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could sell it better & that it would sell sooner, that people wont buy because they think it must be sold but that is not the reason. Unless you could sell it I would not advise yr taking it but at any rate you have the same command over it now as if he made you a deed

Sam I will attend to Rogers low as soon as he popits my own

Yrs ever
C Birnie Jr

My dear son

I was pleased to hear from you & of the family today but regret none we are well, yr mother is in her room but the baby is growing & thriving very much. He is quite a long fellow. Rob says you all the sweet potatoes in the house you can bake them in the stove. I have a party he says — What shall we call yr little brother. Yr Grandma Ma & brothers all send their love to you

Yr affectionate
father C Birnie Jr

PS You know yr thick book was lost on the way between him & Thomasville