Eva's little girl Eva in Balt.
Now to go back to myself, my husband was born here, his parents in Germany, his trade is cigar maker, at which he worked when we were married, he had to give it up inhaling the tobacco was so unhealthy, he tried to get other employment, but could do no better than tending bar, at which he is working now. he was out of work for eight months, we had a little money saved, for which I was so thankfull as it enabled us to keep out of debt for the past four weeks, he has been working for five dollars a week, the proprietor would not pay any more, as he allways employed a boy, and would only pay what he payed a boy but we are thankfull for that he never worked for less than

Washington
D.C.
Jan. 11th 1894.

M. G. O. O. Howard,
Dear God Father,

I know you will be surpised when you see who this is from. I have often thought of writing to you, and thinking you would like to hear how we all are, I have at last made up my mind to write, But it is not to late to wish you, and your family a happy, and prosperous new year. We are all well, Mama lives on P. st. between 5 and 6, with my youngest brother Howard, who

single yet, and still in office
on ma rents furnished rooms
and takes in sewing, just
enough to keep one girl, work is
very dull, but she has some. My
other brother is married, he is
conductor on the 9th cars, but
he has put in application for
letter carrier he is to be examined
on the 6th of Feb., I hope he
will pass, they have two very
interesting children, Edna, four
years old, and Harry aged two,
My dear sister died on my birth=
=day the 10th of last april they lived
in Baltimore they were married
twelve years in September 1892.
she left one little girl eleven years
old, all she ever had, and she
was a great help and comfort
to her, they lived very happy
together and were going to
buy a home of there own, and
live so nice, when she had to
leave us, she had never been very
strong since her little girl was
born, the doctor performed an
operation she was only confined
in bed three days, but she is
better off, she suffered most all
the time, but Oh! I miss her
so much, she was the only sister
I had.
Now I suppose I must tell
you of myself, of cours I am
married, have been married
ten years the 19th of next June,
I forgot to tell you my sister's
husband is a great business man
is in partner with Mr. Reinle
Manufactor of show cases and
Barroom fixtures, in Balt., his
name is John Salmon, his
sister keeps house for him and

ten a week before, but I have no
children, I have never had any,
so we manage to get along.
I live on N, near 6, have three
pleasant rooms on third floor,
the rent is 12 dollars a month
I have one of the best of husbands
and he is very proud of his little
home,
Now I want to tell you I have
the little green sugar bowl, and
a little pewter tea pot, you
gave me when I was a little girl
at West Point, I call it my tea
set, I have them on a bracket
in my front room, nearly every
one wants to know where I
got them, they are so odd, I
am very proud of them, and
would not part with them,
I dont suppose you remember
them

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Well, I must close now
my hand is quite tired

Remember me to your
wife.

Your Affectionate
Godchild
Emma A. Beckett
nee Rothery

607 H. st N.W.
Washington
D.C.

Major Genl
O. O. Howard U.S.A.
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[rec'd Jan 11, 1894]

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140 NASSAU STREET,

New York, Jan. 11th, 1894.

DEAR SIR AND COMPANION:

I am directed by the Commander to request that you will forward, at your earliest convenience, to

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161 Broadway,
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Very Respectfully,
Your Obedient Servant.

Wm B Ogden
RECORDER.

To Companion Major-General O. O. Howard,

P. S. Kindly write separate letters in regard to Genl. Morgan & Col. Quinlan in order that they may be filed with their respective applications.

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FOR THE TRAINING OF COLORED YOUNG MEN AND WOMEN.

Tuskegee, Ala., Jan. 11th, '94.

Gen. O. O. Howard,

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N. Y.

My dear Sir:-

Please sign the enclosed paper authorizing me to receipt for the legacy of Mrs. C. C. Clarke to the school, and return same to me in first mail.

Yours truly,

Warren Logan

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Original

(Sent January 15th 1894)

(Copy)

Authority is hereby given to Warren Logan, Treasurer of the Tuskegee Instsitute, to execute to Henry C. Allen, Administrator of the will of Mrs. Clara Callin Clarke, late of Syracuse, N. Y. a receipt for $ 50, being here legacy to said institution, and Waiver for Citation in the matter of the judicial settlement of the said Clara Callin Clarke.

January 11th 1894.

(signed) O. O. Howard,
Trustee.

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Logan Warren
Treasurer Normal Industrial
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New York, January 12th, 1894.

Gen'l O. O. Howard,
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N.Y.

Dear Sir:

I beg you my dear sir, not to read this letter until you have time, as I sincerely hope it will receive a favorable answer if you have time to think the matter over!

I write in the interest of the National Christian League for the Promotion of Social Purity.

I have guaranteed the rent of Concert Hall and Assembly Rooms in Madison Square Garden, for the week in February commencing on the 19th and continuing through the evening of the 24th, in which to hold a Fair. This is only a means to the end to raise money to press forward our general work, and to establish an Industrial Home for girls and women where they can be trained for domestic work, in the trades, and various other business for which they are best fitted to serve.

I should greatly prefer to go with two or three pious women into my own room and ask the Lord for the necessary funds, if I did not feel that we must use the means at our disposal; some of us have that which we can contribute to a Fair, and the demands made upon the Christian League by unfortunate women and girls, and strictly chaste girls who cannot get work this Winter is so great, that we feel the only means to preserve them from perishing morally, is to be furnished with employment.

I have sent many from one Mission to another; from one Home for fallen girls to another, and various Charitable Institutions, but there is no place for chaste young girls who have no money!

The Charity Organization renders good service in investigating cases, but it gives no employment to any one comparatively. I have sent girls and women back and forth to places where they give out some work, and they are sent to the Charity Organization to get tickets, only to be told by the Charity Organization that they have no tickets. Then when I investigate the matter, am told they had a special number of twenty, and these for preferred cases!

What is to become of these poor creatures with no food, no shelter, and no way to get work?

The Delancy Street Office furnishes from forty to sixty women with work at fifty cents per day, but what of the twenty to sixty thousand who can get no work!

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New York, ...

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Will you give us a short talk from the platform, either to the children or grown people on one of these evenings?

I shall be very glad indeed for any donation that you will make in the interest of establishing this Industrial Home, or toward carrying on the general work of the League? Your time, talent, money, personality!

My husband was on your staff twenty-eight years ago, Major W. F. Grannis. He was not strictly a religious man. I feel that I know you quite well through my husband's acquaintance.

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Faithfully yours,

E. B. Grannis
per B.

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Mrs. Plant

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E. P. Gramis
Mrs.

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My dear General:

I am able to be up now - shall hope to be out by a week from Sunday - if not sooner.

I am very thankful for such rapid recovery!

I do hope Mrs. Howard and family are well!

With kindest regards -

Yours very truly.

Clara McDonald.

108 W. 17th. St. (not 103 W. 17th.)

N.Y. Jan. 12 - 1894

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My dear General:

I am able to be up now - shall take it easy for a week from Sunday - I'm not severe.

I am very thankful for such skilled nursing. I do hope the General and family are well!

With kindest regards -

Yours very truly

Clara McDonald.

10 A.M. 17th. 27. (not 10 3 M. 17th.)

N.Y. Jan. 15-1899

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American Missionary Association,

Bible House, Ninth Street and Fourth Avenue.

New York, Jan 12th 1894.

Dear General -

I call your special attention to the topic for the Congregational Club next Monday evening. "Settlements Among the Poor" The speakers have practical knowledge of the subject -

Sincerely

H. W. Hubbard

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Gen. Oliver O. Howard

Dear Sir:-

I am trying to get a collection of autographs of great men and should like yours very much.

Yours respectfully
A. S. Flinn

P. S. Enclosed please find stamped envelope and card.

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Plum & S.

Howard University,

Washington, D. C., Jany 15th 1899

Dear Sir:

Charles cannot come, owing to sickness. Be sure to come yourself.

Very truly,

J. E. Rankin

Brewer.

Rankin J.E.

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HARLEM BRANCH,
YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION,
5 WEST 125TH STREET.

F. G. BANISTER, SECRETARY.

PHYSICAL DEPARTMENT,
J. GARDNER SMITH, M. D., DIRECTOR.

New York, Jan 12. 1894

Geo. O. O. Howard,

Dear Sir,

Having charge of the physical training as above and in the New York Public Schools am anxious to know that the military commands which we are doing are properly printed & executed. Have nearly completed a publication on physical training which includes these selected commands. May I have your criticism or if you deem wise your endorsement? Can I see you some day or evening? Would a Wednesday afternoon be agreeable?

HARLEM BRANCH,
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PHYSICAL DEPARTMENT,
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New York, Jan 28. 1894

Geo. W. Howard,
Dear Sir,

Having closely of the following Testimony as our work in the New York Public Schools, our anxious desire that the condition concerning which we are doing our judgeship Gymnasium, I have really consulted a Gymnasium in physical training ~~[illegible]~~ ~~[illegible]~~ ~~[illegible]~~.

Now with your permission I will give some of your enthusiasm! Then I see you say you are assuming? Would a Wednesday afternoon be equally

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New York, ... 189

Can I present a letter from Mr. N. A. Calkins & Mr. R. R. McBurney. Would like very much your criticism & advise and shall hope to hear favorably from you.

Yours very respectfully

J. Gardner Smith

307 Lenox Ave.

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Smith S. J. M.D.

HARLEM BRANCH,
Young Men's Christian Association,
5 WEST 125th STREET.

PHYSICAL DEPARTMENT,
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307 Henry Ave.

Williams, Wood & Linthicum,

Geo. H. Williams,
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Attys at Law.

Chamber of Commerce Building,

Portland, Or. Jan. 12, *1894.*

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U. S. Army,

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Our advice to you would be to take the security offered, or such security as you can get, for an extension of time on the note. This is the way we have been settling all claims sent to us from the East for collection here. Very truly yours,

William Woodburn Smith & Co.
C. E. Wood

Willard Wood & Lutheran

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NEW YORK, Jan 12/94

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Governor's Island N.Y.

Dear Sir:

We have the opinions of two of our confidential Readers. They both think the work timely. There are minor faults in style as they say or rather, one of them points out that you use the term "yes" or "yea" often when the term "even" would be better; and that the term i.e. = that is, appears too frequently, thus marring the style - making it appear slip-shod. This feature you could easily correct or we can have it done for you. As to illustrations we are not undertaken to select; they think the work should be illustrated, but the author should select what he thinks best. In case you decide to have us be the Publishers you can, for mutual convenience, confer with our Mr. Disel, who engages artists and superintends the manufacture of a book after contract is executed.

We will undertake the publication of your work at our expense and pay you a royalty of 10 (ten) per cent on the average wholesale price, accounting to be made semi-annually, & royalty then to be paid in cash. In case you care to accept, we will then draw up a contract, in duplicate, in our regular form and submit the same to you for signature. In meanwhile we will hold MS. subject to your order. Any inquiries concerning this proposition of course will be cheerfully answered.

Very truly Yours
Funk & Wagnalls Company
By A. W. Wagnalls
V. Pres't

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204 Union St.

Peekskill Jan 12th 94

Rev. C. C. Harrod

Dear Sir

The churches of this town are organizing a series of meetings in the interest of public morals at which such themes as Temperance Sabbath Observance Good Literature &c will be considered.

I write to ask if you will be willing to be one of the speakers at one such meeting. We can assure you a large audience a cordial welcome and a happy time in doing good work for our common Master, and we shall be glad to relieve you of all expense and make

such other communications as you may desire if in our power. We would be very pleased to have you with us on the third Sabbath in Feb. next, if that day be inconvenient for you such time as may be agreeable to you will be acceptable to us.

Hoping to have a favorable reply at your earliest convenience

Yours very sincerely
(Rev) Irving E. White