

stubble and finished it this afternoon. It is no good
 mothy weeds but we are shy of fuel so will save it.
 Dad and I hauled the straw berries and then Arthur Peck
 came over and as it began to rain a little, he said
 I spent the afternoon in the tree house discussing various
 subjects, and he tried to convert me to his rather
 radical prohibition ideas. Dad cut some thistles and
 went over to Martin's to return the ladder he borrowed.

Wednesday August 6th

Frank raked up the stuff he cut yesterday. This morning
 I took the buggy over to John Evans this morning to see
 if he could set the tires and tighten the reins. He said he
 could but was too busy now but would do it if I would
 bring it over Monday. I then caught the ten o'clock car
 and went to Sincere to see Hight. He advised me to
 make an offer of \$2000 for George, which I decided to do
 after coming home and consulting Dad and Aunt Alice. It
 is a pretty steep price but I need the place. This after-
 noon Dad, Frank and I cooked up but didn't finish. Frank
 and I went down town tonight and went for a swim. Dick
 has been down all day. Very hot and looks rainy.

Thursday August 7th

We finished cooking up the hay this morning and then
 put off the load of adobe that was on the lawn floor. It was
 too late to get in any hay before dinner but we hauled in
 four loads this afternoon but didn't unload the last one. In
 night. I went down to band concert. Ed. was back on the
 job all right. Very hot and very windy today.

Friday August 8th

We hauled in three more loads of hay this morning and
 Dick helped us mow it away. There were just five more
 sling lifts out there besides one load of clover seed
 which seemed pretty well filled. We put the hay in
 with out much mowing and left the clover seed on
 the wagon in the old barn, we brought in some swat grass
 for bedding. Aunty & Rebecca ~~over~~ this morning and
 Enah drove them home this evening. Frank ordered a ton
 of Basis Hay to try on the wheat this fall. Very cool and windy.

Saturday August 9th

Dad, Enah and Lid all struck off for Sincere this morning.
 We had dinner with Mrs. Frank Bowley and Janice.