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Chicago January 17, 1889

Major General, O. O. Howard,

Governors Island, N. Y.

Dear Sir:- Replying to your telegram received to-day. Did you not receive my letter in reply to yours asking whether we could get rates from Chicago to Detroit. I answered your letter promptly stating that we should be unable at this time to do so as we only had transportation on the Michigan Central, and we should need all that for our traveling men. We have been unable to make a deal with the Michigan Southern and the Grand Trunk this year. I enclose receipt from Mr. C. O. Howard, stating that he had received the mileage books which I sent him all right.

Gen. C. H. will be home Saturday.

Yours Very Truly,

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Established

1884.

Douglas County Nurseries

C. O. HOWARD & CO., Proprietors,

~~City Office~~
~~205 North 16th Street~~
~~TELEPHONE 998~~

Nursery Office,
48th St. and Military Road,
TELEPHONE 968.

Omaha, Neb., Jan. 15, 1889.

Jas. W. Wilson, Esq.,
Dear Sir:

Yours of Jan. 11, rec'd
last night with the
two mileage tickets en-
closed. We are indeed
very grateful to you for
your kindness. Hoping
to be able to reciprocate
I remain Yours truly,
C. O. Howard.

Douglas County Nurseries

G. D. HOWARD & CO., Proprietors,
18th St. and Milling Road,
St. Louis, Mo.

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Omaha, Neb., Jan. 15, 1889.

For W. W. Whitaker, Esq.,

Dear Sir:

I have just received from you a letter of the 11th inst. and am glad to hear that you are interested in our

offer. We have pleasure

in being able to give you

such satisfactory results.

I am, Sir, very respectfully,

Yours truly,

G. D. Howard.

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CHECK

1 E. T. Zalinski
Received at 10.25 am Jan 17 1889

Dated Fort Hamilton N.Y. 17

To Maj Gen O O Howard

Comdg Military Div Atlantic

Wanted like yourself and staff witness

official trial of fifteen inch torpedo

gun with charged shell at Ft. Lafayette

Saturday nineteenth instant, half past two.

E. T. Zalinski

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Hall, G. A.

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San Francisco Cal.
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Ans Jan. 29th. 1889
Jan. 7/89.
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My dear General

We were much pained
in seeing the announcement
of the death of your mother.
Will you please accept the
sympathy of my family &
myself in this great loss.
Whatever ties we may have
in this life besides, there is none
that can take the place of
the tie that binds to the dear
one who nourished & trained
us in our weak childhood

and gave us our first-lessons
right & wrong. I have ever
looked back with grateful
heart to the patient care &
loving Christian training of my
dear Mother, & this feeling has
grown upon me more & more, since
she has passed away from earth.
And as I look back upon my
Mother's beautiful Christian Char-
acter, I realize how much I am
indebted to her, for that which I
have received of her spirit, & of
the Christian faith which she so
adorned, & which was so important

factor in her life - I am the
better prepared to enter into the
feelings of grateful remem-
brance for the dear departed
Mother, which will come
to you with renewed force
now that she is no more
present with you. I need
not speak of the consolations
our blessed Christian Religion
gives us for these days of be-
reavement, for you know them
as well as I.

Our friend, Mr. Moody,
is actively at work. The
pavilion, seating 4500 is now

Crowded Every Evening - The day
meetings have filled to overflowing
the 1st Baptist Chh. & now the
1st Congregational - A deep feeling
is manifested & finds expression
in the largely attended after meetings
for conversation.

I regretted that I did not see
you the day you left San Francisco.
I went down to the Ferry landing
to say "Good-bye," but arrived just
as the door closed upon you -
The train, I found, started half an
hour earlier than I supposed.

My family join me in kind
Regards to yourself & family

Yours truly
Geo. O. Howard
U. S. A.
Greenwich Island

W. A. Hall
U. S. Army

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310 Chestnut St
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Gen. O. O Howard
My Dear Sir.

It would have
given me much pleasure
to have seen you when in
our city. I tried to yester-
day as I desired to invite
you to speak upon the
Subject of Arbitration at
our annual meeting at
the Academy of Music
the 19th of February next.
Your brother & myself
differ from you in our
views of the Christian truths
tho upon the subject ^{of war} but
I am very thankful that
we are one in Christ Jesus
and that as one of your
associates ^{could} I might have

lately we have a Christian
Soldier in Gen Howard
Even if they are few in the
Army & I hope you know
many more. I feel very
confident Col. Robert is,
having known him some
time & become very fond
of him. Now I think it
is the duty of all of us to
do what we can & it is
only from this feeling that
I am exerting myself
very much, being a very
strong believer in our
famous teachings I want
to use every effort to give
them a practical turn
before the world and we
have succeeded. Thus
far. To form a pr. Asso-
ciation representing the
best talent & brains of

Philada & after this meeting
 of New York & Baltimore
 Delect - also represent-
 ing the business wealth
 of the city for more
 practical men or richer
 cannot be found on our
 list of men - We have
 memorialized the Emperor
 of Germany upon the
 subject & backed up our
 letter ~~for~~ by ones from
 Governor Beaver and
 President Hayes. We
~~are~~ ^{have} prepared as a
 Memorial to the Senate
 & Corps Legislatif of France
 & when it is endorsed by
 the boards of Trade of
 New York Boston and

Philadelphia & Baltimore
This meeting we will for-
ward it. We are also
publishing to ~~be~~ mailing
Singly to over 200,000
Sunday School Teachers
& Ministers the enclosed
paper & want to do all
that our Lord will
show us & having done
all stand in favor of
peaceful methods &
push arbitration onto
the people of Europe.
So many of our Gen-
erals have spoken in
favor of this plan some
from one reason & some
from another that I
do want your utterance
at this meeting Feb 19th
I hope you can come
& speak - I do hope

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you can come & that
you will excuse this
long letter. I only
write so to show we are
trying to give a practical
turn to the work & I
believe the Lord needs
your help as well as
ours in it.

Yours Truly
Geo. B. Wood

None of our concern self
included get ^{Salary} any. I should
not say that exactly, for we
don't know what the Lord

gives but the funds of
the Assn are all used for
printing & etc we are not
animated by pecuniary
gain at all - I am not
~~get~~ none & am thankful
I can get along without.
I will try to see you in a
few days -

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United States Senate,

WASHINGTON, D. C.,

Jan. 18--1889.

General O.O. Howard,

Major General, U.S. Army,

New York City.

My dear General:-

I beg respectfully to acknowledge receipt by your reference of petition and papers relating to the application of our mutual friend, G. Shindler, of Portland, Oregon, for the position of U.S. Consul at St. Gall, Switzerland; all of which at the proper time will receive my earnest consideration.

With the compliments of the season,

I am, dear General,

Very truly yours,

John H. Mitchell

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with copy of this letter

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3 certificates enclosed -
properly witnessed.

Washington Dc
Jan 18 89

Dear Genl Howard

Your 17th inst is
recd with enclosures
Herewith find check for
\$5,600 - You neglected
to assign the three cts
of stock enclosed with ck
as requested in my letter
Please sign & have counters
and return to Mr Brate
& say as soon as possible
Truly Yours
Wm Brate

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AMERICAN PEACE SOCIETY.

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THE AMERICAN ADVOCATE OF PEACE AND ARBITRATION.

ROOM 6, NO. 1 SOMERSET STREET,
BOSTON.

R. B. HOWARD, Secretary and Editor.

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ans. Jan 21/89.

Dear Brother

Mr C. B. Capen, a
Merchant, Pres. of Congl Soc's
a friend of mine etc - and
interested in the "Law &
Order League" called at
this office & said you were
to be here Monday Feb 18th
to address the latter Society
& asked if I knew whether
you had any friends in
Boston at whose ~~some~~ homes
you would prefer to visit during
your stay - saying he would
be delighted where you at
his home or Jamaica Plain
but did not know but you
would prefer a place nearer.

Howard B.B. 18

I ^{file} said to him I would
ascertain your wishes and
inform him.
ans Jan 21st 1889.

Now as you are to be here
Monday Feb. 18th can you not
come Sat. previous and spend
the Sat. with us. Bring
Lizzie & have a good visit.
Helen and I will be delighted
with that arrangement. Let
Bessie come too - Ella wants to
know her very much. If
none convenient for you to remain
in Boston (city) one of the other
nights (Monday or Tuesday) you
can of course accept the
"Entertainment" kindly proffered.

I am to preach at East Orange
Feb 3^d or 10th probably the
3^d & may see you before you
come on - Am waiting to hear
a few words for Mother's little

Memorial when not well my heart feels not for her still
Newland

Tray, N.Y. Jan. 18. 1889

My Father.

Your letter recd some days back. I am doing much better than I hoped in reviews.

It is now 1.45 AM Saturday & I have just finished the triangulation which I thought I had finished with hope. What you & I did was but the third part of all of it I should have found the X, Y, Z's of all stations. we found Z's only.

My Physics Exam troubles me but I shall do some hard study on that. Adjustments of Instruments. is O.K. I guess.

My Descriptive stands now thus. an advance 2.8 review 4 so my examination needs only 2.2 to pass me. In Logic the Prof gave me in advance 2.8 but corrected it to 3. so I now stand thus advance 3. review 2.9 Exam needs 3.1 to pass. Last Examination Jan 29. Tuesday
Love to all
Oscar John.

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NOTHING BUT THE ADDRESS TO BE ON THIS SIDE.

Maj. Gen O. O. Howard.

Government Bldg

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David's Island, N.Y. Harbor
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 no. or Lang: 18th 1889,
 General A. O. Howard,
 U.S. Army
 Commanding Div. Atlantic
 Governor's Island,
 New York Harbor

Dear Sir,

After our call
 on Mrs Howard and
 yourself yesterday, my
 wife and I attended a
 reception at the home
 of Dr. Robert T. McKim,
 who spoke very warmly
 of you, and who told me
 with evident pride and
 pleasure, of his having
 been one of the surgeons
 in attendance on you

at Fair Oaks. I have
asked for invitations for
Col. McKim and his
family, to the reception
to be given to you and
Mrs. Howard on Saturday,
on which occasion he
has expressed to me
his hope, that he would
be able to meet you,
and recall remembrances
of the eventful days of
'62. He speaks very
modestly of his services,
and thinks it probable
that you have no recollection
of him, as he was quite
young then, and, to

use his own expression,
was "only an Assistant
Surgeon." He is an
accomplished and
courteous gentleman,
whom, I am sure, it
will give you pleasure
to meet, and is actively
associated with the
militia as Medical
Director on the Staff of
General Fitzgibbon.

My Mother and wife
join me in warm
greetings to Mrs. Howard
and yourself - and -

I am, Sir,

Most respectfully,
W. L. Haskell
Capt. 12th Regt.

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RAILROAD BRANCH,
YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION,
361 MADISON AVENUE,
NEW YORK CITY.

January 19/1889

SECRETARY'S OFFICE.

My dear General:

I enclose note
of your address at the
Anniversary and wish you
would be kind enough to
correct and return it to me.
I had a very pleasant call
from Mr. Alexander, now the
Vice President of the Ass'n in
San Francisco today.

Yours truly,
G. A. Warburton

Maj. General O. O. Howard

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Notes ret'd Jan 21st 1889

The Board of Managers of the
N. Y. Society for the Suppression of Vice
earnestly request the honor of your presence at the
Fifteenth Anniversary of this Society, to be held in
Association Hall,
Tuesday Evening, January twenty-second, 1889, at eight o'clock.

Addresses by Rev. John Hall, D.D., LL.D., Chancellor of the University of New York,
and Hon. Chauncey M. Depew.

Anthony Comstock, Sec.

Samuel Colgate, Pres.



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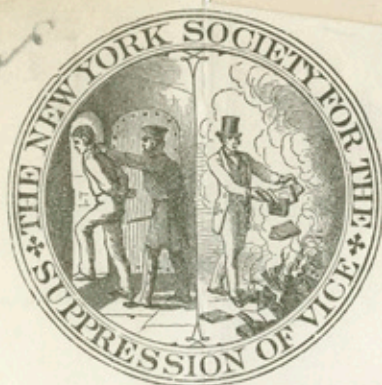
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Room No. 9.

150 NASSAU STREET, NEW YORK, Jan 19th 1889

General O. O. Howard

Dear Sir:

The Executive Committee of this Society, knowing your deep interest in all Philanthropic works, Cordially invite you to the Annual Meeting. You are requested to meet the Officers in the Reception Room of the S. M. C. G., to encourage them by your presence on the Platform.

Last year 3 1/2 tons of obscene matter was destroyed and about two tons of Gamblers instruments

And Dr Hall and Hon C M Deper are to address the Meeting.

Yours very truly
 William Van Rensselaer
 Treasurer for S. C. G.

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Hubbard Brothers,

Branches:

Chicago.
Kansas City

Manufacturers & Publishers,

J. W. KEELER, MANAGER,
SUBSCRIPTION DEPARTMENT.

Philadelphia, Jan 19, 89

*Mag Gen O. O. Howard
Governors Island N.Y.*

Dear Sir:-

If agreeable to you to prepare for our forthcoming Biographical work, several sketches, upon the basis;-

First:- That they are prepared exclusively for us, and become our copyright property.

Second:- That they are to be paid for by us at \$3.00 a page of 600 words each, after the issue of the volume.

Third:- That you will not prepare similar Biographical sketches for any competing subscription book, within one year from this date.

Fourth:- That these sketches shall be accurate in statement, glowing in style and subject to approval by our Editor.

You will please indicate which of the following list you can best write upon, and let us hear from you by return mail. Expedition is important, hence please say what time you would require

Yours most truly,

Hubbard Bros.

*How about
Gen Sherman
Gen Schofield
Gen Alger
C. M. Depew*

*Sen Sherman
Sen Edmunds
" Hawley
" Allison
" Bugalls*

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Yours most truly,

Hubbard Bros.

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Jackson Charles A.

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Salem, Oregon

Jan. 20th 1889

Gen. O. C. Howard.

Honored Sir

I have received your answer per Lieut. Greble and in reply, and in my own justification would say that while I do not know if my reformation be "genuine," or not I have firmly determined to change my mode of life in the future, if I had not I must admit that your letter would have had the effect of a wet blanket on me, I am well aware that my past life has not been one to inspire confidence but I was in hope that my avowed purpose to amend would cause good people to lend me a helping hand which I would not ask if I could

do without it. I will be released
with only five dollars in a bad time
for work and without any under-
clothing, to keep myself clean or pre-
sent a decent appearance and I ask
you sir as a christian if you are
fearful that I would make a bad
use of money, to please to send me
some underclothing. You can send
them in care of the Warden who will
see that I get them. (I am about
five feet seven inches in height).

Hoping, you will do this for
an unfortunate who is trying to
raise himself out of the depths I
remain

Yours Respectfully,

Chas. A. Jackson.

Box 338 Salem. Or.

P. S.

Any package addressed to me
in care of the Warden Mr. McKinnon
will reach me

C. A. J.

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Bridgman, J. W.

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Palermo Jan 20th 1889

Gen. O. O. Howard

Dear Sir

I recently learned through the papers, and a circular from Rowland, of the death of your dear & honored mother; it must, indeed, be a source of happy reflection to you, that she was a Christian, & lived to a good, ripe old age; I well remember how she sympathized with & encouraged me, when I first made a profession of religion; her words, then, have ever, ^{since} been a source of encouragement to me, in my Christian course; she has, no doubt entered upon that "inheritance which is incorruptible, undefiled & fadeth not away". And now a word relative to a little affair that is taking place in our vicinity; there are two or three contest

ants for the prospective appointment of a Post Master in our place, (Palermo), & I am one of them; am not able to perform much manual labor & as the office pays about \$200 a year I thought it would afford me both agreeable & profitable employment; if I can procure it by fair & honorable means I would like to have it; I have issued a petition which has been signed by nearly one hundred persons, nearly all of whom take their mail from this office; the other contestants have also issued their petitions, but how many names they have secured, I am unable to tell. I think it is a premature move, but as others are making the effort, I thought I would not fail of being in season;

Will you be so kind as to use your influence with the incoming Post Master General or other officers of the department, to secure my appointment? If you will take a little trouble in

this direction, you will do me a great favor; not knowing your P.O. address, I thought I would direct this to Washington D.C. hoping it would be forwarded to you from thence

Please write as soon as convenient, if received

Post Office address, Palermo Me.

Very truly Yours
J. W. Bridgman