Friday 20th July 1821

A. Peppel & Charles mowed all day, A. Kinter & Ephraim till breakfast ~~Jno. Dodds~~ Ephraim ploughed potatoes, harrowed beans &c. A. Kinter, W. Dunlop & Joshua transplanted Mangle Wurtzel, & assisted Jno. Dodds & Pompey in hauling in grain, a slight rain in the morning, & forenoon, in the evening very ~~day~~ warm, distant thunder & rain, but fair here —

Saturday 21st

A. Peppel, Kinter & Charles mowed till dinner time Jno. Dodds, Ephm. & William hauled in & stacked the last of Rye, all hands raked & hauled in 1 large load of Hay I suppose 1½ Tons I fine moderate fair day

Monday 23d

This morning gloomy A. Peppel, Jno. Flyal, Ephraim & Charles mowed till breakfast time, Jno. Dodds & Wm. Dunlop unloaded the Waggon, A. Peppel Jno. Flyal & Charles cradled Oats till 11 O'Clock when they came in on account of rain, the rest brought in a large load of hay after dinner the cradlers worked till 5 O'Clock, Wm. & Joshua transplanted R. I. bags Ephraim ploughed potatoes & turnip ground, Pompey & Jno. Dodds went for team wood, Frederick Marks brt. about ½ a load of Hay a little rain thro'out & very heavy in the evening, I. Flyal 3/4 of a day —

Tuesday 24th

A Slight Wet in the morning (Heavy rain last night) A. P. Ephraim & Charles cradling Oats Jno. Dodds, Wm. Dunlop & Joshua K. unplayed variously, Ray transplanted Cabbages, thinning &c. fair in the evening

Wedy. 25

Last night some rain A. Peppel, Ephraim & Charles cradled Oats & finished about 4 O'Clock they raked hay in the evening, Jno. Dodds & W. Dunlop thinned till after dinner & then raked hay, Gloomy & dark in the morning a shut with some rain about 11 O'Clock fair in the evg. but heavy clouds & distant thunder — Jos. & Benton transplanting Pitts

Thursday 26th

A. Peppel, Jno. Dodds, W. Dunlop & my own people raking Oats & got in two good loads of Hay, Joshua & Kinter at the Turnip weeding a fair day & warm —

Friday 27th

Last night fair A. Peppel unwell he helped A. Kinter to spread the Sorgum in the Waggon the people with A. Kinter raking Hay & Oats got in 1½ load of Hay, & 1 load of Oats about ¾ down. a very warm day Thermr. 85° —

Saturday 28th

I set out for Frederick, Jno. Dodds, W. Dunlop & my own people hauling in Oats a very warm day

Monday 30th July 1821

I remained at Frederick, the day especially warm Thermr. then 86° — Jno. Dodds, W. Dunlop, A. Peppel, & my own people hauled in the remd. of the Oats & commenced Mowing about 11 O'Clock —

Tuesday 31st

I came home from Frederick about 12 O'Clock found A. Peppel, Jno. Flyal, A. Kinter, Ephraim, & Charles mowing, the rest working at hay, in the evening A. P. J. F. & A. K. continued mowing the remd. put in 3½ loads of Hay Thermr. 85° in the evening —

Wedy. 1st Aug.

A. Peppel, Jno. Flyal, A. Kinter, Jno. Dodds, Wm. Dunlop & Ace. finished mowing, & put in 4 Tons of Hay, Lucas Marks brought 2 Tons of Hay A. Peppel sowed Turnip Seed in the fields, a fair day, gloomy in the evening, Thermr. 85° — got 1 bottle of Whiskey

~~Wednesday~~ Thursday 2d

All hands the same as yesterday mowing, raking, & hauling in 3 loads of Hay, 2 hrs. & 1 to Jno. Dodds — Thermr. 84° — Jno. Bathcart & Thos. Davis a letter with $200 —

~~Thursday~~ Friday 3d

Jno. Flyal, A. Peppel, A. Kinter, Jno. Dodds, W. Dunlop & my own people mowing, raking, & put in 3 loads of Hay, 1 at Jno. Dodds & 2 at home, Jno. Snook mowed in the evening. I planted turnips in the garden, the upper part covered with ashes, & the lower with Chip & Hog manure Thermr. 83° —

Saturday 4th

A. Peppel, Jno. Flyal, & Jno. Snook mowed till ½ past 9 O'Clock then went to Marks's barn raising, the rest worked all day at hay & put in 1 load — Thermr. 84° —

Monday 6th

Yesterday the Thermr. 82°. A. Peppel Jno. Snook & Charles mowed till dinner time, they in the evening mowed for Mr. Snook, Jno. Dodds, W. Dunlop & my own people raked & hauled in 2½ loads of hay Thermr. 82

Tuesday 7th

Cool this morning, A. Peppel & Charles mowing at his house &c. Jno. Dodds, Wm. Dunlop, & my own people raking, & hauling in hay a clear fine day I shew on side of the garden hedge Thermr. about 76°.

Wednesday 8th

Cool this morning — A. Peppel & Charles mowed till breakfast & then Ephraim — the rest raking, & hauled 3 loads to A. Peppel's, a fine day Thermr. 78° —