

Aug 26th 1893.

Sat 26. Another very hot day. Temperature a little higher than usual. Miss Etta Watts, arrived at Nor Cowan tonight. As stay at available, she attended practice with us and had a good practice just seemed like old times. Mr & Mrs Harding not there. Est. W.

Sun 27th. Very hot. Today Thunder showers passing to the South looking some like rain here but we did not get any

Mon 28th. Fine in the morning. but cloud over from the South West and developing into a heavy storm. Went home with Mr Cowen ^{intending} to go down the river tomorrow. it rained very little in the evening

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One of the most frightful storms I have ever witnessed visited us during the night previous and continued all the forenoon with unabated fury rain falling in sheets and the wind blowing from the N. East a terrific gale blowing fences and damaging barns to a considerable extent. The storm is certainly unparalleled in my experience. Spent part of the afternoon at Mrs Lanes and by the sea. When drove me up as far as the St. John Church Hill, and walked home from there and found things all right. and Billy Clarke enjoying himself by the side of a little fire in the office. He went home tonight for good