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Wednesday 368

May 11, 1893

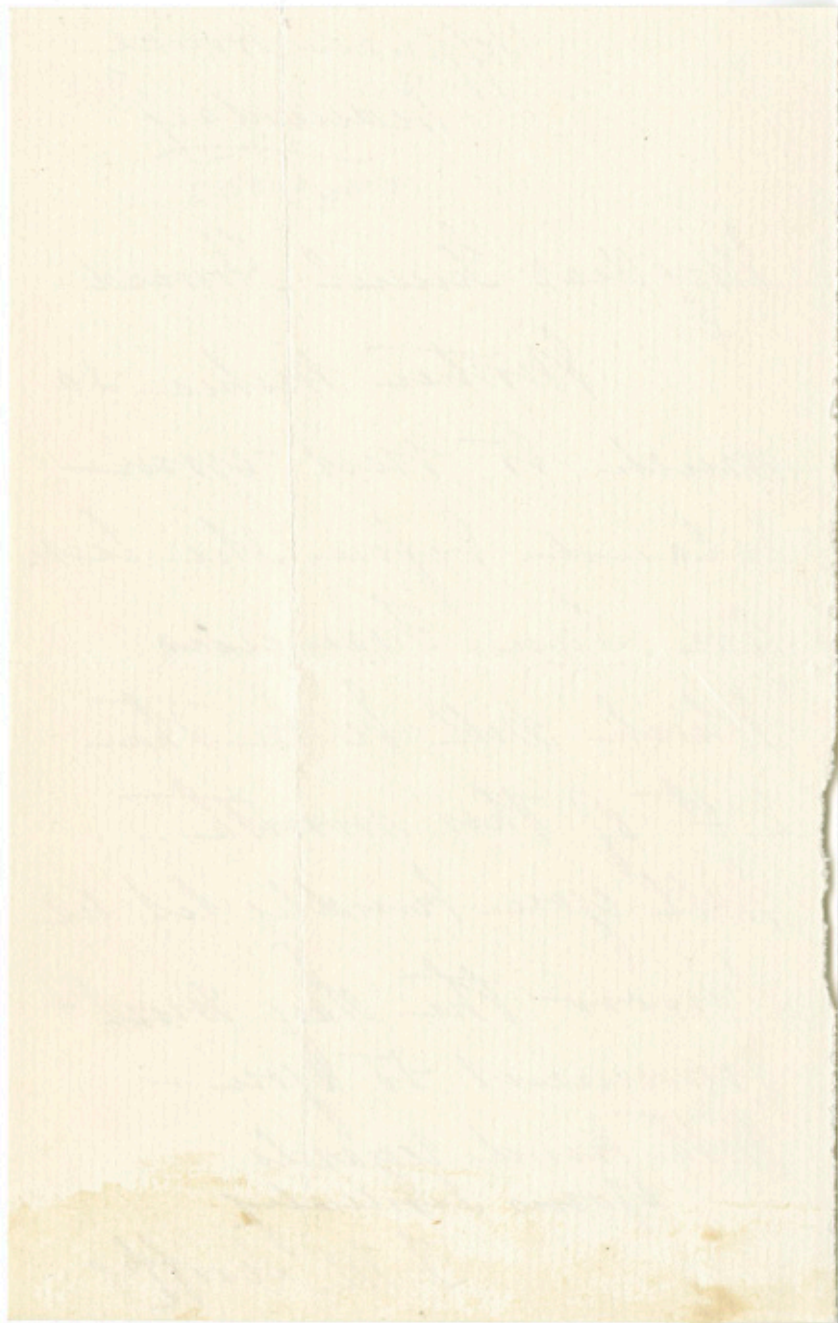
My dear General Howard -

My mother wishes so  
much to visit your  
Island before she leaves  
for San Francisco  
which will be on the  
21<sup>st</sup> of this month.

Will you kindly let us  
know the day most  
convenient to you -

With kind regards  
Yours Sincerely

J. M. Scofield.





Howard N. S.

the other day for an hour.  
The Sambre won't tire me  
as I am not going there  
very much.

I am homesick to see you.  
I wish you could run over  
to return with us.

We notice that Dr Mrs Brown  
& Mattie of San Francisco have  
arrived today in Liverpool.  
We hope to run across them.

Miss got your letter but  
we never rec'd yours sent to

Alouise direct from Washington.  
To whom did you address it?

I enjoyed the Mail Exp. rec'd today  
with the account of Grant's Monument.

We hope to leave here June 1st  
the following in order. Geneva Bern, Zurich

Huddleburg, down Rhine, Göttingen, Muenchen,  
Breslau, Berlin, Amsterdam, Brüssel.

Brussels, Ostend, over to London etc.  
I left mother & B. at dressmakers or they  
would join me in London. I hope the theory  
hasn't worn you out.

With much love to all - Harry.  
Mother  
Rec'd letters from John & Annie Lizzie Lee.

4 Rue de la Trémoille  
Paris May 11<sup>th</sup>  
[1892]

Dear Father:

I want to drop you  
this short letter to let  
you know that we have  
decided our date for  
sailing from Liverpool  
and that we got the  
tickets today from the  
Paris office, which is  
July 20<sup>th</sup> by way of Paris.

I tried to get across in  
the same part of ship  
as when we came over  
but everything in that  
section was taken so  
we are in the first section  
back of the funnels on



The same (Upper) deck, Room  
312-310 Sec G. —

There is a great rush this  
year and the City of Paris  
has only a few outside  
rooms so of course our  
old section was taken first.  
We don't want to stay longer  
than July and that will  
give us time for a short  
trip through Switzerland  
Germany making Adelheid  
a visit and to England.  
Figuring on the amount per  
day already spent it will  
take just about our \$900  
remaining, to make the trip,  
including board here so  
that five hundred as I  
wrote you would cover

everything nicely & what is  
left we can bring back  
with us, as we needn't  
feel obliged to spend every  
cent. Jamie has arrived  
here from Göttingen & spent  
Monday evening with us.  
He was at his hotel today  
but he was out.

I am pretty well and have  
been able to enjoy walks  
& bus rides as well as steam  
boat rides on the Seine  
while Mother & Bessie have  
been enjoying themselves  
at dressmakers.

They have ordered three dresses  
each and are perfectly happy  
in consequence.  
I walked in the Salon



Harrold, Chas

326.

New Bern, N. C.

May 11<sup>th</sup> - [1892]

My Dear General

During a winter  
sojourn in New Bern where  
I have been engaged on  
Natural History work, I  
made an interesting discovery in  
connection with some old  
Freedmen's Bureau Transactions,  
and with regard to which  
I would be glad to consult  
you.

I wrote to my life long  
friend Senator Platt, hoping  
that I should be able to  
catch you both in Washington,  
<sup>en route,</sup> on my return to New York, but  
will now, under advice, go to  
you direct, calling by your  
permission at Governor's  
Island on next Saturday



the 14th May, at 3 o'clock p.m.

If not a convenient  
date or place for you, would  
thank you to drop me a  
line in care of Forest & Stream  
office.

I am very sorry  
Yours &c. &c. &c.

Chas. Hallack

Gen. O. O. Howard, U.S.A. }  
Seminole Island, }  
Fla.

United States Senate,

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 15, 1892.

Charles Hallock, Esq.,  
New Berne, No. Car.

Dear Sir:-

I have no doubt I shall be here the last ten days in  
April. Of course I am ~~liable~~<sup>temporarily</sup> to go away at any time. General  
Howard is, I think, at Governor's Island, N. Y.

Yours truly,

*O. H. Pratt*



United States Senate

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 13, 1893.

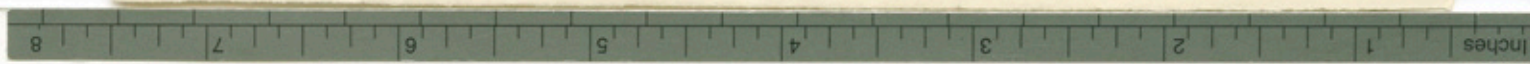
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Yours truly,

R. H. Webb





(PERSONAL)

War Department,  
Office of the Secretary,  
Washington.

310.  
May 11, 1892.

Dear General:

I send you enclosed a copy of a letter this day addressed by me to the Secretary of the Treasury, in regard to the Barge Office landing slip at New York. The letter explains itself, but I desire to add, for your information, that the personal assurances of the Treasury officials indicate that steps will be taken at a very early day to re-establish the old condition of affairs at the Barge Office landing, which I think will meet your desires in all respects. Assistant Secretary Spaulding stated to General Batchelder this morning, that he thought it would require about three weeks to put the Barge Office landing into condition for the old uses.

Very truly yours,

*S. B. Elkins*

Major General O. O. Howard,

Governor's Island, N. Y. H.

(1 Enclosure)



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Charge Office  
Department "to the  
(Initial "D") of the  
I have the honor to  
Sir:

Office of the  
Department  
Washington

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*[Handwritten signature]*

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*W. B. E.*

War Department,  
Office of the Secretary,  
Washington.

*S. B. Elkins*

P.

May 11, 1892.

Sir:

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter (Initial "D") of the 10th instant, requesting the consent of this Department "to the use of about 75 feet of the bulkhead of the U. S. Barge Office at New York, N. Y., to permit the construction of a temporary float for use as a landing for boats plying between Ellis Island, New York Harbor, and the Barge Office."

In reply I beg to say that I have no objection whatever to any temporary concession that will aid your Department in adjusting the matter in question, and in view of the explanation made to the Quartermaster General during his personal interview this morning with Assistant Secretary Spaulding, viz: that the proposed construction of a temporary float would in no way interfere with the privileges formerly enjoyed by War vessels and the Army boats from Governor's Island, N. Y. H., but would in fact result in the early restoration of the former status of affairs at the Barge Office landing slip, so far, at least, as Army privileges are concerned, I beg to say that the consent asked for is freely given.

Very respectfully,

(Sgd.) S. B. Elkins,

The Honorable,

Secretary of War.

The Secretary of the Treasury.



(COPY)

May 11, 1922.

Sir:

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The Honorable,

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Perry A. J.

WAR DEPARTMENT.  
ARMY BUILDING, WHITEHALL STREET,

358  
New York, May 11<sup>th</sup> 1892

My dear General

I called to see  
you yesterday and was sorry  
to miss you as you were in  
town during my visit to your  
Island -

I wanted to see you in re-  
gard to some enterprises  
in Kern Co. California looking  
to the introduction of water to  
upland lands in the Wood Patch  
and will call again unless  
you find it convenient to  
stop + see me as you are  
passing my office on some of



Your visits to town -

Another thing I wanted to ask you about was whether there would be time enough before the beginning of the movement looking to travel practical for my son who is on duty at Washington - Fort Myer - to obtain & take a month's leave of absence - He does not wish to apply unless he feels that he may do so without infringing upon the time to be allotted for these duties, in which, he also wishes to participate.

We would like

to have <sup>him</sup> with us if circumstances will permit, so I beg you will excuse me for my interrogatories. Trusting I may hear from you soon - I am very truly yours

Alex. J. Rany

Gen. O. Howard

Green's Island

M. D. H.



YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION.



JOHN NICHOL, President.  
S. B. PRICE, Treasurer.  
G. M. RYNICK, Gen'l Secretary.

Mauch Chunk, Pa., May 11<sup>th</sup> 1892.

Gen. D. D. Howard,  
New York.

Dear Sir,

Your favor of the 11<sup>th</sup> inst. causes us to fear that you have made a mistake in the date, we desired to have you with us.

Sunday July 9<sup>th</sup> is the time. If the date was understood, we thank you most heartily for your kindness, while we deeply regret your inability to be with us, and trust that we shall have the honor of your presence at some other time. Still hoping that was a mistake and that you can be with us, JULY 9<sup>TH</sup>, I remain, Sincerely Yours,  
Geo. M. Rynick



W.C.S.

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Frederick J. M.

Branch Church, No. 111  
1885

Wm. D. Howard  
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sometime, sincerely,  
Dear Sir



THEODORE L. CUYLER, D. D., PRESIDENT.  
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AND PUBLISHING AGENT.  
A. M. POWELL, DISTRICT SECRETARY.  
REV. GEO. H. HICK, FINANCIAL SECRETARY.

National Temperance Society  
—AND—  
Publication House.

P. O. BOX 2658.

58 READE STREET, NEW YORK, May 11th, 1892

Major-General O.O. Howard,

Governor's Island, N.Y. City.

Dear Sir,--The Annual Meeting of the National Temperance Society and Publication House, held yesterday afternoon, unanimously elected you a member of the Board of Managers for the term of three years. It is the sincere wish of the entire membership that you accept this position.

The Board only holds meetings once in two months, and the August meeting is always omitted. We will excuse you from active Committee work unless you can take hold of it. The next meeting of the Board will be held about the middle of June, which will be the last one before the summer vacation. Due notice will be sent you of all meetings.

I will send you the Annual Report in a week or ten days, as soon as printed.

Yours very truly,

*J. N. Stearns*  
Cor. Sec'y.



National Temperance Society

Publication House.

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GEO. H. HICK, Financial Secretary.  
Wm. D. PORTER, Treasurer.

58 Reade Street, New York.

The Missionary Department of our Society needs an immediate response from our Patrons, and an increase in the number of contributors. The work of education is left almost exclusively to our Society. A much greater interest must be taken in the young, or they will be victims to the saloon's influence. During the last few years but little effort has been made to secure the rising generation from the snares that beset them on every side. The saloons are active in the capture of boys and girls. To offset their pernicious work involves money to sustain an active crusade in their behalf.

We have not yet reached the point when reformatory work can be abandoned. It is more necessary to-day than ever before, for the reason that the liquor interest have taken advantage of our lethargy.

Many of our most generous and frequent contributors have fallen off, from death and removals, the past year; their places must be filled by new contributors.

Our missionary work among the colored people of the South is one of the most important missionary fields now open. They are eager for enlightenment. Intemperance is fast destroying that race, and their pastors and teachers are clamoring for literature adapted to their condition.

\$10,000 should be used in this field alone this fall and winter.

This circular will reach many for the first time, and a large multitude who have frequently been appealed to before, but have not, as yet, favored us with a contribution. To all, we urgently invite you to aid us in our work.

\$3 paid annually makes the giver an annual member.

\$20 constitutes the giver (or any one whom he or she selects) a life member.

\$100—a Life Director.

Kindly respond, enclosing in addressed envelope such amount as you can contribute, and oblige,

Very truly yours,

GEO. H. HICK,

Financial Secretary.



# National Temperance Society and Publication House,

28 Beady Street, New York.

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NEW YORK, May 11 1892

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Major General O. O. Howard

Dear Sir,  
I

regret that there  
has been some delay  
in your book owing  
to the pressure of  
work at our fac-  
tory. We shall  
be able however  
to send you a  
considerable number  
of galley proofs

by the end of  
the week.

Pray command  
me if I can be  
of service and  
believe me

Very respectfully yours  
Peirley Hitchcock



WHOLESALE  
D. APPLETON & CO.  
PUBLISHERS

NEW YORK May 11 1893

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Dear Sir,

I regret that there  
has been some delay  
in your book coming  
to the printer of  
which at our far-  
ther. We shall  
be able to have a  
considerable number  
of copies ready

by the end of  
the week.  
I am very  
of service and  
I hope you  
Very respectfully  
Wm. Appleton



337  
St. Paul's Rectory,  
Hoboken, N. J.

May 16<sup>th</sup> 92.

My dear General,

I was formerly a  
member of Carl Schurz Div-  
ision of your old Eleventh  
Army Corps. I was with

you at Chancellorsville and  
other places. I am now

the rector of St. Paul's Prot.  
Episc. Church in this city.

and the Archdeacon of Jersey City. I write you

this that you may un-  
derstand who I am.

A number of us are en-  
gaged in the great work of



trying to prevent the sale  
liquors on Sunday. He  
have a law which covers  
the case. but the law is  
a dead letter. He want  
it enforced. He want  
all saloons closed on  
Sunday. Judge Lippin-  
cott is heartily with us.  
He will do all he can, and  
will see to the conviction  
of every one presented for  
trial under this law.

But our city mayor is  
not with us. He want  
therefore to hold a mass  
meeting, if possible on  
next Thursday evening. the



of May, and have  
ringing speeches, and let  
him know what the public  
feeling is. There is no  
spot on the face of the  
earth more in need of  
reform in this matter  
than this city. I

am speaking for the Roman  
Catholic Priest, the Metho-  
dist Minister, and my-  
self when I most ear-  
nestly and importunately  
ask you to come over and  
make one of the address-  
es. If possible we would



like ~~James W.R.~~ Judge Lippincott  
from the outside to address  
the meeting. He will  
have some of our own  
people to speak for us.  
We have but one issue be-  
fore us at this present  
time, and that is to enforce  
the Sunday law. That  
ever else may be attempted  
will be done later. This  
is our one issue now.

Can you come? Will you  
come? I should like to  
much to fight under my  
old commander in this  
Cause. Very Sincerely Yours  
W.R. Emory.



Robinson, Marcus E.

118 East 77<sup>th</sup> St. New York City  
May 11, 1892.

General O. O. Howard,  
Governor Island.

Dear Sir,-

I enclose a letter  
of introduction from Mrs. Elizabeth  
Harris who has been much inter-  
ested in my work in this city  
and for some time has desired  
me to meet you.

If an interview would  
be agreeable will you please



name some hour when you  
would be at liberty.

Respectfully Yours,  
Matthew C Robinson.