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Burlington Iowa

April 5 99

May Genl Oliver O Howard

Dear Sir

By an error in
Adj Genl Office Washington D C the enclosed
letter for you came in to my hand you will
excuse me for opening it as I also have some
mail from same office I was during the
civil war a soldier under your command
holding the position of 2nd Lieut of Co ~~H~~ Iowa Vol
Inftry 3rd Brigade 4th Div 15 Army Corps {Co I Regt.}

Yours Respectfully

Oliver O Howard

Burlington
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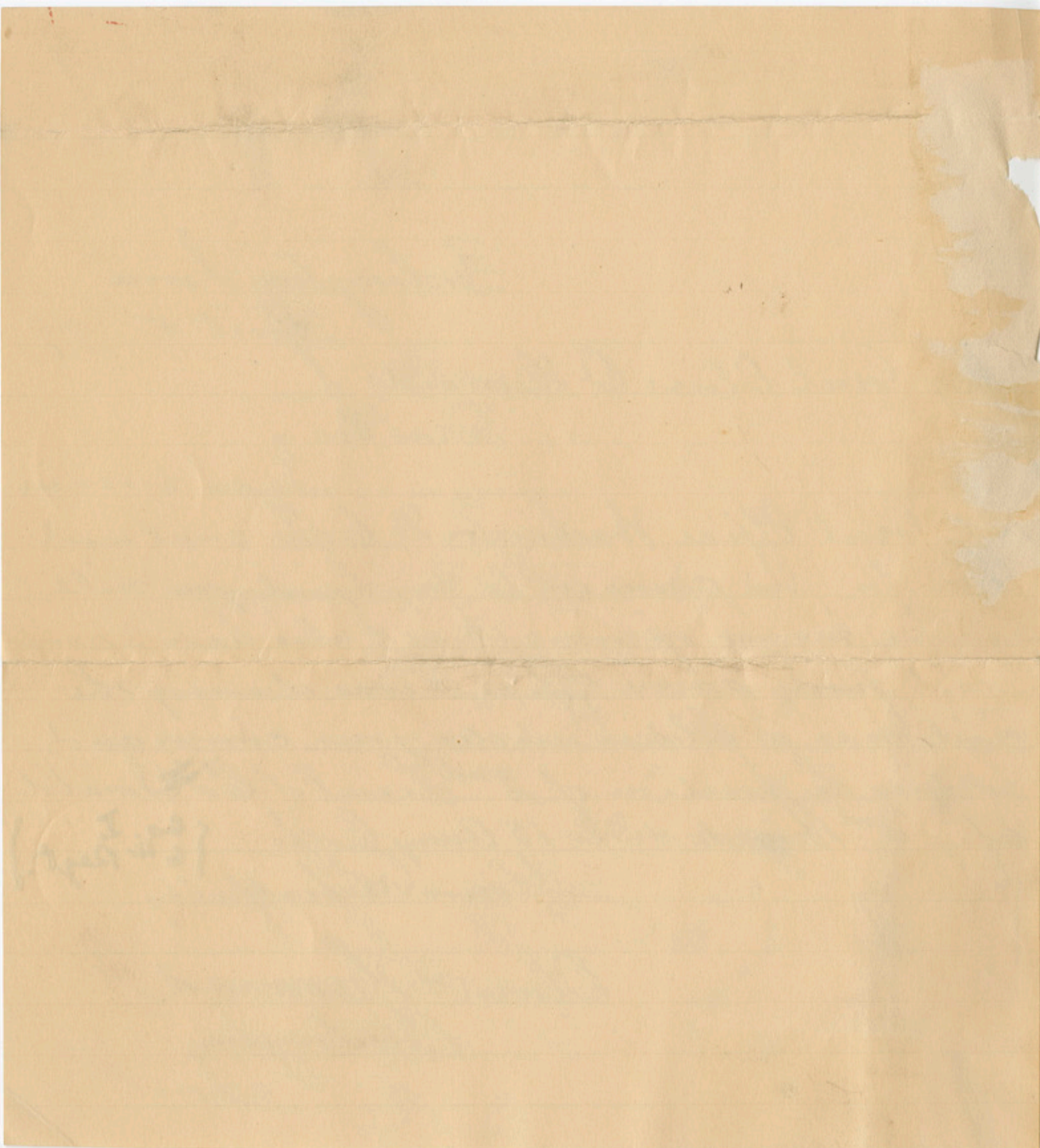
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ARMY MUTUAL AID ASSOCIATION,

WAR DEPARTMENT,

Washington, D.C., April 5. 1899

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Gen. O. O. Howard

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Dear Sir:

I have rec^d the inclosed card and ck Your card calls for \$1.08 for expenses and \$118.81 for as-
sessment. Please remit the amt

Very truly

B. H. Atterhouse

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Answered
mk checks for
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TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS AND OTHER MEMBERS
OF THE ASSOCIATION OF AMERICAN ARMY AND NAVY
OFFICERS AND THE OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY
WASHINGTON, D.C.

ARMY MUTUAL AID ASSOCIATION

WAR DEPARTMENT

Washington, D.C. April 12, 1918

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Dear Sirs:

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 11th inst. in relation to the matter of the payment of the balance of the fund for the relief of the families of the soldiers of the 1st Central Postal Directory, 1st Army, who are now in the hands of the enemy.

Very respectfully,
J. B. McQuinn
Secretary

Enclosed for the
April 10, 1918

Young Men's Christian Association.

of Manchester, N. H.

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Manchester, N. H., April 6-1899

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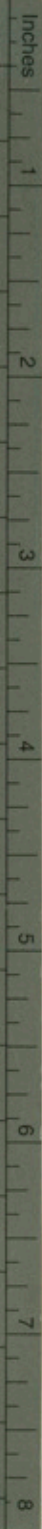
Dear Sir,

Our Directors voted last night to have you come on May 28th. So please book that date for us. Have you a cub which we can use for ad-
purpose? We are going to plan for a big Anniversary. I pray that God may on that day give us a great impetus, so that we may do a greater work for young men here.

Very Sincerely

Edwin Hill

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THE CONGREGATIONALIST
W. L. Greene & Co., Proprietors,
Boston, Mass.

14 Beacon St., April 6 1899

Maj. Gen. O. O. Howard
Dear Sir

Enclosed we are happy to send you

Six Dollars (\$6⁰⁰) —

with our thanks, in payment for your contribution,
published in this week's number of our journal.

Respectfully yours,

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O. C. Leonard

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Respectfully yours,

W. L. GREENE & CO.

W. L. G.

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Chifton Springs
April 6th 1899.

My dear Gen Howard

Your good kind letter came to hand just as I was leaving Florida. I thank you dear General, for your continued kind remembrance of me in my sickness. It has been a great comfort to me.

I was not helped by my Florida trip. The winter was exceptionally wet and unfavorable and I raked down while there.

Malaria, or something in the blood is holding me back. I have lost now sixty five pounds and am very weak. There is some chance for the letter as I return here but I fear I shall not be fit for much.

service for some months to come -

I praise God that I trust to have
for Christ's sake, and I ask your
prayers that I may have the com-
fort that I suffer for His sake -

I was much cheered in Thirida
with a nice visit from your brother
Charles. He too has been passing
through many trials.

May God bless him and his family.
I enclose my note for the Lin-
coln University. I wish it were
ten thousand times what your
circular suggests.

With very much
Love to yourself + Mrs Howard
and all your family -

Yours very truly
D. W. Whittle

The Missouri & Iowa Southern Railway Company. 245

General Manager's Office

A. L. STRANG,

VICE PRES. AND GEN. MGR.

Sedalia, Mo., April 6, 1899
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My dear General

Your letter came duly to hand but owing to my absence has been neglected. It would afford me pleasure later when I get my financial matters shaped up. to accept you in your good work, which is certainly commendable.

I shall be in your city - again soon & will call on you

Sincerely yours

A. L. Strang

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John D. Thompson

General Manager, Office

The Missouri & Iowa Southern Railway Company

My dear General
I am sorry to hear that
you are not feeling well.
I hope you will soon
be able to get on your feet.
I am very sorry to hear
of your illness and hope
you will soon be able to
resume your duties.
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Ansruel H. Porter Smith
Fine Woollens.

April 8th 72 Bedford St. Boston. April 6th., 189⁹
Booked April 30
 U. O. Howard, Major-General U. S. A.,
 New York City.

Dear Gen Howard:-

I have your kind favor of the 4th. inst.

I find Dr. McKenzie is to be away on the 23rd. and he tells me he wishes very much to be at home when you are here.

Now can you make the time of your being with us either April 16th or the 30th.? The latter is preferred by us but select the one most convenient to you and if you cannot take one of them we will hold on to the 23rd.

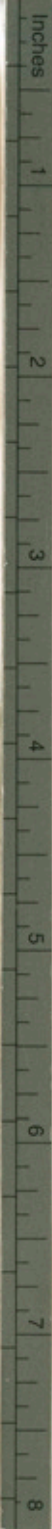
You understand this is one of our Missionary services. My purpose is to advertise your coming and your subject in our Cambridge city papers as well as in Boston and shall try to get something in the way of an Editorial note in *The Congregationalist*.

I feel confident that you will have a large hearing.

We will take up a collection as we usually do at these services and you shall have that, I believe you will have a good response

I hope to get something substantial in the way of help for
 "Lincoln Memorial University."

Mrs. Smith and I want you to come to our



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44 ~~72~~ Bedford St. Boston. April 6th., 189⁹

O. O. H.

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quiet little home 41 Dana St., Cambridge if that is agreeable
to you.

Dr. McKenzie will write you a line as soon as
I hear from you again. I saw him this morning.

Sincerely yours

H. Porter Smith

Chairman of the Missionary Committee,

First Church, Cambridge.

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Wm. W. L. Smith
John W. L. Smith

April 1890

to the Hon. Sec. of the Interior

Dr. McAdams will write you a line as soon as

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Yours truly
Wm. W. L. Smith

Chairman of the National Committee

For the Preservation of the

My Dear General ^{answered April 18}
I have ^{forwarded} ~~received~~ the
Gazette's letter and ^{forwarded} ~~sent~~
it to you at your request.
Not very encouraging - I still
think that Mr Robinson, whose
judgement he seems to rely on,
is very much mistaken in
his views and Mr Overyton
Agnew does not give up
the papers, placed in his
hands, if he does not use
them to further our interest.
I am growing rather suspicious
he seems to be so much
cautious in the world at
present - One cannot tell ~~him~~
so far away, what schemes ~~he~~
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Mr. the family - I find my drawing a
great seducer, stealing away many
a sad thought and making the
dreams more enjoyable -
With kind regards
Truly Yours -

Mary W. Temple

April 6th 1899 -

are being laid and may
be acted on - I have not
recd. Mr. Gardners
letter to you, you may
have forgotten in your
numerous engagements to
send it to me - I suppose
you are very busy as usual
I hope you have kept
well, this very changeable
winter - I have enjoyed
my usual health - and have
been very much interested in
taking a pannel portrait of
my Brother-in-law Mr. Gale
which to my delight seems
to give great satisfaction to

LINCOLN MEMORIAL UNIVERSITY,

CUMBERLAND GAP, TENNESSEE.

April 6th, 1899.

Dear Gen. Howard;

Your letter of Mch. 27th, received a few days ago. We regret that you have another important engagement on the same dates already designated for our commencement exercises. We have however considered the plan of postponing our exercises a few days, providing that by so doing it will enable you to be here as we are anxious for you to be with us on that occasion.

How will it suit you if we can arrange to have our commencement May 27th, to 31st, and have the annual meeting of the directors on the morning of the 29th, and 30th, which will comply with the requirements of our by-laws?

Prof. Weaver and others are quite anxious to engage some prominent speakers for the occasion; possibly Mr. Blanchard (Miss Blanchard's father) president of Wheaton College, and others, and if you are here of course we shall expect you to fill some important place on the program.

Do you think some funds say \$50.00 to \$75.00 can be appropriated to pay the expenses of getting the speakers? I believe that a moderate amount expended this way with liberal advertizing will be a profitable investment for our school.

Washington College where you expect to be on the 4th, of May is only a short distance from here. Can you not arrange to come here also at that time and remain a few days with us?

School is moving along nicely. Some time ago I wrote you about getting some insurance on the Sanitarium and barn, What would you advise? Please have the kindness to send me a report of your receipts etc. for March and oblige.

Sincerely Yours,

(L.R.E.)

Chas. F. Eager

Sec'y.

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CUMBERLAND GAP, TENNESSEE.

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Lakeside, Ills., April 6, 1899.

Major-General O.O.Howard,

Lo East 23rd St., New York City.

Dear General:-

Here is an article which I found in the Los Angeles Sunday Times of March 5, 1899, regarding Hon.David Rankin, a millionaire farmer, of Tarkio, Missouri.

My guess is that the right kind of a letter from you will bring a donation of a few hundred dollars from this man. You lectured at Tarkio, and Mr.Rankin is the founder of Tarkio College. You probably met him there.

Write him a shining letter--one that will make him believe that you actually expect a donation just as much as the colored brother, mentioned by this article.

Please return the article after you have used it as much as you wish.

Very truly yours,

Cyrus Kehr

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LINCOLN MEMORIAL UNIVERSITY,

CUMBERLAND GAP, TENNESSEE

Lakeside, Ill., April 8, 1893.

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10 West 33rd St., New York City.

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James O. Baker

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EDITORIAL ROOMS OF THE STANDARD DICTIONARY.

This House adopts the Orthography of the following rule, recommended by the joint action of the American Philological Association and the Philological Society of England—Change d or ed final to t when so pronounced, except when the e affects a preceding sound.

New York, April 6, 1899.

Gen. O.O. Howard,
10 E. 23rd St., City.

My dear Mr. Howard:-

Would you be so kind as to accept a mid-day lunch with Dr. A.C.Dixon, Rear Admiral Philip (late Capt. Philip of the warship "Texas" in the battle that sank Cervera's fleet), and others, at the "St. Denis Hotel" on Monday, April 10th, at one o'clock sharp?

Our object is to exchange views on a practical, non-partisan plan, which Dr. Dixon has, for lessening the frightful ravages of the liquor evil in Greater New York. The liquor evil, the late Dr. Crosby said, "is responsible for over ninety per cent. of pauperism"; and Gladstone declared it the cause of more misery than war, famine, and pestilence combined; Dean Farrar pronounces it a greater hindrance to the work of the church in reaching the masses than anything else. Its consideration certainly merits the busiest hour of the busiest men.

The lunch will be in a private room, and strictly private. The following are the guests invited besides yourself: Rear Admiral Philip, Hon. Darwin R. James, Dr. Louis Klopsch, John Rockefeller, A. W. Dennett, Rev. A. P. Doyle, Sec. James T. Dunn, Dr. David G. Burrell, John M. Cornell, John Inglis, John Stanley, Hon. Noah Davis, Dr. R.S. MacArthur, Freeborn G. Smith, Gen. Wager Swayne, Ira D. Sankey, Rev. Stephen Merritt, Francis Ceawford, James Talcott, Rev. Dr. Arlington, and Col. A. S. Bacon. The meeting will be wholly informal and will last only one hour. May I not count upon your acceptance?

Yours most respectfully,

W. L. G.

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Yours most respectfully,

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*Recd
April 18*

Apr. 7, 1899
4/7/99.

General O. O. Howard,

10 East 23rd Street, City.

My dear General::

I shall be glad indeed to see you and have a chat with you
at your convenience,

Thanking you in advance for the article which you have been kind
enough to offer to write.

If convenient will you let me hear from you before you begin.

Very sincerely yours,

J. Tennyson Neely.

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Answered

April

11. 1899

Dear Sir,

New York, Apr. 7 1899

Mr. Forward

My good friend,

The National
Christian League for the Pro-
motion of Social Purity will
hold its annual meeting
in the Methodist Church, corner
of 14th St. + 7th Ave. on Sabbath
evening, the 14th inst. ^{at 8 p.m.} We ear-
nestly hope you will be present
& occupy a seat on the platform.
I would be glad if you would
~~display~~ & say that you would
speak for just a few minutes
— a word of encouragement.

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to the workers, ^{in any thing}
else. The meeting will be
addressed by Mr. Bolton
Hall, son of the late Rev.
Dr. John Hall, Co. Bacon, &
others.

Faithfully yours
Elizabeth B. Travis

Per T.

suffering from the influenza and also
I suppose from the excitement of the ^{Windsor} fire, - although I did not reach home that day until nearly five or later and so missed seeing the many sad sights.

It is very good of you to speak so

579 Fifth Avenue.

Dear Gen. Howard,

I was very sorry not to see your friend when he called a few days ago with a letter of introduction from you, but I have been confined to my room during most of the time for ten days.

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kindly of my connection with the war
work during the summer. I fear I
did not do very much but the work
was a great pleasure to me, and I
have certainly been more than repaid
for any effort on my part by the
many kind expressions of appreciation
that have come to me.

It was a regret to me not to
meet you when you called for I have
heard so much of your good work.
Believe me

Very sincerely
Helen Miller Gould

April 7th, 1899.

Ans. April 8. Hagerstown, Md. ²³¹
"no" Y. M. C. A.
April 7th 99.

Dear Gen. Howard:-

We desire to have the
Anniversary of our Asso. on
Sunday May 7th. The International
Committee have suggested
your name as a speaker for
that occasion. If you could
arrange to be with us on that
occasion I believe you could
do much good for the cause.
Will you please advise me
by return mail upon what
terms you could come.

The Asso. here has had a
severe struggle and I came
to this place about a month
ago with the idea of getting
it on a solid foundation.
Expecting an early reply, I am
Yours "In His Name"
L. Peyton Little
Gen. Sec.

EDWARD CORNING.

TELEPHONE - 18TH ST. 2208

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Answered April 7, 1899.
78 FIFTH AVE.
NEW YORK.

My dear Genl. Howard: Dear Sir,

I called at your office to-day to make the final arrangements for the lecture on "Grant & his Generals" at Manhattan Church, but unfortunately you were away.

I find that Grant's birth-day is on Thurs. the 27th inst. and that we can have the lecture that eve. provided it is arranged at once.

So far as I know now, this date will suit us, and from what you have already said, I understand it will suit you. Please let me know abt. this, so that I may know how to proceed with the arrangements.

Yrs. sincerely.

P.S. Have you any printed matter which we can use for advertising this lecture?

Edw. Corning

