

sold, so false - so ungrateful - and
so dishonest a man - I am not the
only sufferer by D - O - S dishonesty
for his whole fortune would not pay
D - O - S debts - and those who
defend him say "To be sure it
is wonderful to think what he has
done with so much" From us
from M^r - Stark, from M^r - Quadsom's
estate, from the Bank of America
and from his clients he has re-
ceived more than \$200,000 since
war was declared - all whom he
has not cheated, defend him - ex-
cept Doctor Hosack's family -
Oyden fraud left this house without
cash for funeral expenses -

Present me most tenderly
to your good wife - I have a
screen for Polly which shall go
to Richmond - I presume she is
in Amherst now -

My brother's wife has
written to me about poor Jane's

I sent my dear Friend a paper to
know his opinion - Our half nephew
lives in the upper part of the State
he came to the City on a visit to his
daughter M^r - Hamilton - On return-
ing M^r - Hamilton I paid him \$40 and
he had never finished any business -
There was an uproar raised about
pay - I wrote to M^r - Harrison for
advice - he employed M^r - Hamilton
to write an agreement - before
signing it - I asked M^r - Hamilton if
he meant 5 per cent for receiving
and the same for paying money
he said no - but depend on it I shall
have that to pay - M^r - Hamilton
is very poor - and, in my opinion,
not very wise - he moves in a cir-
cle where fraud is openly defended -
M^r - Harrison defends David Oyden by
saying "his distresses drove him to it"
so - adding that he had always esteemed
M^r - Oyden and should be sorry to

change his opinion, that Gov^t - is per:
:haps as well without property
now - M^r - Harrison has seen D. O. &
Swindling letters one among others in
which he tells M^r - Morris "My lands
are to be sold on the second of March
(1816) when I shall be in funds ha
I take up all the paper you are in
for me and send you what money
you may want for your own pur:
:poses" - This was dated Feb - 22 -
Two thirds of his land was then
gone - the balance he made over
to the Bank of America 3 days
too late for that I said - and
only two days after my husband
died - the very morning after he
was laid in the grave - This act
to cheat the orphan is approu:
:ed in New York by many - nay
I believe Doctor Hosack's family alone
rejoiced at its failure -
Last winter I spoke of

engaging M^r - Harrison - one Gentleman
said "Don't do it - he has been a Bank
:rupt and was driven to do very wrong
things -" another observed - "You had ^{better}
not talk to him he and David Ogden
are inseparable their Law helps each
:other" - His advice to put myself
in the Chancellors power was very
fortunate - his advice to com:
:promise with the Ogden's proved
unlucky -

It is plainly proven that
David Ogden invented the base calum:
:nies respecting my conduct as wife
and mother - then caused others
to be refused admittance here on
that acc^t - declaring he resented the
:slander - I do not believe any
:people on earth but those in New
York would be bold enough to defend
such a Tissue of crimes as David
Ogden has committed - They fly in
the face of God and honest people -

I should think if I had had one spark
of human feeling he would be horror
:struck at becoming the Tool of so

July 9, 1817

Newburgh 50 20 paid
The Hon 1 1/2 1/2
West Point July 10
55%

Saint George Tucker

~~William~~ Newburgh

Paymaster
Newburgh

paid



Hanny Morris

July 9th 1817.

paid? July 26th.

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misfortune - indeed the shock is very
great to my heart -

God be thanked my
child is well -

Truly, gratefully
and affectionately I remain your
Ann C. Morris

Wednesday morning 9th July

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