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Filghurhanty th 17 August 1827

Dear Sir

I received your favor of the 30th April
last giving an account of the descendants
of James Martin who lived in Snowhill.

I am satisfied James Martin therein
described and his Children was Uncle and
Cousins of John Martin of Filghurhanty
my late Husband and from the accounts
given of their descendants have no doubt
of their being of the same family

W Martin died in 1818 and by
his settlement made in 1799 he left his
whole property at my disposal which
was worth about £400 a year subject to some
burdens. And in gratitude for his gen-
erosity to me I am anxious to promote
the

the interest of his relations and few of
them are now living in this Country
and I am afraid your relation to him
might not be proved if any thing was
falling to them at my death but by evi-
dence in my possession which might
then be considered very doubtful

As your son John of Philadelphia is
at an age to take care of himself it would very
satisfactory to me could he conveniently come soon
to this Country for a short time that he might
know something of the situation of affairs
here as life is very uncertain. This is distant
14 miles from Dunfermline and whatever part
of the coast he lands the Mail from London
through Scotland to Ireland goes by it and
papers within two miles of this house where
he will find a home and kind reception
from me during his stay