

Thursday June 15<sup>th</sup>

This morning Dad and I did up the Chores and then started to put a barbed wire on the top of the fence along the Lane coming in from the road, we merely started this as we want to if we can stretch one all along every fence where the hares run as they will reach over and bend the top of the woven wire down. We got quite a long strand of wire from the fence down the road and tried to stretch it with the claw hammer but that didn't work well so I went over to John Wees' to borrow his wire stretchers. He was down fixing the well when I got there and when he came up it was beginning to rain and looked like a bad storm coming up. It was then just about noon so I stayed to dinner and there was a heavy rain for a while at noon. After dinner Lloyd Cypher came over and wanted me to go fishing so we took a walk down to Frank Ryerse's where we found Wilbur and Lorne Jackson. We stopped in for Lorne Walker on our way down as Lloyd said he promised to go the next rainy day but Lorne said he had to take his wife to town so Lloyd told him he would never ask him again. We got Lorne's nets but as Wilbur didn't want to get in the creek with the drag net we just used the gill net and strung it

across the creek and then I raised Wilbur & Lorne up the creek a way and they whippet it down but we didn't get a fish. Lige got it once she and Lloyd's dog swam across about forty times. We fished around for a little while before we came home and it was long after five when I came through John Wees' place to our gully. Dad came back after the cows he thought some thing must have happened to me he said but couldn't have done anything on account of the wet and he had a very bad head-ache. Aunty was over to dinner and he drove her home this afternoon. She is going to Blountford in the morning to pay a little visit to Min & Mr. Butterby. Frank didn't get a whole day in to day on account of the rain but he only lost an hour or two I think they were still planting straw-berris. He is having a great time over there with <sup>Frank</sup>

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We chaffed around a little this morning and I got most of the lumber out I was out there after dinner when a buggy came in and I was very surprised & pleased to see it was Sam Thompson with Mr. Dungan of California. He had come up to town to look at his hullo and then come over here. He was here till after four so we had a long visit with him. The