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GEN. JAS. GRANT WILSON, Editor.
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My dear General:—

As several of the writers are very
more behind with their biographies, the publishers will be
glad to receive your mass at the earliest possible moment
that you can conveniently complete it, by the addition of the
valuable data obtained in Mexico. As no satisfactory life
of General Taylor has hitherto appeared, I anticipate for
you, a warm reception and a wide circulation.

Very truly yours

Jas Grant Wilson

General Howard U.S.A.

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My dear General:-

As several of the volumes are now
in the hands of the publishers, it is
impossible for me to receive your
letter. You can conveniently complete it by the addition of the
valuable note contained in the volume. I am
glad to hear that you have been so successful in
your business occupation and am sure it will

Very truly yours

John A. Wilson

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Howard Crosby

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Boston, Apr. 4, 1921.

My dear brother:-

Your kind letter awaited me as I came to the office this morning. It is not best for the children to go to you this vacation. The children know Adeline and family very well and I thought perhaps they could go and not give much trouble - but so long as they are not there it is better for them not to go, particularly as you have sickness in the family. They will enjoy themselves at home - It was because Ella does not seem quite well that I wanted her to have a change. The trunk better be sent to me at Arlington. I suppose it much

come by Express, but please have it sent at my expense. It could wait until some one was coming here, but that the Peace Soc. think there may be papers that will help them in some way.

The officers are in session now, choosing a new Secretary. We shall know who, in an hour.

I hope you liked the memorial No. of the Advocate.

How much Jamie and his wife will enjoy taking the little Hildegard to see her relatives in Germany - I am glad they could go. Will they return with Harry and his mother?

I had a letter from Chas. a few days ago. He is pretty well, but there was a vein of sadness I did not like. He seemed to think because Rowland died at 57, he could not expect to live more than four years longer.

Shall you be home for sometime now? or shall

Affly your sister

Bel

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April 4, 1892.

Gen. O. O. Howard,

Governors Island, N.Y.

My Dear General;- In accordance with your request through Dr. Rice, I sat down to make out a brief as wanted for an address which you have promised to make for your Society and ours at Washington the 17th. inst.

I cannot do better I am sure than to enclose a little pamphlet which I prepared some months ago giving the object of the Society, the means it employs, the class it reaches and the encouragements. There are facts enough in it and figures as many perhaps as you will wish. If there are any points upon which you would like further information let me know and I shall be happy to respond.

Yours for the Master,

J. M. Stevenson

AMERICAN TRACT SOCIETY,

180 NASSAU ST, NEW YORK

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LORIN TAGG, AMB. LEGAT.

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JOHN CALVIN STEVENS,
ARCHITECT : : :
OXFORD BUILDING :
PORTLAND, MAINE :

Apr. 4, 92.

Maj. Gen. O. O. Howard.

Governors Island, N. Y.

My dear uncle Eli, —

What do you think we can do about settling father's expenses? Mother seems to think that the Peace Society cannot pay that \$2700.⁰⁰ which those doctors charged and if they don't of course someone must. I do not know whether any steps have been taken to have the charges reduced or not as yet but hope that something can be done in regard to it. Mother has such a small amount of money anyway that she absolutely cannot pay these charges it seems to me. She has only \$8,000.⁰⁰ altogether and 6% of this will yield her but \$480.⁰⁰ a year. We boys are just starting out and are very poor of course so cannot do much at present for mother and the children so far as financial aid is concerned. I do hope they will retain her as an assistant to the ^{new} secretary of the Peace Society when they get one. She would be first-rate in the position. With what she has and a small salary from

them, she would be able to live quite
she is and educate the children. Mr.
I hardly see what she can do.

I want to ask your advice in
to a matter concerning myself, as I have
no father now to advise with. I am very
anxious to go to Europe on the 1st of next
August for study and work. I have the
chance to go across quite cheaply and my
idea was to buy a bicycle before starting
and settle in Florence, Italy, from whence
I could take short trips out into the sur-
rounding country and thus avoid railroad
fares and keep in the open air. My pro-
fession is a peculiar one in regard to
the matter of study abroad. It is one of the
most vital things that go to make an
architect's education as your own obser-
vation of things has probably already told
you. I have had two years practical
training in Mr. Stevens' office and thus
know just what kind of things I want
to see and what would benefit and
broaden me most. It was my plan when
I left the Tech. to do just what I have done

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for about two years and
then go abroad for study if
I could. Prof. Chandler, the
Head of the architectural department at
Tech, advised us in one of his last talks
to pursue just this course. An intimate
friend of mine here wants me to go so much
that he is willing to loan me the money.
Mr. Stevens advises me to go no matter
what sacrifice it costs. You know per-
haps that I have no money now except
my pay which with my singing and
some newspaper work that I do amounts
to \$15.⁰⁰ a week. Father was generous enough
to give me his note for \$500.⁰⁰ on account
of the loss of an investment that he made
for me. I have the note now but shall
never claim the money of mother of course
as she needs all she has. Also father left
each of ~~us~~ boys about \$300.⁰⁰ in life insurance
which we will never take of course on account
of the same reasons.

So you see it is necessary for me

to borrow of my friends enough money
to cover these expenses which I had hoped
to cover myself. The whole expense will
come under \$800.⁰⁰ I know just what
it will cost me to live economically in
Florence from someone who is there at
present. While there I should keep on
studying my singing as the masters
are the best in the world and are very
cheap as regards price. Whatever I pay
for that will pay me a hundred fold
as I am already earning something with
only a little study here.

I long to become a man who knows
something. I care more for brains than for
money but I feel sure that this would
pay me in both.

Of course I should want to give
some kind of security to my friends who
advance me the money. Would you be willing
to "back me" in this matter? Would you
endorse my note if I gave one. I think I
need your advice in regard to this matter but
yet feel confident ^{myself} that it is a wise plan and
will be a paying one. Your affectionate Nephew,
Frank Howard.

Montclair Military Academy.
776 Bloomfield Avenue.
Montclair, N.J.

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April 4th, 1892.
Maj. Genl. O. O. Howard, U.S.A.,
Governors Island, N.Y.
Sir:

I have the honor to enclose a letter of introduction which I have tried to present in person several times, only to find that you were away.

If it be convenient for you to grant me an interview, will you kindly inform me as to the hours and place at which you would prefer to receive me, and very greatly oblige,

Very respectfully,
Your obt. servt.,

Edward H. Baker,
Col. & Comdt Cadts,
M.M.A.

John Wick

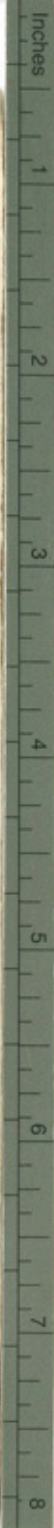
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Genl. A. V. Howard

Sir

At the
meeting of the Church last
evening it was Voted to give
Rev W^c Leod \$800
also Voted to ask Home
Missionary Society for \$400
leaving 400 to be raised for
him by us

Please inform me if you wish
the original Bill for Lamp
sent to you or my receipt
for the money stating what is
for if original I wish to get a duplicate
for my ope yours F. E. Francisco
248 Bleeker St



McKenzie Jane

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353 West 57th Street

April 4th 1892

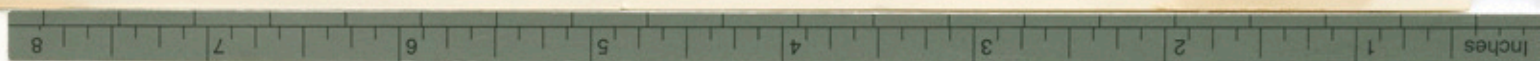
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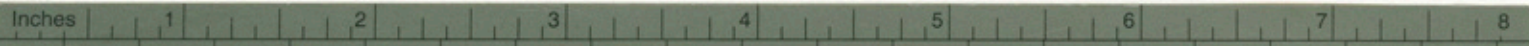
Dear Sir

Please accept
the enclosed check to
aid in the good work
you are so much engaged
in. I feel that I am ~~too~~ old
to labour now for the
Master, but truly thankful
that He has given me the
opportunity to contribute
the Widow's mite.

Yours Truly
Jane M^{rs} McKenzie

[Faint, illegible handwriting, likely bleed-through from the reverse side of the paper. The text is arranged in several horizontal lines across the page.]





IAS, President.

FRANCIS IRSCH, Vice-President and General Manager.

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New York, April 5th 1892

General O. O. Howard
Dear General

Mr Ellis forgot
to bring the papers to day but will do
so to morrow morning and send them to
your address c/o Captain - post 3 & R.

Yours truly F. Irsch

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Pikesville Balt. & G. Maryland ¹⁹⁹
April 5. 1892

Major Genl. O. O. Howard
Governor's Island, N. Y.
Dear Sir,

I received your letter
acknowledging receipt of fac-simile
copy of Confederate War map for which
please accept my thanks. Trusting
that will be of fund of interest as
well as information to you and again
thanking you
I remain

Yours very truly
J. Sewell Dally
Publisher

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

CABLE ADDRESSES: { "Aiddecamp, New York."
 { "Editorship, London."

LONDON OFFICE:
21 BEDFORD ST.,
COVENT GARDEN.

April 5th, 1892.

Gen. ^O Howard,

Governor's Island, New York Harbor,

My Dear Sir:-

N. Y.

I am just issuing another prospectus of my Youths' Department covering programs for the next six months. I would like to have your name on the list if ^{we} ~~you~~ can arrange for good subjects for short sketches of adventures and interesting episodes in Indian history. I want articles, as you know, of about twelve or fifteen hundred words, as I have to give a variety of matter in a rather limited space. I should be very glad to have you suggest some subjects. I should prefer narratives of adventure from your own experiences.

Very sincerely,

S. S. McClure

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Office of
William W. Fear,
Largest & Leading Dealer in
Staple & Fancy Dry Goods &c.
TROY BAZAAR.

Troy, N.Y. April 5, 1892.

Maj. Gen. O. O. Howard,

Gouverneurs Island, N. Y.

Dear Sir:-

I was obliged to specify April 17th as the date for the meeting alluded to in my first letter, as Chancellor Sims had written his acceptance for that date. A few days after writing you I received a second letter from him, saying that he regretted very much, but had made a mistake and had an engagement in Buffalo for that date. We are now at liberty to make a new date and I have taken the liberty of writing you again to see if you could not possibly come Sunday evening, the 24th inst., May first or May 8th. The committee and the members of the Association are very anxious to have you come to Troy and we would be very glad if you could name a date that would harmonize with your engagements and we will make our other plans conform to it. Hoping for a favorable reply,

I remain,

Very Sincerely Yours
W. W. Fear

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Dear Will

Dear Sir:-

Gouverneur Island, N. Y.

Gen. O. O. Howard.

April 2, 1892.

I was obliged to specify April 15th as the date for the meeting alluded to in my first letter, as Chancellor Sims had written his acceptance for that date. A few days after writing you I received a second letter from him, saying that he regretted very much, but had made a mistake and had an engagement in Boston for that date. We are now at liberty to make a new date and I have taken the liberty of writing you again to see if you could not possibly come Sunday evening, the 24th inst., May first or May 8th. The committee and the members of the Association are very anxious to have you come to Troy and we would be very glad if you could make a date that would harmonize with your engagements and we will make our other plans conform to it. Hoping for a favorable reply,

Very sincerely,
John A. Appleton

Baty J. R.

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N.Y. April 5th 1892

To Gen. O. O. Howard.

Dear Bro.

The Sunday-
School teachers of the
East side, would be
pleased to have you
address them at their
next monthly meeting,
April 21st, in the "Allen
M.E." Memorial Church,
Rivington St. between
Archard and Ludlow.

Remarks on anything
connected with S.S. work,
or any other topic you
may think appropriate,
for a half hour address.
The meeting will be
composed of Officers,
teachers, and Bible classes.
If you can favor us,
and will let me know
your Subject, this week,
we will put it on our
circular for the meeting.

Yours in Christ
J. R. Baty
287 W. Hanston St.
N.Y.

GEORGE G. DE WITT,
JACOB K. LOCKMAN,
JOHN T. LOCKMAN,
WM. G. DE WITT.

Cable Address: "EACH-NEWYORK."

LAW OFFICES OF

DEWITT, LOCKMAN & DEWITT,

No. 88 Nassau Street,

New York, April 5th, 1892.

Dear General:

Our Rector Rev. Henry Mottet desires to assist Dr. E. F. Smith of No. 50 West 12th Street, N. Y. to an appointment as assistant surgeon in the United States Army. Can you inform me as to the best way to proceed so as to obtain same?

An answer will greatly oblige,

Yours very respectfully,

John T. Lockman

To,

Genl. O.O. Howard.

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Genl. O.O. Howard.

To,

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Assistant Surgeon in the United States Army. Can you inform me as

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Our Rector Rev. Henry Mottet desires to assist Dr. H.

Dear General:

Civil Address: "EACH-NEWYORK."

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WILLIAM ALEXANDER SMITH,

W. W. ATTERBURY,
SECRETARY.

NEW YORK SABBATH COMMITTEE,

No. 31 Bible House.

New York, April 5, 1892

Dear General:-

You know that among the congresses to be held at Chicago during the Exposition, there is to be a Sunday Rest Congress similar to the one held with such great interest and important results in Paris a few years ago. Letters from Europe show that this Sunday Rest Congress is being anticipated with interest. It is designed to put it on very broad grounds so as to secure the co-operation of all who for any reason are in favor of the Sunday Rest.

I have been appointed Chairman of the Committee having this Congress in charge. Then to assist the Committee to give it the support of their influence and counsel, there is what is called an Advisory Council composed of prominent gentlemen interested in the cause, selected from our own country and from Europe.

I beg to ask that we may have the honor of putting your name on the list of this Advisory Council. I can assure you that you will be in good company.

I want very much to see you to confer about another matter, the closing of the Exposition on Sunday. I feel satisfied from correspondence etc. that our present point of attack should be Congress, but it requires very wise management at Washington.

From what I learn, I am afraid that some unnecessary prejudice has been awakened in the minds of some.

Gen. Wage
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matter.

HENRY A. OAKLEY,
JOHN E. PARSONS,
O. B. ST. JOHN BODIN,
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Gen. Wager Swayne has promised to prepare an article for the North American or some other Magazine, on the Sunday Closing for which I am to furnish him material. He is much interested ⁱⁿ the matter.

Yours very faithfully,

Major Gen. O. O. Howard,
Governors Island, N. Y.

W. W. Atterbury

Atterbury W.M.

Gen. Wager Swaine has promised to prepare an article for the North American or some other Magazine, on the Sunday Closing law which I am to furnish him material. He is much interested the matter.

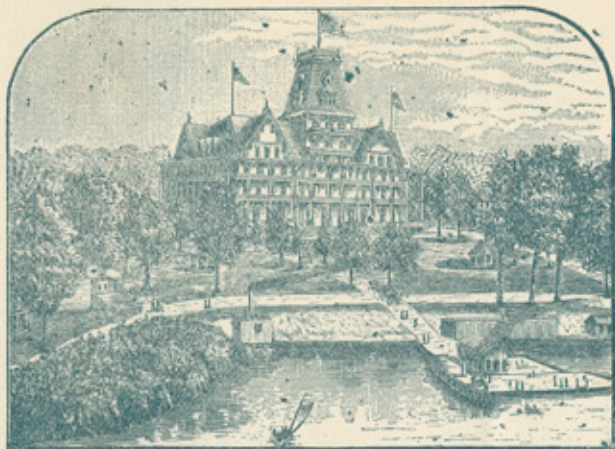
Yours very faithfully,

W. W. Atterbury

Major Gen. O. O. Howard,

Governors Island, N. Y.

Good to hear of your success in securing the cooperation of all who for any reason are in favor of the Sunday law. I have been appointed Chairman of the Committee having charge in charge. Then to assist the Committee to give it the support of their influence and counsel, there is what is called an Advisory Council composed of prominent gentlemen interested in the cause, selected from our own country and from Europe. I feel so sure that we may have the honor of putting your name on the list of this Advisory Council. I am sure you that you will be in good company. I want very much to see you to confer about another matter. The closing of the Exposition on Sunday. I feel satisfied that your presence etc. that our present point of attack should be Congress, but it requires very wise management at Washington. From what I learn, I am afraid that some unnecessary prejudice has been awakened in the minds of some.



Thousand Island Park Association.

GEORGE P. FOLTS, President.

O. P. HADCOCK, Treas.

W. R. FITCH, Sec'y.

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REV. WM. SEARLS, D.D., DIRECTOR OF TABERNACLE SERVICES.

Autumn day, April 6. 1892

Genl O. O. Howard,

Very Dear Sir: Will it be possible
for you to visit "Thousand Island Park"
this summer, during the month of July
or August & stay from the 15th of July to
the 1st of August? Thousands want
to see you and hear, on any subject you
may have in hand. Compensation shall
be all right. Please answer by return
mail. Most truly yours

W. Searls

You shall have the best of care, coming
you can,

105 Franklin St. Auburn N.Y.

13th Dec 1891



Inspector, Col Hughes, and
especially his last report
I hope you may take an
opportunity to look over
the school again when-
ever it may suit your
convenience

Hoping you will
excuse the liberty I
take I am

Very respectfully
And Sincerely yours
Regal H. French

Personal

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UNITED STATES ARTILLERY SCHOOL,
COMMANDANT'S OFFICE,
FORT MONROE, VA.

April 6, 1892

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

Dear General:

The papers re-
port that the President has de-
cided not to appoint any
officer a brigadier gener-
al who has less than four
years to serve. This, if true,
will exclude nearly all
who have heretofore been
considered prominent
candidates and bring
within the list of avail-
able, officers of inferior
rank and service. As

I commanded a post under
you in the Department
of California and have
held for nearly four years
the largest artillery command
in your department, ^{Post} and
including the artillery
school, I think the most
important single com-
mand in the army, may
I ask you for your recom-
mendation for the appoint-
ment of brigadier general
and for your advice in
the matter. The long delay
in filling the existing va-
cancy would seem to
indicate that the President
is not entirely satisfied
with the names thus far

presented, but unless there should
be a considerable further
delay I shall not try for
that vacancy. My idea
is to place on file val-
uable recommendations
for the consideration
of the President whenever
he may have selections to
make.

Since you saw the
artillery school I have
made a very complete
reorganization of the
course and of the equip-
ment of the school and
for the value and impor-
tance of these I refer
you to the report of the
Post board of visiting
and those of your own