

Saturday June 5th

Alby and I started in first thing to plant corn and have been at it all day. Dad. has suffered intense agony from a pain in his back which stabs him with terrible torture if he gives it the slightest twist, he doesn't know what caused it unless he hurt it a little yesterday afternoon when he was helping Bill. He rolled down part of the barley and oats this morning and before noon drove out to Lorne Kniffens and took Aunty Lila & Liddens with him to get some more seed corn as Kniffen stopped this morning and told him that Billy Linn said we were short and that he had about half a bushel left, we also got about a peck from Jack Martin this morning so that we got the biggest percentage of the field in with "Long fellow" in stead of "Santons". Dad. helped us plant this afternoon till Frank finished rolling the barley & oats and then Frank helped us finish what Dad. did chores but we got it all in before six, and think it ought to be a good crop. Aunty, Aunty Alice & Cousin Clara have been over all the afternoon and Winnie was over to tea Aunty & Aunty Alice stayed all night. It has been very hot all day.

Sunday June 6th

Frank and Aunty went to Sunday school this morning

and I went for a swim down at the Juanburys. Mrs. Juanbury was very anxious to have me use their bath room instead of the pond but I didn't and the water was fine. She gave me some asparagus and lettuce onions to bring home. Art has been sick and got pretty well behind with his work so Dad. told him last night that I would take the team and give him a day on Monday, and he seems a very pleased. When I got home I got dressed up and Dick, Aunty Alice, Enah & I went down to church. This afternoon soon after dinner Jim Waddle and the two little girls came in and were here for quite awhile, before they left. Uncle Ward & Bob. Ellis came in. Bob. didn't stay very long but went down to see Clarence Ferris but about five o'clock Mr. & Mrs. Harvey Shand came in and they & Uncle Ward stayed to tea. Frank and I did the milking and Mr. Shand drove Uncle Ward home before he & Mrs. Shand left. Dad's side has been better today but there is still quite a pain there when he twists it. It has been very hot today and feels like rain.

Monday June 7th

Dad's back felt worse again this morning but he helped me milk. It was nine o'clock long ever before I could get out with the team and started for Juanburys.