Friday 28th March 1817

Ephram & Pompey sowed Clover seed, gathered Manure, marked out ground &c. Charles hauled 2 loads of Rye to Mill, Lewis young Charles & Peter cleaned Rye &c. a cool drying day

Saty. 29th

Pompey & Ephram sowed remr. of Barn field with clover seed, cleaned remr. of Rye &c. in all 200½ Bushels, young Charles went to Mr. Key's, Mr. Reed's &c. a fine dry cool day, I went to Mr. Reed's last night lt. & staid till aftr. dinner today, his Stock was valued at $12,25, Mr. M. proposed to give him $50 p. annum for land purchase to be on 1st. of apl. 1818 to pay $1000 in hand, the remr. in annual payts. of $400 without Interest — a fine cool fine day

Mondy. 31st The Small Pox

yesterday fair & cool, last night a Jolly rain & snow Pompey, Ephram, & Lewis marked out & sowed the Rye ground with Clover seed in the forenoon, the two Charles's hauled in hay forenoon, in the evening Ephram & Pompey made into the garden fence, Lewis & young Charles hauled in hay Molly spread manure & picked the Meadow a fine dry day & warm in the evening

Tuesday 1st Apl.

Frost last night, Charles began to plough in the Clover field, Ephram, Charles, Molly & the Cart gathering & hauling Stones to fill gutters, Lewis breaking flax, Pompey at Smith's jobs & planted a few rows of potatoes — a strong hand from Prospect Mr. Francis Henry from dinner getting Stones for the road gave Warner, Flanard, & yellow Frank each 1/2 Bushel of clover seed — a fine day

Wedesdy. 2

A Slight frost last night Ephram & Pompey cut Rags, Lewis & Charles, put in & tramped Oats &c. big Charles ploughing, young Charles, Molly, the new Irishman & Francis Henry gathering & hauling Stones to the road, I went to Tanytown, a very fine day

Thurs. 3

Big Charles ploughing, Pompey & Ephram tramping Oats young Charles, Molly the new I. man & Frank Hery gathering & hauling Stones, a fine day — Lewis breaking Hemp

Friday 4th April 1817

Big Charles ploughing, Ephram went to Jno. H. Lewis Jun. breaking Hemp & helped Pompey with Oats, young Chs. Molly, the Irishman & F. Henry gathering & hauling Stones a fine day — To Mr. Boyle 1 Cask 101 Gros Tallow 1 Keg 14½ do. — Wool } to see

Saty. 5th

Big Charles ploughing, Ephram, Pompey & Lewis putting & tramping Oats forenoon, in the evening Ephm. hauled a few loads of Stones & went to the Shop for a plough but did not get it, young Charles Molly, the Irishman & Francis Henry in the forenoon gathering & hauling Stones a very fine day stormy towards evening

Monday 7th

Much rain yesterday & last night, being Easter Monday no work at the road Jack & Molly gathering Stones from y. O. Clock big Charles sick, I whipt Molly for absenting herself on Sunday, Lewis went off on Sunday morning Ephram & righting Fences, Pompey & young Charles tramping Oats promised to pay them 1/2 Dollar each being Holiday a fair day

Tuesday 8th

Pompey & big Charles chaning & hauling in Oats Ephram & Abraham Pepper fencing, Jno. Hanlin & Edwd. Doghetty quarrying, young Charles hauling Stones, & Jack & Joshua gathering Stones, a damp moderate day

Wedesdy. 9th

Ephram & young Charles with the two Carts at the road old Jack Pipe, & Francis Henry in the afternoon gathering Stones, Jno. Hanlin & the 3 new Hands Lewis-ying, Ephram Pepper & big Charles fencing, Pompey at Smith's Jobs, worthy Mr. from B. Mark, passing, Lewis & lodged him in Jail a fine day