doubt if you & friend Ephraim would take a Step down next Week with whatever good 3 year Old Steers you have that you would get the aforementioned price, they had been giving 8 $ not long ago — If there was one or two among them poorer than the rest it might be well to leave them till the fall as you are not scarce of Grass — Scarcely a day passes but Cattle go thro this Town, at least 300 went this day — being little out since I came home I have not heard anything about the Horse but James says he thinks Mr Barnity still has him — With kind love to your Family I remain

Dear Sir

Yours very truly

J Thomson