

Monday June 1st

I put in the whole morning writing in this and to Aunty Alice & Aunty, while Dad ploughed the garden. This afternoon I worked in the garden I disked it lengthwise & crosswise a couple of times each once right around & around. I rolled it and harrowed it so it looks in pretty fair shape. Sam. Law harrowed the roller this morning and he rolled it before he took it away and then again when he brought it back at noon. Dad. spent nearly all the afternoon shearing a ewe. He did pretty well and says he thinks if he had a good pair of shears he could do all right. Shuby didn't get over this morning as he had to see about Kolbe's insurance. Kolbe was over at Erie so he has to see him about eleven to-night. He goes over to Erie every morning about five o'clock and doesn't get back at night till eleven. Dad. went down to a school board meeting and went down to band practice. We didn't have any though as there weren't enough there. Walt says we will have to quit for awhile any way if the council don't come over with the extra money he wants. The town hall was full of meetings. Council meeting, school meeting, band practice and a whole bunch out on the stairs I don't know whether they were all fellows tendering for the heating of the school or the bridge builders waiting on the council for money. Dad. and I met at Shuby's and didn't get home till after twelve. Shuby went down to the lake about

eleven and found Kolbe's Harry Ansley down there. He got Kolbe's insurance raised and as it has run out will have to make out a new application so won't be over tomorrow forenoon. Quite cool today.

Tuesday June 2nd

We didn't get very much done to-day. Jim's calf was sick this morning. all bloated so Dad. & I gave it a dose of salts. It is much better to night. I went out about eleven and rolled the corn ground till one. I couldn't hear the whistles. This afternoon Dad. and I surveyed the field and fence along the top of the gully and decided to put a notch in the fence where the dividing fence between the two fields go. We then measured off six acres of what is ploughed for corn and the remaining four for buck wheat. I came out about half past four and finished rolling the corn ground. Shuby didn't come over to-day. I don't know whether he went up to the nomination in Part. Rowson or not. They wanted him to hunt he said he wasn't going. There are two bunches of delegates going up from here one bunch consists of Dyer, Cliff Yes and R. E. Matthews and I don't know who go from the other faction. I saw Supper to-day and he said he might be able to slip over towards the end of the week to shear sheep for us. Bruce was in for a little while before tea. He wanted to get some instrument. It has been sunny but fairly cool all day.