

17 March - More mild today, but hard Frost last Night, - went to Town returned to Dinner ~

W. Lux came & staid all Night ~

18th Very fine day, and the first which has any appearance of Spring, being the most backward Season I recollect, & nothing like Vegetation as yet ~

Went to Town returned to Dinner ~

Mrs Peters, Beckey & Anne came in the evening & Drank Tea ~

Finished a trench for Planting Thorn Hedge in front of the House ~

19 - Fine Spring day, Wind South ~

Went to Town, returned to Dinner ~

Sow'd Grass Seed on Lawn taken from the Hay Loft ~

Mr Wichlehausen & In.^o Howard rode out in the ev.^g, staid half an Hour ~

20th March - Sunday - Fine cool day -

Wind about 10 A.M. fresh at N. W.

Mrs J. and three children went to Town, to stay a few days at Mr Wigmans.

Edw. & Jo. Patterson call'd in the forenoon, after which I rode to the Meadows and Fenley, where I din'd, in the ev.^g John Danwyck, Wm Sterrett & Alex.^m Stewart rode out & sat half an Hour ~

Great many Wild Pigeons flying ~

21st Cold hazy morning, Wind East ~

Went to Town returned to Dinner ~

Commenced Snowing at 2 O'clock and continued without intermission all the afternoon & very cold ~

22 - Ground cover'd with Snow this morning but disappear'd by 12 O'clock, went to Town, returned to Dinner ~

Wind very high at N. W. & cold ~

Mrs J. & Children in Town ~