

and got all the rest of it except three or four bunches which we will bring up with the hay. It made a tremendous load but we got up safely with it. I went back with us to pick black berries or thumb berries but didn't get many as they are not ripe yet. Harry Battersby came over this afternoon to see us as he is leaving to-morrow. Lila went back home with him. Aunty went over to dinner and spent the afternoon at Mrs Battersby's. Warm days cool nights.

Wednesday August 6th

We unloaded the load of wire which we hauled yesterday. It just went in and there was no room to spare. Dick and I had to dig a runway for it first. We then loaded the wire that Robert John brought from Sid Mc Bride a year ago to put up along our woods between him & us on the sack and took it back we rolled it all out flat along the woods - and this afternoon Frank and I went back and cleared away the old fence and rolled around it and trimmed the tree branches off so as the wire can be put tacked up temporarily till Sid Mc Bride can come to stretch it - as we want to turn the cows in the fields

which the woods are in. Aunty and I drove down town we got a lot of groceries and I got one of Jess Sheverson which she pulled a couple of nails out of some way Lila came back with us. Stuby has gone back to work again at the canning factory, and we are all very glad of it. I went down to band concert to-night. It has been cloudy and cooler all day and rained a shower before tea.

Thursday August 7th

Aunty and I got started about nine o'clock for Burford to see Mr. Hammer and his sheep. We stopped for a while at St. John's Church which is getting nearly finished and for a while at Shin Cove but arrived in Scotland near where Uncle Rabuck lives about two o'clock, we stayed at Uncle Rabuck's for dinner and as Aunty and I both went to sleep there we didn't leave for Burford till nearly five. It was about seven miles farther on and we got there about six. Mr. Hammer was just going to dip some sheep that were to be shipped to the other side, he had a government veterinary inspector there and so we saw the whole performance. As we were almost strangers to them we felt a little uncomfortable at paying them such an