



A. T. HALE, Proprietor.

Crocker
HOUSE

New London, Conn.

Apr 27 1894.

Gen. O. Howard.

Governors Island N.Y.

My dear General:-

Many times I have planned to write
& even to visit you, & review our late
urban trip together. I am at present
enroute to my place of business in N.H.
Have found my Sunday spent at
home in Mystic Connecticut.

The cause for this hasty note, is to get
your presence at a debate to be
held in Opera House Mystic May 1st 94
between two Clubs of young boys of
a neighboring town & our own, of which
the people in general are showing much
interest. It is the unanimous vote of all
that if possible to obtain you to act

as providing office & one of your ever
welcome addresses. If possible I shall
have the Hon. N. P. Perry of New Haven
with us & I will personal do all in
my power to give you a pleasant
welcome. If possible for you to accept
a early reply is desired & I will, see
or write you more fully the particulars
of the occasion.

The Clubs are titled, The Secian League of
America, & containing young fellows from
eighteen years of age to fifty. Fullman
of our best in town of Mystic. The
debate will be two on each side for
& against. Subject. (Resolved that —
Emigration to the United States should
be absolutely prohibited.)

Since we parted on the deck of steamer
Colorado, I have past through a severe
illness, & am far from strong. Shall on
Murning your late address call & see
you. I now address you at Governors Island
hoping same may be forwarded you
at once.

1307 907. Remaining yours in Admiration.
New Haven Ct. William C. Hoote.

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Mostyn Berkeley

UNIVERSITY CLUB.
MADISON SQUARE.

The President and Members
of the St. George's Society feel
much gratified at the
anticipated pleasure of
seeing General Howard
at their Anniversary Dinner
on the 28th inst., and they
will consider it a further
honour, if General Howard
will, as other representatives,
kindly appear in uniform

Berkeley Mostyn
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April 22. 1892

UNIVERSITY CLUB
MADISON BOULEVARD

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490 Canal St. New Orleans
April 23 - 94

Dear Gen. Howard:-

The books you
so kindly sent Straight University
Library arrived safely. Again we
thank you most heartily for the
gift which we feel is a valuable
addition to our library.

Already many of the students
and teachers have expressed a
desire to read them.

Hoping we may have the
pleasure of seeing you at Straight
again some time I remain.

Yours Truly

Emily W. Nichols

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Nichols Cemetery W.



April 23 94

Dear General,

Kindly inform me if you can meet Mr Bradford L. Gilbert at his office, 50 Broadway on Thursday May 3^d between 1 & 2 O'clock.

Mr Slyfield and I saw him today and told him what we thought was needed.

He then suggested an entirely different plan from ours which he claimed, and seemed to us much better and cheaper.

Roughly stated it is to ^{make} the rooms in the old church and basement, building a new auditorium on the rear of the church separated from it by movable glass partitions

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so as to throw all into one
large hall when necessary.
A new entrance to all to be
built on the side.

I think when you see the plan
you will like it

Yours truly
J. H. Meyerholz

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Meyerholtz J.

not be able to go, but
I am sure that all
the rest of the family
will be there to hear
you.

Your very truly
A. W. Slocum

April 23rd 1894

P.S. If I can be of
any further service,
please let me know.

111 E 40th St.
N. Y. City

My Dear Gen Howard

When we were
talking with you soon
in Brooklyn, today, I
think that in my-
lectures to touch upon
a very important
characteristic of my
father, my - his love,
dedication, continual
thought, and labor
for his children. I

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should feel myself
ungrateful if I did
not now speak of it,
for although I must
have respect enough
for myself to think
that I have taken
advantage of oppor-
tunities, yet all
of these opportunities
were placed in my
way by him, and
substantially all that
I have and all that
I am is the result

of his advice and most ardent wishes -

I am sure that both my
father and sister will be
pained. To this I am sure, and I

wish that you will speak of it,
if only to please me -

I was very glad to hear
from Sir King that you had
consented to speak at the
Memorial meeting. My mother may

#204a Lexington Avenue.

Brooklyn, N. Y., April 23, 1894.

Gen. O. O. Howard,

Governors Island, N. Y.

Dear Sir:-

Referring to the conversation I had with you Saturday afternoon, I would be very glad to have you review the Anniversary Parade of the Sunday School children of Brooklyn, Bedford Division, on Friday afternoon May 26th. The parade will begin about 10 o'clock and last probably three quarters of an hour. The reviewing stand will be erected at the corner of Gates and Classon Avenues, the line of march being through Gates Avenue.

This affair is the great Sunday School Spring Festival. We will have about 6000 children, representing some fifteen or sixteen schools, in the line of march. The parade has always been of a very interesting character, and we believe that this feature of having it reviewed by a gentleman of prominence will add greatly to it. We trust you will find that your engagements will permit you to be with us on that occasion, and I will be glad to hear from you at your early convenience. When my arrangements are so far advanced that I can be more definite, will communicate to you all the necessary information regarding mode of reaching the parade ground &c.

Thanking you for your courtesy, I remain
Yours very respectfully,

Chas. A. Lentz,

Marshal.

1204 Lexington Avenue,

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Yours very respectfully,

Wm. L. ...

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MAJ. GEN'L O. O. HOWARD, PRESIDENT.

J. N. STEARNS, CORRESPONDING SECRETARY
AND PUBLISHING AGENT.

Wm. D. PORTER, TREASURER.

National Temperance Society

—AND—

Publication House.

P. O. BOX 2658.

58 READE STREET, NEW YORK, April 23rd, 1894

Major General O. O. Howard,

Governor's Island, New York City.

Dear Sir:-

I am Committee from our Green Point Sunday School Teachers Association comprising of a dozen Sunday Schools of the 17th Ward of Brooklyn, and we ~~have our~~ annual parade on Thursday the 24th day of May. In the evening we always have a "Jubilee Meeting" where teachers, officers and adults of the Schools congregate in large numbers, and I want very much to have you come that night and give us a Sunday School talk. I know you have many engagements, but I am very anxious, as I have the charge of this meeting, to have you come on that occasion, and hope you can do so and that you have no engagement for that evening. The Schools of Brooklyn parade the day before we do. You once came to Green Point for me some twenty years ago, and now want to make this the best meeting we ever had, and if you can come we will have it.

Yours very truly,

J. N. Stearns

National Temperance Society
Publication House.

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Stearns J. H.

58 RENEW STREET, NEW YORK, APRIL 22ND, 1884

Wm. D. Foster, Treasurer
J. M. Stearns, Corresponding Secretary
and Executive Agent
and Genl. of N. B. Howard, President

Major General J. B. Howard,

Governor's Island, New York City.

Dear Sir:-

I am Committee from our Green Point Sunday School Teachers Association comprising of a dozen Sunday Schools of the 17th Ward of Brooklyn, and we have arranged to hold a "Ladies Meeting" on the 1st day of May. In the evening we always have a "Ladies Meeting" and the teachers, officers and adults of the schools cooperate in these meetings, and I must very much be obliged to have you and your wife as a Sunday School visit. I know you have many engagements, but I am very anxious, as I have the charge of this meeting, to have you come on that occasion, and hope you can do so and that you will have so engaging for your evening. The schools of Brooklyn have the day before we do, we wish to have you visit us on now twenty years ago, and we want to make this our last meeting as ever had, and if you can come we will be very glad.

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SCHOFFIELD, MASON & Co.

MANUFACTURERS OF



Office: Cumberland Street, above Fifth.

Philadelphia, April 23rd 1894

Gen. J. O. Howard
Governors Island New York
Dear Sir.

Enclosed find Check to
your order for \$15.- Contributed by
the Market-Square Pres. Church in
the interest of your "Mission" and
as a slight evidence of the great
appreciation of our people for your
great kindness and consideration
in coming over to Germantown to
present the Temperance Cause
Please acknowledge receipt
of Check to Yours truly

Edward F. Mason
4818 Green St
Germantown
Phila

STURROTT, MASON & CO.

MANUFACTURERS OF



CARTRIDGES



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OFFICE OF
WILLIAM FAWCETT,
MANUFACTURER OF SADDLERY HARDWARE,
97 CLIFF STREET.

Brooklyn
New York, April 23 1884

Genl O. O. Howard

My Dear General + Comrade
Some time ago when you were
at U. S. Grant Post G. A. R. of which
I am a member. I asked you if you
would come to St Johns M. E. Sunday
School and give us a short address
You gave me hopes that at some
future time you might do so

And as you are soon going
to leave New York. I take this
opportunity of again calling you
attention to this matter

We will have our Annual Parade
Sunday School Parade on the 7th June
next. When there will be fully
Twenty Thousand Children Parading

WILLIAM LAWETT
MANAGER OF SADDLERY HOUSE
121 QUEEN STREET

Handwritten notes, possibly including a date like "1871".



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OFFICE OF
WILLIAM FAWCETT,
MANUFACTURER OF SADDLERY HARDWARE,
97 CLIFF STREET.

Brooklyn
New York, _____ 188

on Bedford Ave. It is a sight
that cannot be seen in any other
City in this Country, & will delight
you to see. The Parade is preceded
with brief exercises in the Church
Commencing about 2.30 O'clock in
the afternoon. If you could come
over and give us a short address
in the Church, It would please
us all greatly & I am sure would
delight the Children. If you can
come over on the 7th of June to the
Church Corner of Bedford Ave &
Wilson St. ^{Brooklyn} or advise me where I can
meet you I will see that you will
find the place. I feel as if we may never
have a chance to hear you ~~you~~ if not now
Dear General do try & come, your Comrade W. Fawcett

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Pawett William

44 Pulaski Street,

Brooklyn, N.Y. Apr. 23, 94

Gen. O. O. Howard, U.S.A.

Governor's Island, New York.

Dear General Howard:--

Knowing you are always interested in Christian enterprises, and also in the work of the Society of Christian Endeavor, I take the liberty of enclosing herewith a letter addressed to the President of the Brooklyn C.E. Union, Mr. W. W. Freeman, which will explain itself. A special committee, of which I am chairman, was appointed to investigate the matter and see if anything could be done along this line. Of course our efforts would necessarily be confined to Ft. Hamilton.

The work of the Union at the Navy Yard is carried on by a committee appointed to co-operate with the Chaplain by having one society from the Union present at each religious meeting to assist in the singing and whatever lines of Christian work may be suggested. The fruits from this work have been far beyond the expectations of any.

Do you think a work something after this plan could be carried on at Ft. Hamilton with beneficial results? Any suggestions you may be able to give us will be valued highly, and acted upon as far as possible.

Thanking you in advance for your kind attention, and trusting I am not imposing upon your time, I am, in the work "Fort Christ and the Church",

Yours very respectfully,

J. E. Edgar

44 Pulaski Street,
Brooklyn, N.Y., Apr. 23, 24

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Steam-Vessel Inspection Service,
Office of Local Inspectors,

New York, N. Y., — 23rd, April, 1894.

Gen. O. O. Howard,

Governors Island, N.Y.

Sir:

The Rev. W.H.H. Hodder, Pastor of the 16th Baptist Church on 16th Street, East of 8th Avenue, has requested me to write to you to ask if you will kindly favor us with an address on Sunday evening, April 29th, 1894, on the occasion of the Quarterly Meeting of a missionary society, known as the Kincaid which is connected with and supported by the Sunday School of the above Church.

The address to be made is more particularly to the children of the Sunday School, *(and will occupy from 30 to 45 minutes)* but, of course, will prove interesting to the older members of the congregation as well. The amount of money divided each year by this Missionary Society is about \$600. and goes all over the world, as well as throughout the United States. On this occasion, the Boys Baptist Bridge attached to the Sunday School will appear in uniform.

If the evening of the 29th does not suit your convenience, we would be glad to postpone the meeting until it does. We should be glad, however, to know definitely by Wednesday, the 25 instant, in order that we may prepare a printed circular so as to insure a large audience.

Office of U. S. Local Inspectors of Steam-Vessels,

NEW YORK, N. Y.,

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Local Inspectors.

SUBJECT:

No. of Inclosures,

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Trusting that we may hear favorably from you, I remain

Very respectfully,

Your obedient servant,

A. L. Robertson

Secretary.

P.S. Will you kindly address me, Room 156, P.O. Building, N.Y.



Office of U. S. Local Inspectors of Steam-Vessels,

NEW YORK, N. Y.,

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747 BROADWAY,

BELOW 8TH STREET.

New York, April 23rd 1894

Dear Genl Howard

Same mail
and you an impression
of each of the 10 exposures
made last Thursday I
think they are all fairly
good except the house in
which I think the plate
was at fault you will
notice that it is lazy, my
folks would rather have had
the figures larger and less
amputation in the one where
they are — With Compliments
Yours Very Sincerely
Davis Garber

DAVIS GARBER

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Garber Davis

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