

night with a crate of straw-berries for Euah at eight o'clock. About nine o'clock El was laid. Davis, May Perry & Beas came over with Billy Boughner in his car to see if we knew where they could get some Brown Eyed Susans to decorate Billy's car with on the first, but I guess it is a little early for them. I took Blech back after the cows this morning and tied a plow shear to his rope and let him chase them, hoping it would teach him not to be so savage. It holds him back a little but I don't know how it is going to work. Very warm all day and feels a little like rain.

Tuesday June 29th

Frank and I went down town in the wagon this morning and got our hog meal at the station, a bag of sugar for Euah to do up all her straw-berries and I got some wheat screening at the mill for the little chickens. When we got home I mowed & Frank cultivated corn till noon. Dad & Kirby spent the morning at the fence and have it nearly ready to turn the cattle in the back field. This afternoon I raked up what was cut yesterday while Dad, Kirby and Frank cocked up. Then I cocked up while Frank went in and mowed. He kept on till it was too dark to see and then Dad finished the field. The rest of us come

in and had tea at six o'clock and then Dad milked and Halcy & I went right out again and worked up till dark. There is only about one side of the field in wind row now and it is beginning to rain a little to-night. Pretty hot all day.

Wednesday June 30th

It rained part of the morning so there was nothing doing in the hayfield. I drove Dick down town this morning and got some turnip seed and some cabbage plants at the Jamburys. Dad & I set them out before dinner over in the old garden next the potatoes. We put out over a hundred. Kirby came over after dinner and he and Dad worked all the afternoon at their fence but it isn't quite ready yet to put the wire on. Frank cultivated corn with Belle all the afternoon. I went over to Charlie Jambury and got his little seed drill to plant the turnips and when I got back went over to Mrs. M. B. Bids and got another bushel of potatoes, then planted the turnip seed. The drill was certainly a great improvement on last year's method. I planted mine over the full length of the old garden in a little over an hour. Changing the lines took the most time as I didn't have a marker on. Sultry all the afternoon but a nice breeze