Friday 28th Oct. 1814

A Constant heavy rain all last night which produced a great Flood this morning that carried away a great many Fences &c. Charles got 4 of the Barn Shod, lift the Cart Waggon &c. for repairs Pompey & young Charles repairing Fences &c. Jenny & Lewen Thrashing Rye, Ephraim Cutting Fences & daubing his Home, Robert moulding Cellery &c. Jack by the Fire side a fine day

Saturday 29th

A Slight Frost last night Pompey & Charles killed a Hog in the morning after Charles Ploughed, Pompey filled up Gutters &c. & went in the Evening to see his Wife Jenny & Ephraim cleaned up 1½ Bushels of Rye which was sent to be Schreened for Seed, Lewen Securing Cabbage young Charles went to Mill &c. Jack unemployed Robt. feeding Hogs &c. a fine day Spent up the remainder of my Bags in all 21 to fatten

Monday 31st

A Slight frost last night, Charles ploughing, Pompey, Ephraim & Charles Junr digging Potatoes, Jenny went to the Mill & shop, & hauled home the Potatoes, Lewen Pitching Cabbage, digging Carrots &c. Robert a pitching hime, Jack feeding Hogs &c. a fine day

Tesday 1st Nov.

Frost last night, Charles finished ploughing day at the Old Barn, began to Corn Ground, Ephraim & Jenny thrashing Rye, Pompey, Jack, Charles Jack &c. digging Potatoes, Leon put up Carrots forenoon & in the Evening helped with Potatoes, a fine day

Wednesday 2 Nov. 1814

Charles ploughing Corn ground, the rest all digging Potatoes, Jenny excepted who went to Mr. Reid's to help to kill a Bull, he left this Lady & did not get home till about 10 O'Clock, Mr. Birnie & I went to Dr. Boyd's returned to Mr. Reid's & staid all night

Thursday 3

This Morning came on a heavy rain which continued all the Forenoon, in the Evening being fair we returned, and found the people had been employed in thrashing, Shelling Corn &c. about the yard

Friday 4th

Much rain last night & all this day, the people Husking & Shelling Corn, no other work done to day, except Ephraim & Lewen thrashing

Saty. 5th

Wet last night & this morning, after Breakfast Ephraim & Lewen Cutting Logs for Joices, Charles hauling, Pompey Jenny &c. repairing straw, putting up Joins &c. &c. I went to Paytown, a damp day

Monday 7th

A deal of Rain last night, all hands employed in putting up Straw, clearing the Cow House, gathering up Dung, cleaning 27 Bushels of Rye, and sundry other Jobs, a damp day, Housed the Milk Cows, & got the Barn Shed &c. →

Advised by Dr. White of John having passed by Dite at 8 of Clock

Tesday 8th

Pompey, Lewen, Jenny & Jack dug & Pitted the remainder of the Potatoes, Ephraim, Charles Jun. Robert, & Charles till dinner time gathering Stones & digging Gutters, after Dinner Chs. Ploughed in the Old Field, Frost last night a fine dry day throughout →