

town Alan Law said and they say it broke thirty panes of glass in Bill Duncan's house but down east at the Dog's nests on down they didn't get a hit nor they didn't get it at Shand's school house and very lightly at John Wess's. I drove Dick down town this morning and when I got back went out & helped Dad & Frank set up the sheaves which were down. We got through about eleven and then went over to see the oats across the gully and wandered over to see John Wess's stuff. Blikie was out turning shocks. It is in about the same shape as ours and beginning to show signs of sprouting. I took the camera with me and took a picture of our wheat field and of John Wess, Blikie's Camp, Dad & Frank in the barn over there we didn't get back till about one. After dinner Dad drove Enah & Gid down town and Auntie as far as Mrs. Battersby's Frank and I unladed the knots on the chicken house and worked at it till the afternoon and got it all ready for the chickens. So night Dad, Frank and I moved them over. We took two big boxes of them and had sixty one all together. Alan Law was in to night & says they want to thrash. It looks a little better to day & clearer to night.

Tuesday August 10<sup>th</sup>

Dad, Frank and I & Gid drove Auntie down town this morning. We were going around to get Kathleen and bring her over but we

met her on the way, so I came back with her and when Dad came home with Joe, Kathleen and I drove down to Tom Abbotts to see his Chickens he wants to sell, they are a nice looking lot if he doesn't want too much for them. Kathleen had to go back for dinner so I drove her down, she was greatly distressed because she got her nice clean middy blouse mud splattered. This afternoon Dad & Frank went over to James to thrash. Frank said he would sooner go over there than go to the Sunday school picnic, so he did but I guess there wasn't much for him to do. Ruby was over for a few minutes to get Auntie's suit case which they forgot to take out of the buggy this morning but I was just going to drive Enah & the baby down to the picnic so I took it. After I took them down I came home and fixed a bed along the house under the kitchen windows. So night Dad & I hid chairs and Frank drove down after Enah & the baby Auntie came back with them because Landon Drey brought over some raspberries and she wanted to do them up to night. It looks fair to night and has been all day.

Wednesday August 11<sup>th</sup>

It was a very heavy dew last night so we couldn't start hauling in very early, but Dad & I went out and turned out a few which we thought we could haul and they were in pretty fair shape except around the bands Frank cleaned