

Sir

From the letter
have with you, and advice of
Messrs E. G. Fair & Co. I have taken the liberty of
writing you in respect to our unfortunate friends
Messrs Lee & Townsend of your place, we hold their
note for \$537.⁸⁰/₁₀₀ Dols (say five hundred & thirty
seven ⁸⁰/₁₀₀ Dollars) we have rec'd a letter from
them about the 1st Jan'y last stating their inab-
ility to pay all their debts. That they would make
an assignment of their effects for the joint interest
of their creditors or would give their note for
Ten shillings on the pound payable at the General
Bank with a responsible endorser - we learn
that it will be Owen Chamberlain - as to his
standing we know nothing - I am not
or any other person whom would be satisfactory
to you be offered - should you be willing to

to take the trouble you will please accept
their offer. and when you should come to
the city will remunerate you for all trouble
taken. I am
Your Obedt Servant

A. Baldwin
of the firm of Oakford & Baldwin
New York 15th Feby 1828.

N.B. In addition to this note we send you
there is a mistake in their bill of 12 May
1827. in the cost of a pipe Give 124 net Gallons
of \$12³⁰/₁₀₀ Dols Lps - added to the note
will amount to \$550³⁰/₁₀₀ Dols. Their offer
was to give ~~two~~ notes at 4 + 6 months but
we should prefer one at 4 - or even 5 months
one credit. They have settled at 4 mos and an other
in Feb at the more than 10% on the pound we
the interest & Collection of these notes should
be added - collection is one per cent. however
anything you will please to do will meet our
approbation Yours Respy A. Baldwin

Oakford & Baldwin

Letter 2nd 15th 1828

Mark
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J. J. Hunt Esq
Feb 15 1828

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