Darlington Feb 8th 1893

Major General Howard

Dear Sir

In this weeks Christian I see and read an article, which pleased me much, and from this quarter of the world I write to say that that I served in Mexico under Generals Taylor & Scott 1845-6 and 1847 as a Volenteer from New Orleans as Pinst. duly Sergeant Orderley Sergeant and First Lieutenant I joined the Regular service at the Island of Mackinaw in 1845 Company I, Capt Martin Scott. But was discharged on act of being a Minor. Capt Scott allowed me to go with the troops to New Orleans, General Taylor sent for six Regiments of Louisiana Volutiers for six Months service which found

to be a mistake before we got
well on the bay the Tide was
up. I went out again under General
Scott from New Orleans, our head
quarters in the Ship Ordeace got
wreacked. So that our Redjement
which had been Concentrated on Lake
Island, had to return and garrison
Tampec O. 8 of my Company went out
from Orleans 27 old hands retired
in 1847. My Capt name under Taylor was
Capt William Wallace Stewart
Company C Sixth R L Dy Capt Name
under Scott, Sequine, Cont to
Russey. My name stands as
Edward S Brown in the army
But my name is Edward Brown
Spence I very foolishly did this
to keep my people from knowing
where I was

I have proved over & over again
that what we saw that shall we
reap. My Brother came out
to New Orleans to look for me
and he was drowned in the
Mississippi River in passing from
Ship to the tug boat, I got married
in washington 1850 five Children
were born in America then
I returned to England 1860 this
is most wonderful. I would have been
in that dreadful Thursday which
we watched with bated breath
I have been over 16 times to
America, my son Dick left is
home at the age of 11 years. For
six weeks we did not know where
he was. he turned up in Baltimore
I went out at a cost of £50 to bring
him back but could not find

him. I returned home without
seeing him. A letter from Mr
Lewis then two years then in
Kentucky, last in Hazwood Tenn a
work for a Jew named Cohan in
a Store. he said he was sick
a month after I got a letter
from the Jew to say Dick was
dead and was buried under
an apple tree. Now my dear
Major was I not reaping. I am now
nearly 70. I know that God
put away my sin. But that does
not prevent me reaping what I have
sowed. My experance as a Christian
is a stumpy one. I wrote to the Prussian
Beasor, W.N.J but I never received
any reply. do not forget me

Your faithfull in Christ
L. B. Spence

Spence E. L.

Walnut Creek Contra Costa Co.
California. Feb 8th 1893

Dear General Howard:

Your very kind and generous letter, with an enclosure of $5.00, came to me last evening. I am ashamed to trouble any friend so far. I have written to my mother that as soon as Congress adjourns, and I know that my pension is not increased, I will go to the house in Monterey Mass and live there. The tenant's lease expires in April. My aunt Mrs Cooper of Frankford Philadelphia is willing to join me. I may be able to establish a school for girls there. The house is large: fourteen rooms, and bath room. The bank at Great Barrington is weary of the mortgage because the buildings are in very poor repair, and rapidly deteriorating for the need of paint &c. The mortgage is $1000 I know that you must believe that I

never have allowed it to be mortgaged
my own need, but only to please my
poor sister's mistaken judgment. She is now
dead, from the consumption.
My uncle, my father's brother, who lives
in New York City, would help me, I think,
if he could. But the money is almost
entirely his wife's, and not his own.
Within the past six months I have proved to
my own satisfaction that I can earn my
living in a not uncreditable way, anywhere
in the world, if I can only have my health.
That is so infirm that I am always getting
into difficulties and worrying all my
relations and friends. The only thing for
me to do is to go to my home. I have
no right to keep every one distressed and
disturbed while I am ill. Therefore, unless
my pension can be increased, and
from all that I hear, nothing but a
great miracle can compass such a
result, I must go. The winter has

trying me. It is still
heavily. The ground has not
nce dry, for two months.
have a constant cough and have
lost five pounds within the last
three weeks.

If General the Lord had been as kind
as you, my pension might have passed.
It is impossible for me to make him
believe that I am ill, because he does
not wish to believe it. He knows that
he might have saved Sandy for me, if
he had wished, and I have told him
so. I enclose a letter from the
Pickler that came yesterday.

Thanking you with all my heart, I am
very respectfully and truly
Fanny Mundock

Murdock, Emily.

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Washington, D. C.

January 27th, 1893.

Mrs. E. Murdock,

Walnut Creek, Cal.

My dear Mrs. Murdock:-

Your two or three letters received. I regret exceedingly that matters seem so adverse here. I will make another effort in your case, but I do not know what success I will have. I assure you I feel deeply in your matter and am very anxious to do something for you. I trust matters will brighten up with you.

Yours truly,

J. A. Pier

Dictum, Ga.

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PERMANENT ADDRESS,
STATION G, PHILADELPHIA, PA.

Personal

Maj. Gen'l O. O. Howard:

My Dear Bro.:

For the past five years I have conducted the Interdenominational Sea Side Bible Conference. Last Aug. we met in Educational Hall, Asbury Park, N. J. More than 3.000 persons were present - quite 500 of whom were clergymen. It was the greatest and best Bible Conference ever held upon this continent. The previous Conferences were called over my signature. After conferring with the Teachers of last year, I have decided to organize a Committee of about 40 representative men, of the different denominations. Already 21

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Prof's & Pastors have responded to my re-quest for the use of their names on said Committee. They are all first class in every respect. E. P. Goodwin, D. D., Chicago, A. H. Plumb, D.D., Boston and Joseph Cook, L.L.D., Boston, are the Congregationalists who have consented to serve. I want your name also. Will you give it, please? It will entail no responsibility upon you whatever. I simply want the influence of your name on the call for the Conferences, the next one of which will be held (D.V.) in Educational Hall, Asbury Park, N. J., Aug. 11th - 21st, 1893.

The object of the Conference is to honor God's Word by promoting a

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critical and reverent study of the same. Our one contention is - that the Bible is the Word of God.

The expenses of the Conference last year were about $700, all of which was raised by passing the baskets in three sessions. (I never have rec'd one cent for my labors.) We raised $1.000 for Bishop Wm Taylor's African Mission work in one session, after he had told us some things about it, in ten minutes. It is a great chance for doing very great good. So please, Gen'l, grant my request.

In the Sweetest Name,

L. H. Marshall.

Lincoln House,
Worcester, Mass.,
Feb. 8th, 1893.

Please write Yes! upon the inclosed postal and mail it to me

Munhall, L. W.

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EDITORIAL ROOMS OF THE STANDARD DICTIONARY.

NEW YORK, Feb. 8, '93. 1892.

Maj.-Gen. O. O. Howard,

Governor's Island, N. Y.

Dear Sir:

In our Dictionary we wish to give a full page plate of the different badges and decorations bestowed by the leading societies of the world. Will you kindly give us any information in your power that will aid us in securing an authentic colored picture of the medal of merit issued by the United States War Department? and oblige,

Yours very respectfully,

Funk & Wagnalls Co.
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Frank W. Magnacca.

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Woodruff, C. H.

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120 Broadway N.Y.
February 8. 1893

Major Gen
O. O. Howard U.S.A.

Dear Sir

The Phillips Andover Alumni Association have their biennial dinner on the evening of March 28. The Association would feel greatly honored if you could find it possible to attend its banquet and address it and its guests upon that occasion.

Trusting that I may have from you a favorable response, I am, with great respect,

Your Obedient Servant

Chas H. Woodruff

New York City Baptist Mission Society.

150 NASSAU STREET,
AMERICAN TRACT SOCIETY BUILDING, ROOM 31.

Replying to yours of the

New York, Feb. 8th. 1893

Major General Howard,

Governor's Island, New York Harbor.

My Dear General,

We greatly regret that we cannot have the pleasure of listening to you on Washington's Birthday. Our one consolation is that our loss is someone else's gain.

On Monday evening, March 13th, we shall have a public meeting in one of our largest churches, at which we will have at least 500 boys.

Will you not do us the favor, the great favor to speak to the boys on that occasion.

We will give you a grand Christian welcome.

We will furnish a carriage to and from the ferry landing for you.

Earnestly hoping you will grant this request,

I am, Very Truly Yours,

M. R. Deming.

Deming, M.P.

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L. DEANE,
LAW AND PATENTS,
637 F STREET, N. W.

Private

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb 8 1893

Maj Gen Howard.

Dear Friend.

I have been very greatly disappointed about my visit to you. I expected to see you last week without fail — and yet I am without such definite news as to my new move that I wanted your advice in, that I can't say when I can get to N.Y. I hope each morning to get word from Brooklyn to come — shall start immediately & then run my risk of meeting you. In mean

time let me say that
our Bowdoin dinner
is put off to the 14th Inst,
next Tuesday - & will
come off at the "Cochran"
- a fine new hotel corner
of 14th and K - opposite
the "Hamilton"

I do hope you will
come along & give
us the blessed light of
your most welcome
countenance & make
us one of your heartily
sincere & most accep-
table talks -

Heartily yours

L Devine

P.S.

Be my guests at the Fredonia while you are here. Only write me in advance that I may have a good room for you

L.S.

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of
N. Y. city

Dinner, Holland House
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The International Committee of
Young Men's Christian Associations,
No. 40 East 23d Street, New York, N. Y.

February 8th, 1893.

Dear Sir :

Since the recent retirement of Cephas Brainerd, Esq., from the International Committee of Young Men's Christian Associations, and in view of his conspicuously efficient administration of the work of the Committee as its Chairman for the past twenty-five years, a complimentary dinner has been tendered to him by Messrs. William E. Dodge, Elbert B. Monroe, Morris K. Jesup, Charles L. Colby, Charles E. Whitehead, Bowles Colgate, James Talcott, Timothy G. Sellew, Moses Taylor Pyne, James McCormick, Russell Sturgis, Cyrus H. McCormick, Thomas Cochran and other associates and friends.

Mr. Brainerd having responded favorably, the dinner will be served at the Holland House, Fifth Avenue and 30th Street, at half-past six o'clock, Tuesday, February 21st, 1893.

Will you kindly inform the Committee as early as possible whether the pleasure of your company can be expected, and oblige.

Yours, very truly,

ELBERT B. MONROE, *Chairman.*

RICHARD C. MORSE, *General Secretary.*

Tickets for the Dinner are FIVE DOLLARS each, and may be procured of the General Secretary, RICHARD C. MORSE, at 40 East 23d Street.

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services and character which were so peculiar. Nothing to day marks his grave. Were Gen. Sherman living I am sure he would be effectively interested in this matter.

Mower's companions in war are so scattered it would be futile to attempt to raise much by personal subscription. It is only by inventive expedients we can do any thing.

Very respectfully &c

William Armstrong

1332 Bergen St.
Brooklyn, Feby 9. 93

General:

In reply to yours of yesterday, concerning the "Mower monument", permit me:-

The proposition is in no sense an accommodation or benefit to me. I have already expended more than my share of money, time and labor on the matter.

I have presented [in a printed address written by me.] juce, with your offer-

to render your most efficient service, so far as I could see as a local member of the Committee, to the memory of a man whose merits are set forth in the circular sent to you.

Your presence upon a platform, and a short offhand address, of 10 minutes would be of no more exhaustion to you than that which you have proposed — of being at "U.S. Grant Post". Besides, while Grant Post could not respond to the demand, I could never, for the most cogent reasons, permit it to have anything to do with the matter.

It is not proposed to raise a monument to Mower costly enough to buy a school or a hospital, but one for a few hundred dollars, fitly commemorating his

Letter no: 29232 :

T. H. Griffith to OOH, Aquebogue, NY, February 9, 1893

Attached to and filed with letter no.
letter no. 29209a:

Peter F. Meyer, Antonio Rasines, Julius Weil [et al.] to
"Sir" [OOH] [New York] [c.a. February 4, 1893] -
printed form letter

The Executive Committee
of the Young Men's Christian Association
of the State of New York.
NO. 40 EAST TWENTY-THIRD STREET,
NEW YORK CITY.

Feb. 9th, 1893.

Dear Sir:

We find it will be impossible

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Feb. 10th, 1893.

Dear Sir:

In accordance with the enclosed letter, a meeting of the State Executive Committee will be held at Dr. Strong's, Saratoga, N. Y., Thursday, February 23rd, 10 A.M.

May we not expect your presence?

Very truly yours, Jas H Nichols C

There are several important matters (including annual report) needing more time for consideration than is usually had at our annual meeting: therefore the desire for this longer opportunity for conferring together.

Kindly notify us if we can count upon your presence.

Very truly yours, Geo. A. Hall C

P. S. If you desire and will notify us, we will secure room for you at the Committee's headquarters, (Dr. Strong's.) The rate is $ 2.00 a day.

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McFadden, Robert

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HEADQUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF THE EAST,

GOVERNOR'S ISLAND, NEW YORK.

Feb. 10th 1893.

Maj. Gen. O. O. Howard.

Addressed.

My dear General Howard:

An important mission brought me from Brooklyn to see you and I very much regret that I have failed.

On Friday evening, the 24th inst., the Amherst College Alumni have their annual dinner at Delmonicos. The Committee decided to invite three gentlemen, not alumni of the College, to speak. You were one, Mr Chauncey M. Depew,

you will grant this service
to Old Amherst.

Very respectfully yrs.
Robert A. McLadden.
502 Fulton St.
Brooklyn, N.Y.

the second, and Mr Joseph Choate, the third. Mr Choate has accepted, and I am informed that there is little doubt about Mr Depew.

Of course President Gates, of Amherst, and distinguished alumni will be present, who will also speak. We expect Hon. Galusha A. Grow, of Pennsylvania, to be one of the speakers.

We sincerely hope that you will give this invitation your earnest consideration, and, if you can make it convenient, that

OFFICE OF
DR. FRED. WOOSTER OWEN,
SOUTH STREET, MORRISTOWN, N.J.
OFFICE HOURS: 8 TO 9 A.M.; 2 TO 3 AND 6½ TO 7½ P.M.

February 10th – 1893

Dear General Howard

We are anticipating great pleasure from the visit of Mrs Howard and yourself, and look forward to meeting you to morrow afternoon –

Will you kindly have us informed by what train you will come, so that I can be at the Station, with our Carriage, to meet you –

The two quick afternoon Expresses connect with the 4 O'Clock and 5 O'Clock Boats from Barclay and from Cristopher Street Ferries – There are also trains not quite so fast at 4.30 and at 5.20 P.M. – The 4 O'Clock Express is due here at 5.07 the 4.30 at 5.55 the 5 O'Clock at 6.12 and the 5.20 at 6.50 P.M.

Mrs Owen joins me in kindest regards to Mrs Howard – ~~Affectionately~~ and respectfully

Your friend
Fred Wooster Owen

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

Owen, Fred W.

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OF THE **CITY OF NEW YORK.**

Headquarters, Room 4, City Hall.

NEW YORK, Feby 10th 1895

Maj Genl O. O. Howard
Dr Sir and Comrade

The Memorial Committee of the G.A.R. of the City of New York requests the honor of your presence on the occasion of the observance of Memorial Day May 30th next.

The observances will consist of the usual parade in the morning and Memorial Exercises in the Evening

The Committee would be pleased to know at as early a date as possible that they will have the honor of your presence, and will communicate with you further as to the details of arrangements for the day and Evening

Hoping to be favored with your early reply

We are

Yours Respectfully

David S. Brown
Chm

E. J. Atkinson
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Maj Genl O. O. Howard

Dear Sir & Comrade

The Memorial Committee respectfully requests that you will cooperate with them in

Maj Gen O. O. Howard

Dear Comrade

The Memorial Committee respectfully requests that you will cooperate with them in the proper observance of Memorial Day and have the GAR of this City by detailing such troops as can be conveniently spared to form a part of the parading column

Will you kindly give this matter your consideration and communicate your decision at as early a date as possible Obliged

Yours Respectfully in FCH

David S Brown
Chairman

E J Atkinson
Secretary

Memorial Com. of N. Y.

Brown, D. S.

Chairman

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—OFFICE OF THE—

Pacific Gas Improvement Co.

COR. ANNIE AND STEVENSON STS.

SAN FRANCISCO

San Francisco, Feb 10th 1893

Maj Genl O. O. Howard, U. S. Army
Governors Island
New York Harbor
N. Y.

Dear Sir.

Enclosed please find ~~an draft~~ draft on New York City

No. ....., of this date, ~~on~~ Wells Fargo Co.'s Bank, for $20.00

in payment of dividend No. 95.

upon your ~~40~~ 40 shares of stock

in this company.

Respectfully, your obt Servt

D M Dimpolon

Secretary

Pacific Gas Imp Co

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February 10th, 1893.

The Members of the New York State Society of the Cincinnati will celebrate the 161st Anniversary of the birthday of Washington, at Delmonico's, Fifth Ave., on ~~Monday~~ Wednesday Evening, February the 22d, at 5 o'clock. You are requested to notify the Secretary, 68 William Street, N. Y. City, if you desire to have a place reserved for you at the table.

William L. Keese,
Chairman Committee of Arrangements.

To Comte General & answer for the Army
Yours Truly J. Schuyler Sec

Kriss, W. L.

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good gospel minister in our church
He was brought up with the
Moravians.

Blessed are the dead which
die in the Lord for they
rest from their labours and
their works do follow
them.

Since you were here I had an
attack of apoplexy and now I
am very unwell again

Pray for me your brother and
partaker with you in the tribulation
and kingdom and patience which
are in Jesus.

Yours in Him

R B Blanch

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Louisenstrasse Elberfeld

Feby 10 1893

Dear General Howard

My dear wife whom you had
many conversations with has gone to be with
the Saviour she loved and served.
She was a great sufferer for about two
years, she had great inconvenience but the
Lord mercifully spared her from much
bodily pain until the last night before she died
and during the whole of that two years
she was wonderfully helped. Christ was
very precious to her, she was continually
speaking of dwelling in the secret place of the
Most High and abiding under the shadow
of his wings. She became more and more
lovely, with grace. She seemed full of
Christ. As she lay on her sopha she spoke
so sweetly to all who called. Got young men
who were interested to hear her

she told them of the love of God in reconciling the world unto himself and of Christ being made sin for us. She had the power of the Spirit so much with her that scepticism, enmity and doubt alike gave way before it and proud self-righteous young men would with tears streaming down their faces submit and receive the gospel.

Then during the last year she has had much wonderful & providential correspondence - for example a young man now at Zurich in Switzerland wrote her a long letter and told her that when several years ago he lived in Elberfeld he had been introduced to her and she had spoken to him repeatedly of the Saviour from guilt and sin. That now he feel he was all wrong. He could not speak to anyone about it. Everyone thought him very pious, but he knew he was full of sin against God. He had consulted many eminent and learned men but he found they knew nothing about it. He had thought of the Bible, but learned men had found that a great part of it was false. He was in great mental trouble and begged my wife to write to him. Two or three letters passed. He appeared to be getting nearer the light. My wife advised him to go and open his heart to Mr Geller of Massenbach. Since then Mr Geller came to Zurich to preach one Sunday. It was so full but he managed to get in. His text was "Have ye received the Holy Ghost?" He wished to speak to him after the service but there so many others wishing to do so that he could not but he writes full of joy "I have found the Lord Jesus."

Letters are continually arriving for and about her speaking of the great blessing the writers have received from her words. - One of these is from Zurich old acquaintance Dr Meyer who has now a thoroughly

Fay, D. H.

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7 Warren Street
New York
10th Feb: 1893

Genl O. O. Howard
U.S.A

Dear Sir

I have to acknowledge with sincere thanks your kind favor of 7th inst.

I am dear Sir
Your obedient Servant
W. H. Fay

DWIGHT JOHNSON,
35 SIDNEY PLACE,

Brooklyn, N. Y. Feb 10th 1893

My dear Gen'l Howard —

I called on Mrs Julia E. Brick this morning with your note of the 9th inst — enclosing note from Treasurer Hubbard —

Mrs Brick will call on Mr Hubbard at his office in the Bible House this afternoon — and next Monday A.M. — and give her views verbally — with her proposition to aid the North Carolina plantations. To the A.M.A. for the benefit of the poor colored people of North Carolina — One of

DWIGHT JOHNSON,
35 SIDNEY PLACE,

Brooklyn, N. Y. Feb 10th 1893

Maj Genl O. O. Howard
Governors Island
Dear General.

I have much pleasure in introducing to your acquaintance my dear & valued friend Mr John Howard Brittan, President of The Young Peoples Christian Endeavor Association of The Church of the Pilgrims; and commend to your kind consideration the proposition he will make to you. Thanking you in anticipation, for any courtesies you may extend him, I am ever

Yours faithfully
Dwight Johnson

This is the property of
Charles Emerson Winchester III
Son - Father of
Dr. Charles Emerson Winchester IV

of the Pilgrim's
ing Men - President of the
Christian Endeavor association
of our church asks me for
a letter of introduction to
you - There is to be a convention
of all the Brooklyn Christian
Endeavor associations in the
Church of the Pilgrims - on
Thursday Evening May 18. 1893 - They
are planning for a crowd - and
desire to secure - Mayor Gaynor
Q. O. Howard - and I think
P. O. John Wanamaker.
for some strong addresses.
We all hope your consent
may be given to the arrange-
-ment - In case of your acceptance
we shall be delighted to have
you take tea with us that
evening — Yours faithfully
Lewis Wright Lee Tuttle

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Johnson Dwight.

Pettingill, N.Y.

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Leeds, Feby. 10, 1893 -

My dear General:

You said to me last summer that I might copy your brother's historical address at my leisure.

I hope you will not think that my long delay was because I took license from your kind remark.

It has been owing in part that I have been kept busy by my work, and perhaps more because I rather dreaded a task that seemed almost if not quite a sacred one.

But to-day I said "I will".—

In a manner it is done.

Was aware that it was not a specimen of my poor

penmanship that you wanted, but a fairly legible copy of your brother's labor of love for his old friends in Leeds.

I have enjoyed "going over" the "address" anew, as I have in copying, and to note once more that kind spirit, which he always manifested, as he calls up and gracefully sets in array those who had lived with him and before him in his native town.

I need not say that I feel honored as, for the time being I act as a sort of messenger between you and him. I thank God for what He has enabled you to do for our Country, but I am more profoundly stirred by the fact that He has given you the power to trust Him and a spirit to acknowledge Him at home and abroad — on land and on <u>sea</u>.

And I want to say dear General, that my clearest, most satisfying, and most constant remembrance of you is, and will be, as of your brother Rowland, that in your daily life you have manifested the character of a <u>Christian</u>.

Respectfully yours.
W. R. Pettingill
Leeds Ctr,
Me.

Tipple, E. S.

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Dear General Howard:-

I inclose my check for $30.- in payment for the lecture given in Grace Church not long since. I desire to express my appreciation of your kindness and also the enjoyment of all who heard the lecture.

Very sincerely yours.

E. S. Tipple.

201 W. 105th St.,

Feby 10. 1893.

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By request of the Clergy and many other friends of Mrs Theodore Irving "A Memorial Service" will be held in Christ Church Tarrytown on Friday afternoon - Feb 10th at 3. o'clock.

Train leaves N. Y. at 1.20 P.M.

Returning leaves Tarrytown at 4.46 and 5.52.

Tarrytown N. Y.;
Memorial Service at

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