Oska who had to remain with me in the library during the preparations, was then led by Max - Julius into the dining room. Most conspicuous on the table was the cake gaily trimmed and on which were burning 11 small Xmas candles, the number being indicative of his age. The table was decorated with evergreens. Of his presents