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Berkeley School, 6 East 44th St.,  
U. S.—The list of reviewing officers of the battalion in the years  
past, has been rather a remarkable one, including General McClellan,  
General Sherman, General Ward and others whose names are  
Major General Howard,

My dear Sir,  
Now among your friends, and I shall personally regard it as a

The enclosed letter from Colonel Church, who is  
the father of one of our little officers in the school, introducing  
General Morgan, the father of our colonel, and myself, will, I am  
sure, be sufficient explanation of the letter which I am now  
writing.

It will give the 250 boys of the Berkeley School and their  
teachers, the greatest satisfaction if you will kindly act as  
reviewing officer of the battalion at our annual drill in the new  
22nd Regiment armory, 67th St. & Boulevard, on the evening of April  
16th.

With much regret that General Morgan and myself cannot meet  
you in person, and feeling sure that you will excuse our sending  
the invitation by mail, I have the honor to remain

Yours faithfully,

Major General Howard,

Governor's Island, N. Y.

*John S. White*,  
Head-Master

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P. S.--The list of reviewing officers of the battalion in the years past, has been rather a remarkable one, including General McClellan, General Sherman, General Ward and others whose names are well-known to yourself. You will have many of the fathers of our boys among your friends, and I shall personally regard it as a very great honor to have you come to our school.

I take pleasure in sending you a pamphlet descriptive of the new building of the Berkeley School, which we shall enter next month.

It will give the 300 boys of the Berkeley School and their teachers, the greatest satisfaction if you will kindly act as reviewing officer of the battalion at our annual drill in the new Second Regiment armory, 87th St. & Boulevard, on the evening of April 10th.

In a short interval after General Howard and myself expect most likely to return, and therefore hope that you will accept our cordial invitation to do so. I have the honor to remain

Yours faithfully,

John D. White,  
Major General Howard,

Robeson's Island, N. C.

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Major General Howard

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OFFICE OF THE

United States Army & Navy Journal,  
240 BROADWAY,

New York. April 1 1881

May. General

O.O Howard U.S.A.

Dear General.

My friends, Dr. J. S. White & Judge Jonathan J. Morgan, are much interested in the Berkeley School - the one as its principal; the other as the proud father of the young man who commands the school Battalion.

The Berkeley is, as you no doubt know, one of the finest schools in the city, and as Dr. White & Gen. Morgan are both of the veterans of the war they are anxious to keep alive in it the spirit of patriotic devotion. For this reason they want you to review the Battalion at their annual parade. Gen Butterfield has

performed this service on me as  
cousin, and the officers of the 7th  
Regiment or another they wish to  
make sure of you, now that you  
are in New York. I hope you will  
find it convenient to accept their  
invitation. Your presence will be an  
inspiration to the boys, & as I have  
a son in the school I am interested  
with the others to secure your  
attendance.

Very sincerely yours  
W. B. Church

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National Temperance Society  
— AND —  
Publication House.

P. O. BOX 2658.

58 READE STREET, NEW YORK, April 4th, 1891.

Major General O.O. Howard,

Governor's Island, N.Y. City.

Dear Sir,—Our National Temperance Society proposes to give a reception to Bishop John Ireland, of Minnesota, in the Concert Hall of the Metropolitan Opera House, this city, on Monday evening, the 13th inst. It is proposed to invite two hundred and fifty to three hundred prominent clergymen and laymen, and have Dr. Cuyler deliver an address of welcome, and we would like to have you present and also give a short address of welcome to our distinguished visitor. We shall invite Judge Noah Davis also to make a brief address, and after the response by Bishop Ireland to have cake and coffee passed, and a season of hand-shaking, etc.

We greatly hope you can be present on this occasion, and I desire to hear from you as soon as possible so we can issue our circulars.

Very truly yours,

J. N. Stearns  
Cor. Sec'y.

National Temperance Society

Appleton House.

P.O. Box 888.

1031 Avenue A, New York City, April 1st, 1891.

Major General O. O. Howard,

Governor, State of Indiana.

Dear Sir, - Our National Temperance Society would like to

give a reception to Bishop John Ireland, of Minnesota, in the  
Court Hall of the Methodist Home, this city, on Monday

evening, the 13th inst. It is proposed to have the meeting in  
the hall of the Indiana State Fair, on Franklin Street, at

quarter past seven, and we would like to have  
you present and if so give a short address to our dis-

ciples of Jesus Christ, who have been laboring in the cause of  
temperance for many years. We trust you will be pleased to do us

any favor you can, and we hope you will be present.

We trust you will be present on this occasion, and I

hope to hear from you as soon as possible so we can send out

invitations.

Very truly yours,

John G. Smith.

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# Pennsylvania Railroad Company

United Rail Roads of New Jersey Division,  
General Superintendents Office,

F. Wolcott Jackson,  
Genl. Supt.

Jersey City, N.J.

April 4th, 1891.

O.O. Howard,

Major General U.S.A.

Governor's Island, New York.

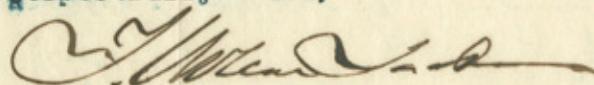
Dear Sir:-

Your letter of this date, together with personal interview with Captain Barnett, places the question of receiving the checks for transportation to and from St. Louis in a somewhat different light from that as previously understood.

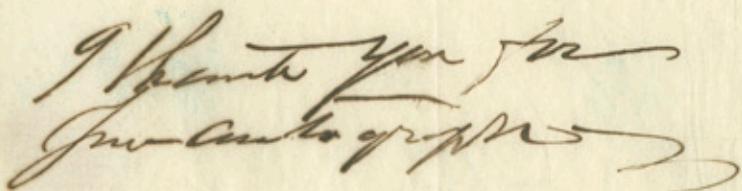
The intention of our Company was to occasion no expense to the family of the late General Sherman in connection with the transportation of the remains of General Sherman to St. Louis and Captain Barnett was so advised.

In view of the facts, however, that the Secretary of War directed that the officers and others of the Army should accompany the remains and the expense of those so detailed was to be borne by the Government, there would seem to be no impropriety in the Railroad Company receiving the checks and the amount will be forwarded to the proper officer of the Company for distribution over the lines performing the service.

Respectfully Yours,



General Superintendent.



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Major General U.S.A.

Governor's Library, New York.

Sir:

Your letter of this date, together with hereto

enclosed with O'Brien Business, bisects the description of receiving the species for

examination at Jefferson Barracks a newspaper clipping from St. Louis of the same date as

herewith annexed.

The information of our Company was to this summary of the facts

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General Sherman was to be paid by the General, prior to the remittance of the amount of the

amount of the money so necessary to the remittance and the expense of the same to

the proper officer of the Company for distribution over the funds remaining in the

service.

Respectfully yours,

General Sherman

H. Jackson Wolcott

S. S. McCLURE,  
TRIBUNE BUILDING,  
NEW YORK.

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LONDON OFFICE:  
2 DEAN'S YARD,  
WESTMINSTER, S. W.

April 4, 1891.

Gen. O. O. Howard,

Governor's Island, New York City.

My dear Sir:

I trust that you will pardon me for having overlooked the matter of payment for your article on the "Indian Uprising." I enclose herewith cheque for \$60.

Very truly yours,

S. S. McClure

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CHEM. ADDRESS: ("Aldersgate, New York",  
("Egerton, Longon").

S. S. McCURRY,  
TRIBUNE BUILDING,  
NEW YORK.

April 1, 1861.

Gen. O. O. Howard,

Governor, State of New York City.

My dear Sir:

I trust that you will convey me to you in due

order concerning the matter of payment for your service on the "Linguis-

Uprisings." I enclose herewith a check for \$60.

Aera fifty pounds

*McClure J. F.*  
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OXFORD CLUB.

Brooklyn, N.Y. April 4th, 1891.

General O. O. Howard,

Govornors Island,

N. Y.

Dear Sir:-

On Saturday evening April 25th the Oxford Club of Brooklyn will give a Reception and Complimentary dinner to its Honorary Member, Rear Admiral Braine who will retire from active service a few days thereafter. It would give us great pleasure if you could be present and deliver a short address as we desire to make the occasion as pleasant for Admiral Braine and interesting as possible.

Sincerely yours,

William Peirce

President.

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Secretary.

## Sherman Memorial Service Committee.

Memorial Service  
May 7<sup>th</sup> 1891.  
Academy of Music.

Brooklyn, N.Y. April 4<sup>th</sup> 1891.

Genl O. O. Howard U.S.A.

Governor's Island N.Y.

My dear General:- The printing for  
the Service will be furnished without  
~~Expense~~ by Mr Blanchard. This will  
put several hundred dollars to  
~~Surplus~~. Will your Son permit  
his name to be use on that Com?

Briz Ben Blanchard Esq Chairman  
Commodore Gro. W. Melville U.S.A.

Lieut Guy Howard U.S.A.

Now Darwin, R James

Candid J. P. Howatt.

Please let me know by telefrom  
on Monday - Will you also let me  
know when & can see you either  
at your Hd Office or at some place in  
the City on Monday - Yours very truly  
B. R. Corwin

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YOUNG MEN'S ASSOCIATION,  
OF THE  
BROADWAY TABERNACLE CHURCH.

New York April 4<sup>th</sup> 1891

Genl D. Howard  
Dear General

In reply to your kind favor of yesterday I beg to enclose Twenty-five dollars in payment of your lecture before our Assn - Thank you for donating the other half of the price

Very truly

Rufus Adams  
President

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Frank Charles  
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Newport the 5<sup>th</sup> April 1890.

9<sup>th</sup>

General B G Howard!

Your considerate Letter in reply to my request to hand, I once more take the liberty of an Answer by way of returning your Col. Wendenhall's Letter.

My heart felt Thanks for the kind Offer of a timely Letter of Recommendation which I occasionally shall take the liberty of asking you for, in case of need, that is, when I shall find myself able to get some Position in event.

Will you, dear Sir excuse me as being citizen at the present time, following remarks concerning Col. Wendenhall's Letter.

Every body who reads my Discharges and this Letter will find one or the other a falsehood, or a man deserves a good Charakter and Logical also certainly also an answering Recom - mendation.

I have served as Musician in the german Army, got the Medal of honor from my superiors in the french Service where I have been during the war in Mexico

but to tell the truth, I never had a  
Colonel with only know a member of  
the Headquarter, as a Bandinian is  
classified, a little.

Sir, I confess you, that this letter of  
Col. Mendenhall has deeply offended me  
no straight forward Gentleman speaks  
in such terms of another man without  
he can right away give satisfactory  
reasons for it, what for did he not  
tell you the cause, that he cannot  
recommend me for anything?

Still more do I object to his re-  
marks in regard to my wife? I  
will not enter in nearer discussion  
about that Matter. My wife is no  
School teacher, but the widow of a  
Officer in my country with a high  
education and therefore only already  
respected in that Character, not to  
say, that she is a respectable women  
and mother of her Children, about Don't I  
allow not any remarks from no  
other man.

I have taken a copy of Col.  
Mendenhall's Letter and beg you also  
to keep it, in case it should be asked  
for by another authority.

Excuse once more, dear Sir, but  
you will do it, as you very well  
know, what becomes to a gentleman  
if his honor and the one of his  
Family is attacked, no matter if  
he wears a soldier's coat or an Officer's  
uniform, as the man is the same

Very respectfully

Charles Spang

in care of Dr. Lorenz, 138 W. Bouton st.

New York

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Lomax Custer Co Neb  
March Apr 5 1891

Major Gen O.O. Howard

Governors Island N.Y.

Dear General. Permit me -  
once a soldier of your old command  
17<sup>th</sup> Al to address you a few lines.

It is now 26 years since we  
the volunteers laid aside the garb  
of blue, and returned to the peaceful  
pursuits of home life, during  
all these long years, there has  
often arisen in our memory.

remembrances of our old Commanders,  
of Nelson, Buell, Rosecrans  
Gordon Granger (yourself) and  
glorious old "Fighting Joe", and  
as we look backward over more  
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Commanders of the war days.

Of most of them is written after their names - Patriot; some of them may be added - "gallant and glorious" but only of one, can be truthfully pre-fixed, the qualification that shall endure longer than that of - "Patriot - Gallant or Glorious," lasting through all time - bringing full witnesses in Eternity, "The Christian Soldier".

Dear General. It seems but a short time since, although it was then 1863 & 4, there was organised a Sunday School, at the foot of Lookout Mt, when the H.A.C. was in winter qrs there, while although the results at the time were not as gratifying as could have been wished - the effect in after years has undoubtedly been wide spread, and I for one can thank you, can

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then vouch-safed to me, and, many  
of my dear Comrades, whom on the  
Atlanta Campaign and at  
Bentonville gave up their lives to  
sustain the old flag.

Dear General - as we see, one by  
one, our old Commanders beaten  
in the last conflict, between Life  
and the tyrant Death, we can  
hope in the true spirit of Charity,  
that they have been promoted -  
when the last of the old guard  
shall have taken the last ditch  
and forded the dark river, and  
as you come out upon the  
golden shore, may the Blessed  
Jesus meet you and say  
to you - "well done thou good  
and faithful servant enter  
thou into the joy of our Lord"

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and now Dear General, may  
peace and happiness attend  
you here and hereafter is the  
prayer of your old Crippled soldier  
In the spirit of F. C. <sup>my</sup> L

Geo H Blakeslee  
Late Sergt Co G - 129<sup>th</sup> Ill-Vol-Inf't  
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