

Dear Sir th York 20th Feby. 1818

I thank you much extended favor
of 14th Instant. the reason of my not writing
to you was. I was Day expectd a fall of
Snow and that we would have the pleasure
of seeing you which now for this Season
I have no hopes of. The only people to
the best of my opinion I gave your Aunt
against was Mr. Read & Mr. Shook 168 &
your Aunt of 200 & making in all 288
which I was in hopes you had got long
ere this - as for the Empty Bottles. I have
no doubt they will return in Summer.

Hahn has quit Brewing. and Bannet
& Walech cannot make a drop of Beer but
what I saw in 2 or 3 Days. I never in my
life had better. so says all my Friends but
such is the Partiality of the Dutch for each
other

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Birnie Eggs

Beas Branch

Sammy Town

York 20 Feby. 1818
Jas. Hamilton

