

took the plow out there and unloaded it. Uper's three teams were on the road this morning and came into our lane, Dad told him on his way down town so he and little Frank came after the Allen Law was in to-night and Dad paid him for trashing. He told us that Jack Phillips was very dangerously ill with Typhoid fever. Dick got home fairly early to-night with the mail and the news that Mr. & Mrs. Gilbert Lynch are the proud parents of another boy. Dad heard in town to-day that some public spirited citizens of West Dover are canvassing the town with a petition to have Jack Walker's picture show classed as a public nuisance. Fine windy, everything very wet.

Sunday October 26th

Frank went to church and Sunday school, but was the only member of the family who did. I sat around all day and read the Literary Digest for this week, through completely. This afternoon the whole family except me went down to wish Lila a happy birthday. Dad, Eub and Liddumodum down but the latter was too sleepy to enjoy him self, so they didn't stay long but the boys stayed to tea. Jack Walker came over while they were gone and got old Joe, he says he has to have him now as the cow is coming in and one team can't stand it; he says he thinks he could make a dicker with Dad for him, but as he seems to think old Joe worth \$200. I think it very doubtful as Dad wouldn't give more than fifty for him. It has been fair cloudy and saw all day.

Monday October 27th

Dad plowed with Harry and Belle all day and got on pretty well. After I got all the chores done up, I started to pick the spics but didn't get on very fast before dinner, I took me all the afternoon to get the rest of the spics and there isn't so very many and they are not sorted yet, I also picked all the things but there were only fifteen of them on the tree. I got thirteen of them, one full off and I bruis'd the other knocking it off with a stick. Tonight Frank and I went down to the concert given by a travelling company for the band and had a good time, there was a ventriloquist with them who was good, as well as an elocutionist and tenor. They had a dance afterwards and Dick and I stayed till it was over I got home about half past one and Dick a little later as he went home with some girls. Frank waited till it was nearly over but was asleep when I got home. Mr. Hodge came over with the tax notices this morning, they are just about the same as last year. It has been cloudy and threatening all day, and just as I got home to-night I felt a drizzle or two.

Tuesday October 28th

When I got up about seven o'clock this morning it was blowing a gale and raining, so after we did the chores we didn't do much else all day, although it didn't rain long of