Monday 21st June 1813

Showery throughout no Haymaking the people at sundry Jobs about the place. Hutchman at Hay Ladders &c. Therm. 85 —

Tuesday 22

The men mowed till Breakfast after all hands employed in Raking Shaking in 3 Loads of Hay Hutchman at Hayfarm a fine fair day. Therm. 85 —

Wednesday 23

All hands raking & shaking in Loads of Clover Hay from the upper field. Hutchman at the Hay Barn &c. making Rye Straw plates — a fine Cool day a little Thunder this Morning —

Thursday 24

Pompey & Lewen Mowing Charles ploughing in Buckwheat, in the Evening he helped me to finish Hay Stack & helped Hutchman up with Wool plates &c. a fine Cool temperate day. Hutchman at Castles &c

Friday 25th

Pompey & Lewen finished Mowing the Lower Meadow about 10 & afterwards worked at the Hay. Charles ploughed all day at Buckwheat. Jack & Bet Raking Hay. Hutchman absent — Mess. Mc Killips & Thurburn Mr Davidson. Mr Reid & Family dined here A fine temperate day. —

Saturday 26th June 1813

Pompey & Lewen Cut the Grass over at the Spring &c. afterwards wrought at Hay in the low Meadow except a small Load. Charles finished ploughing Buckwheat & afterwards worked at Hay. he upset the Waggon, I scolded, he was impertinent, I whipped the Lad & I was about all the Evening. Jack & Bett at Hay occasionally. I compute the quantity on the low Meadow to be fully 3 Loads — Hutchman Bracing Hogsheads &c. Shady, gloomy but kept fine all day

Monday 28

Pompey sowed 2 Bushels of Buckwheat Lewen Harrowed it the remainder of the day all hands employed about Sunday Jobs putting in 2 small Loads of Hay &c. Hutchman absent a fair day & warm Therm. 96

Tuesday 29th

Pompey & Lewen Mowing Grass in the Swamp Charles Cutting Thatching Brush for Gutters in the Clover field &c. Jack Raking Hay. I went to Union Town & bespoke a Plough, Mrs Gibbens at work &c. Hutchman absent. Therm. 96 —

Quit milking Dutchess

Wednesday 30

Pompey & Lewen Mowing, Charles brot. from D. Upt. 112 Bundles Straw, hauled Brush & went to J. J. Jack Raking Hay. Molly & Bett pulling Flax I went to U. Town &c. for a Cradle 2 Ft. Dollars. Hutchman absent Therm. 100 A Gust in the Ev.