1820 Easter
April 2 Sunday — To my great surprise the ground is covered with Snow, which continues falling, Wind N.E. & cold —
At home all day no company, have now nine Children with us all well.
Continued Snowing all day without ceasing, it is on an average 6 inches deep and Freezing, which is truly surprising at this season of the year —
Sowed Oats yesterday in the Orchard, the Apricot Trees in full blossom —
3 — **Easter Monday.** — altho' our early Fruit Trees are in blossom, we have a severe Frost, and the ground covered with Snow 5 or 6 Inches deep, which is truly surprising at this advanced Season —
Went to Town, dined at Mr Riggins, being the anniversary wedding day of Mr & Mrs Travers, a pleasant party —
4 — Very hard Frost last night, the Ice on our Water Tubs is 1 Inch thick,

the Fruit must be all destroyed. —
Went to Town, dined in Count.y House —
Mild day but cold again in the evening
5 — Cool, cloudy and disagreeable — So —
Went to Town, dined in Count.y House. —
6 — Rain in the night, but cleared up before day light with N.W. Wind, and cold —
Went to Town, dined in Count.y House —
7 — Cloudy, raw morning — Wind S.E. — commenced raining at 10 O'Clock & continued until 3 P.M., afterwards mild —
Went to Town & returned to Dinner at Mr Nicols, Hal also with me —
8 Beautiful mild morning, but chang'd at 12 O'Clock, cold & cloudy; Rain'd from 3 to 6 P.M.
To my agreeable surprise, Mr Jno Dornell invited me to dinner to day at 12 O'Clock, which I accepted, and found a very pleasant party & himself truly polite and attentive to his visitors — N.E. —
Cold & raw evening, light rain —