

Mrs. and Joe have been drawing out manure to the field by Mr. Brides again today. I have been cutting grass in the front field. Went out to House this evening to attend our social in Eric Park. It was not a very great success. The fire last night seemed to put a dampen on every thing, especially on Mr. and Mrs. Ross who were ^{leading} members.

The barns were without doubt set on fire by way of revenge, for laying information against illicit sale of liquor by a hotel keeper.

The men continued to get out manure to day, or, rather this forenoon. This afternoon they have been raking and putting up hay in front field, while I have been cutting hay in the orchard. The weather is very favourable for haying. Could not be better. Noticed to day that new Victor stove is receiving a coat of paint which improves its ^{looks} very much. Also had Aunt Lydia Horak and Miss Murphy to see her to day.