Mount Hermon, Franklin County, Mass.

Saturday, April 18, 18---

Dear Sir:

On June 13th I am to have a cage debate on the resolution that "That the reformation of Indian affairs demands their transfer to the War Department," and I am on the negative side of the question. Can you kindly give me any points either against or for the question: Also can you give me the address of Mr. Herbert Wilcox, a man well known on the Indian question. Hoping you can spare time to answer.

Sincerely,

James Wyly

Edgar R. Hyde.
St. John's Church.
530 Bedford Ave,
Brooklyn.
Apr. 18, 1891,

Dear Sir. Howard,

Your reply of the 15th inst.
is at hand.

Nothing would give me more
pleasure than to comply with your
wish and aid your mission work
with a large collection, as the
price of an address from you
on May 10th.

I greatly regret that the situa-
tion in my own church plainly
makes that impossible.

In addition to very frequent
appeals to my congregation for
numerous benevolences, we are
at present pressing everybody
within our borders for money
to pay off our debt of nearly
thirty thousand dollars with
which the church is oppress-
ively burdened. So that
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any additional appeals would now be unwise, unfair, and impracticable.

Wishing you all success in your religious work, and rejoicing in it as a part of the noble record of Mr. Howard's life, I am, with all honor and affectionate esteem for you,

Evvv sincerely yours

W. V. Kelley
Pastor St. John's.
Kelley W. V.

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Feb. 15 - 1891

Dear General,

Have you any recollection of one George Arrowarmistha, 1st Lt., Co. G, 15th N.Y. S.V. who fell at Gettysburg in the first days fight? I am preparing a biographical sketch of the regiment of the Arrowarmistha, Post S.A.R. of this place. Any information you can give will be esteemed as a favor. We desire our...
himself as a brave and
gallant officer, prior to his
connexion with the 137th and
at Chancellorsville gained
credit in defeat. It would
not be strange however, even
if you had not known him as
him in the army, as an
officer in your corps, that
you should have forgotten
him, so many years having
elapsed since his death.

James Ventry
John D. Appleton
to Gen B. D. Reno

S. J. He was a college associ-
ate of mine, and I can bear
witness to his splendid talents
and noble qualities of heart.
April 18th, 1891.

Dear Sir:--

Through an error of one of my clerks, while the writer was ill with the Grip, a printed notice was sent you for which I desire to apologize.

The Committee in charge of the Grant Birth-day Dinner will feel much complimented in your accepting the enclosed invitation.

Very respectfully yours,

[Signature]

For;--

[Signature]

Genl. O. O. Howard
BOYNTON BICYCLE RAILWAY CO.,

MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE BUILDING (Room 615),

No. 32 Nassau Street, New York.

Enclosures.

New York, N. Y. Apl. 18\textsuperscript{th}, 1891.

Maj. Gen. O. O. Howard,

Governors Island,

N. Y.

Dear Sir:-

I regret exceedingly that I was not in when your self and Son called yesterday.

I enclose you herewith, one hundred shares of the stock of "The Boynton Bicycle Railway Company", which Mrs. Boynton and myself take great pleasure in sending you, as a token of our esteem.

Very respectfully yours,

E. Moody Boynton
Boston Bicycle Railway Co.

Mutual Life Insurance Building (850 ft.)

62 Nassau Street
New York, N.Y.

Dear Mr. Gen. O. Howard,

Governor Island

H.Y.

Dear Sir:—

I regret exceedingly that I was not in New York last Sunday and so could not confer with you. I understand you have reported our standard rates of the street cars of "The Boston Electric Railway Company" which the company and myself take great pleasure in hearing you to a lower and as efficient as possible rate.

Yours respectfully,

[Signature]

William A. Peabody
Gen. O. O. Howard,

Dear Sir:—

We are putting forth a strong effort to make the anniversary meeting of our Association, which will be held (probably) on May 17th next, in the evening, a decided success, and in order to do this it will be necessary to have for the principal speaker of the evening a well known person from some other place. We are agreed that an address from you will not only be acceptable to our towns people, but prove a means of strength to our association and we therefore most earnestly request you to give us an affirmative answer to this invitation to make an address for us on the occasion named.

Can we expect an early answer?

Yours Sincerely,

[Signature]

President.
Dear Sir:

We are planning forthwith a special effort to make the anniversary meeting of our Association a success. (appropriately on May 14th next) in the evening, and in order to go there it will be necessary to have for the dinner an able speaker of the evening a well known by name from some other place. We are therefore anxious to have people of a higher class to make a meeting of the Association and we therefore most earnestly request you to give us an affirmative answer to this invitation to make an appearance as on the occasion named.

Can we expect an early answer?

Yours sincerely,

[Signature]

Gen. Secretary

[Signature]

President
Corona,
Queens Co., N. Y.

April 20, 1891

My dear General O. O. Howard:

My dear Sir — it gives me

great joy to know that

you will preach or

speak to my people at

the Union Evangelical

Church, Corona, N. Y.

Next Sunday, 7:30 A.M.

Not a has been

since Cremales and a veteran

will be present to listen to you

who would not to a Minister.

Maybe some by you words

will be lead to fight the

good fight of faith. + led hold
Dear Mr. Howard,

I have been informed of the recent developments in the area and I wanted to express my concern and support. As a member of the community, I believe it is important to address these issues and work together to find a solution.

Please let me know if there is anything I can do to assist. I am here to help in any way possible.

Sincerely,

[Signature]

P.S. I will be attending the community meeting this evening to learn more about the situation.
On eternal life.

Mr. Camp will come up with you and I wish you to take supper with me at the Parsonage with Mr. Camp.

If you have prepared them or wish special hymns sung let us know. We shall be glad to have you give commands.

May shall be held. A collection will be taken for your noble work downtown.

I think it will be well for you to come to be driven from your Bible class. I spend thoughts of you often. We feel of a great honor to have such a soldier with us.

Yours truly, W. F. Beeck
New York, April 20th, 1891.

Genl. O.O. Howard,
Governor's Island.

My Dear General:

Department Commander Freeman writes me that he was unable to get the band of the First Artillery. Would it be possible to get the David's Island Band? otherwise we may be without music, as we do not want to encroach upon the fund subscribed for the monument, if we can possibly avoid it. Of course, we would cheerfully pay the expense of getting the band to Riverside Park.

My Committee would be very much indebted to you if you could help us in this emergency, and we would not ask it did we not feel that every officer and soldier of the regular army wants to contribute to the perturbation of the glory of their old Chief. I am

Very truly yours:

Charles H. T. Collis
Ex. Com.
New York, April 20th, 1861.


My Dear Governor:

Department Commander I remain with we find we are
necessary to get the Army of the Potomac into
motion to get the Army's Island Battery operated we may be without much
as we go not want to sacrifice our the land occupied for the
moment. It we can hasten enough if of course we wait any
ruin by the expiration of order the army to Raritan Lake
My command must be very much deplored to you if you
come with me to take command may I must not fear if this we not
feel that every citizen any objection to the measures must we to
continue to the protection of the rights of right of citizen.

With faithful regards.

[Signature]
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Dear General Howard:

Allow me to thank you for your kind act in sending me the additional war for the article I mailed you a few days ago. Your promptness in to-day's mail and my promptness in to-day's mail led me to do not expect to hear from you for several weeks.
and I beg to state that I appreciate your kindness. With very high regards, Sincerely, Yours, William J. Roe.
April 21 1891

May 10th O.O. Herard
21 Dear General,

Peacefully hope you will be both willing and able to respond favorably to the accompanying request. It would not only give Mr. Rush and myself the greatest pleasure to hear you speak again but would I knew from both interesting and profitable to many large audiences.

Your friends the 0rnts are passing through a season of trial - Ada - their daughter has grip pneumonia and her
Case has assumed a serious turn.
In hope for the best.

Yours truly,

Oliphant Parry.
April 21st, 1891.

My dear Friend:

The Committee has been very much delayed in getting out the enclosed railroad circular concerning the Kansas City Convention, owing to the difficulty of obtaining from the railroad companies as promptly as usual reduced rates for the delegates.

We deeply regret this delay, but the Committee earnestly hopes that as many members of the State Committees as possible may be present among the delegates at Kansas City. Our friends there are making every arrangement to welcome the representatives of the Associations, and we earnestly hope that it may be in your power to be present.

Very sincerely yours,

[Signature]

P.S. It is hoped that the railroad circular may reach you before the date fixed for the Convention.
April 25th, 1931,

My dear friend:

The Committee has been very much pleased to

setting up the proposed letter of congratulation to the

City Committee, pointing out the difficulties of operating in the

latter committee as properly as may be, and that great care has been
done,

expressly.

We hereby tender our best wishes for the Committee's success,

hoped that as many members of the State Committee as possible

may be present at the gathering at Kanea City. Our thanks

speed the making of arrangements to welcome the representatives

of the Heavenly Father, and we earnestly hope that it may be to

your power to be present.

Very sincerely yours,

[Signature]
1108 Lombard St.
April 21st 1877

My dear General Howard,

You said that you would want the Police Callers ($15) you
sent me a few days ago on the 22nd. Since
I cannot reach the city line, I send you a check for $25.
You can keep the $13 for me, until I see you which
will be Thursday.
or Friday of this week, I turned
the $13 dollars
they sent me & it
on to payment
of Tocher Colson
Here.

Very truly,
Richard Mitchell.
My dear father

Will you please

write me a note inquiring whether E. H. Rhine goes to dinner with you on

(Thursday) (Wednesday) or Thursday

April 27 29 30

next week.

These are three days

when E. H. Rhine is not engaged.

This is quite important to me as he

will talk concerning a

position in the N. J. federation

for me, or our way over to

gather. It needs he but the

usual dinner with our family.
New York, Apr. 21, 1891.

Maj. Gen. O. O. Howard,

Governor Blunt, New York.

Dear Sir:

Will you permit us to book a limited number of dates next Fall and Winter for your lecture on Paul Sherman? We can offer good prices, and will arrange the engagements to suit your convenience. As to our standing the best, I beg to refer you to Mr. Lymann Abbot, Dr. J. M. Buckley, Hon. Devil Doughty, Dr. McMahon, and others on our list.

Respectfully,

Alonzo Foster.
April 21st, 1891.

My dear General Howard:

A young correspondent asks us - "What is the origin and significance of the custom of leading a horse saddled and bridled after the body of a dead military commander, as was done in the funeral of the late General Sherman?"

If you can find it convenient and possible to give me any information with which I can answer this question, it will be a very great favor to

Yours sincerely,

[Signature]

Lawrence Abbott.
Memos.

Wait a few days to see if any answer comes from Mr. Annett in regard to the 10 shacs.

New York City.

Dear Sir,
Gen'l O. O. Howard,

New York City.

Dear Sir,

We are pleased to advise you that we are in condition to resume the payment of dividends, and we believe that they can be paid regularly in the future, and to that end the following resolution was adopted at the last meeting of the Board of Directors, to wit:

"That a dividend of one dollar per share, based on the present capitalization of $400,000.00 represented by 4000 shares, be declared, to be payable to any stockholder upon his return to the Secretary of the Company of his present certificate and his acceptance in its place of a certificate for one half the number of shares returned by him, as was contemplated by the recent action of the Company in the reduction of its capital from $800,000.00 to $400,000.00."

Upon the receipt of your old certificates properly endorsed, new ones will be at once issued and returned to you, with a check covering the amount of dividend due you, as declared above.

Respectfully,

Rocky Mountain Bell Telephone Co.

D. S. Murray,

Ass't Sec'y.
Dear Mr. Horsey,

I am pleased to announce that you have been selected to be the president of the New York Telephone Company.

The appointment of 50,000,000 shares of 6% preferred stock is requested.

The same committee at the present session and all the nomination in the names of a committee to take charge of the matter at the meeting of the company to the

length of the stock from 50,000,000 to 50,000,000.00.

I wore the necessary of your and the necessary property, under,

and the right to be of what is known as the law, with a power to

Your friend,

J. H. Horsey