

order sorted in time to get it off to Brantford. to night. He didn't get home to tea till long after dark - and then had to back after tea and also saw to town. Arthur Preston came over with him in a terrible state of agitation over one of his cows which was acting queerly. Dad. went back with him and said the cow was pretty sick. Cold all day but sunny and nice.

Tuesday September 19th

I disked this morning on the fresh plowing with Joe and Belle and Dad. brought the rake back again and raked over all the fall plowing with the big team. He got a lot of the grass in wind rows but it is of course full of earth. This afternoon I tried to burn it and it burned all right when the earth was shaken out but that took a long time and I only got a very little done at this end of the field. It will take too long to go over the whole field that way so I don't know just what we will do. Dad. finished disking the plowing with Harry and Nellie and then plowed a few rounds, he only has one more land on the headlands to plow. Erak and the baby went down town this morning to see Aunt Hallie and stayed to dinner. Some one brought the breaking cast to-day but no one saw them. They left night pretty hard and has been cold all day but a little milder to night.

Wednesday September 20th

Dad. finished plowing this morning while I shook out a few more wind rows of grass. This afternoon Dad. shook them out back although he got on faster than I did, didn't get many done. I rolled down all the grass plowing and then started to disk it. We just worked the one team Harry & Nellie to-day. Alan Law was in to night and borrowed a couple of bushels of oats. The frost the night before last froze Ben's tomato plants and the buckwheat. John Weas and old Walker are cutting theirs to-day. It has been sunny and warm to-day but windy.

Thursday September 21st

I have disked all day to day and consequently feel a little sore in spots as some of the ground is pretty hard and chunky and is inclined to jolt a fellow. I finished disking the fresh plowing lengthwise and started crosswise of the whole field. Dad. shook out and burned some more grass early this morning but had to go to Mr. Fleming's to thrash this afternoon. he got home about five as a horse on the engine melted and they had to quit. Aunt, Aunt Alice, Aunt Hattie and Cousin Clara were all over to dinner and Aunt and Aunt Hattie stayed to tea and shook down them home to night. Aunt Alice's cold is still pretty bad. Cloudy and showery all day but not sunny to wet much.