Mr. C. Birnie
Mr Farm
of Mr. Douglas

Balt: 28 Feby. 1826
Robt. Harbison

Birnie Esqre
Peace Farm
Near Cockeysville
Baltimore County
Md

Baltimore 25 Feby. 1826
Washington Turnpike

Dear Sir Their business can be settled
As the Peas are so very bad the man
will have to make better Days of it and
have sent him the seed Wheat to your
Island - when you will have an opportunity
of sending me all you can possibly
spare of the Gooseberry Raspberry black,
and white, Currant Cuttings, with any
sort of the Grape Vine Slips, or Stock
I can spare with them there to remain
advantage, 62. of the latter with
your Cart, I trust will bring you
into as many as you seem to
wish for and save trouble of transplanting
Mr Yarnall on parting told me on
writing to him, I can annually have
of the above Cuttings what I want -
as I know you are very handy
in my opinion it will be best to pack
them

in one of the Water tight Casks in
letting them out of the Earth, not to
provide them air as to injure the Buds,
however I shall leave them to your
better Judgment to provide as you
think best - All the family have
Some in love to Mrs Birnie, the
Ladies, and my much respected
Friend Councellor Birnie
And believe me Dear Sir
Yours very sincerely
Saml Scanlan

Gettysburg 5. Mar. 1826

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