Dear Sir,

I was favor'd with your letter this evening and lose no time in forwarding you some excellent pure vaccine injection taken lately (ay & iiist inst) from a fine healthy little cottager which may be depended upon and have sealed it up so that I hope and expect it may prove efficacious when you reach America, as it has frequently done when used there.

The lancet should be held in a slanting or horizontal manner and a slight puncture to make it as just to draw blood, when the punctures are each arm about an inch apart a point which is charged as arrows are persons should be pushed into the wounds and suffered to remain for about a minute to drink the matter, and if the injection is given (one only taking effect will answer) a slight inflammation will gradually come on and the part regularly inflame and produce the disease but I advise this operation to be performed on a fine healthy child and from that child have your unclouded. I shall like to receive another letter from you saying you safely rec'd what I now send and saying when, how and where I may send and direct to you in America, when I will forward some more but this after such a time before it can be used shall prove inactive but some sent to a Medical Gent in America return'd at theatre the first reached him and answered and that he would return it to have tried in England and even after going & coming back proved efficacious so that I hope and expect this will...

I am much obliged to you for your kindness in promising to send the Turtles &c. &c. (the one you gave me is still living but does not yet eat and I fear I shall not be able to preserve it much longer as it seems unhealthy) The skin of birds may be taken off, leaving the head & legs on and
sprinkled over with alum will preserve them from any injury. The apple kernels are coming up, could you send some other sorts. Some grapes I think would grow.

You complain of being occasionally afflicted with ___ wysell your Case and I will read my opinion upon it. I shall be happy at all times in any way to serve you and am obliged to you for the kindness shown me by yourself and 2d when I had the pleasure of seeing you at the Greyhound Inn in Bristol, and I beg you will present my respects to him. Mr. Bailey who was with me desires I would respectfully remember him to you both also. I am obliged to send you a hearty scrap and not to lose tomorrow's mail. Therefore wishing you a safe and prosperous voyage and the enjoyment of your health

I remain dear Sir
Berkeley

Gloster
Apr. 22 1818

Yours sincerely and very obliged

Henry Jenner

Yr letter to be directed as yr last but a parcel from America. D. Mr. Jenner at the Greyhound Inn, Broad Head - Bristol. If the vaccine injection to be put into yr. hands of a medical gentl under whose guidance and management it shall be conducted.

To
William Mitchell Esq
of New York

Manchester

and to one of the poor M.F. Merchants