

Thursday April 15<sup>th</sup>

Dad went out to the corner field and tried to plow this morning but it was too wet and he had to come up. Frank and I cut the tails off 14 more lambs and then Frank drove Sid down to school. I braided up the corn we got in Simcoe yesterday and hung it up in the drive house. It started to rain before noon and rained all the afternoon and night. Dad went over to John Wessels this afternoon and was there till after five. We did chores and puttered around. I went down town to night to see if the Irish boys were going to meet but they didn't. I had on Frank's rubber boots so thought I would go home but I took a walk up to the Monteiths and saw Mary near the door so knocked and she let me in. She got me old Monteith's slippers which nearly pinched my feet off and caused the old man considerable concern when he went to look for them later. Frank went down to a mirror street show composed of Simcoe Methodists in the town hall.

Friday April 16<sup>th</sup>

We started to fix up the lane a little this morning. Dad & Frank plowed three furrows on each side of it and I threw the sods out in the middle. A little before noon Tom Butler came over after Dad to go and see in case that was lambing. so Dad went over and

didn't get back till after three and didn't have any dinner. Frank worked a little more at the lane this afternoon and fixed up a lamb-cress. I spent most of the afternoon doing chores. Wore my new suit down town to night and they all said it looked fine. Nice day.

Saturday April 17<sup>th</sup>

Dad and I have spent most of the day piling wood and didn't quite finish but made things look quite a bit better than they did. Frank went down town this morning and up to Miss M. Coy's where he found we could get two tons of hay for \$25.00 a ton. He went out to Coopers and got the wheel of the old wagon which he took out there the other day. Coopers had put in a piece of a rim and two new spokes and only charged \$2.50. Frank put it on the old wagon this afternoon and went down town and got a load of sawdust to use in the horse stable for bedding. Dad went down to see Auntie to night. Very windy, mild.

Sunday April 18<sup>th</sup>

Sid and I went down to Sunday school this morning and Frank came down but was too late for Sunday school and too early for church so went up the beach. I stayed at Auntie's for dinner and this afternoon Mary and I went over to Prestons & Juey's woods and