Quiet, C. J. Hotel
Dear Sir,

Will you be kind enough to send one a pass for myself and friend of mine as I would to visit the Dandel. Nothing to hear from you. I remain yours respectfully.

Henry S. Vall

47 Reg. C. C.

Passed

May 3-94
Palma Club.

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President May 1874

I have been informed by the officer in command of Governor's Island Dock that to obtain a pass to visit Governor's Island it is necessary to apply to you. If my information is correct, and this be so, will you kindly send an order admitting myself and those friends to the premises.
at 39 Summit Ave.
Jersey City, N. J.
and
oblige

Yours respectfully,

Sueie Hamilton Speir
General O. O. Howard,
Governors Island,
N. Y.

My dear Sir:—

One of the tenants in our building, Mr. U. Grant Duffield, desires to open an account with this Bank, and give us your honored name as reference.

We will thank you for any information which you might favor us with, in confidence, concerning the reputation and responsibility of the gentleman in question, and thank you in advance for the courtesy.

Yours truly,

Cashier.
May 8, '94

Major Gen. O. O. Howard

My dear Sir,

Judge Strong informs us that he will not be able to preside at our Annual Meeting, which is to take place next week Wednesday, according the enclosed card.

We shall all be much gratified if you can make it convenient to attend and see the proceedings through. Please let us know your purpose—affirmatively, I hope—for which I enclose an enclosures.

Yours faithfully,

W. W. Rand
April 1

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The American Tract Society

Remodeled to 10 East 34th Street, New York

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New York, May 3, 1894

My O. O. Howard

Dear Sir,

The printing of Isabella is progressing finely and will be finished in about a week. In order to finish book we require "List of Photogravures." You can tell best where they should be placed, as well as the Map, therefore kindly write opposite each caption or proof herewith, the folio which each illustration is to face. They should all face the left hand pages.

You have a set of page proofs, so you can tell folios therefrom. We also send by this mail another
New York,

[Invisible text due to handwriting difficulty]

Yours very truly,

[Signature]
New York May 3rd, 1894

Dear General

Thorp, Slyfield, Camp
Million and myself met Mr. Gilbert to-day and
saw his plans for our new
building, alterations, etc.
We agreed that it met our
requirements.

He read to us an itemized esti-
mate of the cost, the total of
which amounted to $612.40.
This did not include seats,
heating, and light fixtures
which will probably cost $700.00
Mr. Gilbert's charges
5% of contract
making total estimated
Cost

$7,165.20
It seems to me as the estimate was not absolutely accurate, that perhaps counts at least $7,500 as the total cost. I shall have the plan at the school on Sunday. Mr. Gilbert would like to meet you any time after 6 p.m. or later today. You will find him an old friend of our school and in full sympathy with our work, therefore ready to do the very best he can for us.

Yours truly,

[Signature]
Georgetown, S. C.
May 3, 1894

General:

I am an old and very earnest friend of your illustrious comrade the late Maj. Gen. H. W. Slocum and have read with great satisfaction the report of the proceedings in Brooklyn in regard to a monument, &c. But in the report of your address as given in the Charleston Courier this morning you omit his first campaign in Florida. The dates I have are as follows:

Born Sept. 24, 1827
Int. West Point at 21, 1848
Graduated July 1, 1852
2d Lt. 1st Art'y ordered to Florida 1853
Read law at N. Orleans and afterward at Charleston.
Married at Woodstock Oct. 9, 1854.
Returned to Mr. Monttrie
Commissioned 1st Lt. 1833
Resigned, Oct. 31, 1836
Admitted to the Bar at Syracuse, 1847.
Member of the Legislature 1858, 1859.
County Treasurer 1860.

I should like to be corrected if I am
wrong in any of these dates, especially
as to Florida, as my acquaintance
dates only from 1860, and you may
have at hand some Army record that
I have never seen.

Very Respectfully yours,

H. L. Hagadorn

late Editor of the
Syracuse Daily Carrier

to Maj. Genl.
O. C. Howard, M.S.C.
Comdy's Dept. of the East.
New York, May 14, 1894

Dear General,

Please inform me when I can see you on the island. I have a lady that wishes to visit whom you will be glad to see.

Yours truly,

L. P. Tibbals

Reply: May 14, 1894.
Waterbury, Vt., May 7, 1897

Gen. C. G. Howard,

Dear Brother:

The Vermont Bible Society—a auxiliary of the American Bible Society—will hold its first anniversary on Oct. 17th in the Hall of Representatives, under the presidency of President. Wednesday evening.

I wish to invite you to deliver an address on that occasion. The theme and the treatment of it are left wholly with you. I am sure that you could give us something that would be of real service.

The Secretary will be in attendance.
At that season I presumed it likely to have in the audience men from all parts of the State. We are not able to offer any premium return but we shall gladly pay expenses. Please give this invitation a favorable consideration and reply at your earliest convenience.

Sincerely yours,

L. N. Elliott, Sec. & Ag.

[Signature]
Washington D.C.
May 4/94

My dear General

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A friend tells me the M. H. Porter of Boston (son of John H. Porter. C. B. 52 R.R.) is about
making a trip to Cottagegrove and desires to learn of a good guide. Do you
know of one, and if so will you kindly

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

Dear Sir:—

I send you some platform tickets for our Anniversary next Tuesday night.

The afternoon meeting commences at half past two with the Board of Managers, and the Annual Meeting at half past three, but the members ought to be here at half past two, as the Report will then be presented and read in detail. I hope you can be here at the afternoon meeting by all means, as it is the Annual Meeting and the election of officers. We suppose you will speak in the evening twenty minutes to half an hour as you may deem best. I shall have a shorthand reporter to take it all down and send it out over the world. I saw Dr. Wayland in Philadelphia, and he will be on hand.

I hope nothing will prevent you being with us at our Sunday School Anniversary of the twelve Green Point Schools on the evening of Thursday May 24th, as I wrote you some time ago. I have been for some years wanting you to come with us, and this year I have charge of the meeting, and hope you can be with us.

Yours very truly,

[Signature]
National Temperence Society

Publication House

36 Read Street, New York, N. Y.

March 18, 1894

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

Dear Sir:

I have just received your letter and am very happy to hear from you. I am glad to see that you are still interested in the work of the Society.

The afternoon meeting was very successful, and I am hopeful that we will be able to proceed with the work. I am sending you a copy of the minutes of the meeting for your perusal. I hope you will find them useful.

I have recently been to Germany and Russia. I was very impressed with the progress of the temperance movement in those countries. I wish I could have visited your country also, but I have been unable to do so due to work commitments.

I am very pleased with the progress of the work here in New York. I have seen many successes and hope you will see even more in the future.

I am looking forward to seeing you again soon. Please keep me informed of any developments.

Yours truly,

[Signature]
Mr. W. W. Witherspoon,
Governor's I'd, N.Y.

Dear Sir:

Will you kindly inform us when Gen. Howard expects to return to the east? The MS. that we sent him on the history of the Congregational Church for which he is to write an introduction was sent to him last week so that he could look over the matter before writing the introduction. Our printers are quite anxious to commence the work on the book early next week and in case Gen. Howard has not yet returned and will not return for several days, it will be necessary to have the MS. returned to us so that we can place some of it in the hands of our printer and send other chapters back by the time Gen. Howard gets home. In this way, the compositors on the book will not be stopped in their work and Gen. Howard will have an opportunity to see most of the MS. Kindly give us the desired information by return mail and we will then decide just what is best to do.

Yours respectfully,

J. A. Hill & Co.,

Per W. J. Dilgerman.
Mr. W. W. Wilhenspoon,  

Governor of I. O. O. F., N.Y.  

Dear Sir:  

Will you kindly inform us when Gen. Howard expects to return to the South? The MSS. that we sent him on the subject of the Congressional Inquiry can with our best regards to write an introduction.  

We have sent to him last week so that he can look over the letter before writing the introduction. Our printers are duties in the process of printing the work on the book early next week and in expectation of commencing the work on the book not return for several days. It will be necessary to have the MS. returned to us.

So that we can please some of it in the hands of our printer end see other expenses paid at the time Gen. Howard goes home. In this way the corrections on the book will not be stopped in their work and Gen. Howard will have an opportunity to see most of the MSS. Kindly give us the necessary information of return mail and we will not receive the first draft in draft to go.  

Yours respectfully,  

J. A. Hill & Co.
Dear Sir,

I have 60 shares of your company. After the conclusion of
the 11th of June, 1874, I went to
Washington to attend the annual etc.

I am,

Yours truly,

George Jones

Post Office

June 6, 1874

[Signature]
And can't get no thing to do. To make me to earn no nothing. And I was just immediating this morning what I should do next. I means I ma near exhaust what it concern to me that the General might be able to advise me or put me in away to obtain employment. As I knows of the General no one always willing to help those that are willing to help themselves. And I certainly will be thankful for anything the general could do to help me to obtain employment. For I don't know what in the world I shall do if I don't get something to do soon for I could never never submit to beg or take that which belongs to some other person. As I have never been guilty of such yet my military record will shou...
New York, May 4th [1914]

Major Gen'l O. C. Howard,
Governor's Island, N. Y.

Dear Sir:

In arranging for some short letters on a question of general interest, I am desirous of obtaining your views therupon, and venture to request the favor of an expression of your opinion, if only in a brief form.

The subject is suggested by the query, "Who is the greatest living American?"

It is intended to print several anonymously; the opinions of some well-known Americans on this subject, each occupying if possible about 200 words. It is preferred...
that each writer should out one whom the words as the most eminent of his contemporaries, but of course contributors will suit themselves in this respect. I can assure you it is not intended to bring the element of politics into the matter in any controversial sense.

Trusting you will be disposed to receive favorably the request herein, I remain, with at least a few lines in answer to the question proposed, I remain,

Yours Respectfully,

[Signature]

[New York Press]
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Press 71 Y.

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Col. Charles G. Treat,
Governor's Island, New York.

Dear Sir:-

As you are doubtless aware, General Howard has kindly promised, through me, to deliver a lecture in Summit, N. J., on next Monday evening, May 7th.

He made a memorandum in his diary to meet me that afternoon at the Foot of Barclay Street, in this City, about fifteen minutes after four o'clock, but, as he did not seem to be familiar either with the Hoboken Ferries or the D. L. & W. Railroad, I have thought since that perhaps it would be better for me to meet him on the arrival of the boat from Governor's Island, on that afternoon, and go with him from there to the Ferry. This I should be glad to do, if you will write me that the General would like to have me do so.

You are doubtless aware that Barclay Street is a short street, beginning opposite the Post Office, north of the Astor House, and ending at the Ferry.

If I do not hear from you by Monday morning, I shall take it for granted that the General will prefer to meet me at the Barclay Street Ferry, and I shall be sure to be there to meet him, at four o'clock, or any time thereafter that it may suit him to arrive. The last boat for the train which we agreed that it would be best to take, leaves New York at 4:30 P.M.

Yours very truly,

[Signature]

Address as per above letter head.
The Equitable Life Assurance Society
146 New York Avenue, New York

Dear Mr. Smith:

I am pleased to report that the construction of the new office building has progressed smoothly. The project is on schedule and we expect to complete the construction within the estimated time frame of six months.

The building will feature state-of-the-art technology and will be equipped with energy-efficient systems. We have also incorporated feedback from our clients to ensure that their needs are met.

Thank you for your continued support and cooperation. I look forward to hearing from you soon.

Sincerely,

[Signature]

Enclosure: Plans for the New Office Building