

Wilbur Rysse came in and offered me six cents to pound  
for Oliver if I would take him out to morning. I told  
him Karl had bought him for five but I would see him tonight  
and ask him if he would let me off. However Karl came  
after him while Wilbur was here and took him. It seemed  
a shame to see him going for that price as he looked nice  
when we took him out, but there was certainly no money  
in feeding him any longer. Mary went down town this after-  
noon and stayed to tea at Aunt's and then went up to the  
girls' auxiliary meeting. I went down to band practice - that.

Tuesday April 26<sup>th</sup>

Dad. took Sid down to school this morning and then went  
down to Aunt's to give them a half a day in the garden. He  
got home about three o'clock. Frank and I clocked the feet  
of the lambs and then helped Mary & Ernie take up the parson  
carpet and beat it. We also took some pictures of house-  
cleaning operations. Frank and I packed the wood before  
dinner and didn't have much trouble. This afternoon Frank  
went over and sheared Louis & Mark's sheep for them - and I  
started to cut the lawn but didn't get much done. Arthur Preker  
was over this morning and he and I started to have

nic little discussion on the lack of data to prove the theory  
of evolution, which for a wonder neither of us believe in  
but Mary cut it short by yelling at me to help house clean.  
Arthur said he had seen at the same job himself. So night.  
Dad & Ernie went down to "Pinapple" practice and Mary,  
Frank and I put the books back in the book case. Our  
book case looks fine with all of Mary's books in it.  
It has been very hot the day and felt very rainy.

Wednesday April 27<sup>th</sup>

I finished cutting the front lawn this side of the ditch this  
morning and started to rake up the willow twigs on the  
other side but it started to rain about noon and kept  
it up more or less heavily all the afternoon so I didn't  
do much thing but side but chores after dinner except help  
Dad. doctor Nellie's calf's horns. Frank took the wood down  
this morning and chopped it and got another load of kindling  
at the Wids spread. Dad. cleaned out the cellar. Dad. drove  
Ernie down town this afternoon and brought Sid home. He  
helped me do chores and then drove down and met Ernie  
at the Barwell's where they had tea and afterwards  
went to Pinapple practice. Rain cleared off to night & cooler.