

sore neck but decided to bring him home and try to fix him up. We put a collar at the bars there for him and Dad put a short pad under it, and as the draught comes above the lump on his shoulder there is no weight on the raw part at all. As long as we plow him and disk with him there will be no weight on his neck so he promises to be just what we want. Dad plowed a couple of rounds with him & Harry before dinner and says they make a dandy plow team and Joe never felt his shoulder in the least. He finished plowing that piece especially in the after noon and says he wouldn't have finished with Belle but this team doesn't feel the plow any more than a wagon. I spent about half the after noon painting Dad's name on the cream can and there is room for improvement on the job at that. The other half I spent mowing the rest of the lawn. Mrs. M. C. Bride was washing here all day. Dick had to work late to night but he and Frank both got a holiday tomorrow as it is the ~~anniversary~~^{anniversary} of the King's birth day. They say the Poles got on a train last night and broke all the lamps in the park. It has been quite cold this afternoon. It looked this morning as if it would be hot but a wind got up at noon.

Tuesday June 3rd

Dad went down with Joe & Ginger this morning and borrowed Nye's roller while I went out and disked with Joe Walker & Harry. Dad rolled the field and then harrowed. After dinner he went out with Joe Walker & Harry and disked. I played catch with Dick and hoed for about an hour and a half and then brought the little team out and Dad harrowed with them while disked. He started to roll crosswise to night but didn't get half over it and Nye told him to bring the roller home to night - although when he got as far as Martin's add. told him Nye had said they could have it in the morning. Dick spent the morning in bed & the after noon down town playing ball. Frank cut weeds in the fore noon and went fishing up in the upper paddles this after noon but I guess his net will soon be forgotten by the fishy inhabitants of that spot as what few did happen to run into his hook, he did not deem worthy of transportation home so kindly returned them to their natural element. He has been hearing great tales of the angler's luck out at the reef and built on going out to day but could find no one to accompany him. Jack Dury came over this afternoon to buy hay. Dad told him he could have the hay but