

I have been working in the garden to day most of the time at planting potatoes and at doing some other kinds of garden work. Helped me about the flower garden as well. Went up to William Wilkinsons this afternoon after the severe head of spunging cattle that we have had since for the last two or more months. Could not persuade my friend to take any thing for his kindness in feeding my cattle so long.

Drove up to Lincoln to night by way of Fort Dodge, where I went to see about trees.

George Lincoln and I have been getting the Lincoln trees delivered to day. have got along all right so far as we could see. It went quite awkward for a while, on account of being a new job. Still thankful to Almighty God for strength and grace.

Left Lincoln at about eight o'clock P.M. and instead of going home I drove down to Habcombs. Made an arrangement with him to help me deliver notices to morrow.