Thursday 1st July 1813

Forenoon, till Breakfast, Pompey & Lewen finished Mowing Charles began Thatching, Jack Raking Hay, till Dinner Charles & C. & H. began Cradling wheat, but found it too from afternoon all hands putting the remainder of the Hay Molly & Bet pulling Flax Hickman absent a warm day a little rain in the Evening Therm. 96 —

Friday 2d

Charles Thatching, Jack Shelled Corn & went to Mills all the rest pulling Flax, a warm day with a rout of Thunder, a little rain in the Eve. Hickman absent Therm. 96 —

Saturday 3d

Charles finished Thatching over the Hog Pen, all hands employed in pulling & stacking the Flax a part of it put in about 3 the rest about 7 o'Clock a fair day Therm. 96

Monday 5

Pompey Lewen & Jack Cradling wheat, Charles at Sunday Jobs, took a part of the Flax that was put in pon the Water, being 4 hours in, Molly & Bet spread a part of it, it seemed little enough down the weather having been Cool, Hickman absent Therm. 90

Tuesday 6th

Pompey Jack Lewen at Cradling wheat, Charles took out a handful more of the Flax having been in about 60 Hours, it was the Coarsest & found pretty well rotted sent the lazy Cow to pasture Bet, Molly &c. spread Flax Mrs. Bennett sent for the Dr. Hickman absent Therm. 80 @ 90 —

Wedensday 7th July 1813

Pompey, Lewen & Jack Cradling wheat Charles went to Hibbets with wood, got a Bc. of Flour from Repeat a Cradle at the Feast &c. Molly & Bet spread the rest of the Flax Hickman Hewing Posts & Rails a warm day Therm. 96 —

Thursday 8

Pompey, (Charles Hickman & I from Breakfast) Jack Lewen & Bett Cradling wheat, shortly after dinner Charles gave out being affected with Cramps & pains in his Arms, I came home the rest continued till Night. Extremely warm Therm. 105 —

Friday 9th

Pompey Cradling Wheat, Charles & Lewen by turnes Jack, Bet, Cathy & I Raking & Binding, in the Evening some rain but did not interrupt the work much Hickman absent. Jack took the pains & went to Bed with the rest Therm. 100. after the Rain 80 —

Saturday 10th

Pompey Cradling Charles & Lewen by turns. Charles got drunk after dinner, I kept him, Pompey finished the wheat tied about 4 o'Clock they afterwd. shocked it. I Pd. Charles home he said Sundays, killed a sheep &c. — Hickman making Post & Rail a temperate day —