

August 1857

Thursday August 18.

- 1 Began to cut the fall wheat good crop A little rain
- 2 the Rev. W. M. Murrin preached in canton
- 3 heavy fog & dew mowed ground of Eliza till the dew dried of the wheat
- 4 finished the fall wheat fine way
- 5 finished cutting the field ground of Eliza
- 6 cradled the Rye & drew the hay ground of Eliza Adam & Rab Armstrong help in the afternoon
- 7 mowed the field at Cresces place
- 8 raked & cocked it & drew in the fall wheat Rab & Adam helped in the afternoon to draw the wheat
- 9 the Rev. W. Miller preached in canton
- 10 Stacked the hay at Cresces place fine way
- 11 mowed in the corn season field & put 3 Sheas on the Charley horse Messrs C. Booth Wm Cavan & J Breckenridge came here to view the crops. I left ~~at 10~~ I clow in order to go to Winchester to look for land Jack went to Aunt Moays with Rod Armstrong to help her with the haying for two days
- 12 the boys mowed in the Thompson place went to Winchester with I clow stapt at Mr McCargos got there after dark all in bed
- 13 rain this forenoon went Winchester village moland for sale worth buying came to McCargos stapt all night
- 14 started for home examined lot 18 in 2 conjesay Mountain good lot came by Wrights corners got to Clows between 10 & 11 A.M
- 15 went to Braetville from Lynny the Cars Ormon Jones is general agent for Stewart he work for me to know what is the price of 18 in 2 con Mountain head of land in Betty got home all well

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