Monday Octr 9th 1848

Jno. A. Ploughed, Sat & Frank in the woods

Tuesday 10th

I went to Baltimore. Jno Arthur hauled wood, & also 158 bushels of lime from stouts Sat & Frank in the woods

Wednesday 16th

Jno Arthur unloaded the lime; Began to husk corn

Tuesday 17th

Sat. & Frank husking corn — Jno Arthur hauled bushels of lime from Stouts

Wednesday 18th

All hands at the corn & continued husking & hauling in throughout the week

Monday 23rd

Went to Hagerstown — All hands engaged at the corn, husking and hauling in

Nov. 1st 1848. Wednesday

All hands at the corn, except L Dandown Jno Arthur & Sat fixing the pens

Thursday 2nd

All hands at the corn Quite cool last night

Friday 3rd

All hands at the corn, husking & hauling in

Sat. 4th

All hands as above

Monday 6th

A fine day; some snow & rain yesterday; hands at the corn

Tuesday 7th

The hands employed in cutting wood husking corn ploughing &c

Wednesday 22 Nov

January 26 1849

made an agreement with Levi Shoemaker & Sat Dandown to build a barn on Mann's lease as follows — They to cut the logs & hew them for Thirty Dollars — to get 31 cents per hundred for making shingles, we finding a hand to crop cut the shingle wood — They are to receive at their usual rate for the rest of the work

Agreement with Saml. Sleagle

He is to put up a house on the Poors lease & to receive $45.00 for doing the work

Expense of putting up a house on the Poors lease

To old house from Jno Starr Esqr	32	50
To Mrs Birnies team & 2 hands 1 day	3	00
To 2 days hauling logs with two wagons & 2 hands	7	00
To 2 days hauling stones	7	0
To Iron for stones	6	[illegible]
Masons work including boarding attendance &c	25	73
Carpenters work	45	50

April 1 — 1849 — Rented the farm on which the poor resided, to George Kephart for the sum of $160.00 per annum & he to give possession in case of any selling before the term for which he rented (viz 3 years) expired — R. Birnie