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Letter from Moses B. Walker to James B. Finley

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Duxton December 25th 1849

Rev J. F. Handley

Dear Sir I send you a certificate
of deposit for \$75. or payable to you or at
the Eaton Bank. This is all I can do for
you now, but it will not be long before I will
pay off my entire debt, I have effected a
compromise of suits & with Jacob Robinson &
George Loy & in a short time expect to get some
notes in my hands, on which I can raise the
money if there is any in the country to let out
I have had a great deal of trouble and affliction
in my family since I saw you & have not been
able to leave home to do anything of consequence
and can I leave now, as my wife is in my poor
health & is expecting to be confined every day.
When this debt is paid I am clear of the world
& want to keep so, & I do assure you that it
shall be at the very earliest possible moment
My Brother is very anxious to see you paid
but not more so than I am myself & had
I known that I should or could have been so
behind hand with it I never would have made
so large a debt, I have had to work along with
it the best way I could & such a thing as collecting
from those who owe me now seems impossible.

Yours &c
W. B. Walker

1837

Please inform me
if you Recv this
W.R.