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KENDALL GREEN,

WASHINGTON, D. C.

Dec. 20.

1893

Dear General

It is with great pleasure that in behalf of the Washington Association of Bourdon Alumni, I cordially invite you to be present at our Annual Dinner, Jan. 11th, 1894,

The time has been so arranged with reference to that of the New York dinner, that it will be not difficult to attend both.

I trust you and your family are well.

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I do not know whether  
you have learned that after  
a protracted illness my  
dear wife has been called  
to her heavenly home.

In spite of happy memories  
of the past, and heavenly  
hopes for the future, we are  
lonely.

My dear daughters are  
my great comfort, as they  
are my main interest in  
life, and we keep up the  
old home as best we may,  
but there is a sad vacancy.

With regards to Mrs.  
Kramer.

Yours sincerely  
John H. Kennedy



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NEW YORK. Dec. 20th. 1893

Major-Gen'l O. O. Howard,

Governors Island, N. Y.

My Dear General:-

There will be a meeting of the Directors of the N.  
Y. and N. J. Morrell Liquor Cure Co. at their office tomorrow, Thursday  
at two o'clock. Your attendance is desired as business of importance  
is to be considered.

Yours truly,

*Wm R. Worrall Sec*  
*W A Paul*  
*Genl Manager*  
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General O. O. Howard,  
I trust that you will pardon  
the liberty taken in using  
your name in the enclosed  
communication. As the most  
distinguished of surviving  
officers of the war you  
naturally attract a degree  
of public attention and  
admiration which makes  
your presence in such



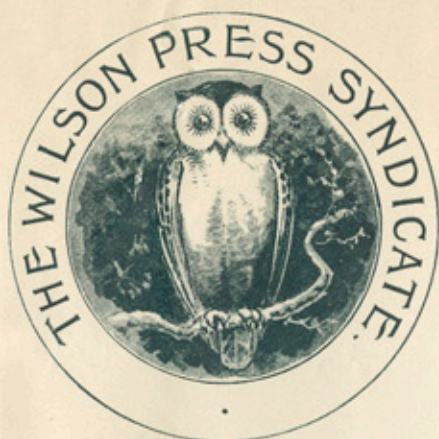
a work indispensable. The  
book will be a most  
creditable one; otherwise I  
would not have consented  
to take the place of editor.  
Should you do the work the  
honor to contribute, you  
could forward your  
communication either to  
me directly or to the  
publishers.

Very respectfully  
your obedient servant

Henry Mann

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And Many Others

Dear Sir:

We are preparing a collection of short articles on "The Bravest Deeds of the War," to which practically all the important surviving officers on both sides will contribute, and we should be glad to have a short account of the bravest deed you ever saw. The collection is being made with the greatest care and will appear in a handsome volume after being printed serially in our syndicate of newspapers. We wish to make it a permanent monument to the bravery of American Soldiers, and we are particularly desirous that your name should not by any chance be omitted from the list of contributors, which will include all the best known names of the Union and Confederate armies, such as Generals John M. Schofield, O. O. Howard, Henry W. Slocum, A. S. Webb, Schuyler Hamilton, Roger A. Pryor and many others.

We enclose a contribution as a slight suggestion of the way these accounts are being written up. They ought to be about five hundred words long (five pages of note paper), and the more stirring the description of the actual deed itself the better. But your knowledge of what the boys like to hear in the way of a story will be an amply sufficient guide.

As these articles will begin publication the first of January we beg of you to give this matter your IMMEDIATE ATTENTION. Six or seven contributions will be united in one newspaper article of about two columns, and if you have any choice as to whom you will be associated with we shall be glad to respect your wishes if we get your article in time. Of course we shall deem it an honor to present you a copy of the whole collection, both in proof slips and later in book form.

Respectfully yours,

*Henry Mance*  
Editor.



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# American Missionary Association,

TREASURER'S OFFICE, ROOM 108, BIBLE HOUSE,

(9th Street Entrance.)

*New York,* Dec. 20th, 1893

Gen'l O. O. Howard,

Governor's Island, N. Y.

Dear General:-

Your favor of the 19th inst. is at hand. Mrs. M. E. Berry called at the office a year and a half or more ago, and interviewed Dr. Strieby and myself concerning a piece of land in Alabama, which she desired to dispose of for the benefit of the colored people in Alabama. After two or three interviews she decided to give more consideration to the matter before determining as to the disposition which she would finally make of the property. Neither Dr. Strieby nor I, know anything of Mrs. Berry or her family, or her family friends, except what we learned from her at the interviews in our office. We did not make any inquiries, for her proposition had not taken sufficient shape to warrant us in taking any steps in the matter.

Very truly yours,

*H. W. Hubbard*

Treasurer.



REV. M. E. STRIEBY, D.D.  
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Dec. 20th, 1898

*W. W. Hubbard*

Gen'l O. O. Howard,

Governor's Island, N. Y.

Dear General:-

Your favor of the 18th inst. is at hand. Mrs. M. E. Berry called at the office a year and a half or more ago, and interviewed Dr. Strieby and myself concerning a piece of land in Alabama, which she desired to dispose of for the benefit of the colored people in Alabama. After two or three interviews she decided to give more consideration to the matter before determining as to the disposition which she would finally make of the property. Neither Dr. Strieby nor I, know anything of Mrs. Berry or her family, or her family friends, except what we learned from her at the interviews in our office. We did not make any inquiries, for her proposition had not taken sufficient shape to warrant us in taking any steps in the matter.

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New York, 12/20/1893.

Maj Genl Howard U.S.A.

Governors Island. N.Y.

Dear Sir:

I cover herewith of five  
\$50. which please endorse on note.  
Will send you the balance next  
week - Appreciating your patience.  
I remain very truly,  
Sincerely,  
Alexander S. Dewitt

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New York, December 20<sup>th</sup> 1893

Please to take notice that a Provision Note  
for \$3400—  
Dated September 17<sup>th</sup> 1893  
made by E. Dorsch.

Vice Pres. - General Manager  
of Colonization Mining Co.  
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payable at the 7<sup>th</sup> Natl. Bank  
endorsed by you, was THIS EVENING protested for NON-  
PAYMENT, after demand and refusal of payment, and  
that the holders look to you for payment thereof.

Be careful to **SERVE** notices upon all other parties the **DAY**  
you **RECEIVE** this.

Yours, &c.,

JOHN G. DAVIS, Notary Public,  
NO. 31 NASSAU STREET,  
BANK OF COMMERCE BUILDING, NEW YORK.

To O. O. Howard



New York, November 13, 1893

Dear Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 11th inst.

in relation to the matter of the purchase of the land for the

purpose of the proposed canal.

I have given the matter my careful consideration and

am sorry to hear that you are disappointed.

I am, however, sure that the project is of great importance

to the city and that it will be successful in the end.

I am, Sir, very respectfully,  
Your obedient servant,

John T. Edgerton

City Engineer

City of New York

100 Broadway

New York

Enclosed find a copy of the report of the

committee on the subject of the purchase of the land

for the proposed canal.

I am, Sir, very respectfully,  
Your obedient servant,

John T. Edgerton

City Engineer

City of New York

100 Broadway

New York



New York, December 20 1893

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JOHN G. DAVIS, Notary Public.

NO. 31 NASSAU STREET,

BANK OF COMMERCE BUILDING,

NEW YORK.

To

F. Irach ✓



New York, 1881

Dear Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 14th inst. in relation to the above named matter.

I am sorry to hear that you have been unable to obtain the desired information from the authorities.

I will endeavor to obtain the same for you and will keep you advised of the result.

I am, Sir, very respectfully,  
Your obedient servant,  
John A. Davis

JOHN A. DAVIS  
111 N. MANSION STREET  
NEW YORK



New York, December 20 1893

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NO. 31 NASSAU STREET,

BANK OF COMMERCE BUILDING,

NEW YORK.

To F. Irish



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Notice of protest

Irish Francis



# National Temperance Society

—AND—

## Publication House.

P. O. BOX 2658.

58 READE STREET,

New York, Dec. 21st, 189 3.

Major General O. O. Howard,  
Governor's Island, New York City.

Dear Sir:-

I take great pleasure in notifying you that at the Meeting of the Board of Managers of the National Temperance Society and Publication House held at its rooms 58 Reade Street yesterday afternoon, you were unanimously elected President of the Society for the remainder of the year until our annual election in May next. We had a full attendance and the feeling was very cordial and very hearty on the part of every one with the hope that we may devise together and carry out great plans for the promotion of the cause of Temperance throughout the land.

We shall be glad to hear from you any time or see you at any time that it is convenient for you to call at our rooms.

Yours very truly,

J. N. Stearns  
C. G. C.



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Washington, D.C.

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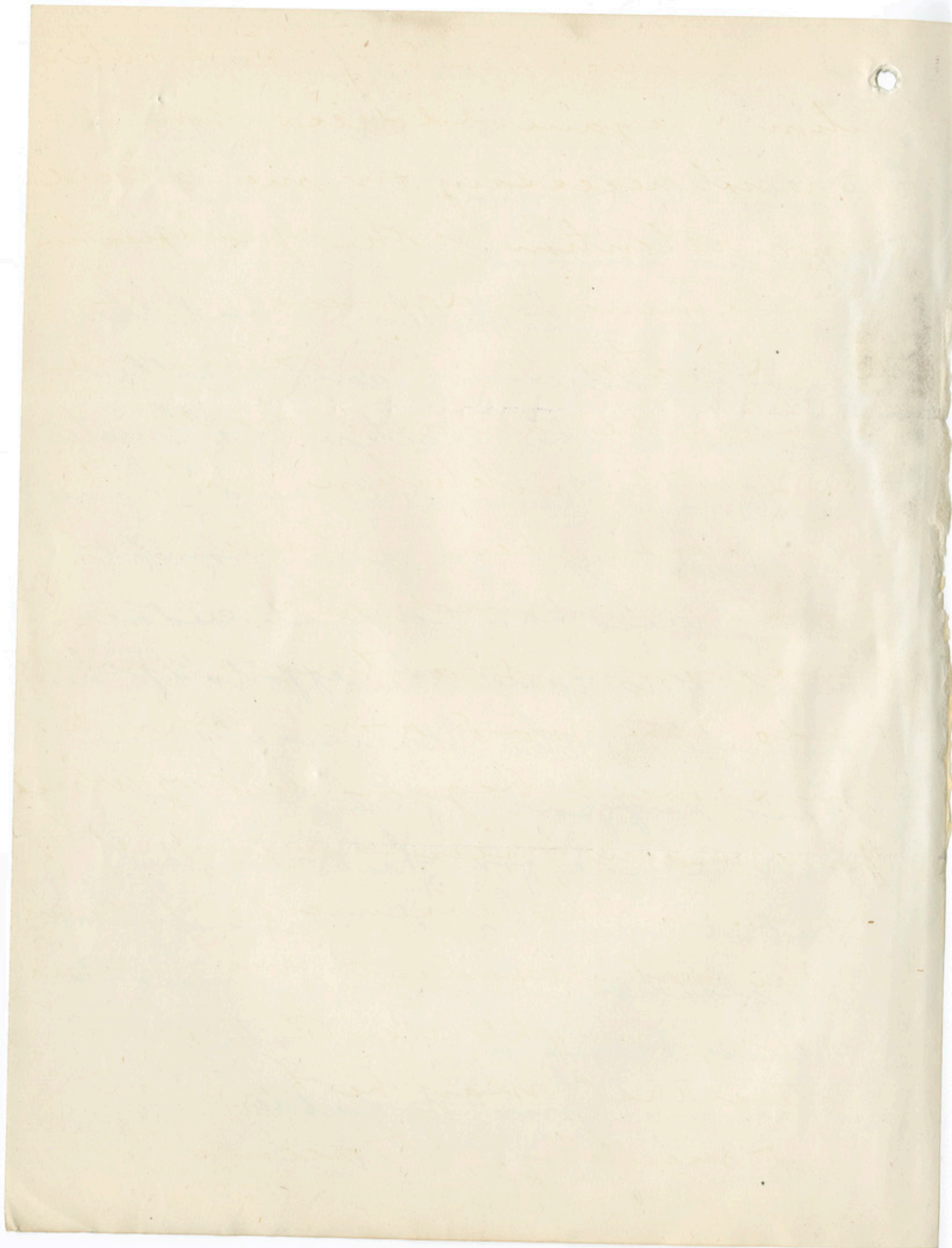
Genl. O. O. Howard,

My dear General:-

Last May I had the honor of addressing you a letter relative to the election of a Trustee for Howard University and I have to thank you for your prompt reply and the cordial endorsement you gave the efforts of the friends of the University in their support of Ex-Senator B. K. Bruce for the vacancy; but as you have already learned no election was had owing to there being a tie vote.

Knowing your loyalty to and interest in all that tends to



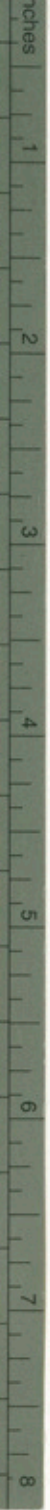




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the advancement of the Institution I again address you.

It is not necessary for me to call your attention to the qualifications & the eminent services of the Ex-Senator and the valuable services he can and would render the Institution just at this time when certain shortsighted individuals, for temporary advantage, would undo the good work which you so well began and of which your many friends are justly proud. In the absence of so many of the non-resident Trustees some injury might result from action that may be had at that meeting. It seems that





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your presence at the next meeting Jan. 16"-94 would be of great service to the interest of the University.

If you could find it in your power to be present I trust you will do so.

Hoping soon to hear from you  
I am sir dear General

Very respectfully  
Geo. B. Smith

# 15-6th st. N. C.



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Smith Geo C.

Business in connection with the  
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MRS. E. L. MILLER, Matron.

*Ohio State Military Home*  
National Military Home, Ohio. 21, December, 1893.

Maj. General O. O. Howard, U. S. A.

Commanding Department of the East,

Governors Island, New York.

Sir:-

I have the honor to state that there has been, this date, forwarded from Central Branch to your address as above, by mail, one copy of the Annual report Board of Managers N. H. for D. V. S., year ending 30th. June, 1893, under orders President Board of Managers, N. H. D. V. S., dated 14th. December, 1893,

Very respectfully,

*J. B. Thomas*  
Governor.



CENTRAL BRANCH, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF DISABLED VOLUNTEER SOLDIERS.

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GENERAL JAMES BARNETT, Cleveland, Ohio.

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MAJOR CARL HERLIN, Assistant Adjutant-General.  
COLONEL JOHN W. HIRON, Inspector.

*Ohio Nat. Military Home*  
*To your Gov.*

National Military Home, Ohio St., December, 1893.

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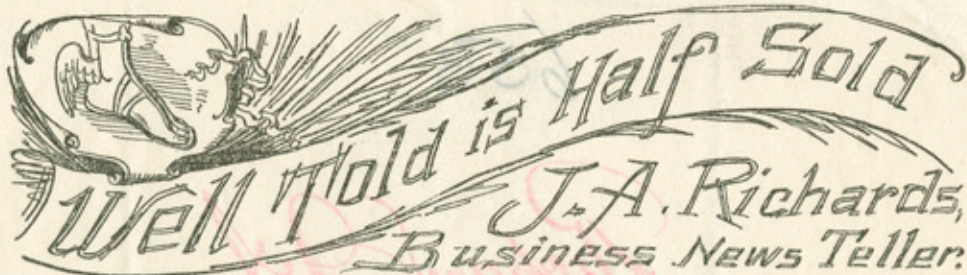
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38 PARK ROW, NEW YORK.

P.O. Box 2283

Dec. 21, 1893.

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Governor's Island,

New York Harbor.

Dear Gen. Howard:--

I wrote you a letter a day or two since asking where I could communicate with you in reference to Brother John Jaeger. I have received no reply and have thought that possibly the letter has gone astray. Will you kindly favor me with a few moments somewhere, the time and place for you to select, where I can talk with you about Brother Jaeger's work and a desire on my part to be related to it in some way.

Yours very truly

J. A. Richards





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*Richard J. A.*

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Yours very truly

*Richard J. A.*



Dec 21. 1893

SECRETARY'S OFFICE.

Dear General:

If you can  
meet me here at 6 o'clock  
on Sunday January 14<sup>th</sup>  
can go to Farmington to  
gather.

If you intend to go earlier  
I will arrange with our  
pastor to meet you.

Cordially,

G. A. Warburton

Wm. Guil & Howard  
W. S. A.



Warburton Lf.



F. IRSCH,  
General Broker,  
1, 3 AND 5 OLD SLIP,  
CABLE ADDRESS: "IRSCH, NEW YORK."

New York, Dec 21<sup>st</sup> 1893

Dear General Howard

I have just returned and saw the President  
of Bank first thing he says you would come  
over this morning and see me so I waited  
until one p.m. The President is not aware  
to go before board with a cut down but I cannot  
stand it I have a appointment with Geo. C. Lane  
Smith where you know my call @ about 1 3/4  
2 p.m. in the Central N.Y. Office foot of Liberty  
he stops at Holland House, after that I will  
be at your service please let me know whether  
you can come over between 3-4 p.m. to see Geo. C. Lane  
Smith or whether you can do so early in  
the morning until which time things will remain in abeyance  
The property is worth three times over what it is mortgaged  
for and no doubt can be sold in any Feb  
but it is impossible for me to carry it other  
Florida matters seem to attract the attention of European  
Capitalists and some Southern men of means contemplate  
looking up the Seminole Lands and the Aucilla River  
on which I have option until 31st Dec. I am with  
the Commission of Agriculture under the Aucilla  
property agreed to give a profit of \$100,000 to investor,

In a short time I am to be visiting a new town  
near the Aucilla River which was once a very large town  
which exists even the ruins of it will be seen it is about 800 ft  
in length and more the width of the river I have seen the ruins of  
the Aucilla River and the ruins of the Aucilla River and the ruins of the Aucilla River







F. IRSCH,  
General Broker,  
1, 3 AND 5 OLD SLIP,  
CABLE ADDRESS: "IRSCH, NEW YORK."

New York, Dec. 21st 1893

Major General C. O. Howard  
U. S. A.

Dear General

Sen Orlando Smith will be  
in town until to morrow evening and desires to meet  
you. Sen O'Sullivan, Lockman shall at the Astor House @ 1 pm  
Friday the 22<sup>nd</sup> visit to his cup & cry & dinner etc while  
conducting. Hoping you will be able to attend

I remain yours truly  
F. M. W.

If convenient to call at my office prior to above  
appointment. Can go with you to Astor House  
and talk over Fla matters

Acting Secy 11<sup>th</sup> Corps.



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Josh Francis

F. IRSCH,  
General Broker,  
13 and 15 Old Slip,  
CHART ROOMS - IRSCH, NEW YORK.

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My dear Mr. O. O. Howard

Dear General

Our Chicago bank will be  
in town until the morning and please to order  
for General Howard's share of the water power of the  
\$25,000 to his wife's share of the water  
power. The bank will be able to make  
the payment for the water power.  
I am, Sir, very respectfully,  
Your obedient servant,  
F. Irsh



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*Ass. of the 11<sup>th</sup> Corps*

HEADQUARTERS 11TH CORPS ASSOCIATION,

NEW YORK, December 22d, 1893.

To the Members of the  
11th Corps Association.

COMRADES :

The Association will celebrate its "Fourth" Annual Reunion by a Dinner at Morello's, No. 4 West 29th Street, New York City, on January 8th, 1894, at 7.30 o'clock in the evening.

Tickets at \$1.50 each may be procured from any member of the Committee, as follows :

Gen'l ORLAND SMITH, Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company's Office, Baltimore, Maryland.

Capt. FRANCIS IRSCH, No. 1 Old Slip, New York City.

Capt. THEODORE FELDSTEIN, No. 268 Grand St., New York City.

Gen'l JOHN T. LOCKMAN, No. 88 Nassau St., New York City.

Addresses will be made by Generals HOWARD, SCHURZ, SIGEL and others.

An early response is desired to enable the Committee to make necessary arrangements for the Dinner.

There will be a business meeting of the Association at seven o'clock at the same place.

By order of

ORLAND SMITH, PRESIDENT,  
*Baltimore, Maryland.*

FRANCIS IRSCH, SECRETARY, *pro tem.*

*No. 1 Old Slip, N. Y.*



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Chair of the 11th Corps

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FRANCIS IRSCH, Secretary, per tem.

No. 1 Old Ship, N. Y.



FREEMAN F. WARD, PRESIDENT,  
COLLEGE OF PHYSICIANS AND SURGEONS.  
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STUDENTS' BRANCH OF THE YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION  
OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

"THE STUDENTS' MOVEMENT,"  
136 LEXINGTON AVENUE,  
NEW YORK CITY.

Dec 22/93

My dear General Howard.

I have just received a note from  
Mr. Trust saying that you have an engagement in  
Washington which will prevent your speaking to  
the students upon ~~January~~ 11th at 5 P.M., but  
your former letter spoke of February 11th (Sunday)  
at 5 o'clock & it is the latter time that we



had been expecting you - I hope still that you can  
come upon February 11<sup>th</sup> at 5 o'clock to our room  
136 Lexington Ave. (near 29<sup>th</sup> St).

*Note*

We gladly consent to a collection being  
taken up for your work, but fear that it will be  
a small one!

With very best wishes of this time

Yours truly

Believe me

Very truly yours

William L. Thacker



St. John's Rectory  
Staten Is.

Dec 23<sup>rd</sup>

1893

Many thanks -

My dear General  
for the Life of Genl. Taylor  
just received. - I shall  
prize it with great  
pleasure. Your visit  
afforded us all much  
joy & benefit.

Faithfully Yours  
J. Cheever



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# WASHINGTON ASSOCIATION

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## Bowdoin Alumni

### OFFICERS FOR 1893-'94.

Mr. Chief Justice FULLER (1853), <i>President.</i>	STEPHEN D. FESSENDEN (1879), <i>Treasurer.</i>
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### EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

Gen. ELLIS SPEAR (1858), <i>Chairman,</i>	
W. H. OWEN (1851),	J. N. WHITNEY (1864),
F. E. DENNETT (1890),	H. L. PRINCE (1862).

With Pres., Sec. and Treas. *ex-officio.*

WASHINGTON, D. C., December 23, 1893.

The Executive Committee have made arrangements for holding the Annual Banquet of the Association at WELCKER'S, 721 15th St. N. W., on Thursday evening, Jan. 11, at 7 P. M., to be preceded by a meeting at 6 P. M. for the election of officers for the ensuing year, and any other business that may be brought before the meeting.

The members are requested to notify the Secretary, on or before Jan. 6, whether they can be present, that the Committee may know the number to be provided for. Postal card inclosed for reply.

A delegation from the college faculty, including President Hyde, is expected to be present, as well as one from the New York Association.

It is hoped and urged that every Bowdoin man in this vicinity will make an effort to be present.

Tickets \$2.50, to be had of the Chairman, Gen. ELLIS SPEAR, 1003 F Street, N. W.; the Treasurer, STEPHEN D. FESSENDEN, Department of Labor, and of the Secretary.

JAMES C. STROUT, Secretary,

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EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Wm. Brewster, Secy.  
J. W. Aldrich, Pres.  
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Washington, D. C., January 12, 1891

The Executive Committee have made arrangements for holding the Annual Meeting of the Association at Washington, D. C., on Thursday evening Jan. 14, at 8 P. M., to be preceded by a meeting at 7 P. M. for the election of officers for the coming year, and any other business that may be brought before the meeting.

The members are requested to notify the Secretary, on or before Jan. 10, of their intention to be present, that the necessary arrangements may be made for their reception and for the publication of the program.

A delegation from the various societies, including the Washington Society, is expected to be present, as well as one from the New York Association.

It is hoped and urged that every possible man to the extent will make an effort to be present.

Yours truly,  
James C. Strouth, Secretary  
J. W. Aldrich, President

JAMES C. STROUT, SECRETARY

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Christine Maller

Whitestone L. I.

Whitestone Long Island

Dec. 23 1893

General Howard

Sir I Now take  
the liberty to write a few lines  
about my son Isaac N. Beck  
who Deserted the army at Mill  
Point-Lone 3 three years and 4 months  
ago and came back and gave him  
self up to Punishment on the 10<sup>th</sup> Nov  
and was tried and sentenced to  
18 months at Fort-Leavenworth on the  
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*James Otis*

Post Office Box 1079,

Portland, Me., Dec. 23, 1893

Gen. O. O. Howard,

Governor's Island, N. Y.

My dear Sir and Comrade:- I have been for the last three years engaged in preparing the personal record of each soldier or sailor who won the Medal of Honor during the late war.

It is to be a first class work, gotten up in first class style, irrespective of cost, and will form the only authentic history of those brave fellows. It will be published not later than March next, and only lately have I been able to get your address.

Will you kindly let me know how the work may be complete but that those who live after you may read of what you have done--fill out the enclosed blank, giving me such details in regard to your share in winning the Medal of Honor as you are willing, and loan me your photograph. The picture shall be return within three or four weeks uninjured.

An early reply will very greatly oblige because of the fact that the time which shall elapse before the publication day is so short.

Fraternally yours,

*James Otis*



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*Oliver James*

Post Office Box 1079,

Portland, Me., Dec. 28, 1898

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