

Lewis has started the ploughs in the field by Mr. Brides again today. Joe. has been spreading manure. Spent the forenoon myself in getting the old reaper ready for work.

This afternoon have been cutting clover in the Big F. Cat with the reaper. The crop is a rather poor one being rather thin, but otherwise is well filled. Had a short visit from Mr. and Mrs. ^{Smith} ~~Robert~~ this evening.

The weather keeps very dry, with some appearance of rain occasionally.

Have had one team ploughing in the field by Mr. Brides again today. Joe. worked at spreading manure this forenoon, this afternoon he has been helping Walter Austin stretch.

It has taken me all day to get the balance of clover-cut on the Big F. Cat. Rains commenced falling at about six o'clock. There are good indications of an ample shower.

Had a short visit from William and Nellie Hatt. This evening. Mr. Ardley still remains in