

saw it and I don't know how many times besides, Walt. Mrs. M. Call, Tom & a couple of his pals were over this morning to see it. Dad finished plowing the old garden at noon & this afternoon I ditched it while Dad harrowed over the corn ground. This morning I went back and fixed the hole in the fence where the calves got through, & also cleaned up the lawn mower. We didn't get any word from Auntie today - and as she said in her last letter she would like to come home with Mrs. Batterby to night we didn't know whether to expect her or not. Frank went down to the station and met her as she did come to night. She went to Haly's for to night she had written Auntie Maud a card yesterday but she had failed to let us know about it. It froze again last night - but has been a little warmer today, but snow was Dick went down to a surprise party at the Culpe's to night given for Ray who is leaving town in the near future.

Wednesday June 11<sup>th</sup>

Dad harrowed the old garden this morning but says it will have to be left till the sods dry out before we can work any more on it. Bob Miller & Bill Dunbar were over talking to him for about an hour and bought Gauss for sixty two & a half dollars.

Bob offered sixty & Dad asked sixty five they won't take him till the first of July when he will likely be worth seventy. I cut some wood and a little lawn. This afternoon I went over to Supper's to get him to come over and shear our sheep. I found him just finishing up his own. He came over about half past three or four and sheared three. Dad started on one and Supper finished it for him. He makes a very nice job of it and doesn't mind leaving a few nicks in the hide, we worked rather late but he said he would be back in the morning. The poor little colt died to night. We noticed when we brought her out this morning she wasn't nearly so hilly as yesterday and she has just been getting weaker all day, and to night she just "gave out". I went down to band practice to night and told George Paulmaly about it. Walt was in Delhi and had not got home yet. The poor old man feels pretty badly. It has been quite summery today.

Thursday June 12<sup>th</sup>

Supper came over before we had breakfast this morning and proceeded to shear the rest of the sheep, we chased them around into the laen so as we could catch them easily. He got through about eleven and as he