

I'll take him down there and if he gets quiet so that we can handle him I'll give you your fifty dollars, but if not I'll just make it forty. because there's no use a-talking. I aint gonna to take no chances with an ugly hull and if he doesn't behave well just put a bullet through him. I told him we would take him down as I thought he would go better if there were no strangers around him. Art said he just wished he felt like he used to and he'd just put a bridle on him and ride him down and he'd go dont you never think he wouldnt." I went out and helped Dad. throw some sods out of the ditches he was running till he finished about eleven o'clock and then we came in and got old Wilkins. Dad. thought we had better take one of the cows along to keep him company so we took Jane. The scheme worked fine. I led Jessie & Dad. had Wilkins with the stick & rope in his nose ring. They both walked right along and we had no trouble whatever. We tied him up down there in a box stall where I think if they treat him decently he will be all right. We got home soon after twelve and

found Aunty & Aunty Alice here for dinner. I went out this after noon and helped Dad. get his head lands struck out. but spent most of the after noon doing chores. Phil Shaver come along and talked for quite awhile. He wanted to buy some little pigs. but didnt want eleven & Dad. doesnt want to sell part of his bunch & keep part, as who ever bought them would want to take their pick. Phil didnt think he was asking too much. Fifty dollars for the 11, 2 mos. old. Aunty & Aunty Alice went back early this after noon & May went part way with them. It has been another beautiful day for this morning but sunny mild.

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It rained pretty steadily all day and we have done nothing outside all day except what chores we had to. Dad. and Euah drove down town this morning to get some coal oil. and Dad. got his hair cut. I laid out a show card lesson while he was gone and practised a little at it. This after noon Dad. did go out and open some ditches and had a wild chase after old Gladys who