

so Frank rose over on his wheel to get them but found Charlie Munroe had put them on his horses so he had to wait till Charlie got through tea and had his thers too. He worked up the garden to-day and his alfalfa plot. He & Dad ran out the ditches in the corner field this morning but Dad has felt so tough with a cold that he didn't do any thing this afternoon. We were till after dark getting the Chores all done then Frank and I went down town. I got my hair cut and as I was so sleepy I went down to Aunty Alice and spent the night. Very hot this morning looks rainy

Sunday May 9th

Aunty Alice called me at five o'clock this morning and I went to sleep again but got away before half past five. Dad was milking when I got home. Frank, Lida and I went down to Sunday school. Leah drove down to Church. I stayed at Aunty Alice's to dinner and this afternoon Mary & I walked over to Preston's woods and then over here to tea. Frank was down at the Ward's and Dad was so sick with his cold and an awful headache to get up at all so I had all the Chores to do. I drove Mary down to night. This day

Monday May 10th

Frank and I finished cleaning out the ditches in the corner field this morning and this afternoon sheared four more sheep. Dad has felt very

little better and hardly went out of the house all day. Lida's cold is worse too and he didn't go to school. It has been cloudy all day and rained a little this afternoon. We need it badly. Frank found a lamb this morning with a big lump on its shoulder and Dad lanced it and got a lot of stuff out of it. I afterwards pulled a long piece of straw out of the wound which looked like a timothy head with all the seed hulls off it.

Tuesday May 11th

It rained most of the morning and must have rained a lot during the night. We needed it badly and it was a nice gentle rain. The sheep got wet during the night so we couldn't shear to-day. Frank went down town this morning to see about borrowing some money. He stayed at Aunty's to dinner and went to Sun Cove this afternoon to see about several items of business. He is full of business ideas these days and says he is going to make the farm hum and double production, so I tell him to "go to it". I spent the morning trying out different letterings on a memorial honor-roll for Mr. Johnson. I cleared off this afternoon and I did Chores and worked around out in front of the house. Alan Tibbets, Judith and little Helen were over this afternoon and went back to the woods after flowers. Tom Butler & Stevens were in for a while too. Frank and I went down town to-night. Dad helped me do the night Chores. Lida feels rotten