July 27 - Hot and sultry day — S.E.
Went to Town returned to dinner, at three
O'Clock a very heavy Rain for an hour, over-
-flowed Heving Run with much injury to
our Road and the Meadows
28 Continues very Hot and calm — S.E.
Went to Town returned to dinner, Henry
left us to go in the Steam Boat for
New York & thence East on a Survey
with Major Kearney Topographical Engr.
29 Sunday, Remarkably hot & calm day,
Jas. Gittings came to breakfast, went
to Town with John & returned to dinner,
in the evg. Mr. Meany & Jno. Thomas rode
out and staid Tea
30 - Very hot and sultry - Ther. 90 - N.W.
Went to Town, returned to dinner, finished
sowing buck wheat at Fromentines
31 - Hot weather continues - Ther. 90 - No.
Went to Town returned to dinner
Hoeing Ruta-baga in Orchard first time.

August 1st - Hot weather encreases - Ther. 91
and nevertheless the Wind continues N.W.
went to Town, returned to Dinner
Mr. H. B. Gwathmey came out in the
evening, intending to stay all night
2 - Continues exceeding Hot & dry - Ther. 91
Went to Town, returned to dinner, Mr. Gwath-
-mey left us in Steam Boat for Norfolk
3 - Same hot & dry weather - Ther. 91 - No
Went to Town returned to dinner, sowed
Orchard Grass and Oats in orchard, the
latter merely as shade to the grass
4 - Continues hot and dry - Wind still No
Went to Town returned to Dinner.
5 - Sunday - Same weather, hot and dry
with northerly Wind, which has now prevailed
for eight days without variation - Ther. 90
John went to Church - Child, Meany &
Jno. Thomas dined with us, Mr. M. Lanahan &
his Brother called in the evening