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The Journal of Charles Rawn

July 10 to October 14, 1842 (Book 13)

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Introduction

This section of Rawn's journal is approximately three months long. For most of the month of July the courts did not meet, so Rawn's law practice was relatively slow.

Once the courts commenced in August, however, Rawn was very busy with cases, correspondence, and meetings. He kept the journal as a record of his law practice and financial accounting, as was recommended by his teacher and mentor, Mr. Shunk. When Rawn did discuss his family or a personal matter it was usually in relation to a household expense or a major event such as a death, birth, or baptism. Interestingly, Rawn mentioned his walks and rides as meticulously as he recorded his accounts.

Rawn wrote of hundreds of people in the three months examined. They can be broken into three groups: his family, those involved in his law practice, and those who worked for him as servants or hired-hands. His family was mentioned almost everyday by giving his wife some money, going for a walk with his son, or paying for the marketing that his mother-in-law buys. Although it may seem as if Rawn was almost cold in the way that he talked about his family, it is important to note that they were mentioned more than any other group in the journal. He talked about his wife thirty-eight times and his son, Charles thirty-two times while Alexander Ramsey, Esq., a colleague in Harrisburg, was mentioned only four times. He did not use his wife's first name and only made brief references to her but she did rank the highest in number of

times that Rawn wrote about any one person. Clearly, Rawn was thinking of his wife enough to make her the prominent person in the journal even if he did not expound upon her.

Two African American men were mentioned in this section of the journal. In both cases, Rawn wrote their name followed by "col^d man." The first was Richard Mason, who went to Rawn for legal and financial advice. Mason had fifty-six dollars in "Relief Notes" which he wanted to exchange for silver. Rawn told him that this would be impossible so Mason left in the hopes of using the notes for a plot of land in Highspire. One wonders if Mason's money was not exchangeable because of his race or because of its illegitimacy. The second reference was to Faynton Brown, who was hired by Rawn to break up a load of coal and put it away in Rawn's house and shed. Although Rawn's relationship to Mason is unclear, Brown's role in the journal was clearly one of service to Charles Rawn. Besides these two men, the diarist never mentioned other people's race or nationality. To Rawn, Mason and Brown stood out as men of a different race and also as men of a different class standing.

The Rawn family employed several people to help run their household. Martin Ostter is mentioned frequently as a hired-hand. Rawn paid Ostter at least once a week for jobs which are rarely described. Perhaps Ostter was hired to do work around the house and office as Rawn needed it. Also, Matty (last name unknown) did washing for the family from time to time.

The Rawn family also bought food from various people such as Mrs. Milleisen, Neuer, Mrs. Hoffman, Philip Smith, Matthias Schiffler, and Samuel Ressing. It is interesting to look at the relationship of the Rawns to Mrs. Milleisen. For two months,

Mrs. Milleisen sold them two pounds of butter for twenty-five to thirty cents. On September 3, Rawn noted that he paid 37 ½ cents for two pounds of butter and a week later he paid forty cents for the family's butter. Apparently, this price increase was too much for Rawn to pay so the next week he bought his butter elsewhere for 18 ¾ per pound and thirty cents for two pounds. Mrs. Milleisen must have noticed the absence of the Rawn business because on September 17 the price of her butter had gone back down to 37 ½ cents for two pounds which Rawn agreed to pay.

Rawn's law practice dominates the journal. He is meticulous about noting how much he receives, whom he visits, and who visits him. Once the courts were in session Rawn's days were very busy with letters, meetings, and trials. Because of Rawn's accounts it fairly easy to follow his cases from day to day as they progress. When he refers to a case from an earlier date Rawn uses parentheses and refers the readers to either a Receipt book or another journal. These citations may appear as follows: (V.B.T. Rep^t Book) or (v. 13 inst.).

On August 1, Rawn, his friend Charles Carson, Mary Scott Clendenin, and his son Charles took a trip to Middletown to look at lots of land. They stopped at General Cameron's home, where Mary and Charles wait outside until the men are done talking. We never learn about what happens during this meeting. Rawn keeps track of the cost of lemonade (10 cents), tolls (16 cents), and cakes for Charles (2 cents). A day away from the office did not mean a day away from the wallet in the eyes of Rawn. No penny went unnoticed.

Rawn did manage to get away from his finances during the Rolla incident.

Apparently Rolla, the family dog, had been hurt and was spreading fleas throughout the

house so Rawn asked Martin Ostter to take him out and shoot him. Rawn wrote, "He got badly hurt some month since which had almost entirely disabled him – he was full of fleas which he would leave about the doors till the house is fairly beset by them. Poor Dog! It was with great reluctance I could bring myself to consent to his death. We have had him 8 or 9 Years." (August 31). In the three months examined, Rawn never exhibited as much emotion as he did when Rolla died. This is the only instance in which Rawn used an exclamation mark. It must have been a very tragic moment for Rawn and his family. But, in typical Rawn fashion, the next day Rawn, Charles, and Martin Ostter bury Rolla and Rawn notes that he pays Martin twenty-five cents for his help (September 1).

Rawn dealt with several cases during this period. One of the most interesting was that of Jacob Zearfass, who was arrested for operating a "Disorderly House." Rawn does not define it for the reader; perhaps it was a house of prostitution or a loud, rowdy bar. Zearfass approached Rawn and his colleague, Alexander Ramsey, and asked them to defend him in the trial for \$10 each with a \$5 bonus if they won the case. Ramsey and Rawn did win the Zearfass case and asked the court to pay the costs of the trial and clear the "Disorderly House" charge from his name. Also, Zearfass was permitted to keep his tayern license.

Rawn suffered from an unknown illness throughout this time. Dr. Sharpless of Philadelphia prescribed several treatments including "Blue Pills," and an inhaler with zinc, hemlock, and iodine. Rawn did not complain of any sickness and only discussed the prescriptions, his doctors, and the cost of the medicine. Rawn frequently wrote to Dr. Sharpless asking for advice and paying him for his services.

Another pattern in the journal is Rawn's church attendance. Of the fourteen Sundays in the three month sample, Rawn only attended church eight times. On two of those eight Sundays he left the service early because they did not have heat in the building. Rawn's church attendance was very regular in July and half of August but then it became sporadic. He only attended once in September and the two times he left early are in October. This pattern seems to correlate with his increased work load. When the courts are not meeting, Rawn's church attendance is high but when his case load increases, he chooses to stay home. Rawn did not say that he chose to use his Sundays for work but rather his Saturdays became a day of work, making Sunday the day of rest. Rawn shifted his schedule around from the usual work ethic which states that a person should work five days, rest one day (Saturday), and pray on Sunday. Rawn chose to work six days and rest on Sunday. Unfortunately, we never really know why Rawn chose to stay home because reasons for his actions are very seldom included in the journal.

Two charts have been created to examine Rawn's expenses and the people that he mentions. Over the three months, Rawn spends about \$434.96 (See Appendix B). When the time period is split into three thirty day periods one can see how his spending pattern decreases as the summer turns to fall.

 July 11- August 11
 \$198.52

 August 12 - September 12
 \$151.78

 September 13 - October 14
 \$84.66

Rawn's expenditures dropped dramatically over this three month period. One reason for this could be that he stopped buying ice around September 26, which he celebrated by saying "Last day of getting, Ice, Ice, Ice, Ice, Ice, Ice."

The second chart of people mentioned in Rawn's journal indicates that of the 193 people mentioned, only 24 were women, which indicates that Rawn's world was very male- oriented. The men in his journal vary from servants to statesmen, yet the women are either a part of the family, friends, or they sell food to the family. In other words, they existed within the domestic sphere. In this respect Rawn's journal is good at showing how different men and women's roles were and how little they mixed in the workplace. Although Mrs. Milleisen and Mrs. Hoffman sold dairy products to the Rawn family, they certainly would not have been mentioned in an entry about a court date or a business meeting.

In transcribing the journal I have kept the text looking as the journal looks. I did not change any misspellings or grammatical errors that Rawn made. When some letters are written above others in the word (ex. Rep^t) Rawn usually put two dots below the superscripted letter. Also, payments are usually underlined twice. Unfortunately, computer limitations prevented me from being able to reproduce this aspect of the journal.

The Journal

10~1 Clear + Pleasant – was at our church Mg + Evg – wife + mother son there in Mg + wife [?] evening- Communion Sabbath – I participated for the first time in the New Ch. – Mrs Jane Shunk + others joined the church. Rev. Mr. Norton made some remarks in morning and preached in Eveng home 9 ½ or 10 and to bed at 10 ½ P.M.

11~2 Clear + Pleasant – I was engaged greater part of day in my offic and jointly with Jno. Roberts Esq. short time on morning before [B. Parke?] Bankrupt Com. – wife M.S.C., son Cha^S. Self took ride in evening from 6 to 7 ½ p.m. in my Dearbourn. Paid Martin, [(Oslter)?] 12 ½ cts – Major Reynolds one of the Canal Com... + A.B. Stoughton separately called this evening and spent some time – the former till near 9 P.M. after which my wife, M.S.C., Self paid a visit at Mr. Leslie's home 9 ½ to bed 10 P.M.

12~3 Clear + Pleasant – attended short time before B. Parke (B.C.) to prove my claims on Wlm [Meirly?] who owes me a balance of \$627.65, and p^d. S^d B. Parke for making said proof \$1.00 – Paid at D.W. [Grop?] for a thermometer \$1.25 – Ru of George Ely for the heirs of J.W. Trimble due \$4.00 on a/c of the 2rs. sent to become due by him 1 Oct^r next.- took ride on my horse from 6 to 7 ½ P.M. 7 or 8 miles.- Geo. Hain Mrs. Garman her daughter Mrs.Milleisen at my office when I got home about estate of Mrs Garman – to bed at 10 P.M.

July 13, 1842 Wednesday

 $13\sim4$ Clear + Pleasant – P^d for marketing got Mother C. 24 Cts. – Spent day at home till evg [wlk?] side in evening from 6 to 7 % P.M. 7 or 8 miles – had invitation to tea with my wife [anohr?] S.C. to Mrs. Leslies. They went – I did not. P^d for crackers + sundries for my wife, Mother C. + self at the Felix's 25 Cts. At 9 P.M. to bed at 10 P.M.

<u>14~5</u> Clear + Cloudy – Rain in even^g at 6. I took ride on Horseback from 8 to 9 ³/₄ A.M. about 8 miles. Paid D.W. Rawn \$6.00 advanced by him the 3rd Ultimo for 1 B bl wheat

— Flour got for me in my absence from Jⁿ. Houser and su^d of him \$5.00 advanced by me to Mother + Juliann the 5th inst. Rec^d of Mary Scott Clendenin \$32.50 in full for 13

Weeks Boarding at \$2..50 per week from the 1st of April last to the 1st inst. + paid her at same time \$12..00 borowed of her by my wife for household purposes during my late absence between the 26 May and 8th inst. which with \$10 handed her the day before I left makes \$22 laid out in my absence- Spent evening in my office + house to bed at 9 ½ PM COM^d using the inhaler recommended by Dr Sharpless with a teaspoonful of the Zinc of Hemlock and 5 drops of Iodyne Inhaled for an hour or more.

15~6 Clear + Pleasant – Cooler – Fine air- Paid Brandon Thomas for Cutting my hair 12

1/2 cts for liquorice last evening 6 1/4 cts Wrote to Christⁿ Buck shoemaker N^o4 [?] Phil^a

in relation to \$5 he was ere this to have sent me in a letter (v. 3 ultimo) Also wrote letter

to H.C./Hickok Esq New Bloomfield Perry Pa referring to his mem. letter rec^d 8 inst and

to my letter to him of 1 inst (v. mem back by Sd letter)- wife, Son Charles + self took ride

in Dearborn in Evg from 4 3/4 to 6 1/4 P.M. Paid [Jp lins Oster?] 6 1/4 for alcohol + crackers

16 1/4 amt 4 items 41 1/4 cts. – to bed at 9 1/2 P.M.

16~7 Rain – Clear + Cloudy in eveng – pd for marketing got by mother C + Martin the Ostter 5 cts amt – 55 Cts – Paid 7 [lace? or face?]\$1.06 ¼ for an [ice firkin?] got of him 26th May which is entered as p^d of that day but which entry was made in anticipation of paying him when he w^d bring it and I did not get to see him. Took ride on horseback from 6 ½ to 7 ½ P.M. 5 or 6 miles. Spent evening at home and to bed at 10 P.M. [Text bloocked off which says...] JCR=JCR

 $17\sim1$ Clear and warm. I was at our church with my family morning and evening. [following sentence was written above the previous sentence] Got ice for first time this season of [?]. home 9 ½ to bed 10 PM.

18~2 Clear and very warm. Settled with Mary Scott Clendenin the Bal. Prin + Int. on my Bond dated [?] 12/38 being Prin. \$1.50 + Int \$4.12 and on which bond p^d her 24 May last \$2.50, and this day Borrowed [?] from her the further sum of \$100 at her request for which and the bal principal due on the old bond as aforesaid making \$2.50 I gave her my new Bond of this date and p^d her the s^d int^r of \$4.12 by deducting it from Bal. due on her boarding and rec^d her ck on the Hg Savg Instⁿ for \$115..38 being the S^d \$100 Borrowed and the Bal of her Boarding after deducting the S^d \$4.12 Int. and \$12 Borrowed by my wife of her and marked as [billed?] the inst + \$1. got by me of her 16th inst. Paid W.P. Hays (Sexton/\$2.00 for digging grave for my son Joseph in April last. Took ride this morning on horseback 5 miles about 9 a.m. Rec^d of Mo Philips for the heirs of JW Trimble dec^d \$20 being the [qrs? or grs?] sent coming due 1 Oct. next Wife, son Cha^S Self took walk after tea. Spent Evg home + to bed 10 P.M.

19~3 Clear + Very Warm. Took ride 5 or 6 ms from 8 ½ to 10 am Dep^d in the H Savg Instⁿ \$100: out of CK rec^d of MSC yesterday. Handed wife 25 Cts repaid W^m McClure Esq in [Ekel] in Sherry n^o 54 April 7, 1839 [D.C.P. box? Or D.C. Pleas?] \$4.00 paid by him to Mr. Geo W [Laying? or Saying?] for writing paper Books in S^d case for the late

Sup Court to come out of money rec^d by me for S^d plff Jan 10. Last. Paid Mick^l Bender for the heirs of Ja^s Trimble dec^d \$8.50 ¼ for materials + building oven at property of said heirs occupied by Conrad Maltzried. Called with my wife to see Mrs. Nagle and at Shunks to see J.K.Findlay and his wife – home 9 and to bed 9 ½ P.M.

20~4 Clear + Pleasant – Rain last evening paid Mrs. Milleisen \$4.73 Bal in full for butter from May 11 to this day both inclusive 21 market days 2 lbs per day and she having been pd on Sd [?] by my wife 24 last ms \$2.00 – Paid for marketing 15 cts handed Martin,

Ostter 6 ¼, pd for alcohol 12 ½ cts amt 3 [hems?] 33 ¾ cts – Recd of Jacob Garman one of the adms of Geo Garman decd Fee \$5.00 on a/c for professional counsel in relation to estate of said George. Paid Mr. Dougherty [runner? or supper?] from bar office present D.W. Rawn of whom I got the charge 50 cts freight of a Venetian Blind for my office window from Edward Hedges Phila this day brought under charge of Wm Greenawatt who, Dougherty said, he was to get 50 cts for it. Wrote to Bechtold + Shoemaker Spring Creek Dauphin County kept copy on subject of claim of Patterson Co. recd 8 inst.

Received letter from H.C. Hickok Esq. "Bloomfield July 11/42" and pd POS 10 ½ in reply to mine of July 1 + 15 enclosing a check on the [76 Hadd Mkt?] to my order for \$197 on a/c of the McClure Abbott claim against Welsch- wife, son Chas + self took walk after tea. Spent evening after wd returned at home and to bed at 9 ½ P.M.

21~5 Clear + Pleasant. Took ride on horseback 8 or 9 miles from 8 to 10 a.m. Paid J.W.

Harper 80 ½ cts his witness fees in [Herron?] vs Miller No 79 apt T. 1841 out of

[Piff's?] bill rec^d by me 11 Mch last. Rec^d of Wm H Parsons for Elizah Mitchell ex^r of James Lynd Jr. dec^d further sum of \$20 an acct. of claim against him (v. Aug. 10/41) deposited in Harrisburg Savings [?] \$197 being the chk ^{2nd} of H.C. Hickok rec^d yesterday. Wife son Cha^S self took ride in Dearbourn after tea from 6 ½ to 7 ½ p.m. Spent evening at home and to bed 9 ½ P.M.

22~6 Clear + Pleasant – ride on horseback from 8 ½ to 10 ½ a.m. 8 or 9 miles. Paid for 2 qts dewberries. 12 ½ + 6 ¼ to Martin the Ostter yesterday – amt 18 ¾ cts. Rec^d of John Dowding \$50 in case of Bear +c. vs. Dowding in Dau. C. Pleas No 137 Nov. 1. 1841 on acct. Spent day chiefly in office – Chas self took walk after tea – to bed 10 PM.

23~7 Clear + warm. – paid for marketing by mother C. including 2lbs of butter of Mrs Milleisen at 30 cts. 67 cts Handed wife for lamp oil + a hickory broom 50 cts took ride on horseback from 8 ¼ to 10 ¼ a.m. 8 or 9 miles paid for papers 3 cts and handed wife 75 cts. to pay Mrs. Hoffman for 3 weeks milk + cream to this day inclusive in full- Amt 4 items above \$1.95- took ride after tea 3 or 4 miles by 7 ¾ or 8 P.M. – to bed 9 P.M.

July 24. 1842

<u>24~1</u> Clear + <u>very</u> warm – was at our church Mg and Evg with family – wife Son Cha^S + Mother C in Mg and Mother C and M.S.C. in eveng . to bed 10 P.M.

25~2 Clear + Pleasant – warm p^d W^m Grimshaw Esq Atty for Elijah Mitchell Ex² [opsa?] Synd dec^d \$50:00 Bal. in full of claim collected and in part to be collected from W^m H. Parsons out of \$25 rec^d 10 Aug. last. \$20. Rec^d 21st inst and my taylor bill of \$6.87 ½ receipted as of this day, leaving yet to be paid by Parsons to me on said claim about \$20 – more or lef which when paid will be mine as fee. Rec^d of [?] Seiler Esq. In Bear vs. [Hightman? Or Nightman?] balance of heffs. claim which I am authorized to retain a HC \$6.21 (of 26 March last + my Receipt Book.) Deposited in the Hg Savg Instⁿ in Specie funds \$52.75. This replaces that much of like funds which my check of 18 last mo. and letter of that date to R.J. Rofs requested should be p^d to Walborn +c. took ride in Evg from 5 to 7 P.M. 8 or 9 miles. To bed at 9 ½ P.M.

<u>26~3</u> Clear + warm. rode on horseback from 8 ½ to 9 ½ a.m. 5 or 6 miles. Wrote letter + sent by Dr. M^o Huddleson of the Senate to <u>Mother and Juliann Edgmont</u> Del. Co – was at the Capitol short time between 9 and 10 P.M. the Legis^e being in session + about to adjourn [Sine?] die- home at 9 ½ P.M. after delivering my letter to D.H. – to bed 10 P.M.

27~4 Clear + Cloudy. Paid for marketing to get by Mother C. 50 cts. Including 2 lbs of butter of Mrs. Milleisens at 30 cts. handed wife 10 cts + Martin (Osster) yesterday 6 \(\frac{14}{4}\) and p^d for Presⁿ of Dr. Sharpless of 3rd ult. At [Grop?] 31 \(\frac{14}{4}\) for licorice 6 \(\frac{14}{4}\) cts amt 5 items \$1.03 \(\frac{34}{4}\) - Took ride on horseback after tea about 5 miles by 8 P.M. Wrote letter to Dr. J.T. Sharpless, Phil^a on the present condition of my health and enclosed him \$10:00

according to what we agreed upon when I last saw him on the 1st inst in full of all advice and services to this time at any rate if further advice is not to be furnished on S^d payment.

Mr. Sehlatter. AB Hamilton and others here, after 8 P.M. I spent Evg at home to bed 9 ½ P.M.

28~5 Clear + Warm. Paid J.P. Martin (during my side <u>last Evg \$1.37 ½</u> (V. Bill + Rept) for freight storage and drayage of [Bbl?] of sugar from Phil^a to this place del^d at Stouffer + Co's forwarding house Phil^a 13 ult Rec^d letter by the hands of Capt N.W. Russell from <u>J.W.D. Rea</u> Hollidaysburg July 26/42" with draft on weaver + miller for \$115.05 for collection-Rec^d letter from <u>Jⁿ M^cFaden</u> Pittsburg July 25" and p^d pos <u>18 ¾ cts</u> – spent evening principally at home except that I was in at M. Leslie's short time about 9 P.M. looking at Fireworks of Mr. J.W. Lesley at Nagles corner. To bed at 10 P.M.

29~~6 Clear + Cloudy + very warm, I have been in the habit of taking a bath every day for four or five days at Mr. Lesley's – Took bath today – generally take it at Temperature of 85° ~ Paid for 4 dozen Eggs 31 ½ to Philip Smith, Paid W^m A Pierre gen¹ agent collecting for the newspapers by CK on the Harrisburg Savg Instⁿ \$31.07 ½ Bal. in full of collections in my hands for subscriptions to the Saty Evg Post Saty Courier, after deducting cer postages and my comg – That is to say, collections for the Saty Evg Post - \$19 out of which was deducted POS 12 ½ cts. pd by me in writing for Miss Adams as per in Oct '41 and My Com^{ns} on Same at 15 pr ct. being as Fees \$2..85, also collections for the Saty Courier \$18 out of which was deducted Pos 25 cts pd by me in July and Oct. 41

in writing of Simon Riegle's and Tho^S Brewer's papers, and my Commⁿ of Sam at 15 pr ct being as Fees \$2.70 (vde Recp^t Book) – Spent Evg in office + to bed 10 P.M.

30~7 Clear + Warm p^d for marketing and got by Mother C. including 2 lbs of butter for 25 cts. 50 cts took ride on horseback 5 or 6 miles by 10 a.m. + again in even^g about 3 miles by 8 P.M. Took Bath at 11 a.m. at Mr. Lesley's – Spent evening after side at home and to bed at 9 ½ P.M.

31~1 Cloudy and Rain + Clear + Cooler, I was not at church today. Took walk couple of miles about 11 ½ a.m. and again in even gabt 5 P.M. for ½ hour with son Cha^S To bed at 10 P.M.

Aug~1~2 Clear + Cool. Pleasant. rode on horseback 4 or 5 miles by 10 a.m. at 1 P.M.

Cha^S Carson + Self attended by my son and M.S. Clendenin started in my dearbourn +
with my horse for Middletown and Portsmouth to look at some lots. Mr. C. and myself
[lot?] at Treasy date in 1834. I paid Martin the Ostter as he left 12½ Cts. and tool at the
gate on the way for going and coming 16 Cts (Carson pd same at other gate) I also paid
for lemonade for Carson + Self at Kendy's Tavern in Middletown where we stopped 10

Cts. (Where Carson also paid for Lemonade and our horse fee \$25 Cts.) and Ostter at
Same place 6¼ Cts + cakes in said town for Charles 2 Cts. Amt 5 Items 46¾ Cts. We
stopped at Gen¹ Camerons in Middletown where we were in the house a short time and
where M.S.C. + Cha^S remained till we were ready to leave again for home. We got there
abt 2½ P.M. remained till near 5 P.M. + got home at 6½ P.M. Handed Mr. Carson

\$3.10 viz \$1.61 ½ to pay my half of taxes + costs on lots 177, 178, 223, 266 in

Portsmouth [Mis?] Co. owned by Mr. Carson + Self which are advertised for sale by the

Co Pres^t this week. and \$1.48 to pay taxes on lots 161, 162, in same town owned by

myself, also advertised for sale. Spent even^g in + about office to bed 9 ½ P.M.

2~3 Clear + Cool- Pleasant. Mrs. James Peacock + myself rode on horseback from 8 to 10 ¼ a.m. 9 or 10 miles. She had not ridden for sometime and was therefore disposed to go with me on act of my experience + - she rode a spotted horse that M.P. procured from Fitch's – Paid Ja^S Jefferis blacksmith \$2.25 in full for shoeing to this day (V.B.T. Rep^t) + Rec^d of John Kneply Jr \$21.25 being [qrs? or gres?] sent due by him 1st last mo. for Trimbles heirs. I took bath at Mr. Lesley's at 11 ½ a.m. – was at Mrs. Shunks in afternoon. M.S.C. son Cha^S + Self took walk after tea. To bed 9 ½ P.M.

Aug. 3 ~ 1842 Wednesday

3~4 Clear – Cool – Pleasant- p^d for marketing got by mother C. including 2lbs butter of Mrs. Milleisen for 30 cts 75 Cts among which is NEWCORN being first we have bought this season. Mrs. Peacock + myself rode on horseback from 8 ½ to 10 a.m. 7 or 8 miles. And from 5 to 6 ½ P.M. Miss Harriet Grimshaw, my wife + son Charles + Self rode in our carriage or Dearbourn about 8 miles – Paid Martin, Ostter 5 Cts for alcohol at Wyeth's 12 ½ Cts. Amt 17 ½ Wife + Self paid visit to the Wallace's in Pine Street from 8 ½ to 9 ¼ P.M. Rec^d letter from Dr. J.T. Sharpless "Phil^a" and paid Pos 12 ½ Cts. In answer to mine of 26th or 27 Ult. home 9 ¼ and to bed 10 P.M.

4~5 Clear + Pleasant – warmer. I took ride on Horseback from 8 ½ to 10 ¼ a.m. 7 or 8 miles took bath at Mr. Lesley's at 11 ½ a.m. Paid Jacob Bogar for 1 Bbl wheat Flour deliv^d this Evg \$5.75- Spent afternoon and evg chiefly in my office and to bed at 9 ½ P.M.

5~6 Rain – Coolish = Richd Mason cold man and old client at my office this morning. Had \$56 in act of assembly or "Relief notes" which he said he had got from Joshua Elder that he wanted me to inform him if he could get silver for at the Bank. I told him not and he allowed he would then pay it on a lot he had bought in Highspire wrote letter to James D. Rea Hollidaysburg in reference to his recd by Capt. Russel D. ult. (v. mem. On back of his letter to recd – also to Jno McFaden Pittsburg in reply to his recd 28 [ult?] (v. mem.on back of his letter so recd) Rain nearly all day – I remained at home all day – and in office in Evg and to bed 9 ½ P.M.

6~7 Cloudy – Some rain- Paid for Marketing + got by Mother C. 62 ½ cts including 2 lbs of butter got of Milleisens for 30 cts. Paid for oil 37 ½ cts one 2 t. Lamp oil. Pos. 3 Cts.

On papers last evg – Box blacking + Cha^S 1=9 Cts – Mrs Hoffman for 2 weeks milk + cream 50 Cts. Amt 5 Items: \$1.62. Rec^d letter from B. Bordley Crawford Esq^r "Chamb^S

Aug 5" in relation to suit by [Gartin? Or Garlin?] is M^cCormick. B.W. Musser Esqr of

Newport Perry Co here wanting certain papers of Sam^l Boyers. I told him I must be paid

\$5 and if he though that was too much not less than \$3 for my attention in said matter

first. Paid Henlock + Bratton \$43.75 in full for various advertising and printing paper.

Books for Clients + 2 year/ Subⁿ to 24 ultimo to their paper and rec^d of s^d Henlock + Bratton Fees \$45 in full for attending to dissolution of partnership between them and Holbrook in June 1840 +c \$30. Services in Reitzel vs. them in Dauphin Com [Play?] N^o April 7 '41 \$10, and 45 in relation to services ab^t their own dissolution yesterday + today. That is today we squared off by exchanging receipts on the [licts?] furnished – spent Evg about home and to bed 9 ½ P.M.

<u>7~1</u> Cloudy + Clear. I was at church in Mg with Mother C. M.S.C. Son Cha^S and rest of day Evg at home. Rev. Mr. Schaeffer of the Lutheran Ch. preached. To bed at 9 P.M.

8~2 Clear + Cloudy warm rode on horseback from 8 ¾ to 10 ½ a.m. 6 or 7 Miles. Rec^d of W^m H. Parsons in Mitchell Ex² [ordered?] against him the further sum of \$5.00 (v. 21 ult + 25 ult.) Rec^d of John Dowding in the case of Bear +c. is Dowding in Dauphin Cou. Pleas N°137 Nov. 7. 1841. On acct. of [Hight?] in s^d case the further sum of \$100 (v. 22 Ultimo). Dep^d in 76 [Tav^d?] Just^s the said \$100 except a five dollar Lewistown Bank note they would not take the plan of which I supplied by other money. Wrote letter to B. Bordley Crawford Esqr. Chamb^s in reply to his rec^d 6 inst. Paid at Wyeth for mixture, prescription of Dr. J.T. Sharpless 31 ¼ Cts (v. 27 Ult.) and for Liquorice at Grofs 6 ¼ - Amt 37 ½ Rec^d letter from J.M. [Ehel?] Springfield. [Hts.] July 25 in reply to mine of May 20 last. His letter so rec^d is dated 1841 inside which is of course a mistake. It ought to be 1842 – wife Son Self took walk after tea. Spent Ev^g at home to bed at 10 P.M.

9~3 Cloudy Clear, some Rain in afternoon, warm – I rode on horseback 5 or 6 miles from 10 to 11 a.m. Handed Martin Ostter at Hannling 12 ½ Cts. pd for 1 doz Blue Pills at Grofs 12 ½ Cts. amt 2 items 25 Cts. Spent afternoon and Evg chiefly in my office and to bed at 10 P.M.

10~4 Cloudy + Foggy till 9 a.m. p^d for Marketing got by Mother C <u>72 cts</u>. Including 2 lbs of butter of Milleisens for 25 cts [and BEEF of Geo. Neuer for 14 Cts.] – was at Jail ½ an hour or more ab^t 9 a.m. to see Geo. Nathans prisoner + client paid Martin ([Hahulens Osster?] 6 ½ Cts amt 78 ½ my wife, her mother, Son Charles self took ride in my carriage to Mr. Warfords at Mr Grimshaw's old place 1 ½ miles from town at 4 P.M. – took tea + returned home at 7 ½ P.M. spent Evg at home and to bed at 9 P.M. Rec^d letter from J. Pilkingson "West Chester" Aug 8 [W^S Pol 10]

11~5 Clear + Pleasant warm. Took ride on horseback 8 or 9 miles from 8 or 10 ½ a.m. Rec^d of Richard [Updegrove?] Bal. of Fee \$10.40 in full on written agreement del^d to him as also all his papers (v. 22. Jany last) written agreement was dated Jan. 17/42. – Wrote to Christopher Buck shoemaker no 467 North 4th St. Phila referring him to my letter of 15th ultimo, reminding him that he had not yet made the proper remittance for my services Expended for him in Court against Louis Miller and that I should continue to remind him of this inexcusable default in this respect till he paid the money. Rec^d letter from [Kromer + Flenner?] No 235 North 3rd St. Phila pd POS 12 ½ Cts. And wrote to them in reply. Spent evg in office chiefly to bed 9 P.M.

12~6 Clear + Cloudy warm – rode on horseback before 10 a.m. after breakfast 5 or 6 miles p^d [M^d? Or W^d?] Roberts 50 Cts. For a Plum Tree sold + del^d to me two or three years since and now standing between my smoke house and Privy, also p^d him 50 Cts. my half of fee p^d by him on proof of this + my joint demands against M^a [Sheirly? or Theirly?] before B. Parke bankrupt Com^r Hult and Rec^d of him \$1.00 pd me to State Cap. Gazette in my settlement with it [binst.?] for adv^g aud^g Disⁿ in the matter of W^m [2?] Wallace's [afs^t?] – spent afternoon and even^g chiefly in my office. Cha^s Self took walk after tea. To bed 10 P.M.

13~7 Clear + Warm . Paid for marketing got by Mother C. 69 Cts. Including 2 lbs of butter for 25 cts of Milleisens and mutton for 14 cts of Neuer. Paid J^{no} Gunton 25 Cts. for basket of tomatoes containing about 10 ¼ doz. These <u>first</u> tomatoes we have bought this year. Recd letter from <u>J.G. Clarkson Esqr</u>. Phil^a June 24 by hands of <u>Edw^d S. Sayres</u> Esqr. whom it introduces to me and who tells me he was here in June about date of letter during my absence for my health. He left certain claims with me against Matthew Wilson in his favor. – He is a very pleasant and agreeable gentleman and on very friendly terms with Mr. Clarkson. rec^d letter from E.S. [Baer?] Elizabethtown. Spent day chiefly in my office took ride 3 or 4 miles after tea to bed 9 P.M.

<u>14~1</u> Clear + very warm. I was at our church in morning with Mother C. son Cha^S. And spent rest of day Evg. At home – To bed 9 p.m.

15~2 Clear + very = warm – Court commenced = I was in Court all day after 10 a.m. when it called during its sitting rode on horseback 4 or 5 miles before 9. a.m. after Breakfast. Rec^d of Theo Gratz 80 Cts. Bal. in full due by him on the W + F [Blackhime?] Co. claim (which I have pd in full) left unpaid Sept. 27. 1841 (v. ante that date) Paid JohnHoffman \$3.24 in full of his fees for serving subpoenas in Tilghman's adm^d + is Fisher No 52 of April 7, 1838 in Dau C Pleas (v. Rep – Book) Paid for 1 qt Lamp oil 37 ½ Cts. Took ride on horseback 7 miles or more by 9 am after breakfast and again in the eveng after tea from 7 to 8 PM rode abt 4 ms – Rec^d of Jacob Zeafass Fee \$10 and at same time my colleague Alexander Ramsey Esq. rec^d of him a like fee of \$10 to defend him this week against a charge of keep a "Disorderly house," he having agreed also to give us \$5 a piece more if we get him cleared of the charge. I was in Court all day during its sesⁿ except that abt 4 ½ P.M. I took a Bath at Mr. Lesley's spent Evg in office and to bed 9 P.M.

17~4 Clear + Cloudy Some Rain or drizzle- p^d for Marketing got by Mother C. <u>68 Cts</u>. including 2 lbs butter of Milleisens for 25 Cts. and beef of Geo. Neuer for 19 cts spent day in Court – Com^d trial of <u>Jacob Zearfass</u> at 5 P.M. for "<u>Disorderly House</u>" Alex^r Ramsey + Self for Deft. wrote letter to Jos. S Lewis Jr. Phil^a by W^m A. Pierce to whom I handed note in favour of Forster Self to Collect (v. Copy of letter note). Paid for [Mes:?] at Wyeth's Drug Store 15 ½ Cts. Amt 2 items 83 ½ Cts. Spent Evg in office to bed 9 ½

18~5 Clear + Very Warm. Took ride on horseback from 7 ½ to 8 a.m. was further engaged in trial of Zearfass from 8 ½ a.m. till 11 ½ a.m. acquitted + Pros^S ordered to pay the Costs. Rec^d of <u>Jacob Zearfass</u> further <u>Fee \$5.00</u> in full for defending him as above – my colleague A. Ramsey rec^d like fee at same time in my office paid <u>Jacob Hoerner</u> \$1.16 ½ to Henry Hoover (per order) his witnef fees in Herron v Miller 11⁰ 79 April 7. 1841 out of [Plffs?] bill rec^d 11 March last. ~ (v. order + Rep^t with copy bill [?] in said suit) I was introduced in Court House this afternoon by W^m A. Pierce to Mr. Holden one of the proprietors of the State Courier – at my invitation he came in and took seat at Counsel Table. Spent day chiefly in Court House – Took Bath at Mr. Lesley at 12 (noon). Spent Evg in office to bed 9 P.M.

19~6 Clear + very warm. Spent day chiefly in Court House and was engaged in morning and chief of afternoon in opposition to the application of <u>Caver Miller</u> for benefit of the insolvent laws. Paid for 4 Doz. Eggs 32 cts and handed my wife <u>25 Cts</u> for all +<u>c amt – 57 cts.</u> Spent Evg at office and to bed 9 ½ P.M.

20~7 Clear + Cloudy + Pleasant – Paid for marketing got by Mother C. 75 Cts. P^d Mr. William [GESSnawoalt?] agent on Harrisburg + Phil^a [car?] 25 Cts. For taking Bottles to Phil^a and bringing me from with [Wogson's?]Druggists corner 6th + Arch streets, Wayne Unit. Hemlock, Pres. of Dr. J T Sharpless +c +c. (v. Bill) and Pos 3. On newspapers – Amount 3 Items \$1.03- was in Court from 9 to 11 a.m. when Court adj^d till Monday next. Spent rest of day about house and office. The Marketing got to-day includes 2 lbs of

Butter got of Milleisens for 25 Cts and beef of Neues for 16 Cts. Spent even^g in office to bed 9 P.M.

 $21\sim1$ Clear + Pleasant – I was at home all day and to bed at 9 P.M.

22~2 Clear + Pleasant – warm rode from 7 ½ to 9 a.m. and called at Jacob Milleisen's with petition +c. for him and his wife to sign and left it there – he was out in field – he sent it to me by 10 a.m. Handed wife 25 Cts – paid for 3 Qts Blackberries 9 Cts [?] I on letter dropped in office from E.L. Baer Elizabethtown Aug 22, which with his letter of 13 inst. + answered Amt [New?] 35 Rec^d of Jacob Zearfass Fee \$2.50 + my colleague A. Ramsey like amt. For this morning addref-ing the Courting on his behalf now revoking his Tavern License for that appearance against his wishes. I thought it proper that the fee should be divided (rec. last week) Received of Wm Mitchell retaining Fee \$5.00 in suit No Aug. 7.'42, wrote to James D. Rea Hollidaysburg referring him to my letter 5th inst. spent day chiefly in Court house during sitting of Court M.S.C. son Cha^S + Self took a walk after tea – to bed at 9 ½ P.M.

23~3 Clear + Pleasant. rode on horseback 6 or 7 miles by 9 ½ a.m. – attended Funeral at 10 a.m. with my wife from her Grandmother Mrs. Hanna of Mrs. Rachael Gilmore wife of Sam¹ Gilmore Esqr of [Butter?] and daughter of the late Justice [Lod? or Cod?] Paid J.M. Ekels [?] to R.J. Rof at Hg Savg Instⁿ by C.K on s^d Instⁿ Bal. due said J.M. Ekel of money collected from A.J. Jones in suit – No 114 Nov. 7, 1840 in Dau. Com. Pleas, out of \$212.51 Rec^d of [?] in said suit – Dec 8/41 +1 awg 10/42 \$133.51 and Rec^d as

my Fees out said money Fee \$35 and further retained \$14 paid P.C. Sedgewick Clk of Sup. Court Dec 15/44 and May 4/42 as also \$30 to await further proceedings in cases of Ekel vs [Snevily?] No^S 54 + 55 Ap^l J'39 (v. copy of letter to Ekel May 20/42) said draft of Ekel is among my loose receipts. Paid M^cKinley + Leisure \$6.00 in full for two years subscription to The Keystone from Aug 24/40 to Aug 24/42 and directed it to be discontinued. Rec^d of Shff. Fose on Execution no 117 April 7. 1842 Rawn vs. Maglauchlin amt. Debt + Interest \$57..97 and [Allys?] entry and Legal Fee \$4..12 ½ This is the Bal. in full due on the original [Horstmann?] claim which I settled in full with Horstman Aug 26/40 up to which time it will appear I had \$200 in hand on said claim. = only \$42.79 of said \$57.97 is really debt + Int as there are included in latter amt \$15.18 [?] (v. Sep 21/41) so that in said proceeding the said \$42.79 is further Fee \$42.79 (v. Aug 26/40 for \$100 fee) Handed wife 12 ½ cts. pd for Dutch Pills 13 cts Amt 25 ½ Cts Recd letter from Edw^d L. Layres Phil^a Aug 22 with enclosure claim on Matthew Willson + paid pos. 25 Cts. (v. 13 inst) Took Bath at Mr. Lesley's at 12 noon. was at widow Cochran's on Walnut S. at 4 P.M. or later about her claim on Lyon. Spent evg in office + to bed 9 P.M.

24~4 Cloudy all day – some rain – coolish Paid for marketing got by Mother C 50 Cts including 2 bls of Butter of Milleisens for 25 and meat of Neuer also p^d for ½ Gal.

Brandy at John [?] to put on blackberries 75 Cts Amt 3 Items \$1.25. Dep in Hg Savg Inst.

\$57. rode on horseback from 10 ½ am till 12 noon 6 or 7 miles – wrote note to Matthew

Wilson present + kept copy on [?] of Mr. Sayres' claim +c. Mr. Wilson called on me at 4

p.m. or earlier, - spent day in my office except as above and a short time at [?] Office.

Wrote to Edw^d L. Sayres Esq. Phil^a in answer to his rec^d yesterday and on subject of Interview this afternoon with M. Wilson. Spent Evg in office and to bed 9 P.M.

25~5 Rain – wrote to Christopher Buck referring him to my letters of 15th ult. + inst. and that they reminded him he had not yet made to me the proper remittance for my services and expenses in his case against Lewis Miller also to H.E. Hiekok New Bloomfield pressing him to close Welsch business and in answer to his rec^d 20th ultimo. Attended for [Peff?] arbitration of James D. Rea v. Weaver Miller no 188 Aug 7. 1842 and p^d arbitrators \$4 Rec^d of Shff Fox on Exⁿ No 76 Aug 7, 1842 Rachael Cochran vs. Ab^m Lyons arbt^s pay +c \$4 which Jp^d over to Alex^r Ramsey Esqr. who says he is in place of W^m Cochran colleague with me in said suit (v. my Rep^t Book Explanation) also in same rec^d of same Atty^s [wit?] Legal Fee \$4 which I retain as the only pay I have rec^d in said case. Spent day Evg chiefly in office to bed 9 P.M.

<u>26~6</u> Clear + warmer – took Bath at Mr. Lesleys at 12 noon. Rec^d letter from B.B. Crawford Esq Chambersburg wrote to him in reply Wife + self wrote letter to Mr. T.R. Shunk Pittsburg. Handed my wife for oil +c. <u>50 Cts</u> Spent day and in evg went to services in Lecture Room of our <u>of our church where our daughter who is now 4 Mo 17</u> days old was Baptised by the Rev W^m R. DeWitt by the name of Mary Scott Clendenin. Mr Piper, Mr. Hinckley each had children baptised Mrs. Parsons had three. My Wife, her mother, sister, son Charles were there home at 9 and to Bed at 10 P.M.

27~7 Clear + Cloudy + very warm, p^d for marketing got by Mother C. <u>58 Cts</u> including 2 lbs of butter of Milleisens for 30, and beef of Neuer for 12 ½ - P^d Pos on newspaper <u>3</u>

Cts + Mrs. Hoffman [per?] my wife for 3 weeks Milk + Cream in full <u>75 Cts. amt 3 items</u>

\$1.36 - Spent day chiefly in my office – rode on horseback about 5 miles from 5 ½ to 6

½ or 7 P.M. spent ev^g at home and to bed 9 ½ P.M.

28~1 Clear + very warm - Rain in afternoon was at our church morg and afternoon.

Communion this morning. Rev. Mr. Berg of Phil^a preached there in afternoon. Spent Evg at home to bed 9 P.M.

29~2 Clear + Very warm – I spent day + Evg chiefly in office and at [Prof^d?] and Reg. offices rode on horseback 2 or 3 miles after tea by 7 P.M. Rec^d letter from <u>H.C. Hickock</u>

Esqr. Bloomfield Aug 26 p^d POS 10 in answer to mine of 25 inst – Spent Evg in office to bed 9 P.M.

31~4 Cloudy + warm – Paid for Marketing got by mother C. 74 Cts. including 2 lbs of butter of Milleisens for 30 Cts + beef of Neuer for 16 cts. paid for 1 lb crackers 9 Cts. + Martin (Ostter) 5 Cts amt items 88 Cts – Took ride on horseback 6 or 7 miles from 10 to 11 ½ A.M. Paid P.C. Ledgwick Clk of Sup Court \$4.50 Costs on receiving the record in Ekel vs. [Snerily?] for Com. Pleas again No 54 April 7, 1839 in said Com. Pleas. and rec^d of him at same time \$4.11 the Costs in Rawn vs. Ledgwick 158 April 7. 41 D.C Ples that is p^d him 39 Cts the diff. between said sums- Paid said Costs \$4.11 to [Prothr?] Wier

by his changing me with the same in my acct. wherein he is considerably in my debt (v. Rothry^s loose Rep^t for said Costs.) Martin (76's Ostter) took our Rolla out of town this even^g and shot him at our request. He got badly hurt some month since which had almost entirely disabled him – he was full of fleas which he would leave about the doors till the house is fairly beset by them. Poor Dog! It was with great reluctance I could bring myself to consent to his death. We have had him 8 or 9 Years. Spent afternoon + Ev^g principally at home and to be at 9 P.M.

Sept 1~5 Clear + Warm – Martin, Son Cha^S + self went out at 8 ½ a.m. to where they shot Rolla last even^g and buried him. I then took ride about 3 miles. Paid Martin 25 Cts home from ride at 11 A.M. spent rest of day chiefly in office – Rec^d letter from Ed^d L

Sayres Phil^a Aug 31" p^d Pos. 12 ½ Cts in answer to mine 24 net. Paid for sundries 22

Cts was at Mrs. Shunks at 8 P.M. ½ an hour with my wife – home 8 ½ + to bed 9 P.M.

2~6 Clear + very warm – p^d for alcohol 13 cts. – handed wife 6 cts. Mr. Bechtold deft. 167 Aug 7, 1842 in my office- wanted [stayol rx. ?] for 3 mos. in said suit – told him I would not agree to it but at his request agreed to write to them, ([plebz?]) which I have this day done to care of Gen^l R. Patterson Handed Martin (Ostter) 6 cts. Amt 3 items 25 Cts. At 4 P.M. wife, son Chas self rode about 1 ¼ miles from town in our Dearbourn to Mr. + Ms. Hoffmans where we got peaches and remained to tea + returned home at 7 P.M. spent even^g at home + to bed at 9 P.M.

3~7 Clear + Cloudy very warm – Rain at 5 P.M. Paid for marketing +c 77 ½ cts got by mother C. including 2 lbs butter of Milleisens for 37 ½ and Beef of Neuer 18 ¼ Paid for sundries 5 Cts – Amt 2 items 82 ½ Cts Rec^d letter from Wm A. Pierce Phil^a Sept. 2nd returning to me note handed him 17 ult + Pd Pos. 25 cts also from Jos. L. Lewis Jr Phil^a Sept 2nd on same subject in answer to mine of 17 ult and wrote to him in reply + kept copy. Spent Evg in my office and to bed at 9 P.M.

4~1 Cloudy + very warm − I took walk in morning from 10 ½ to 12 noon about 3 miles. my wife + self attended <u>Funeral</u> of Miss <u>Margaret McElwee</u> at 5 P.M. − I was not at Church today − Rev. Mr. Fairchild of Phil^a I am told preached there three times He also spoke at the Funeral. To bed 9 ½ P.M.

5~2 Cloud – Rain – <u>very</u> warm – clear in afternoon + Evg + Pleasant – Paid for Lamp oil 37 ½ Jesse McKeever (at present a teacher in one of our Public Schools in South Ward) called on me with regard to his becoming a Student of the law under me. It was agreed between us that he shall be considered as indebted to me a commencement – Fee of \$100 and another \$100 at the conclusion of his studies at the end of two years. That is \$100 a year with the express understanding however that \$100 is payable at his entry, is not paid, but is to be paid in a reasonable time when he may fine it convenient. He took the first Vol. of "Black. Com" with him and is to be considered as commencing to read (at his suggestion) on + from tomorrow morning – he is aged Spent day chiefly in my office – son Cha^S + Self took walk after tea to Water Basin spent even^g ab^t my office to bed 9 P.M. [following is written along the side on 5~2 entry] David W. Rawn witness present

6~3 Clear + Pleasant – I rode on horseback 5 or 6 miles after breakfast and before 9 A.

M. Handed wife 10 Cts. Rec^d letter from R. Patterson + Co. Phil^a Sept 5. + POS 12 ½ in reply to mine 2nd inst wrote on subject thereof to Bechtold + Shoemaker Palmyra P.O.

Lebanon Co. Took ride on horseback 6 or 8 miles from 5 to 6 ½ P.M. Spent Evg in office + to bed at 9 P.M.

7~4 Clear + Pleasant rode on horseback 5 or 6 miles in morning after breakfast by 10

A.M. + 8 or 9 m^s in Evg Between 5 ¼ + 7 P.M. Dep^d in the Hg Savg Instⁿ in Specie

Funds \$50 Rec^d credit at same place for Dividend \$9.00 on my 12 shares of stock (\$300) due 1 Nov '41 for 6 mos preceding which was not entered in my Bank Book at proper time. p^d for marketing got by Mother C. 69 Cts. P^d Dr. Emanuel L. Bear \$100 by Ck to his order on the Hg Savg Instⁿ on acct. in No 137 Nov. 7.'41 Bear +c vs. Dowding out of the \$150 rec^d of deft. 22 July + 8 Aug. last + retained on acct. the residue so rec^d as Fee \$50. (V. Recpt Book of further agreement for further fee contained in said receipt) B. Bordley Crawford Esqr of Chambersburg at office and got law Books. Spent Eveng in my office and to bed 10 P.M.

8~5 Clear + Pleasant – hot Sun, rode on horseback 8 or 9 Miles by 10 A.M. wrote letter to Thos R. Trimble Esqr [Estm^d?] Ches. Co. + Pd POS 10 Cts and wrote to them in reply (v. 11 ult.) also from John Abbott per, Tho. A. Wood Phil^a Sept 6 Spent afternoon and

evening chiefly in my office, Betsey Nathans in office about her son Geo- to bed 9 ½ P.M.

9~6 Clear + Cloudy + very warm. I was engaged in the Matter of a Habeus Corpus from 8 to 9 A.M. getting Geo. Nathan out of jail on bail- Paid for Beef 12 ½ got by Mother C. of Geo. Neuer. Rode on horseback from 4 ½ to 6 ½ P.M. 8 or 9 Miles – Spent Evg at home and in office + to bed 9 P.M.

10~7 Clear + Cloudy – Cooler – Pleasant. Paid for Marketing got by Mother C. 65 Cts including 2 lbs of Butter of Mrs. Milleisen for 40 cts Mutton of Neuer for 15 cts. + paid for ½ Bus potatoes 15 Cts. Newspaper POS. 3. for Cakes 3 – to Martin (Ostter) 6- for [tole?] in evg 5 Cts. Amt 6 Items 97 Cts. Rec^d letter from Jos. S. Lewis Jr. "Phil^a Sept 9" and p^d POS 25 Cts in answer to mine of 2nd inst and enclosing me bal. Fee \$15 my share in full on written agreement to J.M. Forster + Self in suit of Chritzman v. Lewis + Co No 94 April 7, 1841 D.C. pleas (v. Sept 2 1841 for \$10 fee in same suit) and delivered s^d written ag^t (per D.W. Rawn) to Mr. Forster agreeably to Mr. Lewis' letter rec^d 3rd inst. took ride, wife, Baby, son Charles + Self in Dearbourn from 4 ¼ to 5 ½ P.M. about 6 or 7 Miles up by Mr. [S.O.?] Hiesters and down Turnpike Spent Evg at home and in office + to bed 9 P.M.

11~1 Clear + very warm – wife, Son cha^S, + Self were at the Methodist church this ^{mg} and her [Mr. Lyerand?] preach a very fine sermon- at home rest of day + Evg to bed 9 P.M.

12~2 Clear + very warm – Spent day and Evg chiefly in my office – p^d to J. Saar Pollack for 4 tons Wilkes Barre coal del^d to me this day \$10 S^d coal is from an [ace?] load of about 61 tons that the man agreed to sell so cheap in consequence of Mr. Nagle, Pollack, Zollinger, + others, (Myself among them) agreeing to buy the whole load. (present A.M.R. Stowell of Tioga Co Pa (v. 20 May '41). Philip Newbecker + Mr. Rauch at Office. Mr. Newbecker dined with us. Rec^d of him \$1.50 for advertising his application for Sav. Li. in St. Cap. Gazette wife + Self at Espy's stone at 8 P.M. to see about getting butter. Spent Evg in office + to bed 9 P.M.

13~3 Cloudy – some Rain- Paid for 1 lb butter at Espy's Stone 18 ¾, by handing 25 cts. to my wife sundries, with change 6 ¼ wrote letter to Jn⁰ McFaden Pittsburg advising him of Court the 3rd Oct^r. next of Situation of his causes on list – that I do not think they can be reached and advise him to continue them at once. Also to Wm Boyd Churchtown Lancaster Co.Pa. + kept Copy, pd Faynton Brown cold man 62 ½ Cts for breaking and putting away the 4 tons of coal got yesterday. rode on horseback from 5 to 6 ¼ P.M. 7 or 8 Miles. Spent Evg in my office chiefly and to bed 9 P.M.

14~4 Cloudy – Coolish- p^d for marketing got by Mother C. 61 Cts. including beef of Neuer for 15 Cts and 2 lbs butter for 30 Cts p^d for 3 bus potatoes (3 Bushels) 70 Cts. for Peaches 9 cts (1/2 Peck for crackers, Paregonic + cakes 18 ½ + Jno [Orth?] for 1 Peck coarse Salt 18 ¾ and putting in 3 panes Glass 56 ¼ Cts Amt 5 Items \$2. 14 ½. Took ride

on horseback from 9 ¼ to 11 ¼ a.m. 10 or 12 miles spent rest of day chiefly in my office and Evg also and to bed at 9 P.M.

15~5 Rain + Cloudy all day – wrote note to Bennezer Hale (present) + kept Copy. rec^d letter from James D. Rea Hollidaysburg Sept 12/42 in answer to mine of the 5th of 22 Ult. enclosing me ten dollars (\$10). Rec^d out of s^d money \$4. p^d by me to [Arbs?] 25 last month in Rea V. Weaver [+ Miller?] No 18 8 Aug. 7 '42. also \$1 for writ +c in said case, and the remainder as Retaining Fee \$5.00 wrote to him in reply (v. Mem on back letter Rec^d) Paid for oil 37 ½ cts 12 t. alcohol 1 pt 12 ½ Sundries 2 amt 3 Items 52 cts Spent Evg in office + to bed 9 P.M.

16~6 Clear + Cloudy – coolish – Some fire in my office. Paid for Meat + c. 25 cts and to Martin Ostter for hauling dirt away 12 ½ cts. for [Rafers?] 3 amt 3 items 40 ½ cts. rode on horseback 4 or 5 miles from 5 or 6 P.M. Hon. Cha^S Brown here at 8 P.M. to bed 9 ¼ P.M.

17~7 Clear + Coolish. Paid for Marketing +c 75 got by Mother C. including Beef of Neuer for 18 ¾ and 2 lbs butter of Milleisens 37 ½ cts rode on horseback from 9 ½ to 10 ¾ a.m. 10 or 12 miles and in evening from 4 ½ to 6 P.M. with wife + Son Chas + Mrs.

Dan¹ Boas and her child 8 miles in carriage. Pd Martin Ostter 10 cts for Sundries 17 1/12

Cts Amt 3 items 1.02 ½ Spent evg about office and to bed 9 P.M.

18~1 Clear + Coolish − I walked 4 miles or more between 10 and 11 ¾ a.m. Spent day besides at home and evening also and to bed 9 P.M.

19~2 Clear + Coldish – Fire, comfortable rode 10 miles on horseback from 10 ½ a.m. to 12 ¼ P.M Dep^d in the Hg Savg Inst. \$15 Specie funds and also rec^d credit in my Book by same as of 17th inst for \$200 collected by s^d Instⁿ of H.M, Byard on his note to M. Wilson indoors to Mr. Edw^d L. Sayres for whom I have it in hand for collection. Wrote to Edw^d L. Sayres Phil^a on S^d subject + kept Copy Rec^d letter from John McFaden Pittsburg Sept 16. and paid POS 18 ¾ in reply to mine of 13 inst. spent Evg at home and in my office. Mr. Barrett a lawyer of the State of New York introduced to me at my office by Mr. Beisel of his place – to bed 9 P.M.

20~3 Clear + Pleasant – Paid Neuer for Beef got by Mother C. 12 ½ Cts. for Spice 15 Cts for Cakes 6 ¼ Cts. attended as atty for the heirs, shffs. Inquisition on estate of Geo.

Garman dec^d late of Susq^a TP Dau. Co. about 2 ½ miles from town – went out in morning at 9 a.m. and returned at 4 P.M. Paid for Cough prescription of J.T. Sharpless' at Wyeth 31 ¼ Cts (v. June amt 4 Items 65 Cts Spent Evg at home + to bed 9 P.M.

21~4 Clear + Cloudy + Coldish – <u>Fire</u>. necessary paid for Marketing to by Mother C. <u>75</u>

Cts. including beef of Neuer + butter 2 lbs of Milleisens for 37 ½ Paid for <u>nine dozen</u>

eggs 72 Cts. for sudries. Paid Al^r Buffington <u>40 Cts</u>. in full for weighing 4 tons anthracite

coal got 12th inst. (v. Recpt Book) and p^d Owen Mc[Cals?] for hauling said Coal \$1.00

(v. Recpt Book.) Rec^d of Harrison Barrett Esq. of Rochester NY (v. 19 inst) for Prof^l advice Fee \$2.50 in full very windy + Cold in afternoon- spent day and even^g chiefly in my office and to bed 9 P.M.

22~5 Clear. Cold. Windy – Rec^d letter from Edw^d S. Sayres "Phil^a Sept 21" p^d POS 12 ½ wrote to him in reply + kept Copy enclosing him \$190 (bal. of \$200 collected of Mr. Bayard after Retaining my Fee \$10.) in all of A.S. of Relief notes which letter enclosing said \$190 was put into P.O. at this place at 12 ¼ O'Clock P.M. this day as witness D.W. Rawn (see his certf. on Said Copy of my letter to Mr. Sayres) DREW CR on the Hg Sav Instⁿ for said \$190 and sent it just as I rec^d it and the same kind of money as they said paid in by Mr. Bayard walked 3 miles about 11 a.m. Spent afternoon and Evg at home + in office + to bed 9 P.M.

23~6 Clear + Cold – Big coats comfortable in morning till 10 or 11 a.m. Handed wife + p^d for Sundries 16 ½ Cts. p^d at Catrells for ½ [CWT?] wheat Flour 75 Cts. p^d Owen

McCabe 75 Cts in full for this day drawing me 3 tons 150 lbs ([?] weight) Lykens Valley egg Coal from J + P Martins. Geo. Nathan put it away 4320 lbs in the shed + 2550 lbs in the cellar and in small end of box in office. The coal I am to give \$3.75 per ton as I pay for delivering. Amt 13 Items \$1.66 ½ rode on horseback. 7 or 8 miles from 4 to 5 ½

P.M. Spent Evg in office and to bed at 9 P.M.

24~7 Clear + Pleasant – Coolish – <u>Fire necessary</u> – Rec^d letter from Sister <u>Juliann Rawn</u> and <u>Pd POS 12 ½ Cts</u>. POS . on papers <u>3 cts</u>. for sundries <u>5 Cts</u>. for Marketing <u>\$1.00</u> got

by Mother C. including 2 lbs of butter of Milleisens for 37 ½ and beef of Neuer for 38 Cts. Paid Mrs. Hoffman \$1.00 in full for 4 weeks milk and cream. Amt 4 Items \$2.09 rode on horseback 7 or 8 miles from 10 to 11 ½ a.m. and with wife + Children in my Dearbourn 8 or 9 miles from 3 to 5 ½ P.M. Spent evening at home and in office and to bed 9 P.M.

25~1 Clear + Pleasant – Cool- I walked 5 miles from 10 to 11 ³/₄ A.M. spent rest of day and evening at home and to bed at 9 P.M.

26~2 Clear + Pleasant. Cool. rode on horseback from 10 a.m. to 12 ¼ P.M. 9 or 10 miles – Rec^d letter from H.C. Hickock Esqr. "Bloomfield Sept 24" and pd POS. 10 paid for 4 lbs Falling Loop Sugar 50 cts at Jno. Orths got by my wife for preserving Quinces this day. Paid for crackers 5 Cts same place Amt 2 Items 55 Cts [Following is written above the next sentence and along sides of 26~2 text] Last day of getting Ice, Ice, Ice. Ice Ice. Spent afternoon + Evg Chiefly in my office + to bed 9 P.M.

27~3 Clear + Pleasant. Rode on horseback 10 or 12 miles from 9 ½ to 11 ¾ a.m. rec^d letter from Jno Fesler Duncans Island Sep 26" + wrote in reply attended Funeral of F.A.

Stine at 4 P.M. and listened to discourse from Rev. Mr. Synbrand in Methodist church on subject – Rec^d letter from P. Frazer Smith "West Chester Sept 26" spent evening in my office "Odd Fellows" at Funeral today – To bed at 9 P.M.

28~4 Clear + warm -p^d for marketing 73 Cts. got by Mother C. including 2 lbs butter of Milleisens, for 37 ½ + 3 dozen Eggs 25. (v. 21. inst.) p^d for ½ Bus. Rambo apples 31 Cts. + for 32 ts newborn meal. 9 Cts. Amt 3 Items \$1.13 rode on horseback from 9 ½ to 11 a.m. 5 or 6 miles. Met Board School. Dr. 2 P.M. Herman Shuks Esqr + myself visited Mips Allens (Public School) at 4 P.M. Rec^d of H.C. Hickock Esqr \$82.72 Bal: of M.Clure + Abbott claim on note against Wilson Welch (v. ante 21 July + Copy of Recp^t given by me to Mr. H. for said money among loose Recepts). also rec^d of same in reference to same collection one of two Atty's Legal Fees \$3.00, wrote to Jno Abbott assignee of M^C + A. Phil^a + kept copy. Rec^d letter from Kromer + Flenner "Phil^a Sept 27" p^d POS 12 ½ wrote in reply + kept Copy. This in reply to mine 8 inst. Rec^d letter from Wm Boyd "Spring Grove Sept. 26" p^d POS 10 Cts. in reply to mine of 13 inst. – Mr. [Foland? or Toland?] of Phil^a called on us today. Spent Evg in office + to bed 9 P.M.

29~5 Clear + Pleasant – warm, Spent day chiefly in my office and evening also, was at SecY of Comwlth office on P. Frazer Smith Business (v. his letter rec^d 27 inst) to bed 9 P.M.

30~6 Cloudy – Rain early in morning till near 7 a.m.- Clear + Pleasant rest of day p^d for Meat +c 25 Cts. for Sundries, + newspaper POS 10 cts. Amt 35 Cts. – Rec^d of John Philips for the heirs of Ja^s Trimble dec^d \$20 being the 2rs. Rent from October 1/42 to Jan. 1/43 – Paid Christ^r F.Haehnlen \$25 on acct for keeping my horse (v. his bill Recpt

Book) Herman Shicks. Esqr + Myself as a Com^{ee} from B^d School. Dr^s. S.W. this morning examined <u>Aunt Harriet Thompson Margaret Hays + Elizth Ewing</u>, applicants for one of Public Schools, at their respective homes from 8 ½ a.m. to about 10 a.m. my wife, son Mrs. Margaret [Bass? or Boas?] + Self took ride in our carriage from 3 to 5 P.M. 8 or 9 miles paid for 14 lbs <u>Wheat Flour 37 ½ Cts</u> a HM Catrells spent Ev^g in office and to bed 9 P.M.

Oct^r 1~7 Clear + Pleasant – pd for Marketing got by Mother C. 50 Cts including meat of Neuer and 2 lbs butter for 37 ½ Cts – pd Martin +c 7 cts. paid Saml Ressing \$2..15 in full for corn, tomatoes, +c bought of him and rec^d of him. Fee \$5 in suits 97 Aug. 7. 1840 and its connections. that is today rec^d of him the diff. between said bill of ee. amt 3 items \$2.72. Deposited in the Hg Savg Inst. \$67. Rec^d of Adam Brightbill for W^m Boyd \$59 on a/c of Rent for year from April. 1/42 to April 1/43 – Rec^d. of Conrad 1 Maltzried for the heirs of Ja^S Trimble dec^d \$10. being 2rs Rent due by him to this day. P^d him at same time \$1.75. in full (v. Bill + Receipt) for Mending shoes + boots for my family. Rec^d letter from Edw^d L. Sayres "Phil^a Sept 30" + p^d POS 12½ in reply to mine of \$22 Ult. sending him \$190 paid Jacob Bogar for 1 B. Bl wheat Flour del^d this day \$4.50 (v. 4 Augt) mother C. wife, Son Cha^S. + Self took ride from 3 ½ to 5 ½ P.M in my Dearbourn 8 or 9 Miles. Met the Board of Schools Director S.W. at 8 a.m. during which session the elected Ann + Harriet Thompson teachers by the school to be vacated by Miss Allen. Attended at M^o. Davis Esqr in Suit against him by Cline and others. Spent evening in office and to bed 9 P.M.

<u>2~1</u> Clear + Pleasant – I went to church with wife + Son Cha^S but there being <u>no fire</u> I left and walked 2 or 3 miles. <u>Col Rich^d M. Johnson</u> in Mr. DeWitt's church attended by Gov. Porter. He came to town last night and is on his way to Danville to attend Celebration of [Ang?] of Battle Thames Spent day + Evg chiefly at home + to bed 9 P.M.

3~2 Clear + Pleasant – Coolish. paid for beef got of Neuer by Mother C. 28 Cts. Old Mr. Schaeffer for sawing + splitting wood 25 Cts. for 12 l. Lump Oil 37 ½ for Sundries 3 cts + Matty for washing 37 ½ Amt 5 Items \$1.31 Rec^d of Simon Wertz Fee \$1.00 for prof^l advice, some little parade with Rich^d M. Johnson rather small. Two volunteer companies, moved through town in advance of a carriage drawn by four white horses [untain?] Gov. Porter. Col. Johnson. Judge Blythe and another went to Capitol where Judge B. addref the Col. who replied. I called to see him at his room at Prince's Hotel at 7 ½ P.M. [Soj^d?] Court Com. Pleas Com^d t his day spent day partly in Court. partly at Cap. hearing speeches + in office – to bed at 9 ½ P.M.

4~3 Clear + Pleasant. Paid at Elder Espy's stone for 1 lb Butter 20 Cts. Paid J + P Martin \$11.50 in full, for 3 tons 150 lbs Lykens Valley Egg Coal got 23 ult. (v. Recp^t Book) rode on horseback 8 miles from 11 ¼ a.m. to 12 ¾ a.m. Rec^d letter of Introduction of Francis Bournos surgeon Dentist from W.B. Hieskel Esqr. Phil^a Aug 26 by hands Mr. Burnos. spent evening at home Mr. Henry Petriken and Elizth Shunk passing Evg with us. To bed 10 P.M.

5~4 Clear + Pleasant. Paid for Market 62 Cts. got by Mother C. + Self. rode on horseback from 9 ½ to 11 a.m. 9 or 10 miles. and from 3 ½ to 5 ¼ PM. wife + her sister mary, son Cha^S + Self rode 8 miles or more in Dearbourn. Paid for Cakes 8 Cts and to Martin Ostter 6 ¼ and at Grofs' for Mixture pres of Dr. Sharpless 31 ¼ cts. amt. 4 Items \$1.07 ½ Spent Evg at home and to bed 9 P.M.

6~5 Clear + Pleasant – Coolish. Rec^d of Geo. Ely \$3.00 on ap of 2rs Rent due 1st inst. for heirs Ja^S Trimble dec^d (v. 12 July last.)- Rec^d of Lewis Mascton Fee \$10. for Prof^l advice and com^g Suit No. 77 Nov. 7. next for him + his partners W^m Moore v. J^{no} Slaughter. Replevin for a drive 224 head of cattle. Valued at \$3696. I attended shff's sale of Stephen Millers property from 10 a.m. to 12 ½ P.M. on Exⁿ in fav. of my Client Ja^S D. Rea (v. 15 Ultimo) rode on horseback from 3 ½ to 5 ½ P.M. 12 or 13 miles. Mr. Lewis Maxton above named + Mr. Gushin my office at 7 ½ P.M. to bed 9 P.M.

7~6 Clear + Pleasant. Handed wife + paid for Hive Syrup 22 ½ Cts. Lent Jno. G. Jaurs \$55.00 Cv. his note payable in 10 Days) for which I gave him a ck. on the Hg Savg Instⁿ payable to his order. Wrote to Jno Abbott ap^{ee} of McClure + Abbott. Phil^a + kept copy. rode on horseback from 4 to 5 ¾ P.M. 8 or 9 miles. Spent evening in my office and to bed 9 P.M. Received of Mary Scott Clendenin \$32.85 in full for 13 weeks and 10 days boarding from 1 July last to 1 Oct inst at \$2 ½ per week.

8~7 Clear + Pleasant. Paid for marketing got by mother C. self 70 ½ Cts. including 2 lbs butter for 30 cts. and meat of Neues for 28 cts. paid for cutting my hair 12 ½ Cts. Amt 27 v.. 83 Paid Dr. Rutherford (W^m W) \$10 on acct. for Medicine and attendance in my family Rec^d of Mary S. Clendenin \$1.75 advanced by me for a pair of boots for her in Phil^a 2nd June last. I escorted Mr. Bournos (v. 4 inst.) to Capitol +c. at 3 ½ P.M. We returned to my hose at 5 P.M. he spent even^g took tea with us and remained till 9 P.M. Mr. Jno. T. Adams also spent evening from 8 to 9 P.M. To bed 10 P.M.

9~1 Clear + Pleasant. Mr. Bournos went to church with wife + self but I came away before service commenced as they had not fire. Spent day at home – was at Mr. F. R. Shunk's a few minutes about 6 ½ P.M. then home and to bed 9 P.M.

10~2 Clear + Pleasant. I was engaged for E.M. Pollock [dept?] in suit before John Darrier Esqr by P. Cline for Boyer + others from 10 ½ a.m. to 12 ½ P.M. was engaged before [anbt9?] from 2 to 3 P.M. in Comth +c in Ellis etal no31 Nov 7. 1842. Paid Matty for washing 37 ½ for 1 Qt. Lamp oil 37 ½ Cts. and Sweeps for Sweeping kitchen chimney and one above it 31 ¼ Cts Amt 3 Items \$1.06 ¼. rode on horseback from 4 to 5 P.M.6 miles. Spent Even9 in my office and to bed at 9 ½ P.M.

11~3 Clear + Pleasant – was engaged at Esqr. Davis in same [ilicit?] as yesterday from 9 to 11 ½ a.m. paid Matthias Schiffler for 5 Bushels Potatoes \$1.25 – p^d Grinding scissors + carving knife 8 ½ Cts. Paid Martin Ostter 4 Cts. and [lole? or Fole?] on way from A.O. Hiesters to town 5 Cts. Amt 3 Items 17 ½ Cts. Wife, Son Cha^S, Mrs. Jno C. Sims + Self

took side at 3 ¼ P.M. to A.O. Hiesters, 3 ½ or 4 miles up the River took tea and returned home by 6 P.M. Spent Evg chiefly in my office and to bed at 9 ½ P.M.

12~4 Clear + Pleasant. p^d for marketing got by Mor. C. and Self viz 50 Cts for butter +c. beef + sausage of Neuer 20 Cts. Meal 20 ½. Potatoes 10 ½ Cts. of [?] Amt 4 Items \$1.03. Spent day chiefly in office, rode on horseback from 3 ½ or 4 to 5 P.M. 6 or 7 miles. Mr. Peacock, Mrs. Shunk + Mary Peacock took tea with us. To bed at 10 P.M.

13~5 Clear + Pleasant – Ad. Arg^t Court all day – rode on horseback 8 or 9 miles from 3 ³/₄ to 5 ¹/₂ P.M. F.R. Shunk took tea with us and spent Evening till 9 ¹/₄ P.M. to bed at 10 P.M.

14~6 Clear + Cloudy – Rain in evening from 5 P.M. on. I was in Court all day- Spent Evg. at home in office, to bed at 9 ½ P.M.

Names Mentioned

Abbott, John – Corresponds w/Rawn re: Thomas Woods

Adams, Miss

Adams, Jonathan T. – Friend

Allen, Miss – Teacher

Baer, E. L. – Corresponds w/Rawn

Barrett, Harrison Esq. – Attorney from N.Y. (Rawn gives advice)

Bear, Emanuel L. Dr. – Client

Bechtold, Mr.

Beisel, Mr.

Bender, Mickl – Builder

Berg, Rev. – Minister at Rawn's church

Blythe, Judge – At Capitol when Rawn addresses Col. Johnson

Bogar, Jacob – Sells wheat flour to Rawn

Bournos, Francis – Dentist, Oral Surgeon

Boyd, William – From Churchtown, Lancaster Co.; writes to Rawn

Boyers, Samuel – Client

Brewer, Thomas

Brightbill, Adam – delivers William Boyd's rent

Brown, Faynton – black man, breaks coal for Rawn

Brown, Charles Hon. - Visits Rawn's home

Buck, Christian – Shoemaker

Buck, Christopher – Owes Rawn for Miller case

Buffington, Alexander – Rawn pays him for weighing coal

Byard, H. M.

Cameron, General – Prominent Harrisburg citizen who becomes govenor

Carson, Charles – Travels to Middletown with Rawn

Catrells, H. M. –

Clarkson, J. G. – Corresponds with Rawn about cases

Clendenin, Mary Scott – Sister-in-law

Clendenin, Mother C. – Mother-in-law

Cochran, Rachael – Widow, involved in Cochran vs. Lyons suit

Cochran, William

Crawford, B. Bordley Esq. – Corresponds w/ Rawn about Garlin v. McCormick

Daniel, Mrs. – Rides in carriage w/ Rawn

Darrier, John – In suit against Rawn, Pollack v. Cline

Davis, M.O. – Rawn attends his trial

DeWitt, William R. – Presbyterian, baptised Rawn's daughter

Dougherty, Mr. – Works in Bar Office

Dowding, John – Client, case No. 137

Ehel or Ekel – J. M. Rawn pays him at Hbg Savings Instn, Jones suit

Elder, Joshua

Ely, George – Client, pays Rawn rent on Trimble property

Ewing, Elizabeth - teacher nominee

Fairchild, Rev.

Fesler, Jonathan – Duncan's Island, corresponds w/ Rawn

Findlay, J.K. – friend, brother of Governor William Findlay

Forster, J.M. – attorney general for Dauphin & Lebanon Counties

Fose or Fox – Sheriff, works in court

Garman, Mrs. – Client

Garman, George – Client, deceased

Garman, Jacob – Client

Gartin or Garlin

Gilmore, Rachael Mrs. - died, Rawn attends her funeral

Gilmore, Samuel – Rachael Gilmore's husband

Gratz, Theo. - Client

Greenawatt, William – Agent in Phila. Takes Rawn's med bottles to Phila

Grimshaw, Harriet – Friend, takes ride with Rawn in Dearbourn

Grimshaw, William – Attorney for Elizah Mitchell

Grop or Groff, D.W. – Storekeeper

Gunton, Jonathan – Sells Rawn tomatoes

Gushin, Mr. – Visits Rawn's office

Haehnlen, Christopher – Keeps horse for Rawn

Hain, George

Hale, Bennezer - Corresponds w/ Rawn

Hamilton, A.B. - Friend, Printer & Editor of Harrisburg Chronicle

Hanna, Mrs. – Wife's grandmother

Harper, J. W. – Witness for Rawn, case No. 79

Hays, W.P. – Sexton, buries Rawn's son Joseph

Hays, Margaret – Teacher nominee

Hedges, Edward - From Phila, sells Rawn Venetian Blinds for his office

Hickock, H.C. – New Bloomfield, colleague

Hieskel, W.B. – Esq.

Hiesters, S.O., or A.O. – Rawn rides to his house

Hinckley, Mr.

Hoerner, Jacob – Rawn pays him witness fees

Hoffmann, Mrs. – Sells Rawn milk & cream

Hoffmann, John – Serves subpoenas for Rawn

Holden, Mr. – Proprietor of State Courier

Hoover, Henry – Rawn pays him witness fees, farmer

Horstman? – Listed in claim of 1840

Houser, John – Possibly a carpenter, soldier in Civil War

Huddleson, Mo. Dr. – Works in Senate

Jaurs, Jonathan G. – Lends him money

Jefferis, James Mrs. – Blacksmith

Johnson, Richard – Colonel in DeWitt's church with Governor Porter

Jones, A.J.

Kneply, John - Tenant on Trimble property

Laying or Saying, George – Provides Rawn w/ paper books

Ledgwick, P.C. – Works in Supreme Court

Leslie or Lesley, Mr. – Friend, often takes a bath at their home

Leslie or Lesley Mrs.

Lewis, Joseph L. – corresponds w/ Rawn

Lynd Jr., James – Client, deceased

Lyons, Abm.

Maltzried, Conrad – Delivers Jas. Trimble's late rent

Martin, J. P., - Hauls sugar from Phila for Rawn, also hauls coal

Mascton or Maxton, Lewis – Client, Rawn provides him with Professional Advice

Mason, Richard – Black man, visits Rawn, buys a lot in Highspire

Matty - Laundry woman for Rawn

McCals or McCabe, Owen – Hauls coal for Rawn

McClure, William – Files claim against Welsch, has office on 4th & Market

McCormick?

McElwee, Margaret – Dies, Rawn attends her funeral

McFaden, Jonathan – Pittsburg

McKeever, Jesse – Law student under Rawn

Meirly, William – Client

Milleisen, Mrs. – Butter-maker

Milleisen, Jacob

Miller, Louis or Lewis – opposing party in Buck vs. Miller

Miller, Caver – Rawn on opposing side, insolvent law suit

Miller, Weaver – James Rea vs. Miller

Miller, Stephen – Rawn attends sheriff's sale of his property

Mitchell, Elizah

Mitchell, William – Receives retaining order

Moore, William – In suit against Jonathan Slaughter

Musser, B.W. Esq. – Asks for papers on Samuel Boyers

Nagle, Mrs. – Friend

Nagle, Mr. – Friend, buys coal with Rawn, owns Union Hotel

Nathans, George – Client, in prison, later puts coal away for Rawn

Nathans, Betsey – George Nathan's mother, washed and baked for Rawn

Neuer, George – Sells beef to Rawn

Newbecker, Philip – Visits Rawn, has dinner w/ Rawn family, from Halifax, VA

Norton, Rev. Mr. - Minister at Rawn's church

Orth, Jonathan

Ostter, Martin - Hired Hand

Parke, B. – Client

Parsons, William - Client

Parsons, Mrs. – Has 3 children baptised w/ Rawn's daughter

Patterson, R. General

Peacock, James Mrs. - Friend, rides horseback w/ Rawn

Peacock, Mr. – Friend, Postmaster

Peacock, Mary – Friend

Petriken, Henry - Friend

Philips, Mo or Jno – Client, tenant on one of Trimble's properties

Pierce or Pierre, William A. - Newspaper agent

Pilkingson, J. – Corresponds w/ Rawn

Piper, Mr.

Pollack, J.Saar – Rawn pays him for Wilkes Barre coal

Porter, Gov. – Attends church w/ Col. Richard Johnson

Ramsey, Alexander Esq. - Colleague, works on Zearfass case

Rauch, Mr. - Visits Rawn

Rawn, Charles - Son

Rawn, ? - "Wife"

Rawn, David W. - Sells wheat flour to Rawn, Delaware County

Rawn, "Mother"

Rawn, Joseph – Son

Rawn, Daughter

Rawn, Juliann – Rawn's sister, Thornbury, Delaware County

Rea, J.W. – Hollidaysburg, corresponds w/ Rawn about cases

Reitzel,? – Client

Ressing, Samuel – Sells corn, tomatoes, etc. to Rawn

Reynolds, Major – Canal Committee Member

Riegels, Simon

Roberts, Jonathan – Colleague

Roberts, Wd – Sells Rawn a plum tree

Rofs, R.J. – Suit w/ Ekels

Russell, N.W. Capt. - Friend, delivers letter to Rawn of Rea case

Rutherford, Dr.

Sayres, Edward S. Esq. – Corresponds w/ Rawn about Matthew Wilson case

Schaeffer, Rev. Mr. – of Lutheran Church

Schaeffer, Old Mr.

Schiffler, Matthias – Sells potatoes to Rawn

Sedgewick, P.C. – Clerk of Supreme Court

Sehlatter, Mr. – Friend

Seiler, Esq. – Justice of the Peace

Sharpless, Dr. - Phila. Rawn's personal Doctor

Sheirly, Ma – Suit w/ W.D. Roberts

Shuks, Herman Esq. – Visits Mips Allen School w/ Rawn

Shunk, Jane Mrs. – Joined Rawn's church, friend

Shunk, T.R. Mr. – Friend & mentor

Shunk, Elizabeth – Friend

Slaughter, Jonathan - In suit against William Moore

Smith, Philip – Sells eggs to Rawn

Smith, P. Frazer – Corresponds w/ Rawn

Stine, F.A. – Dies, Rawn attends his funeral

Stoughton, A.B. – Friend

Synbrand, Rev. Mr. – Rawn goes to Methodist Church to hear him speak

Thomas, Brandon – Barber

Thompson, Ann – Teacher nominee

Thompson, Harriet – Teacher nominee

Trimble, J.W. – Client

Trimble, Thomas R. Esq. - Chester Co., "Trimble heirs" own several properties

Updegrave, Richard – Client

Walborn, ? – Unknown

Wallace, William – In law suit w/ State Capital Gazette

Warfords, Mr. – Friend, Rawn visits him w/ his son

Welsch, William

Wertz, Simon – Rawn gives him professional advice

Wilson, Matthew – In suit, correspondence w/ Sayres about him

Wood, Thomas A. – Receives letter from John Abbott about him

Zearfass, Jacob – Client, prosecuted for "Disorderly House," acquitted

Zollinger, ? – buys coal w/ Rawn

Financial Records

JULY			
Amount	Person (s)	Day	Reason
0.125	Martin Ostter	11	?
1	B. Parke	12	for proving that Wlm Meirly owes R. \$627.25
1.25	D.W. Grop	12	thermometer
	Felix's	13	crackers & sundries
6	D.W. Rawn	14	1 Bl wheat flour
12	Mary Scott Clendenin	14	household purposes
0.125	Brandon Thomas	15	hair cut
0.625	Brandon Thomas	15	liquorice
0.55	?	16	marketing
0.5	Martin Ostter	16	
1.0625	?	16	ice tool
4.12	Mary Scott Clendenin	18	interest on her bond
	W.P. Hays	18	digging son Joseph's grave
	Mrs. Milleisen		balance for butter
0.15	?	20	marketing
0.625	Martin Ostter	20	<u> </u>
0.125	?	20	Alcohol
0.3375	?	20	3 items
0.5	Edward Hedges	20	Venetian blind freight charge
0.105	?		POS for Hickock letter
0.805	J.W. Harper	21	Witness fee
	Martin Ostter	22	?
0.3	Mrs. Milleisen	23	Butter
0.37	?	23	other marketing
0.5	?	23	Lamp oil & hickory broom
0.3	?	23	papers
0.75	to wife		to pay for milk and cream
50	William Grimshaw		Elijah Mitchell case
0.3	Mrs. Milleisen	27	Butter
0.2		27	other marketing
0.1	wife		?
0.625	Martin Ostter	27	?
0.3125			?
0.625		27	liquorice
10	Dr. J.T. Sharpless	27	for services
	J.P. Martin		freight & drayage of sugar
0.1875	?		POS letter from Jno McFaden
0.3125	Philip Smith	29	eggs
	William A. Pierce		for collecting papers on Hbg Savings Instn
0.125	?		POS
0.25	?	29	POS
0.25	Mrs. Milleisen	30	Butter

0.25	?	30	other marketing
135.375			
AUGUST			
0.125	Martin Ostter	1	?
0.16	?	1	toll on road to Middletown
0.1	Kendy's Tavern,	1	Lemonade
	Middletown		
0.2			Cakes for Charles in Middletown
	Mr. Carson	1	Taxes & Costs on lots 177, 178, 223, 266
	Mr. Carson	1	Taxes & Costs on lots 161, 162
	Jas Jefferis		Shoeing
	Mrs. Milleisen	3	Butter 2 lbs.
0.45		3	Other Marketing
0.5	Martin Ostter	3	?
0.125	Wyeth's	3	For alcohol
0.125		3	POS letter from Dr. Sharpless
5.75	Jacob Bogar	4	1 B bl wheat flour
0.3	Mrs. Milleisen	6	2 lbs. Butter
0.325	?	6	Other Marketing
0.375	?	6	oil
0.5	Mrs. Hoffman	6	2 weeks milks & cream
0.3	?	6	postage for papers
0.9	?	6	blacking
43.75	Henlock & Bratton		advertising & printing paper
0.3125	Wyeth's	8	mixture: prescription from Dr. Sharpless
0.625	Grof's	8	liquorice
0.125	Martin Ostter	9	?
0.125	Grof's	9	Blue Pills
0.25	Mrs. Milleisen	10	2 lbs. Butter
0.47	?	10	Other Marketing
0.125	?		POS on letter from Kromer vs. Flenner
1	Wd Roberts	12	Plum tree & proof against Sheirly
0.25	Mrs. Milleisen		Butter
	Neuer	13	Mutton
0.3			Other Marketing
	Jno Gunton		Basket of tomatoes
	John Hoffman		for Serving subpoenas
0.3725			quart of lamp oil
	Mrs. Milleisen		butter
	Neuer		Beef
0.24			Other Marketing
	Wyeth's Drugstore		Medicine
0.68			Other Marketing
	Jacob Hoerner		Witness fees
0.32			4 dozen eggs
	to wife		?
0.25			Other Marketing
0.75	•		for taking bottles to Phila. Druggist

0.78 ?	20	n I	newspapers
0.25 to wife		2	
0.9 ?			3 Qts. Blackberries
			subscription to the Keystone
0.125 to wife	e 2.	_	?
0.123 to with		-	Dutch Pills
0.15 ?			POS on letter from from Layres
0.25 Mrs. N			Butter
0.25 Neuer			Beef
0.25 Neuer 0.75 ?			1/2 Gallon Brandy
4 ?	2:		to arbitrators Rea vs. Miller
0.5 to wife			oil and etc.
0.3 Mrs. N		_	butter
0.125 Neuer			?
0.125 Neuer 0.25 ?			Other Marketing
0.23 ?			POS on newspapers
0.75 Mrs. H			Milk and cream
0.73 Mis. F			POS on letter from HC Hickock
0.1 7			butter
0.3 Miller 0.16 Neuer		_	
0.16 Neuer 0.28 ?			beef Other Madestin
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4.5 P.C. L			Cost for receiving record Ekel v. Snerily
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0.25 Martir			Burying Rolla
0.125 ?	1		POS letter Edward Sayres
0.22 ?	1	_	Sundries
0.13 ?	2		alcohol
0.6 to wife			?
0.6 Martir			?
0.375 Millei			2 lbs. Butter
0.1825 Neuer			Beef
0.2175 ?	3		Other Marketing
0.25 ?	3		POS letter Wm Pierce
0.375 ?	5		lamp oil
0.1 to wife			?
0.1225 ?	6		POS R. Patterson
0.69 ?	7		for marketing
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0.1 ?	8	_	POS Thos. Trimble letter
0.12-12-)	beef
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0.25 ?		POS letter from Jos. S. Lewis
10 J. Saar Pollack		4 tons coal
0.1875 Espy's Stone	13	1 lb butter
0.25 to wife	13	Sundries
0.625 Faynton Brown		black man - for putting coal away
0.15 Neuer		beef
0.3 ?	14	butter
0.7 ?	14	3 bushels potatoes
0.9 ?		peaches
0.1825 ?		paregonic & cakes
0.1875 Jno Orth		1 peck coarse salt
0.5625 Jno Orth	14	3 panels of glass
0.375 ?		oil
0.125 ?	15	alcohol
0.2 ?	15	sundries
0.25 ?	16	meat
0.125 Martin Ostter	16	hauling dirt
0.1875 Neuer	17	beef
0.375 Mrs. Milleisen	17	2 lbs butter
0.1875 ?	17	Other Marketing
0.1 Martin Ostter	17	?
0.175 ?	17	Sundries
0.1875 ?	19	POS letter John McFaden
0.125 Neuer	20	beef
0.15 ?	20	spice
0.625 ?	20	cakes
0.75 ?	21	marketing
0.72 ?	21	9 dozen eggs
1 Owen McCabe	21	for hauling coal
0.125 ?	22	POS letter Edward Sayres
0.1625 to wife	23	for sundries
0.75 Catrells		wheat flour
0.75 Owen McCabe	23	drawing 3 tons coal, putting it away
0.125 ?		POS letter Juliann Rawn
0.3 ?	24	papers
0.5 ?	24	sundries
0.375 Mrs. Milleisen		2 lbs butter
0.38 Neuer	24	beef
0.25 ?		Other Marketing
1 Mrs.Hoffman		4 weeks of milk & cream
0.1 ?	26	POS HC Hickock letter
0.5 ?	26	4 lbs Falling Loop Sugar
0.5 Orth's	26	crackers
0.375 Mrs. Milleisen	28	2 lbs butter
0.25 ?	28	3 dozen eggs
0.31 ?	28	apples
0.9 ?	28	newborn meal

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