Sacramento, Cal. Feb 18th 1874

Dear Sir,

I have just finished reading in the American Israelite of the 8th this a most offensive and uncalled for attack made upon me by a scurrilous writer in that journal.

I deeply regret that a Jewish "Religious" Paper should permit itself to be so far forget its real mission as to publish an article written in a spirit so contemptible as is the one in which you are referred to.

As a Jew I am glad however to know that the writer of that article command little respect or notice among our people. I trust however...
You will treat his abusive remarks with the contempt they deserve; especially since they can do the writer no good and you no injury.

With profound regret for your ill-humor, charity and virtues among Jews as well as Non-Jews I beg to remain

Sincerely yours

[Signature]
90 Willow Street,
Brooklyn Heights.

Feb 18, 1894

My dear General Howard,

I cannot wait a moment to tell you how your article in my booklet for this week—a proof of which is before me—has affected me. I have just finished reading it and my good wife has the booklet in hand and at my suggestion is ready to send it now while I write to you.
That article is one of the most pathetic and powerful appeals I ever read—and is calculated to do great good. It will go this week, into the hands of thousands—who will most certainly be moved better by it—more decided friends of the Temperance Cause.

I have more firm in opposing the—cause—than I will say it myself—indeed I have been—now my good Sir, you must have stored in your memory—other thrilling stories of a like character—relating to the same torture & many others on other interesting topics. Please not let them slip—but no marking on this letter, lest them appear in your letter as after so time can be given to prepare them.

Yours—

Faithfully yours,

Henry C. Bowen
Major General Howard.

I write to ask your clemency in behalf of my only boy, who has been arrested for forgery from Sacketts Harbor.

The times are very hard, and he is the only boy I have at home. The others are all married, and gone from me. If you will be kind enough to pardon Thomas Connolly you will be doing an act
of charity for his widowed brother. Remember you are forever in my debt.
Margaret Connolly.
THE MALDEN
YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION.

W. J. HOBBS, President.
F. L. STARRETT, General Secretary.

M. General O. O. Howard
Governors Island

My Dear Sir:

Yours at hand, in reply I have to inform you that arrangements are now
completed for Mar. 1. I send time table of trains on the Boston and Main R.R. to Malden
from Boston. I also enclose one of the Invitations which we have sent out to the busi-
ness men of the city. We will see that there are proper accommodations provided either
in Boston or Malden according to your preference in the matter.

Will you kindly speak about Thirty Minutes on this topic. "The Breadth
of the work of the Young Men's Christian Association from a National Standpoint"

Kindly let me know if I have omitted anything and I will rectify at
once. I hope to hear from you in relation to your entertainment.

Yours very truly,

F. L. Starrett

[Signature]
Malden, Feb. 20, 1892.

Dear Sir:

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Mr. H. M. Moore, of Somerville.

Mr. Edward Gay will preside.

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J. Harris Cressey,
Chairman Reception Committee.

Reception, 6:45 to 7:45.
Meeting, 8 o'clock.

Edward Gay, Chairman.
Albertr C. Beach, Roswell A. Robinson.
J. Harris Cressey, G. Louis Richards.
Jesse Cudworth, Kirk Russell.
Charles Li. Dean, Edward T. Rawley.
Peter Grissem, Fred L. Sterrell.
William J. Flahs, George W. Walker.
William G. Merrill, Frank E. Woodward.

Building Committee.

Please reply at once, on the enclosed card, whether you will or will not be present, and mail as early as February 24, as the Committee desire to know for how many to provide.
WESTERN DIV., Summer St., MALDEN.
WINTER AND SPRING ARRANGEMENT,
Sept. 24, 1893, until June, 1894.

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Dear Sir:

There will be a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Evangelical Alliance at the Trustees' Room in the United Charities' Building (seventh floor), Friday next, FEB 23, at four o'clock P.M.

Yours faithfully,

Josiah Strong

General Secretary
DEAR SIR,

There will be a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Evangelical Alliance at the Trinity Tower in the United Charities Building on February 15th. Please let me know if you can attend.

Yours faithfully,

[Signature]

General Secretary.
Dear Father,

Please send me a letter of introduction to Mr. Elkins of the Bank - I desire to meet him at once to talk further.

James
Maj. Genl. O.O. Howard
U. S. Army
Governor's Island

Dear General,

I submit for your personal and immediate consideration for your approval, an article written as your suggestion upon the Military Profession.

If accepted by "The interior" I would like to be furnished with a few printed copies.

I am dear General

Very sincerely yours,

J.K. Waugh

[Signature]
Headquarters Seventy-First Regiment, 
National Guard, S.N.Y. 

Gen. O. O. Howard, Governor's Island, N.Y.

Dear Sir:—

I have the honor to inform you that the 71st Regiment, N.G.S.N.Y. expect to move into their new Armory, corner of Park Avenue and 34th Street, the latter part of April. It is the desire of the Regiment to celebrate this event in a manner that will be dignified and appropriate, as well as memorable. With this object in view an arrangement has been made with Mr. S.G. Pratt to produce the "Allegory of the War in Song", (which was given with such great success at Madison Square Garden for the Grant Monument). This will be given with a chorus of five hundred voices, orchestra and military band of one hundred, between the hours of eight and ten in the evening, and will be followed by a Reception and Ball.

A number of distinguished officers and public spirited citizens have signified a desire to be present upon this auspicious occasion, and their willingness to act as an Honorary Committee of Reception. In this connection your name has also been suggested to the Committee having the matter in charge, and on behalf of this Committee I have the honor most cordially to invite you to be present and participate in the exercises as a member of the said Honorary Committee.

Trusting the courtesy intended from the officers of the Regiment will meet with a cordial response on your part, and requesting a reply at your earliest convenience, I remain

Yours very truly,

F.V. Greene Col. 71st Regt

for the Committee.

P. S. — Kindly send reply to #1 Broadway.

General O. O. Howard:

Dear Sir and Companion:

I am pastor of the First Presbyterian Church in this city, and a member of the New York Commandery, Loyal Legion.

The Anniversary of our Christian Endeavor Society will come on Monday evening, April 2nd, and we would all like very much to have you make the address on that occasion. You will be the only speaker and will have the entire evening, and can talk on any subject that you see fit. We will compensate you to the extent of twenty dollars. If the date is not convenient for you, we will throw the Anniversary forward a week or two weeks for the sake of having you. Come if you can. It will be a great favor to you.

Yours Respectfully,

[Signature]
Gen. Oliver O. Howard,

My dear sir:

Your kind words concerning Major Whittle are appreciated by us all. Better still, Major Whittle is proving how truly true they are. We esteem him highly. God is using him for great good among us.

With thanks for your interest and good will, I am,

Ever sincerely yours,

B. L. Whitman.
Wichita, Kan., Feb 20th, 1894

Major Genl. Howard

Dear Sir,

I had a letter from my son W. A. Blockley who had enlisted & run away all [illegible] Fort Hamilton & was recaptured & had a trial & sentenced. He was under age & had enlisted without my knowledge & consent, & he informed me that you had given him his discharge. I had worried me very much. I thank you a thousand times for your great kindness & hope that God will bless you for your kindness for what you have done for him.

Yours very Respectfully,

Wm. Blockley
209
Rectorly 45
Topeka, Kan.,
Feb. 20/94.

General C. Q. Howard

Re: General, I take pleasure in writing to you, and hope in my so doing, you will not consider me out of the way.

I saw you and heard you speak some years ago here at Topeka, at Garfield Park. My little girl was sick at the time, and as so many were crowding around to shake hands with you, I had to go and never saw you again.

Now a Kan. boy, my parents coming to Kan.
from Boston in 1855. I arrived the next year to chew, to bother, and to help them make life more of a variety.

I don't think that my father, Byron G. Howard, ever met you. But I have heard him and mother speak of you and your noble work very many times.

Father and mother used to entertain John Brown, and several men who traveled with him during early Hawaiian history. A few weeks ago I met Major Bateman, with whom you are acquainted undoubtedly. He, with eleven others, and
Mr. Brown stayed in a large hay barn of father's, about two and one half miles south-east of Topeka, for several days, hiding from their enemies. Not so very long after this John Brown and those with him met their terrible fate. But for a good cause as father and mother have always thought.

My work for several years has been teaching. This last summer, after my school closed, I went with an Evangelist taking charge of the singing. There seemed to be an opening for me in a field where I could do
much good for the cause of Christ. I made arrange-
m ents to go into this work the first of Sept. But before that
time, but too late to get a posi-
tion in school, the Evange-
list I was to work with went
away and I was left with
out work. Since then I have
been working at whatever I
could find to do.
Prof. E. O. Excell, of Chicago,
wrote me that as soon as
he knew of an opening for
me to take charge of singing
in Revival Work, he will
let me know. But that may
not be soon.
Then in the schoolroom
Dear Sir,

From $75 to $100 per month. But now to be without any work, and be without any support for my wife and three children, it seems rather rough for me. But I am doing my best, and trusting God that a way may soon open giving me some kind of employment. But praise the Lord we have Christ in our hearts if we have any very many earthly enjoyments.

Now, General, perhaps you may know of something I could get to do. If you wish me I can send you references as to my character.
te and ability.

I hope I have not worried

with my long letter.

and I shall be very glad to

hear from you, and be very

much obliged to you, if you

could help me into some

employment.

Yours truly,

Jasper M. Howard

228 circle St.

Auburndale,

Topeka

Kan.
205

Howard J. Ford
Gen O. O. Howard

My Dear sir -

I send this note by our mutual friend, Sam Wilson, and I hope that my request through him in interest will prevail upon acceptance of our invitation. On Thursday, April 5th, we have a gentlemen's supper in my church parlors, for the purpose of making the gentlemen of my congregation acquainted with one another. We shall probably have 200 present, and we are all very anxious to have you with us to speak after the supper. We expect also Dr. Parkhurst and Dr. Lyman Abbott.

Eternally hoping that you can meet with us, I am very truly yours,

Abbott Edithodge
Major General O.O. Howard  
Governor's Island  
N.Y.

Dear General,

I am much obliged to you for forwarding letter from Gen. Swayne, relating to a Receiver, which I now return.

I have no objection to General Swayne, but I am curious to know whom he would suggest to settle up the Company's affairs in Florida. Rightly or wrongly, I distrust Mr. Irish, and must object to any of his friends.

Yours truly,

H.E. Ellis
1829 Pine Street
Philadelphia Pa
20-2-94

My dear General

I receive a letter from
Mourier & Co. April says that you know them.
Whether you have the kind
Miss to tell me what you
expect from as men, chimney
Shedden, pasture? I am so
much obliged to you.

Hope there lines will find
you in good health.
Remain with kindest regards
to yourself a family.

Sincerely yours

Mattus Fendley
Brooklyn, Feb 20, 1898

Sir: O. C. Howard,

Major General,

I am in receipt of your kind compliance with the request to come to the Girls High School on Monday March 5.

Major Brien will meet you with a Carriage at the South Ferry, Brooklyn (foot of Atlantic St.) at about 8:25 to 8:30 in the morning. I have asked Miss Topham to come along as company.

We are anticipating your visit with much pleasure. The Mayor and others will be present. As to the final arrangements I will advise you later.

Very Gratefully Yours,

Chas. S. Stone
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WAR DEPARTMENT.

GENERAL DEPOT OF THE QUARTERMASTER'S DEPARTMENT,
Army Building, Whitehall Street,

New York City, July 20th, 1894

Supt. C. S. Grant
Aide-de-Camp.

Genl. 2nd. Dept. of the East.

Supt.

Relating to the 12th Corp. Rubber Bands #17
due at Office of the Maj. Genl. Commanding, referred
to in your Communicating of the 11th inst. I would
state that there are none of that number on hand,
but that purchase of some very soon is intended
as bids have been opened and sealing are now at
the War Department for action.

I enclose samples of No. 16 and 18. If
either of those will answer they can be supplied at
once.

Very Respectfully,

[Signature]

82-1891.

Deputy Quartermaster General U.S.A.
Depot Quartermaster.
Feb. 20, 1894

Charles G. Treat, Esq.,
Department of the East, Governor's Island, N. Y.

Dear Sir:

We beg to acknowledge with thanks the receipt of the very appreciative extract from the Rev. James D. Eaton's letter regarding Gen. Howard's Life of General Taylor.

Yours very truly,

D. Appleton & Co.
DEPARTMENT OF THE NEAL GOVERNOR'S ISLAND. N.Y.

DEAR SIR:

We beg to acknowledge with thanks the receipt of the

sympathetic extract from the Rev. James D. Heaton's letter received


Yours very truly,

[Signature]

Harper & Co.
General O.O. Howard, U.S.A.,

Governor's Island,

New York.

Dear General:

The note has been received and Mr. Frame called for to pay the interest but wanted an extension of eighteen months for the reason that he relied upon the sale of the land to pay the note. As he stated, it is nearly certain that nothing can be done in real estate this summer and if not sold this summer he would have to depend upon next summer, as sales are not made here in the winter time. An extension of only a year would again land him in the middle of next winter with the note due. I told him that I must submit an extension of such length to you. His proposition is to make the note payable on or before eighteen months and the first money he receives from the sale of the land shall be applied upon it, he being anxious to get rid of the note as soon as possible.

We are all well and hope you are. Saw Grace and her children at Vancouver the other day and they all seemed to be well.

Very truly yours,

C.E. Wood
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General O. E. Howard
U.S.A.

Governor, Ireland

New York

Dear General,

The note you have received and Mr. Toronto can get

refunded to you. I trust you put nothing in expression of sympathy

for the reason that he is told by the sale of the 17th to

the note price he has entered to the welfare cases in your normal can

be done to keep estate in summer and I must hold the winter price

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Krought into the present exercise to part for the others as such

be desired.

I am still well and hope you are. Be brave and part optional to

Kondonard at your earliest and you will be pleased to receive.

Very truly yours,

[Signature]