

to be no school to-day or to-morrow on account of  
teacher's convention. Dad & Frank came over with the  
load of wood and said one of them would come out  
after dinner and drill my wheat in. We all went  
down to Aunt's for dinner but I came home right  
after and harrowed the field and Frank came  
out and drilled it and helped me run the ditches  
out. Marj & the children stayed down for the afternoon  
and Aunt brought them home about five. Aunt  
came out with them. Dad got his affidavits concerning  
Dad's & Frank's birth certificates so had to go down and  
swear to them and post them this afternoon. Lovely day.

Friday October 2<sup>nd</sup>

I cleaned out the cross ditches in my wheat this  
morning and about half past two went down to Aunt's  
and got some raspberry roots. I stayed there to dinner  
and came home early after dinner and set out  
the rasp berries. I got them all out just as it began  
to rain. I put them back of the barn just at the head  
of the wheat. It has been very dark and threatening  
all day and very much milder and we  
had quite a thunder storm this afternoon.

Saturday October 3<sup>rd</sup>

I spent nearly the whole day leveling down the  
pile of the earth south of the house and made a con-  
crete hole in it but have about half of it to dispose  
of yet but I think I can get rid of it and the pit under  
the crab apple tree by filling in uneven and low  
spots around the yard. I went out to the shed this  
morning after the cake and heard what I thought  
was caught some place, but on investigation found  
eight young rocks just hatched in a hop of shaw  
up over head. So I had to get them down and put  
them & their mother in a coop. I don't know what  
happened to them. The cows have been in the orchard  
and consequently have had very little to eat.  
They won't jump out the way they jump in unless  
I shut the door after noon managed to break down  
the fence into the yard so I put them right in the

Sunday October 4<sup>th</sup>

I got Marj. to go out and help me fix the fence  
but the cows broke after she got her dishes washed  
this morning and then we took a walk through