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May 1 Plowed in the 2nd field front of the house the boys drew stones to the ditch
 2 went to Charlestown with A letter that sent here for Mr Rath heavy rain most of the day roads very bad found Mr Rath at the Widow Johnsons
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 No Meeting to day there was a quarterly Meeting at Lynn
 4 plowed in the 2nd field John Ackland dug in the garden till the rain come on about 3 o'clock.
 5 rained all night & the day
 6 do do do To Dares to make one
 made a drag for Wm Glogan & helped
 7 plowed a little this afternoon ground very wet the boys moved the fence below the house
 8 plowed to day the boys down the old rail from the line fence
 9 finished the plowing of the 2nd field Wat began to plow in the field below the house
 10 the Revd Mr McMurroys preached in cantown rain this afternoon very cold
 11 plowed with both teams in the field below the house very hard frost last night & very cold all day
 12 plowed in the field below the house
 13 finished plowing the field below the house in the forenoon then we began to sow & sowed 3 bushel of Peas in the 2nd field
 14 Sowed 4 bushel of peas in the 2nd field wat plowed the field below the little orchard
 15 crossed dragged the peas in the forenoon & little rain Sowed 1 1/2 Bushel of Scotch wheat in the 2nd field

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