

affecting  
your  
friend

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Sept 26/21  
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Dear Father:

many instances  
in life, at irregular  
intervals, indicate  
that I am blessed  
by your Heavenly  
Father. - another  
incident has just  
culminated.

When I was 13  
years old Mr.  
R. P. Buck your  
friend, sent me a

Mr. Buck - your church has been blessed

little book. I was too  
young & too busy  
with "Touls" & school  
to read it. I found  
it in my library  
last week & am reading  
~~my~~ it. It seems  
strange that its thoughts  
are in line with  
certain financial  
work which I have  
helped manage  
& carry out in the  
church here in  
newark - I am  
a trustee & at the  
last meeting moved  
that a brief, clear  
statement be handed

The influence of a good friend



the pastor, for him  
to read to the  
congregation on  
Sunday. The  
treasurer pre-  
pared it. - Then  
the pastor, at the  
end of his usual  
sermon, read  
it to the people  
and promising  
that a little  
financial help  
now & the  
future work  
of this new work

(Bellevue Ave)  
church would  
be assured -  
Dr. Ward said  
a few weeks  
there within  
10 minutes  
people by name  
subscribed \$100.  
50's & many \$25  
" " " " \$10  
20 15 10 8 5  
amounts; - over  
subscribing the  
\$500. needed -  
The total being almost \$650.  
I have been  
financially  
successful lately  
and could subscribe



J. WARREN KEIFER,  
SPRINGFIELD, OHIO.

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September 20th, 1897.

Gen. Oliver O. Howard,  
c/o Adjt. General's Office, War Dept.,  
Washington, D. C.

My Dear Sir : -

I regret exceedingly that I have forgotten your postoffice address and hence must send this letter through the Adjutant General's office.

I write the letter, however, specially to say that I do not want you to take my invitation given at Buffalo as a mere formal one but I wish you to understand that it will give Mrs. Keifer and *me* great pleasure to have you visit us sometime when you are in the West and make your stay as long as you please. You can rest with us and employ yourself or not as you please in my library, and we will not require you to entertain anybody, but to have just such a time and such a visit with us as may best suit your personal wishes.

I enjoyed exceedingly seeing you in Buffalo and especially enjoyed the privilege of being able to say something complimentary of you at our Asbury Church campfire.

Believe me, very sincerely and truly

Your devoted friend,

*J. Warren Keifer*



J. WARREN KEIFER,  
SPRINGFIELD, OHIO.

September 28th, 1897.

Gen. Oliver O. Howard,  
c/o Adj. General's Office, War Dept.,  
Washington, D. C.

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Your devoted friend,

J. Warren Keifer

101 Waverly Place  
New York,  
Sept. 21, 1897

Mr. H. S. Howard,

Dear Sir:-

Yours  
of the 19th inst.  
received.

We have a room  
which we think  
will suit you  
at 8 dollars with



board. It is on  
the third floor  
(two flights up)  
has steam heat  
ad and gets the  
sun in the  
early morning.

If you would  
like to have no  
reserve this room  
for you please let  
us know as soon  
as possible & oblige  
yours truly  
B. A. Kimball



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REMOVED TO  
36 LaSalle Street,  
ROOM 411.

Chicago, September 21<sup>st</sup> 1897

Gen. C. C. Howard.

Burlington Vermont.

Dear Sir and Comrade

I went to Buffalo, but did not have the pleasure of seeing you. I went to the P.O. several times, hoping to get a letter from you making an appointment for an interview, but did not get one, and as I did not know where you were stopping I did not see you. - Now for business -

- ①. You got a judgment for \$3942, against Samuel A. Kean 21 Dec, 1893. That judgt has been drawing interest at the rate of 5% ever since.
- ②. My brother-in-law J. C. Hartzell, Bishop to Africa of the M.E. Church, and successor of Bishop Taylor, has also a judgment against Kean for \$11,838, for Mission funds that Kean held.
- ③. Since I saw you Sir found 10 acres of land which in fact belongs to S.A. Kean, and which

I think by speedy work in Court I could get an order to sell as the property of S.A. Kean. I have seen the property myself, and so has my brother John Culver. He is an expert on values, and while Kean considers these 10 acres worth \$20,000, John & I have come to the conclusion that it is cheap at \$10,000 during these hard times. I have seen your brother C.H. and his son Mac, and talked this matter over with them, and now what we have talked over is about as follows, and I want your opinion about it, that is: I will amend your Bill of Complaint and hasten and if possible remove the clouds on Kean's title and get an order of Court first (for there are now 5 or 6 Bills of Complaint pending and lagging ahead of yours) to sell this property. Now in case I should succeed would you be willing to bid in the property for \$8,000, - you take 1/2 of it in satisfaction of your judgment and costs, and let Hartzell have the other half to apply as \$4,000, on his judgment? You would get a good title to the 5 acres (except Mrs. Kean's dower right) and Bishop Hartzell would get a good title to the other 5 acres (except Mrs. Kean's dower right). I don't say I can succeed, but I'm willing to try, and if I do succeed it will be the shortest way and speediest. So far as Bishop Hartzell's claim is concerned I have full power to do as I think best, - but you must give your own directions, as I do not feel authorized to act so freely in your matter. I am bound to see to your interests first as you are a prior claimant, and I want to do as well as I can too for Bishop Hartzell.

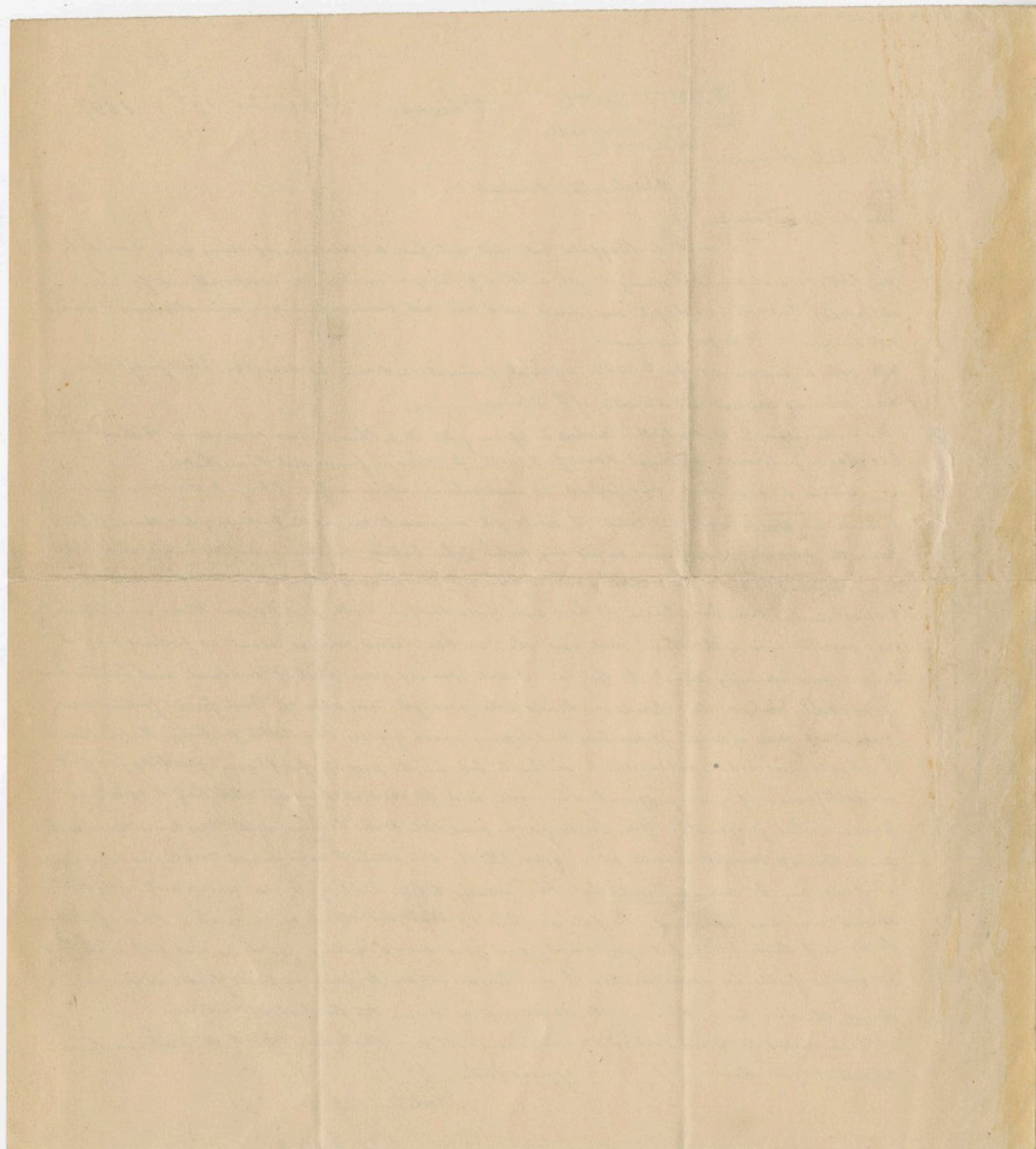
Please reply at your earliest convenience & oblige - I shall see Gen. C.H. and ask him to write to you also.

Yours truly

Morton Culver

I wish to suggest that it may be good policy for you to give your brother Gen. C. C. Howard a good deal of discretionary power in this matter as I can see him easily and converse with him. He is here - you are 100 miles away.







HOWARD AND WILSON  
PUBLISHING CO.  
MADISON AND FRANKLIN STS.  
CHICAGO.

C.H. HOWARD, PRES'T.  
J.W. WILSON, SEC'TY.  
O.M.B. HOWARD, TREAS.

Chicago, Ill. September 22nd., 1897.

General O.O. Howard,  
Burlington, Vt.

Dear Brother:-

Mr. Culver called and laid before me a statement of the real estate which he has found, and I have also consulted some others in regard to its value. I feel pretty certain that it is worth \$8000.00. It seems to me also that "a bird in hand, is worth two in the bush," and I would rather get hold of this property than wait for chances that are still in the air. If anything happens that this slips up, you would not endanger your other chances.

After some consideration, I concluded I would recommend you to go in with Bishop Hartzell in the following proportion, namely:

You to have five-eighths and he three-eighths. If the property is worth \$8000., you would then have \$5000. worth of real estate, but from this would be deducted the \$600., which you would have to pay Mr. Culver, if I understand the contract. Your debt with interest amounts up to about \$4000., nearly that. This still leaves a margin of \$400.00 or so, but it seems that Mrs. Kean would have a dower right. This dower right is not absolute, but gives her the income of one third. To recon it easily and off hand, suppose the one third should be considered \$2000., that is, the one-third of your part - she would be entitled to a yearly income of that \$2000. That could not exceed interest at 5% on \$2000. that is, \$100. a year while she lived - this you see would not be a very heavy tax, if insisted upon. If the property were not sold, and there were no income, still she could only have what was received on one-third, so it would seem that you would be comparatively safe in taking the property on that basis.

On the other hand, I would undertake to see Mr. Kean, and I think it probable, could obtain a Quit Claim Deed from his wife, especially on the ground that this was a missionary fund which you made good, or as once stated, that he would favor any missionary fund as compared with the amounts due other creditors, and I think he would agree or obtain his wife's consent to a Quit Claim Deed on that ground.

I have not time to write you more to-night, but will answer any questions, and will further examine into the value of the land.

Sincerely,

C. H. Howard  
pr. m. s.



HOWARD AND WILSON  
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CHICAGO

Chicago, Ill. September 28th, 1897.

General O.O. Howard,  
Burlington, Vt.

Dear Brother:-

Mr. Oliver called and laid before me a statement of the real estate which he has found, and I have also consulted some others in regard to its value. I feel pretty certain that it is worth \$8000.00. It seems to me also that "a bird in the hand is worth two in the bush," and I would rather get hold of this property than wait for chances that are still in the air. If anything happens that this slips up, you would not endanger your other chances.

After some consideration, I concluded I would recommend you to go in with Bishop Hartwell in the following proposition, name-ly:

You to have five-eighths three-eighths. If the property is worth \$8000, you would then have \$3000.00 worth of real estate, but from this would be deducted the \$500, which you would have to pay Mr. Oliver, if I understand the contract. Your debt with interest amounts up to about \$4000, nearly that. This still leaves a margin of \$400.00 or so, but it seems that Mrs. Kean would have a dower right. This dower right is not absolute, but gives her the income of one third. To reason it easily and off hand, suppose the one third should be considered \$2000, that is, the one-third of your part-she would be entitled to a yearly income of that \$2000. That could not exceed interest at 5% on \$2000. That is, \$100. a year while she lived-this you see would not be a very heavy tax, it insisted upon. If the property were not sold, and there were no income, still she could only have what was received on one-third, so it would seem that you would be comparatively safe in taking the property on that basis.

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Sincerely,

W. H. Howard  
for him



# MEN

THE INTERNATIONAL PAPER  
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CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATIONS  
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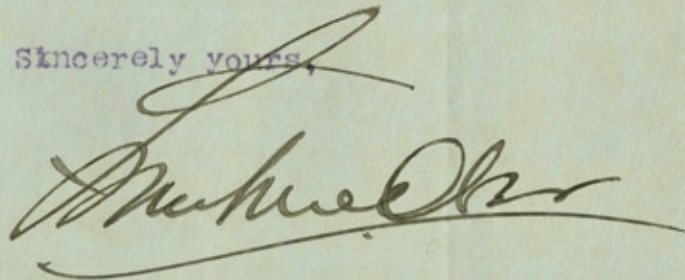
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Burlington, Vt.

My Dear General Howard,

I wish to thank you most heartily for your great kindness in writing the letter in reference to MEN. It is a great encouragement to know that such a man as yourself see anything in it to commend, and to satisfy them. We earnestly hope it may be a blessing unto God to bring life to many who may have misconceptions as to the message of the gospel to them. Whenever you can find it convenient to dictate any of the brief stories of conversion, we should be greatly pleased to receive them.

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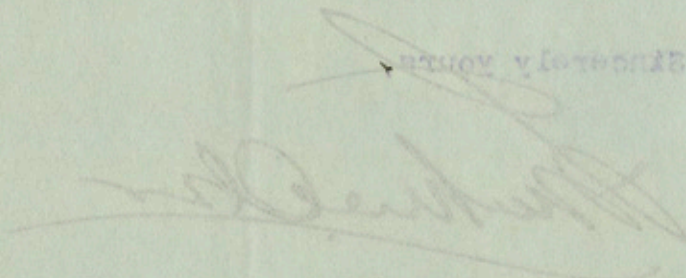
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Established 1873.

*James B. Pond,*

Cable Address: "STAMPHIX,"  
New York.

*Everett House.*

*218 Fourth Avenue.*

RESIDENCE:  
330 BERGEN AVENUE,  
JERSEY CITY HEIGHTS, N. J.

*New York.*

Sept. 22nd, '97.

Gen. O. O. Howard,

Burlington, Vt.

Dear Gen. Howard:-

I enclose contracts for

Nov. 8th. Media, Pa.,	\$100.00
Jan. 4th. Harrisburg, Pa.,	100.00
Jan. 11th. Northfield, Minn.,	125.00
Apl. 29th. Oberlin, O.,	100.00

I have also booked you for

Oct. 7th. Erie, Pa.,	120.00
Oct. 28th. Doylestown, Pa.,	100.00

and will send contracts to you as soon  
as they are returned. Send what advertising  
material you can for Erie to Supt. T.M. Morrison,  
Erie, Pa.

York, Pa., is pending for Nov. 23rd.  
Yonkers, N. Y. is booked for Dec. 4th and 5th,  
with Walter Haskett, Y.M.C.A., you to  
receive 62 1/2% gross and collection.

Yours Very Truly,

*J. B. Pond*  
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James B. Bond

RESIDENCE:  
320 BERGEN AVENUE  
JERSEY CITY HEIGHTS, N. J.

Loewell House

Cable Address: "STAMPHIX"  
New York

118 Fourth Avenue

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LECTURE CONTRACT.



**JAMES B. POND,**

EVERETT HOUSE, NEW YORK.

*New York,* August 12th, 189

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The Undersigned hereby agree to engage of JAS. B. POND

Mr. Gen. O. O. Howard,

to appear in \_\_\_\_\_ Hall,

Northfield, Minn.,

on Tuesday evening, January 11th, 189

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To furnish Opera House, Hall, or Church, well heated, lighted, and in good order, with necessary attaches, ~~stage accessories for entertainment, and license (if any be required)~~, do all advertising, ~~and announce attraction as having been secured through Jas. B. Pond, New York~~

The Undersigned further agree to pay for the attraction aforesaid

One hundred and twenty-five (\$125.00) Dollars,  
settlement to be made on the evening of the entertainment, before eight o'clock, in  
currency, with Gen. Howard.

And in Consideration thereof, the said JAS. B. POND hereby agrees that the said attraction shall be furnished at the time, place, and upon the terms above written. If, on account of sickness, accident, or unavoidable circumstances, the party engaged fails to appear, this contract shall be considered null and void.

It is Understood that JAS. B. POND is simply agent for the parties to this contract, with no proprietary right therein.

*H. A. Hunt*

Chairman C.A. Lecture Committee

*J. B. Pond*

MANAGER.

Subject: To be chosen later.



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Howaul  
TOWN OR CITY <sup>Minis</sup> Northfield  
DATE Tuesday Jan. 11 '98  
AUSPICES W. H. Hunt. Y. M. C. A.

CORRESPONDENT

TERMS

\$125.00

HALL

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SUBJECT

HOTEL

JAMES B. FOND

BARKER HOUSE NEW YORK

W. H. Hunt

Jan. 12th '98

Northfield, Minn.

on Tuesday

evening

January 11th

1898

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To furnish Opera House, Hall, or Church, well heated, lighted, and in good order, with necessary utilities, stage accessories for entertainment, and license (if any be required), do all advertising, and otherwise attraction as having been secured through J. B. Fond, New York.

The undersigned further agree to pay for the attraction aforesaid

One hundred and twenty-five (\$125.00) Dollars,

settled to be made on the evening of the entertainment, before eight o'clock, in

hand in consideration thereof, the said JAMES B. FOND hereby agrees that the

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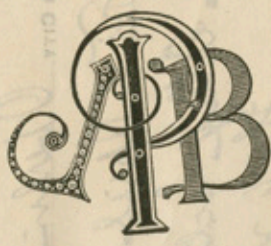
James B. Fond  
Secretary Committee

J. B. Fond

Subject: To be given by



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LECTURE CONTRACT.

JAMES B. POND,

EVERETT HOUSE, NEW YORK.

New York, July 13th, 189

7

The Undersigned hereby agree to engage of JAS. B. POND

Mr. Gen. O. O. Howard, to appear in Hall, Oberlin, O.,

on Friday evening, April 29th, 189 8

To furnish Opera House, Hall, or Church, well heated, lighted, and in good order, with necessary attaches, stage accessories for entertainment, and license (if any be required), do all advertising, and announce attraction as having been secured through Jas. B. Pond, New York.

The Undersigned further agree to pay for the attraction aforesaid

One hundred (100.00) Dollars, settlement to be made on the evening of the entertainment, before eight o'clock, in currency, with Gen. Howard.

And in Consideration thereof, the said JAS. B. POND hereby agrees that the said attraction shall be furnished at the time, place, and upon the terms above written. If, on account of sickness, accident, or unavoidable circumstances, the party engaged fails to appear, this contract shall be considered null and void. a later date will be given.

It is Understood that JAS. B. POND is simply agent for the parties to this contract, with no proprietary right therein.

Genl Howard please send 500 circulars. 50 hangers. to

A. G. Krieb Oberlin College, Oberlin. J. B. Pond MANAGER.

Subject:



Subject:

50 hangers.

500 circulars.

with no proprietary right therein.

It is understood that JAS. B. POND is simply agent for the parties to this contract, and in consideration thereof, the said JAS. B. POND hereby agrees that the settlement to be made on the evening of the entertainment, before eight o'clock, in currency with Gen. Howard.

One hundred (100.00)

Dollars.

The undersigned further agree to pay for the attraction aforesaid

through Jas. B. Pond, New York.

order, with necessary attached, stage accessories for entertainment, and horses (if To furnish Opera House, Hall, or Church, well heated, lighted, and in good

on Friday

evening.

April 29th.

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Opening, O.

to appear in

Hall

Gen. Howard

TOWN OR CITY

Dublin, O.

DATE

April 29th.

AUSPICES

Colleg. Lecture Assn.

CORRESPONDENT

H. G. Krebs.

TERMS

\$100.00

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SUBJECT

HOTEL

LECTURE CONTRACT.

JAMES B. POND

EVERETT HOUSE, NEW YORK.

Gen. Howard

April 31st.

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The undersigned hereby agree to engage of JAS. B. POND



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LECTURE CONTRACT.



**JAMES B. POND,**

EVERETT HOUSE, NEW YORK.

*New York, June 1st 1897*

The Undersigned hereby agree to engage of JAS. B. POND

*Mr. Gen. O. O. Howard*

to appear in

Hall,

*Media Pa.*

on *Monday* evening, *Nov. 8th* 1897

To furnish Opera House, Hall, or Church, well heated, lighted, and in good order, with necessary attaches, stage accessories for entertainment, and license (if any be required), do all advertising, and announce attraction as having been secured through Jas. B. Pond, New York.

The Undersigned further agree to pay for the attraction aforesaid

*One hundred dollars (100.00), and*  
*entertainment* Dollars,

settlement to be made on the evening of the entertainment, before eight o'clock, in currency, with *Genl Howard*.

And in Consideration thereof, the said JAS. B. POND hereby agrees that the said attraction shall be furnished at the time, place, and upon the terms above written. If, on account of sickness, accident, or unavoidable circumstances, the party engaged fails to appear, this contract shall be considered null and void.

It is Understood that JAS. B. POND is simply agent for the parties to this contract, with no proprietary right therein.

*A. G. C. Smith,*

*J. B. Pond*  
MANAGER.

Subject: \_\_\_\_\_



Genl Howard,  
 Media, Pa.  
 Nov. 8th, '97  
 Del. Co. Teachers Inst.  
 A. G. L. Smith,  
 \$100  
 Gleason Hall  
 Charter House,

The undersigned further agree to pay for the attraction of the  
 through Jas. B. Bond, New York.  
 order, with necessary attached, safe accessories for entertainment, and license (if  
 To further of the House, Hall, or Church, well heated, lighted, and in good  
 on January 8th, 1897.  
 1897

Subject:



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LECTURE CONTRACT.

**JAMES B. POND,**

EVERETT HOUSE, NEW YORK.

New York, June 21st, 1897

7

The Undersigned hereby agree to engage of JAS. B. POND

Mr. Gen. O. O. Howard,  
to appear in Y. M. C. A., Hall,  
Harrisburg, Pa.,

on Tuesday evening, January 4th, 1898

To furnish Opera House, Hall, or Church, well-heated, lighted, and in good order, with necessary attaches, stage accessories for entertainment, and license (if any be required), do all advertising, and announce attraction as having been secured through Jas. B. Pond, New York.

The Undersigned further agree to pay for the attraction aforesaid

One hundred (\$100.00) Dollars,  
settlement to be made on the evening of the entertainment, before eight o'clock, in currency, with Gen. Howard.

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It is Understood that JAS. B. POND is simply agent for the parties to this contract, with no proprietary right therein.

Howe Black.

Harrisburg Y. M. C. A. Secy

MANAGER.

Subject: "Grant at Chattanooga."



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Gen Howard.  
TOWN OR CITY Harrisburg, Pa.

DATE Tues. Jan 4th.

AUSPICES Y.M.C.A.

CORRESPONDENT Horner Black

TERMS \$100.00

HALL

LEAVE

ARRIVE

SUBJECT "Grant at Chatta-  
nooga."

HOTEL

through Jas. B. Bond, New York.

To furnish Opera House, Hall, or Church, well heated, lighted, and in good order, with necessary attached stage accessories for entertainment, and license (if any be required) for all advertising, and announce attraction as having been secured.

on

Theater

evening

January 4th.

1898

One hundred (\$100.00) Dollars

Gen. Howard

with no proprietary right therein.

If, on account of accident, or unavoidable circumstances, the party engaged

said attraction shall be furnished at the time, place, and upon the terms above written.

And in consideration thereof, the said JAS. B. BOND hereby agrees that the

Horner Black  
Harrisburg, Pa. & etc. corner

Subject: Grant at Chattanooga

MANAGER



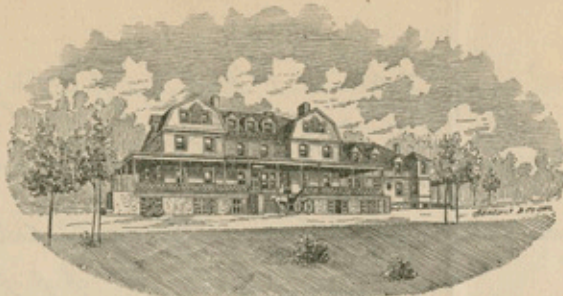
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REV. A. A. MYERS, President

A. D. LEUTHI, A. M., Principal

MRS. A. A. MYERS, Assistant



"Better is it to get wisdom than gold."

MISS FLORENCE A. SPERRY, 2d Assistant

MISS MARGARET V. SPENCER, Grammar

MISS LOUISE F. WHITSETT, Intermediate

MISS HELEN BELLINGHAM, Primary

MISS EDITH M. BEERS, Music

Jefferson Ohio  
CUMBERLAND GAP, TENN., Sept 23<sup>d</sup> 1897

Gen O. O. Howard

Burlington Vt

Dear Brother

I have just received your letter with Mr Kehr's inclosed. am glad to hear from you. And of your safe arrival home.

I fear Bro Kehr's ability to find money in time to save the property to us. We now owe the company some \$4,000. due since Sept 1st. They can foreclose in 30 days after the first note is due. And can sell to highest bidder. We must some way in the near future meet our payment. Then we are to have all the time we want. I much fear the result. If we fail to save the fine property over.



He made out the papers on  
a basis which gives us no final  
and subjects all of his and my  
property to a final settlement of  
the entire amount due. Against  
which I protested but he assured  
me of his entire ability to protect  
me at any time and save the  
property. But he has put all of  
his property into the market and  
has sold it. This leaves me to  
pay the notes if he does not find  
the money and as I have the  
Harrow School to carry with no  
help this year from the A M A  
I am not in position to save  
the school and the purchase  
of the first season's property.

I will do what you think best.  
and keep at work until we succeed.  
I am much better and hope to find  
funds to carry the Harrow School, which  
is doing finely. May God direct us  
With best wishes to you and  
family I remain yours in Christ A. A. Myers



Camp Memorial Church

141 Chrystie Street

New York 24 Sep 7897.

My dear General:-

Our Autumn Campaign  
is opened. Our Children's meetings  
are now in full operation. The  
O.O. Howard Cadet Corps, now  
number 30 active members who  
turn out for Calisthenic exercises  
and military drill every Monday  
night. - A young man, formerly  
an officer in the 9<sup>th</sup> Reg. N.Y.,  
comes and drills them while  
another comes and teaches them  
physical movements. All the  
boys are enthusiastic. It is  
proposed that I give them  
a stereopticon lecture on  
California, they pledging  
themselves to sell 500 tickets  
at 10¢, the proceeds to go toward



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purchasing uniforms. We can  
get uniforms at \$3.50 - each.  
and 500 tickets will give us \$50.  
all of the boys have caps. and wear  
a badge having on it O.O.H. Cadets.  
We shall have not less than 40 boys  
in this company by November.

The girls club. (The Pansy Circle) have  
also started with the same view.

On Monday Oct. 4<sup>th</sup> the Kindergarten  
will be reopened, after a years  
intermission, I am so glad of it,  
and I know it will gladden your  
heart. - It seems strange to me  
that some of the Camp people are  
still prejudiced against this  
most excellent work. For the  
3 years that I have been here  
I have been trying to teach them  
that we are here to do good, - and  
yet I still hear the painful  
phrase, "It don't do us any good"



3.  
Much of the people however are  
beginning to grasp the idea, that  
we are here in Christ's stead  
to do a work that Christ would  
do if he were here. That we  
do this work just in proportion  
as we give ourselves to it. As  
Jesus gave himself - so we are  
to give ourselves. Among the  
converts that we have had,  
since I came, we have a veritable  
Andrew. Every once in a while  
he brings me a man that he  
has picked up on the street and  
to whom he has tried to talk of  
Jesus, and wants me to make the  
matter of the new life of Jesus  
and salvation plain. And  
this man was one of the most  
unpromising cases 18 months  
ago, that I met in my visiting  
the tenements in this section.



Last Sunday we had Rally Sunday.  
The Flower Guild sent us a large  
lot of Golden Rod and we had  
the Church ~~decorated~~ decorated  
and gave a large lunch to every  
person present. At night, we  
had Mr Bagunderian tell the  
Story of Armenia - and Mrs F  
Shepherd who has just returned  
from Aintab told us what she  
saw there during the Turkish  
outrages and what God is doing  
for his people in that country -  
There were a number of Armenians  
present. The Church was well  
filled - we had a very interesting  
service.

A week ago last Monday  
we buried Mrs Meyersholz. The  
mother of Mr Meyersholz. You know  
she had been suffering for  
quite a long time. She was



the oldest member of the Church  
both as to age and time of membership.

Willie Hauptman, was admitted  
to the Seminary at Oberlin last  
Wednesday. Up to this time his  
studies have all been preparatory.  
He will keep preaching at a little  
Church at Florence 10 miles from  
Oberlin while in the Seminary.

I am delighted at the way Willie  
has grown - and the Spirit he  
has manifested. I have more  
hope and confidence as to the  
final result than ever. I

want to raise at least \$75  
for him this year. He will  
receive no aid from any source  
but from us or through us. I  
think he is worthy of our ~~help~~  
and will need our sympathy  
and prayers.

I want to have a Reunion



6.  
Meeting sometime this autumn.  
And I would like to have it on  
a Sunday when we can have  
you with us. Have you any  
idea when you will be in  
the City on Sunday? I  
want to have long one present  
who has ever had any thing  
to do with this work. I know  
you will come if you can at  
all get here.

I hope you have had  
a good summer. If I had  
thought you would be in Buffalo  
during the encampment I should  
have tried to come up for a day.  
It no doubt was a delightful  
reunion. - However I was  
up to my neck in the work.  
This has been a more busy  
year for me than any I  
have had yet. The previous



7  
years. I ran down to the beach  
every week once or twice - This  
year I only went down once  
during the whole summer -

Sometimes I feel as if I wanted  
a few days or weeks of rest,  
but, I cannot see how I will  
get it. Some day it will come -  
I only hope that I shall get over  
all the tired feeling with the coming  
of real cool weather. I want  
this winter to be the very best  
we have had at Camp Mission -

I am praying for a great blessing  
and for the saving of many souls -

May our Heavenly Father  
bless you richly and fill you  
with Himself more & more - And  
keep you strong and in His  
Active Service for many years

In His Name

H. G. Miller



Wm. Miller

again leaves for the same place  
help in things and in this  
work himself more than - and  
then on the 15th and the 20th

and for the taking of many birds  
I am preparing for a great hunting  
we have had at Camp Union.

this winter to be the best  
a real cold weather. I want  
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I am sure that I shall get over

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but, I cannot see that I will  
a few days or weeks of work.

Some time I feel as if I wanted  
leaving the whole summer -  
years I am sure I shall over  
every work over in there. This  
year. I am sure to the end.