

mother about getting work for her father. We did our best to persuade her to write instead but when Mary asked her if she really thought she could be any help, and she answered "You bet in your life", we thought we had better let her go, so I drove her down to catch the nine car and then I went over to Dad's. Ina was here before we left. Dad was busy writing to Aunt Ella when I got there and Enah wrote to Aunt Kattie and invited her over as Mrs. Parks says she would sooner pay her fare over here than go to New York herself. We went over to Lupp's before dinner and got a load of hay and put a part of it off in the horse stable and part in the barn. This afternoon we ran out the ditches in the pea field and then hauled out a load or two of manure on the garden. Frank was ploughing all morning for Peper as Peper drilled in his peas for his sister's day. Frank and I went down town about five. Frank got some seed oats at Billy Lupp's and I was supposed to meet my daddy at the five car but it came in before we got started. However we met Quint at the corner and he had

Enah & Ag a ducky with him and took her right on out home. Enah met her at the station. She told me to-night that she "fix things all right." She saw Bramhill and her father go to work to mow 10 miles from their car but she didn't know where

Wednesday April 29th

I went over to the farm again this morning and helped Dad get a couple more loads of manure out on the garden. I was there to dinner and then went down to get some corn meal at Billy Lupp's. I stopped in at Quaty's for a few minutes and got two more little maples to plant out. The afternoon was pretty well worn out when I got home and then I went over to the Lupp's house to borrow the shovel to scratch my trees. Still cold

Thursday April 30th

I spent most of the day fixing up some nests for setting hens as I have a lot of them and they should be set. I got 13 nests fixed. Quint & Roy come over for a very nice visit at noon. Roy come last night and can just stay over to-day. Very cloudy and cold. Rained a little at intervals