

CHURCH OF CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR, (Lee Ave. Congregational.)

Memorandum from Rev. W. F. CRAFTS.

184 Hewes St., Brooklyn, E. D., N. Y.,

5712 1882.

May 12

Our S. S. children very much enjoy
"Donald's School Days." I have noted
"Gasparin" for purchase. You see
by above that I have moved to
a new street. Yours cordially,
W. F. Crafts.

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U.S. POSTAGE
ONE CENT

Mr. Howard
Rome, N.Y.

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Wash, D.C.,
May 12/89

Dear Gene:

I wrote you about a month ago inclosing the note with your indorsement, but receiving no answer I'm in doubt whether you got it. If not asking too much please let me hear from you.

Affectionately,
Cuddip



الخط

بسم الله الرحمن الرحيم

الحمد لله رب العالمين

والصلاة والسلام على من لا نبي بعده

وبعد فقد حضر في هذا اليوم

الذي هو يوم الاثنين من شهر ربيع الأول سنة ١٢٩٥

هـ الموافق لـ ١٠ من شهر ديسمبر سنة ١٩٧٥ م

في الساعة العاشرة صباحاً

في قاعة الاجتماعات

بمبنى البلدية

لقد تم مناقشة

الطلب رقم ١٢٣٤

الذي يتعلق بـ

المسألة المذكورة

وقد تم التوصل إلى

القرار الآتي

بأن

trouble you but it is a con-
venient thing to have. Sister
Hole & wife were in my
car & I had a nice chat -
Especially with Mrs. H.
whom I particularly like.
She had nervous prostra-
tion once. Her father thought
she would never be well -
But she has fully recovered.
I wish you or Lizzie or each
might write Kitty - even if
it were not more than a page
or two - My cheerful words
do her so much good. She
lives & thinks & thinks & can
do nothing else - & of course
you & I are ought in
her thoughts.

I saw Rob^t West, H. & Will-
cox have decided to take Admission
of \$40,000 if it proves or grows
larger but \$40,000

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Editorial Rooms
of St. Nicholas,
Union Square (North).

New-York, May 12, 1882.

General O. O. Howard.

Dear Sir:

Please accept, with the thanks of the
Editor, the enclosed check of The Century Co., for
Fifty dollars,
in payment for article entitled

"Harry's Kinsake."

You will confer a favor by filling up and returning
the enclosed receipt.

With many thanks for this
interesting paper, which (with a few
slight changes which seem to us
desirable in order to fully adapt it
to our young readers) will, we are
sure, be heartily welcomed by the
boys and girls - Editors "St. Nicholas."

"St. Nicholas"

New York
May 12. 1882

Answered by the
Genl. May 18/82



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EDITORIAL ROOMS, THE CHRISTIAN UNION,

20 LAFAYETTE PL

22 WASHINGTON SQUARE

NEW YORK

May 12 188 *2*

~~HENRY WARD BEECHER,~~ { *Editor*
LYMAN ABBOTT,

A Check for *Five* Dollars

is sent herewith in payment for your
contribution, entitled

A Mite of a Black Boy

published in the Christian Union *May 11*

Respectfully yours,

Lyman Abbott
B.

Abbott, Rev L.
"Christian Union"

New York
May 12 1882.

Answered by the
Genl May 13/82



Office of the
YOUNG MEN'S
CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION,
No. 50 Clinton Street.

Buffalo, May 13 1882.

Maj-Gen. O.O. Howard:-
Dear Bro:-

Your card at
hand - can you not
send me some circulars
or a specimen copy of your
work for Sunday Schools.

I will very gladly call
the attention of Superin-
tendents to it.

Building fund is growing
very slowly -
we have much to thank
you for General -

Yours truly,
Geo. B. Sevier

Squire, J. B.

Office of the
YOUNG MEN'S
CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION
No. 50 Clinton Street.

Buffalo

May 13/82.

Answered by the
Club May 19/82



Smith, H. W.

Washington

May 13, 1882.

Answered by the
Genl. May 16/82.



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631-Ft St S.W.
Washington D.C.
May 13th 1882

Maj Genl O.O. Howard
Comd'g Dept of West Point N.Y.
General:

I am a stranger
to you but for my cause I trust that
you may be good enough to lend a kind
and listening ear to my appeal - it is
this, a small Church has been built
here in South Washington the Tabernacle
it is called it is Independent and
Congregational in government, it is under
the noble Christian Pastorate of Rev
W. M. Hicks and is doing much good,

many are coming in through
confession of faith - we have a
great field for active work here
the labor & responsibility to erect
this Church has been great &
noble men and women have ^{done}
much with their time, money & ~~effort~~
athes - Yet we are not out of the
woods financially and much
remains to be overcome - You
General have always been the friend
and promoter of every moral or religious
enterprise for the uplifting of the
sons of the earth - and I beg your
aid for a mile for our Fund Society
it will do us great good - or can I
not urgently request your good kindly
aid to obtain for us a subscription
large or small from some of the
many able sources that you might

be able to reach - My own
zeal to do what I may for
the Master in a humble way
is my only excuse for thus troubling
you and many others - "Ora et labora"
is the legend of our beloved
Tabernacle - and in that watchword
I believe we shall come out victorious

Fifteen years ago I was the Worthy
Pastmaster of Howard Dio Sons of
Temperance in this City and you were
Worthy Associate - I met you many
times then - I merely mention
this to let you know why I feel
that you are with us in all
good acts toward God and man.

In conclusion respectfully
let me assure you that whatever
you may see fit to say or do for
us will be thankfully acknowledged

I am very respectfully
your obdt servant
A. W. Smith

One of Directors of the Tabernacle Fund
Society -

1891

Milwaukee Wisc. May 13th 82.

Major General O.O. Lowry.
Superintendent of West-Point.

Dear Sir!

I would be ever so much obliged to you if you would be kind enough, to inform me, if the Gentlemen Frank & Joe Hardie, Sons of General James A. Hardie are at your institution at West Point, or in the service of the army, or where I could get their address.

I Sir, was the messenger for General James A. Hardie at Washington in the war department at 1863, and was very fond of the sons, and I therefore like to know their whereabouts, to give them a sign of my still living.

With high respect.

William Loring
4815 Winnebago Str.

Loring W.

Milwaukee
May 13, 1882.

Answered by the
Genl. May 16/82



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The American Sunday-School Union,

No. 1122 Chestnut Street.

Philadelphia, May 13th 1882

Dear Sir:

At a meeting of the Board of Managers of the
American Sunday-School Union, held at the Society's
House, on the 11th day of May
you were elected one of the

VICE-PRESIDENTS

of the Board. An acknowledgment of this notice, at
your convenience, will much oblige,

Yours, very respectfully,

J. F. Stone
Secy

To Gen. C. C. Howard

Stone, J. F.
Ans. F. F. Union

Philadelphia
May 13. 1882.

Answered by the
Genl May 16/82.



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Received at _____ 1882.

Dated Rockport Mass May 14

To Genl O O Edwards

When did Robt leave for
home Answer

Henry Dennis

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Theriac, &c.

Postmark
Mass.

May
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of the Honor Roll will remain,
but exceptions ^{may} well be made
to conform to the Navy List -

as for those having a vote of
thanks an additional term of
ten years - I am in that rank

I may sacrifice myself if it
be necessary to protect Schepied
to whom I think a previous
wrong was done by President
Hayes. I expect him back now. and
if the President will not give him a
Command according to his Rank. I may

offer to let Schepied Com him. and
let Schepied have his place -
Yours W. Sherman

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Headquarters Army of the United States,

Washington, D. C., May 14 1882

Gen O. O. Howard, Sept-

best Sir my dear -
Gen Howard -

I am just back from my
long trip and am writing
this Sunday to answer a large
batch of letters received. Which
my Aunt Raen could not
answer - Any other your
of May 12.

The Hook is also in my
tube. Mountain Scouting
Furrow - but of course

I have not had time to give
it a Critical Examination,
as a general Rule I encourage
all my officers to publish
professional works, especially
such as contain their own
personal Experience, but do
not think it wise to stamp
any with official approval
till they have been subjected
to the test of others. If this
volume prove valuable to
young officers engaged in scouting
it will be sought for, without
being made obligatory.

I am now ready to look to the
time of the Examination in June -
I infer the 1st Class will
graduate about June 12. that
Otis of Leamworth will make
the Annual Address, and that
the Order of Exercises will be
pretty much as heretofore.
My purpose is to attend
unless prevented I am certain
when I will cut short
and look to the care of
my family & dependants -
I have yet seen no one, but
think the Compulsory feature

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HEADQUARTERS ARMY OF THE
UNITED STATES.
WASHINGTON, D.C.

May 15. 1882

Genl. O. O. Howard

Comdg. Dept. of West Point
West Point, N.Y.

Dear General.

I have just returned from
a long trip with General Sher-
man, and find you two
notes, that of the 7th March
enclosing a check on N.Y. for
\$27²⁰ and that of May 12,
one for \$101³⁰. or \$128⁵⁰ in
all. - and I enclose you
note, duly cancelled.

If the money has been
of any service to you, I
am doubly repaid.

Yours Truly

O. M. Poe

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Office of the Lewiston Journal.

Lewiston, Me., May 15 1880

Mr. Howard:

Yours recd. In reply
to your questions will say
that last year the city of
Auburn voted to erect a
monument to the deceased
soldiers of the city. It
is to be of granite, ~~the~~ a
heavy base with figures
of soldiers, "honor" etc. It
will be in place and will
be moved ^{there was no formal laying of corner stone} Memorial Day.
The Grand Army Posts of
Lewiston and Auburn, as
local uniting companies will
be present. So will also the
Governor and his staff -
He will willingly pay

Lewiston Journal

The cost of copying of
which you speak -

Very truly

W. A. Pugini

For Proprietor

Answered by the
Genl May 16/82



P. O. DEPARTMENT.

14th

Office of Postmaster.

Augusta, Maine., May 15 1882

My Dear Sir:

I see by the papers that you are to speak in Auburn, Decoration Day. I was going over there the 23rd of the month but if you are to give the oration would rather postpone my days journey until then. I should be very much obliged if you would spare me the time to inform me if you have decided to be there Memorial Day.

Please remember me to Mrs. Howard and excuse me for the trouble I make you.

I am

Very Sincerely Yours,

Walter D. Stinson

To

Genl. Howard,

Accepted, Mrs
May 15/82.

Answered by Mrs
Evel. May 16/82



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Little Rock, Ark. May 15th - 1882.

Genl O. O. Howard.

Commandant West-Point-

Dear Sir.

Perhaps every mail contains letters of enquiry for you to decide doubtful questions or fine points upon Tactics & of course such things require too much attention to be always noticed; but my reasons for thus addressing you are twofold as I understand the Judges of the Indianapolis drill July 4th 1882, are to be selected from the graduates of your 1st Class, therefore as a contentant it is essential for me to drill according to your interpretation.

1st Pough 106 Upton's Tactics "At this command, { cease firing } the men cease firing, reload their pieces if unloaded, and afterwards bring them to a cary." This rule is general.
How is this applied to fire breaching

and fire lying down? If the
Command can find should be given.
Par, 90 Left Reverse arms The piece is
placed under left arm, with the right hand
left hand carried to ^{the} small of the back
the right hand behind the back" Does this
mean the piece is held against the body
with left arm hands then changed
or is motion executed same as 2nd
motion of reverse left hand height of shoulder
right hand extended, in front of the band?

9th Army & Navy Journal decides in
translation 189 that guide marches at camp
in company front; other guide executing such
motions in manual with the company as are
laid down in above Paragraph.

I wish to hear of a single
Company being a Sub Division in Column
what is your opinion?

I remain very Respectfully

Yours Obedient Servant

John Waters

Capt. Quapaw Guards

Ark State Militia

Little Rock, Ark.
May 15, 1882

Waters, John
Capt. Quapan Guards, A.S.M.

Requesting information on
points in Infantry Tactics.

Answered by the
Genl June 2d 1882.

(Jms. Richard)

My dear Mr. [illegible]
[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]



Order
Command
Pae. 8
[illegible]

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Edmund P. Platt, Chairman,
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Executive Committee
of the State Association
of the Young Men's Christian Associations
of the State of New York
Cor. of 23d Street and Fourth Ave.,
New York.

May 15th 1882

My dear General

The young man
of whom I wrote you is named
A. V. S. Wallace - Aged 28. Grad-
uate of Union College and Auburn
Theol Sem. - Was about two years
Gen Sec of the Schenectady Ass'n
and very successful. Has been
preaching a year in the Presby-
terian Church at Lyons Falls.
He has felt the strain has been
too much upon him to prepare
two sermons a week and do
pastoral work and was planning
to spend a year in some studies
& hearing N. Y. Preachers - But is
chance to do good and earn

Something as I presented it to
him at West Point. According to
your suggestion was somewhat
attractive to him and I
believe he might accept it if offered
him. If you are still of the
mind you were when we had
our conversation please write
him & plan the work.

He is still at Lyons Falls &
may perhaps desire to go to
Lec's Conference at New Haven
June 7th. Yet I am not sure
of this - Letter addressed to him
at Lyons Falls ^{N.Y.} will be forwarded
to him - He is a fine preacher &
am told sings & superintends
his Sabbath School. He is a lovely
Christian & will come nearer your
idea ^{than} I know of.

MAY
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Delighted to get your letter
Clifton Springs May 15th 1882
Lottie asks me to say that
Charlie asked to have his
report forwarded to Rowland
when you have done with it.
The Drs. say Lottie is gaining
wonderfully fast, & she is now
beginning to believe it. C. M. Foster

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N.Y.

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Hotel are no higher than at other houses claiming to be
first-class, that furnish much inferior accommodations

POTTER PALMER & WILLIS HOWE, Proprietors.

Palmer House, Chicago, May 15-188

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Dear Genl—

I left home for
Cal last week. My family knowing
that I intended to stop here
a few days forwarded your
letter of the 9th—

I have rec'd Doubleday's
book & have it at home. I
can not recall the oron to
which you allude & of course
can not answer your question.

I was in command
of the Third Corps which arrived
just at Chambersville. After
the arrival of Genl Hooker I
had no command other than the
12th Corps & the Artillery under
Col Bert—

Yours truly

McWorm

Genl J. G. Howard

Chicago, Ill.
May 15. 1882.

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*A similar letter is sent by Principal Perkins to patrons
and friends of Exeter. We would join you I shall greatly
value, if you can spare us the time & effort. C.F.B.*

PHILLIPS ACADEMY.

ANDOVER, MASS., May 15, 1882.

Genl O.O. Howard, West Point.

DEAR Sir

The effect of tobacco upon boys has of late claimed the attention of many persons interested in the welfare of schools in England, France, Germany and America. It has been the subject of discussion in our own Faculty. So far as we can learn, it is the unanimous testimony of physicians that the use of it by boys and young men is bad for mind and body. For this reason it has already been prohibited in the U. S. Naval Academy at Annapolis, and more recently in the U. S. Military Academy at West Point. In the report of the Surgeon General of the U. S. Navy for 1879, there is a careful scientific discussion of this matter by Dr. A. L. Gihon, Medical Director at Annapolis. Brief extracts from this report are sent herewith to which your attention is respectfully called.

We should be glad to have you write to us and state what your own preference is as to the use of tobacco by boys in whom you are most interested, and also whether you would regard a rule prohibiting it entirely in this school as reasonable, and practicable.

If any effort is made to suppress by school authority a practice that is working so much mischief with boys, and which yet is to many boys so attractive, we feel that the co-operation and support of parents is first of all to be sought.

You will observe that the question of the use of tobacco by adults is not touched; the inquiry relates simply to boys.

If you will give us your views upon this matter you will much oblige us and assist us in determining just the right measures to be taken with boys who are committed to our care.

Yours very respectfully,

PRINCIPAL.

PHILLIPS ACADEMY.

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Very respectfully,



PRINCIPAL.

Phillips Academy

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Mr. O. O. Johnson, West Point.

*Received by the
Sul. May 19/82.*