J. W. Byrne

Belfast 10th May 1820

Dear Sir

I embrace this opportunity as Mr. Smith of Ballinder who has been here this some time for the benefit of his health he has found himself greatly bettered by the trip, you will accept my sincere thanks for the many favours you and your family conferred on us while in your Country, and I shall always be happy to hear of your Prosperity, I have had the satisfaction of hearing from your Family more than once since we arrived in this Place, Miss Mc Naughton has been so very kind as to call when she gets a Letter from your Place and tells me how you all are and I must say that it is great kindness for be assured we would be glad to hear from you much oftener than we possibly can, we had a very pleasant passage home only 23 days from Land to Land and all our friends seemed glad to see us, after we arrived in a little time I took a Shop and began my old business as woollen Draper but business is very bad with us at Present

Mr. Byrne
Merchant
Ballinderry
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