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UNITED STATES DEPOSITORY.

THE SEABOARD NATIONAL BANK

OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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NEW YORK,

Feb. 2, 1897.

Hon. W. L. Strong,

New York, N. Y.

Dear Sir:--

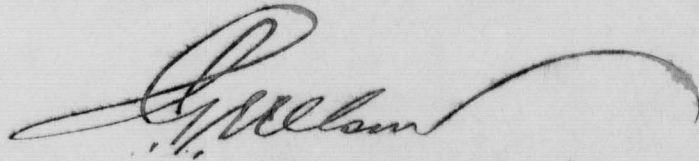
As a member of the Committee, I write to express the hope that your health, for your own sake as well as that of those who will be present, will permit of your attending the Banquet on Tuesday evening next, which is to be entirely of a social character. From the acceptances which we have received we expect a large attendance, and intend to make the entertainment of a social character so that the bankers may become better acquainted with each other, and to eliminate from the meeting all "shop" discussion.

The topic which was sent to you was merely a suggestion, and I would state to you that the speeches to be made there are to be of a humorous character as far as possible, as we all intend to throw off the idea of care and devote ourselves to an evening's enjoyment outside of our usual line of business.

In meeting Mr. Shattuck a day or so ago I suggested that as he was about to see you, that he explain to you a little of the character of the gathering, in order that you may be fully informed. It has long been felt by bankers that the social side has been largely neglected owing to the pressure of business matters, and it is now proposed to inaugurate a system of annual banquets.

Hoping to have the pleasure of seeing you on that evening, I remain,

Very truly yours,


Member of Committee

In Memoriam.

DEAR SIR:

You are invited to attend
a meeting of the Bar, in memory of
JOHN R. FELLOWS, late District Attorney,
to be held in the Court Room of the
Supreme Court, in the Criminal Court
Building, on Thursday the fourth day
of February, 1897, at 3.30 o'clock in
the afternoon.

Respectfully yours,

DELANCEY NICOLL,
EDWARD LAUTERBACH,
CHARLES W. DAYTON,
Committee.

New York,
February first.

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WILLIAM F. KNIGHT.

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GEORGE A. LITTLEFIELD, 49 WESTMINSTER STREET.
TELEPHONE, NO. 1382. P. O. BOX, 854.

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RHODE ISLAND

Business Men's Association.

214 Industrial Trust Company Building,

Organized, 1890.

PROVIDENCE, R. I.

Incorporated, 1894.

February 6, 1897.

His Honor the Mayor,

Hon. William L. Strong,

New York, N. Y.,

My Dear Sir:

Our Rhode Island Business Men's Association will hold its annual banquet at the Narragansett Hotel here on the evening of February 20, 1897. We are extending invitations to the several chief magistrates of the New England States, with the idea of making the occasion, on the eve of Washington's Birthday, a patriotic New England evening.

Will you favor us, Sir, with your presence, and with a few remarks, upon the occasion? We will endeavor to afford you agreeable entertainment here, and will meet all your expenses in the premises. The company will include two hundred or more of the leading business and professional men of Rhode Island. Governor Lippitt and Mayor Mc Guinness will extend welcome. Mayor Quincy of Boston has accepted our invitation to be present. Last year Governor Pingree of Michigan was one of our guests. The annual occasion is looked forward to by our members and citizens with agreeable anticipations. Trusting that we shall receive from you, Sir, an early favorable reply, I am

Most Respectfully Yours,

George A. Littlefield
Secretary.

DISTRICT GRAND LODGE NO. 1,

INDEPENDENT ORDER FREE SONS OF ISRAEL,

New York, February 8th, 1897.

Dear Sir and Brother :—

I herewith inform you that the Annual Session of District Grand Lodge No. 1, will be held on

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 14TH. 1897,

at 9 o'clock, A. M., at the Lexington Assembly Rooms, 151—155 East 58th Street, between Lexington and 3d. Aves.

I also take pleasure in announcing to you that his Honor,

WILLIAM L. STRONG,

Mayor of the City of New York, will be present on that occasion, at 11 o'clock, A. M., sharp.

Your presence is earnestly requested.

By order,

I. H. GOLDSMITH,

Grand Secretary.

49 WEST FIFTIETH STREET.

Feb 7th 1897

Dear Wm L Strong

Dear Sir

We are delighted that you
are able to accept the invitation for
the dinner of the Society of Alumni
of Bellevue Hospital Thursday Feb 11th.
We shall ask you to say a
few words in response to the
toast "The City of New York."

Very sincerely
L. H. Touchette, M.D.

49 WEST FIFTIETH STREET.

The Society of
Alumni of Bellevue Hospital
requests the honor of
Mayor Strong's company
at the Reunion and Dinner
at the Hotel Waldorf
on Thursday evening, February 11th 1897,
at seven P. M.

Lucius W. Foltz Kiss M.D.
R.S.V.P. 49 W. 50th St. President.

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OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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278 ALEXANDER AVENUE.

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267 ALEXANDER AVENUE.
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23RD WARD BANK.

New York, February 8th. 1897. 189

Hon. Wm. L. Strong,

Mayor N.Y. City.

Dear Sir:-

The North Side Board of Trade presents its compliments and requests the pleasure of your company at its third annual dinner to be given at Schnorer Hall 163rd. Street and Third Avenue on Tuesday March 9th. 1897 at 7 P.M.

The Committee would suggest to you the toast of "The City of New York" to which you are invited to respond to on that occasion.

Very truly yours,

Matthew Anderson, Chairman
Henry A. Gumbleton
Arthur L. Sturz
Albert E. Davis
James L. Wells
Albert Hirtzler

Committee

O. G. Angle
Secretary.

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• • ANNUAL BALL • •

. OF THE .

Chas. K. Lexow Association,

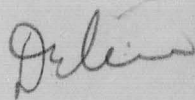
On Monday, February 15th, 1897,

New York Maennerchor Hall, 205-207 East 56th St.

BOX TICKET.

The Chas. K. Lexow Ass'n
request the honor of your company
at their
Annual Ball,
on Monday evening February the fifteenth,
eighteen hundred and ninety-seven,
at the
New York Maennerchor Hall,
203-207 East 56th Street,
for which occasion please find
box tickets enclosed,

Very truly,



Chas. Shongood,

President.

To *Mr. W. C. Strong* and Ladies
(Positively not transferable.)

PHOENIX REPUBLICAN CLUB



OF THE 29TH ASSEMBLY DISTRICT.

.....

Lincoln Birthday Social.

♦ ♦ ♦ ♦

Mr......*and Ladies.*

You are invited to attend the above Social **on Friday, February 12th, 1897**, at 8 o'clock, at their Club House, No. 61 East 86th Street.

**Musical and Vocal Entertainment
with Dancing.**

THE COMMITTEE.

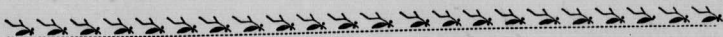
SEVENTEENTH ANNUAL———○



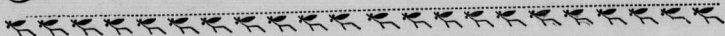
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OF THE



John * Simpson * Association



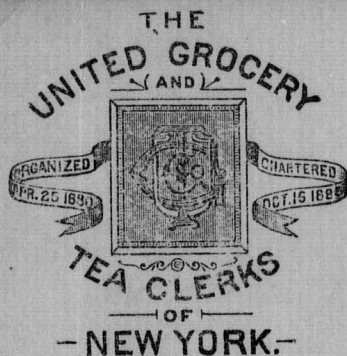
At * EVERETT * HALL,

31 to 35 East Fourth Street.

ON * THURSDAY, * FEBRUARY * 11TH, * 1897,

(LINCOLN'S BIRTHDAY EVE.)

○——— MUSIC BY PROFESSOR LINK'S ORCHESTRA. ———○



Bloomingdale Turn Verein Hall,
917-919 Eighth Ave.

REGULAR MEETINGS
First and Third Sunday
Of Every Month.

New York, Feb. 15th 1897.

Hon. W. L. Strong

Mayor of New York

His Excellency,

Allow me to send you
5 tickets for our 18th annual ball
to be held at Lexington ave opera
house, 58th + 3rd ave, on Washington's
Birthdays Feb. 22/97 as our society
is a benevolent order. You or your
Representative will be greatly welcomed
our object is to make our society one
of the strongest in the city, as you
can quite understand what the
poor + helpless grocery clerks are,
hoping you will give us the opportunity
of saying that you were present at our
affair. I remain your most sincerely
true friend, Dick Tully, Secy. Am. arrang. Comm.

Officers

1897.

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1897 Meeting at New York,
June 30, July 1, 2, 3.

New York

Organized 1845.

State Teachers' Association

July 16 1897

Hon. Wm L. Strong, Mayor.

My dear Sir:

I will be much honored to have you as my guest on Saturday evening the 27th inst. at the dinner of the "Emile" Society of teachers.

I can promise a very pleasant evening; all the bright young fellows in the profession attend, and at our annual dinner they only talk shop incidentally.

I hope that your engagements will not deprive me of this pleasure;

Awaiting your response which I
hope will be favorable

I beg to remain Sir

Very Respectfully

Wm. T. Nicholson

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ENTERTAINMENT AND RECEPTION

OF THE



ASSOCIATION OF MASTER PLUMBERS

OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

Central Opera House,

67TH STREET, NEAR 3RD AVENUE.

Friday Evening, February 19th, 1897.

—◆—◆—◆—
TICKETS, Admitting Gentleman and Ladies \$1.00 Including Hat Check.

*The Trustees,
Faculty, Alumni and Undergraduates
of the
Stevens Institute of Technology
request the honor of your presence
at the Celebration of the
Twenty fifth Anniversary
of that Institution,
on the eighteenth and nineteenth of February,
eighteen hundred and ninety seven.*

*Henry Morton
Chairman of Com.
To Hon. & Mrs. H. G. Strong
R. S. v. p.*

National Sound Money League, (NON-PARTISAN.)

OFFICE OF THE COMMITTEE ON ORGANIZATION

1224 Johnston Building, Broad St.

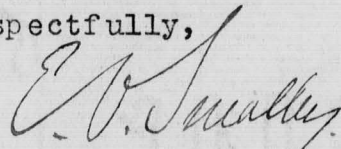
NEW YORK, Feb. 20th, 1897.

Hon. W. L. Strong, Mayor,
New York City.

Dear Sir:

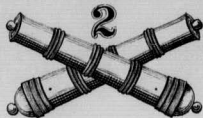
You are cordially invited to be present at the sessions of the Conference of the National Sound Money League, to be held in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce, 32 Nassau Street, beginning at eleven o'clock, Wednesday, February 24th, and to attend a luncheon to be given by the Committee on Organization to delegates and invited guests at one o'clock on the same day at the Down Town Club, 60 Pine Street.

Yours very respectfully,



Secretary.

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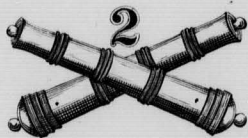
Entertainment and Reception
of the
Second Battery, N.G.M.Y.
at the
Lenox Lyceum.

Madison Avenue, and Fifty-ninth Street,
Monday evening, February 22nd 1897.

Entertainment 8¹⁵ Reception 10 P.M.

Admit *Gen. Wm. L. Strong* and Ladies.

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Hon. Wm. L. Strong

The Second Battery

National Guard, N.Y.

requests the pleasure of your company at its

Sixty third Annual Entertainment

Reception and Ball,

Monday evening, February the twenty second.

Lenox Lyceum.

Decline. Express
BSS

David Wilson.

Captain.

Military Guests will please appear in Uniform.

R.s.v.p.

Armory.
Fourth Avenue cor. 33rd Street.
New York.



*The New York State Society
of the Cincinnati
requests the pleasure of the company of
His Honor The Mayor
at dinner on the One hundred and sixty fifth.
anniversary of the birth of
General George Washington.
at seven o'clock, February 22nd 1897, at Delmonico's,
Fifth Avenue and 26th Street.*

Decline

*An early answer is requested to Nicholas Fish,
Secretary,
120 Broadway.*

District

The Eighth Battalion

"WASHINGTON GREYS"

N. G. N. Y.

*request the pleasure of your company
at the 109th Annual Reception*

on

*Friday evening, February 22d,
at half past eight o'clock.*

Review by

Brigadier-General Louis Fitzgerald,

COMMANDING FIRST BRIGADE.

EIGHTH BATTALION ARMORY,
PARK AVE. AND 94TH STREET.



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New York Southern Society

ELEVENTH ANNUAL DINNER

Washington's Birthday, February 22d, 1897

AT THE

HOTEL SAVOY

Fifth Ave. and 59th St.

Seven o'clock P. M.

PLEASE PRESENT THIS CARD AT THE DOOR

C.
The New York Southern Society
requests the pleasure of the company of
Hon. William L. Strong
Mayor of New York
at its

Eleventh Annual Dinner,

on Monday evening,

the twenty second day of February, 1897.

at seven o'clock, at the

Hotel Savoy.

Fifth Avenue & 59th Street.

The favor of an answer is requested
addressed to Marion J. Verdery.

Chairman Dinner Committee.

18 Wall Street.

You are hereby cordially invited to attend the

Reception and Ball

of the

Patriotic Republican Club,

Central Opera House,

Sixty-seventh Street, near Third Ave.

Monday - Evening, - February 22d, - 1897.

Washington's Birthday.

Very Respectfully,

Benj. Oppenheimer, President.

Benjamin Oppenheimer
Secretary

VEREINIGTE BRUEDER,

(United Brothers,)

BLOOMINGDALE'S LODGE ROOMS,

170 EAST 60TH STREET,

BET. THIRD AND LEXINGTON AVENUES,

MEETS ON THE LAST SUNDAY OF EACH MONTH.

New York, Feby. 22² 1897

Hon. W^m L. Strong
City Hall, N.Y.

Dear Sir:

On behalf of the above named society, I extend to you a cordial invitation to attend the celebration of the fiftieth anniversary of its existence. This is to take place on Sunday, March 28th, at Grand Central Palace in this city. A formal ticket of admission will be forwarded to you in due season.

Yours respy.

George Hahn

Chairman Committee on Invitations

GEORGE HAHN,
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR-AT-LAW,
165 & 167, BROADWAY,
TELEPHONE CONNECTION.

NEW YORK, Feb. 21² 1897

Hon. Wm. L. Strong
City Hall, N.Y.

Dear Sir:

Permit me to say, by way of explanation, that the society, on whose behalf the enclosed invitation is sent, was organized fifty years ago, by some members of the Hebrew Bohemian colony, then residing in this city. German was long the official language, while now it but nominally divides honors with English, and practically the latter reigns supreme.

The society is beneficial in its nature, and does not confine its efforts entirely to members. It is composed of business men mainly, with a sprinkling of doctors, lawyers and men of other professions, and numbers over 500.

It has accumulated quite a large capital, which is held in trust for endowments, sick benefits and kindred purposes.

Yours respy
Geo. Hahn

HEADQUARTERS IRISH PALACE BUILDING FAIR,
734 THIRD AVENUE.

New York, February 25th, 1897.

Mr J. E. Hedges.

You have been unanimously chosen by the Executive Committees of the Ladies' County Organizations and the First Regiment, Irish Volunteers, a Patron of the Fair, the objects of which are explained by the enclosed Address.

On their behalf I request the honor of being notified of your acceptance.

James Moran,
Chairman.

HEADQUARTERS

IRISH PALACE BUILDING FAIR,

734 THIRD AVENUE.



Address of the Ladies of the Irish-American County Organizations of New York to their Fellow Countrymen and the American Public.



To the American Public :

An organization of 5,000 patriotic daughters of Erin, wishing to be of signal service to their countrymen in the land of their adoption, have mapped out a programme to achieve the following result, by means and methods hereby explained :

To collect a sufficient sum to form a nucleus of a fund to erect an edifice in this city that will be an honor to our race and a headquarters for social, political, literary and military functions.

This is the task we have pledged ourselves to perform. We anticipate no failure or miscarriage of our plans. We fully realize that success is to be reached by labor the most arduous and incessant: that we will devote our time and energies to the undertaking, may be taken for granted, and surely that may be regarded as an augury of success. Our confidence is not born of vanity or inexperience. We have faith in the manhood and patriotism of our countrymen; in the generosity and friendship of the American people at large. To them we make appeal, never doubting but the justice of our cause will meet with a happy response. We cannot allow ourselves to doubt that where the ladies lead, the men will follow.

Particulars, though often distressing to the average mind, are sometimes in order. Details are regarded as feminine qualities, and we hold to our privileges. Hence, what we have to say—and it shall be said as briefly as possible—in explanation of our plan of campaign, may enlighten those who are or will be interested in our mission.

In the first place, we have determined to hold a Fair, as the most expeditious way to collect funds. This fair will be held at the Grand Central Palace, Lexington Ave. and 43d Street. The entire building will be at our disposal; commencing May 10th and to be continued until Decoration Day. It is hoped and expected that by this means a large sum of money will be realized to form the nucleus of a building fund. Just how much will be collected depends entirely on the co-operation we will receive from our friends and countrymen, to whom this appeal is made. If they approve of our programme and loyally second our efforts, the problem is solved. It will be asked, doubtless, by some well-meaning but lukewarm adherent of the cause, "what good is to be attained by such a building?" We shall proceed to answer to the best of our ability by describing the objects to which this edifice is to be devoted.

Parenthetically, it may be remarked that the Irish people are the only race of any prominence that are not represented by a hall or headquarters of their own. Though first on the list in point of population and other essentials, they are last and least in the sense of possessing "a local habitation," dedicated to the genius of Irish patriotism.

The Germans, the Bohemians, the Swiss, the French, the Scotch, the English, each has an institution similar to the one we have in contempla-

tion, with the exception that ours will be on a larger and grander scale. Our building is planned to be a veritable Palace of Industry and Enlightenment. It will be a home for the development of the social and literary spirit of our people. Beneath its expansive dome there will be many special attractions, but all tending to the centralization of the development of the highest type of American citizenship. We do not combine to foster provincial prejudices, but to spread the light of true Republicism.

Under the fostering auspices of the IRISH VOLUNTEERS we are prepared to sow the good seed that will bear a rich and an abundant harvest. For their accommodation there will be a drill room and administration quarters. That, doubtless, will be the leading feature. Also a large auditorium or hall for public meetings, a ball room, a gymnasium, a labor bureau, library, training school, and smaller halls for the use of society meetings, besides other useful and attractive features that will readily suggest themselves to the intelligent mind. If this programme does not meet with the hearty approval and endorsement of our countrymen, we very much misjudge their views and sentiments. Public spirited citizens of all nationalities must applaud us for the conception of so grand an undertaking.

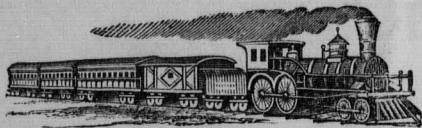
That nothing should be left to inspire confidence in a cause so glorious, a Board of Trustees has been elected by us, whose very names are household words for integrity and honor, who will receive the funds collected and contributed and apply them to the object for which they are designed. These Trustees include the names of Ex-Judge Edward Browne, Hon. Hugh J. Grant, Gen. James R. O'Beirne, and Edward O'Flaherty. Col. William L. Brown, Editor of the *Daily News*, has consented to act as treasurer, and has handed in the first subscription of \$500. for the building fund. In view of these facts we appeal to our countrymen in particular, and the American people in general, to sustain us in a cause so meritorious. We feel convinced that we shall not make this appeal in vain.

There will be 32 tables at the fair—one for each county—and in charge of a committee of ladies representing that particular county organization. The Irish Volunteers will also have a table under their own management. Contributions in money and merchandise are earnestly requested. These tables have to be furnished and replenished as the stock is disposed of to purchasers.

Ladies, duly accredited, will seek contributions in advance of the fair, and we feel convinced that there will be a generous and hearty response, commensurate with the importance of the undertaking.

Miss Lizzie Harrington,	—	—	Roscommon Ladies' Association.		
“ Rose Kiernan,	—	—	Leitrim	“	“
Mrs. H. Timberlake,	—	—	Sligo	“	“
“ Mrs. J. Salmon,	—	—	Mayo	“	“
Miss Sabina Lynch,	—	—	Galway	“	“
“ Winfred Crevand,	—	—	Donegal	“	
“ Lizzie McCusker,	—	—	Derry	“	“
	—	—	Antrim	“	“
	—	—	Down	“	“
Miss B. D. McDowell,	—	—	Armagh	“	“
“ Minnie Sharkey,	—	—	Tyrone	“	“
Mrs. Gilmartin,	—	—	Fermanagh	“	“
Miss Sarah Flynn,	—	—	Cavan	“	“
“ M. A. McGinn,	—	—	Louth	“	“
	—	—	Meath	“	“
Mrs. N. Lenihan,	—	—	West Meath	“	“
“ M. Ledwith,	—	—	Longford	“	“
Miss May White,	—	—	Dublin	“	“
“ Minnie Healey,	—	—	Kildare	“	“
	—	—	Kings Co.	“	“
	—	—	Queens Co.	“	“
Miss Mary Hughes,	—	—	Carlow	“	“
Mrs. C. Flaherty,	—	—	Wexford	“	“
	—	—	Wicklow	“	“
	—	—	Kilkenny	“	“
Mrs. Ryan,	—	—	Waterford	“	“
Miss M. Gleason,	—	—	Tipperary	“	“
Mrs. H. J. McDonough,	—	—	Limerick	“	“
Miss B. T. Donoghue,	—	—	Clare	“	“
“ Lee,	—	—	Cork	“	“
	—	—	Kerry	“	“
Miss Sarah McKelvey,	—	—	Monaghan	“	“

JAMES E. MARCH,
Contractor & Laborers Supplied,



37 MARION STREET, CITY.

—AND—
Road Master's Office, Erie R. R. Depot, Jersey City, N. J.

Overseer of the Italians on the Erie Road.

New York, Feb 25th 1897.

Hon. Jos. E. Hedges
Private Secy. to Mayor, City Hall

Dear Sir

I cordially invite you to be present at
the Masquerade Ball, held under the auspices
of the Fraterna Rossin. Hoping you will be
present in person, and assuring you that
you will pass a pleasant and enjoyable
evening

I Remain Jos Truly
James E March

A.S.

Enclosed you will find ticket, hat check
and bot coupon - Bot #9 -
JEM.

You are respectfully invited by the
United Liquor Dealers' Assoc'n
of the City of New York,
to attend their Tenth Annual Ball,
at the
Lenox Lyceum,
Madison Ave. & 59th Street,
Monday Evening, March 1st, 1897.

Enclosed please find Ticket admitting
yourself and ladies.

Bernard Courtney,
Chairman.

P. J. O'Keefe,
Secretary.
19th St. & 2d Ave.



Hon. W. E. Strong

The Officers of
Saint David's Society
request the pleasure of your company
at the Annual Dinner of the Society,
Hotel Savoy, Fifth Avenue, cor. 59th Street,
Monday evening, March 1st 1894.
at 6.30 o'clock.

William James Pres^t

10 Broadway.

Josiah D. Evans, Secy.

39 East 22nd Street.

R. S. V. P.

The College of the City of New York

February 26th, 1897.

*The Committee on Public Lectures
invites you to be present at*

*The First Lecture of the Course,
which will be given by*

Dr. Philip Meirowitz,

*Lecturer on Diseases of the Mind & Nervous
System, at the New York Post-Graduate
Medical School and Hospital,*

*Saturday Evening, March the Sixth,
At eight o'clock, P. M.,*

In the Natural History Hall of the College.

Subject: The Brain.

Its Structure and Functions.

William Stratford,

S. Woolf,

A. P. Johnston,

Committee.

REFORM CLUB.

OFFICE MUNICIPAL ADMINISTRATION COMMITTEE, 52 WILLIAM STREET.

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NEW YORK, March 1st, 1897

Hon. William L. Strong,

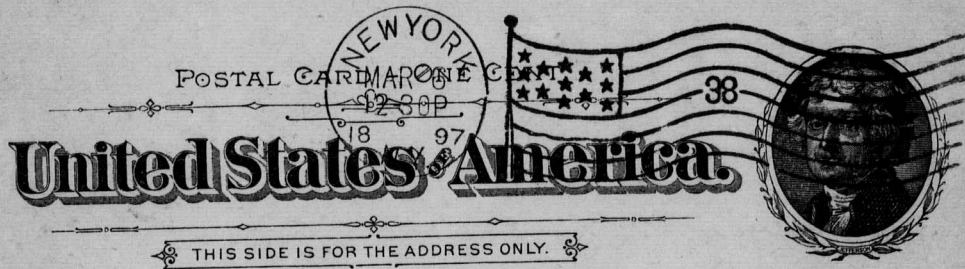
New York City.

My Dear Sir:-

I am very much pleased to hear from Mr. Milbury that we may anticipate the pleasure of your company at our Reform Club dinner on Saturday March 6th at 7 P. M. to discuss the Greater New York Charter.

Sincerely,

Henry DeForest Baldwin
Chairman



THIS SIDE IS FOR THE ADDRESS ONLY.

Hon. J. E. Hedges
City Hall,
City.

The Patriotic Republican Club.

CLUB HOUSE : 248 East 78th Street.

DEAR SIR :

New York, March 5th, 1897.

The next regular meeting of the club will be held on Monday, March 8th, 1897, at eight o'clock.

Hon. Frank D. Pavey, State Senator and other speakers will address the meeting concerning pending legislation relating to primary elections, etc.

The ball committee will make its final report.

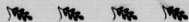
As other important business will be transacted every member is urged to be present. Bring your friends with you.

BENJ. OPPENHEIMER, President.

CARL T. SCHMITT, Rec & Cor.-Sec'y.

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SECOND
ANNUAL
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"The Tuxedo"

Madison Avenue and Fifty-ninth Street

CENTURY WHEELMEN



... OF NEW YORK ...

Tuesday
March 2d, 1897
AT NINE P.M.

ADMIT

How Mr. W. L. Strong

E.A. NEWELL,



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256 FIFTH AVE,

BETWEEN
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"Exhibition" New York.

Dictated by

E. A. N.

New York,

March. 8/97.

Hon. William L. Strong,

City Hall.

Dear Col. Strong:-

In the absence of Mr. Merniam, the President, I write to remind you that the next Club Dinner, will take place to-morrow evening, at 7 P. M. .

Rev. Dr. Mc. Arthur, and several members of the Club, will discuss the "Cuban Question"

Hoping you can be present ? I remain,

Yours Sincerely,

E. A. Newell.

TYPOGRAPHICAL UNION No. 6

No. 240 WILLIAM STREET,

New York, March 9 1897

Hon. Wm. L. Strong.

Dear Sir:- The acceptance of this, an invitation to be present at the Forty-seventh annual reception and ball of Typographical Union No. 6, at Lexington Opera House, Monday, March 15, will be highly appreciated by the officers and members of our organization

Yours respectfully
Samuel B. Donnelly,
President.

6 Convent Ave
New York
March 9/97

Hon W. L. Strong
Mayor of New York

Hon. Sir,
I am desired by the Committee
of the Annual Tea Party & Entertainment
in connection with the Welsh Presbyterian
Church 13th St bet 2nd & 3rd Ave to extend
your worship a cordial invitation to
preside at their next entertainment on
Thursday Evening March 18th.

Please find enclosed Complimentary
Tickets & the Committee sincerely trusts you
will be enabled to honor the meeting
with your presence.

I have the honor to remain,

Your obed Servant

R. W. Hughes

Hon Sec

The Metropolitan School of Fine Arts,

Carnegie Hall Studios,

56TH STREET AND 7TH AVENUE.

The Members and students of the Metropolitan School of Fine Arts, invite

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Spectacular Representation.

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In addition to this, there will be startlingly realistic representations of solar and lunar eclipses, and scenes in the wonder-world of the Moon.

Reserved Seats	50c., 75c. and \$1.00
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Now on sale at Room 819, Carnegie Hall.

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Clippings from the Press,

OF

1892.

It is not an illustrated lecture; it is not a stereopticon exhibition; it is not a lay figure show, but it is a surprising work of stage realism, startling as well as beautiful in its reproductions of nature, and very impressive to the imagination in its representations of the grand and mysterious phenomena of the heavens.

New York Sun.

The managers of Carnegie Music Hall are well pleased with the growing interest which the public is taking in the production.

Schools and scholars are discovering this, and at the Saturday Matinee nearly one hundred seats were filled by the members of one school, and last night there were whole classes present from well known schools.

New York Tribune.

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United States of America

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Hon. Wm L Strong,
City Hall,
City.

MONTHLY CONFERENCES

TO BE HELD IN THE ASSEMBLY HALL

THE UNITED CHARITIES BUILDING, 105 East 22d Street,

On the third Tuesday of each Month, from Dec. 1896, to May 1897.

General Topic for consideration at the several Conferences: The Evils of Pauperism.
The possibilities of religious and charitable organizations
to overcome these social conditions.

Fourth Conference, Tuesday, March 16th, 1897, at 11 A. M.

SUBJECT—Associated Beneficence, and Refusal of City Privileges to non-resident Dependents. The Possible Power of Legislation to Compel Idle Men to Work for the Support of their Families.

Paper by MR. HOMER FOLKS.

Informal discussion led by WM. H. TOLMAN, Ph. D., MR. N. S. ROSENAU and MR. EDWARD T. DEVINE.

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MISS LUCY KEAN,
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MRS. F. S. SELLEW,
MRS. A. L. HOPKINS,

} *Committee.*

MRS. WILLIAM STONE, *Secretary.*

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United Ancient Order Hibernians,

New York County.

Please admit bearer to Park
and Casino.

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United Ancient Order of Hibernians,

1897.

NEW YORK COUNTY.

HEADQUARTERS, 229 EAST 47TH STREET,

New York, March 12th 1897.

Hon. William L. Strong

Dear Sir:—You are respectfully invited by the above Organization to participate in the celebration of the Festival of St. Patrick, on Wednesday, March 17th, 1897, the observance of which gives every promise of being the finest held in New York in many years. EVERY Division of the Ancient Order of Hibernians in this city will be represented, and in addition to signalize the COMPLETE UNION of our organization, the Sixty-Ninth Regiment, for the first time in years, will take its old time place at the head of the column as escort.

Invited guests are requested to meet the Committee at the Hotel, 42d St. and Lexington Ave., at 1 o'clock P. M. sharp.

Kindly acknowledge acceptance of invitation immediately to yours

Very sincerely,

COMMITTEE.

JOHN E. SULLIVAN, Sec'y,
56 Madison Street.

JAS. J. HAGERTY, Chairman,
185 East 93rd Street.

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CENTRAL COMMITTEE OF THE BARON DE HIRSCH FUND

EXECUTIVE OFFICE, NO. 45 BROADWAY, ROOM 163,

A. S. SOLOMONS, GENERAL AGENT.

NEW YORK, March 16, 1897.

You are invited to attend a patriotic entertainment, to be given by the English Day Classes of the Baron de Hirsch Fund, in the auditorium of the Educational Alliance, corner of East Broadway and Jefferson Street, on Thursday next, the 18th inst. at half past ten o'clock.

A seat will be reserved for you on the platform.

Yours truly,



Hon. William L. Strong,

General Agent.

Mayor's Office.

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The Friendly Sons of St. Patrick

request the honor of the company of

Hon. William L. Strong.

at the

113th Anniversary Dinner of the Society,

on Wednesday evening, March the seventeenth, at six o'clock.

The Waldorf, Fifth Avenue & 33rd Street.

*The favor of an answer
is requested.*

*Edward J. McGuire, Secretary,
25 Pine Street,
New York.*

*Morgan J. O'Brien
John S. Crimmins
Fred Smith
J. J. O'Keefe*

Committee.

Hell Gate Republican Club.

310 East 86th Street.

New York, *Mar 22* 1897

Hon Job E Hedges

DEAR SIR:

We respectfully request the extreme pleasure of your company at a RECEPTION to be held at our CLUB HOUSE, 310 East 86th St., on SATURDAY EVENING, APRIL 3, 1897, at 8.30 P. M., in honor of being the victors in "THE NEW YORK PRESS" POPULAR CLUB CONTEST. An early response desired.

Yours respectfully,

THE COMMITTEE.

Isre Friedman
Chairman

*The friends of
Mr. John P. Windolph
request your presence
at a
Banquet and Reception
to be given in his honor at
The Arena,
Nos. 39 & 41 West 31st Street,
on the evening of March 26th
1897.
at 8 o'clock.*

*Kindly acknowledge acceptance to
Mr. W. C. Muschenheim,
No. 39 West 31st St.*

The Class of '97

cordially invite you to attend

The Twenty-first Annual Reception

given on board the

Nautical School-Ship,

"St. Mary's"

Foot of East Twenty-eighth Street,

On the Evening of March Twenty-sixth,

1897.

Dancing 8 to midnight

POSITIVELY NOT TRANSFERABLE.

1847

Fiftieth Anniversary

1897.

OF THE

United Brothers,
AT Grand Central Palace,

LEXINGTON AVE. AND 43RD ST.

Sunday, March 28th 1897

AT 2:30 P.M.

Admitted Hon W^m L Strong

THIS TICKET MUST BE PRESENTED AT THE DOOR.

YOU are kindly requested
to join the Board of Officers in the
Committee Room, immediately upon
your arrival at the Hall.

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Fiftieth Anniversary

1897

OF THE

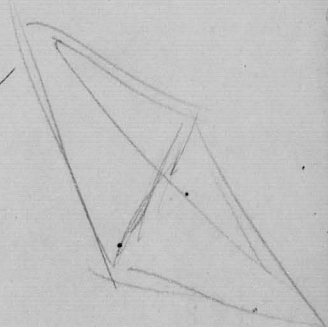
United Brothers,

(VEREINIGTE BRÜDER)

at Grand Central Palace,

Lexington Ave. & 43rd St.

Sunday, March 28th 1897



N. Y. Mar. 19, 1897
M. W. G. P. #39

Mayor Strong.

Dear sir, Enclosed
you will find an invitation
to our first attempt at
Public Debating.

Would you do us
the honor to act as a judge
in deciding to whom the
award shall be made?

We are only school
boys, but we know of your
interest in both the Leagues
which will be represented.

Yours respectfully
George Rath
Chorman

You are cordially invited to attend the
First Annual Prize Debate
between
The Mt. Morris Anti Rubbish League
and
The Anti Cigarette League, Branch 39
to be held at ~~Grammar School 39~~,
Friday, April 2, 1897,
at 3 o'clock.

Respectfully,

George Rath,

Harry Mosauer,

Committee.

The Place of Entertainment has been
Changed to Y. M. C. A. 11 W. 125th St.



The President & Members
of the
St. George's Society
of New York.

request the honor of the company of
The Mayor of the City of New York
at the Anniversary Dinner of the Society
to be held at Delmonico's, 5th Ave., 26th St.,
on April the twenty third
at half past six O'Clock.

An early answer addressed to the ^{Chairman} ~~Secretary~~
Berkeley Moulton University Club
Madison Ave., 26th St. will oblige
New York. March 29. 1897

HUGUENOT SOCIETY OF AMERICA,
LIBRARY,
105 EAST 22D STREET.

President,
HENRY G. MARQUAND.

Secretary,
LEA McI. LUQUER.

NEW YORK, *March 29th* 189*7*.

The Huguenot Society of America

request the pleasure of the company of

the Mayor of the City of New York

at their Dinner,

Delmonico's, Madison Square.

on Wednesday, April Twenty-Eighth, at seven o'clock.

An early answer is requested.

W. Carley Rhinelander

Secretary of the Stewards.

Frederic J. de Peyster,

Chairman of the Committee of Arrangements.

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No. 170 Bleecker Street, New York,

March 31st, 1897.

Hon. William L. Strong,

Dear Sir:--

The pleasure of your company is requested at the reunion of the speakers on the New York Free Lecture Course, at the Windsor Hotel, Fifth Avenue and 46th Street, Saturday evening, April 10th, at seven o'clock.

Kindly let us know whether you can attend, and oblige,

Yours cordially,

Geo. Lloyd Thomas
Secretary.

Rositer Johnson,
Chairman.

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C. Brooklyn, N. Y., April 1, 1897.

Hon. William L. Strong,

Mayor of New York,

New York, N. Y.

My dear sir:-

This to confirm invitation that I had the pleasure of tendering in person and which I was extremely gratified to have you accept, for the Fourth Annual Banquet of The Manufacturers' Association of Kings and Queens Counties, to be held at the Union League Club, Brooklyn, on the evening of April 21st., at Six thirty o'clock. Mayor Wurster will respond to the toast "The City of Brooklyn" and we should be pleased if you will respond to the toast "The Greater New York".

I will see Mr. Brookfield in due time and perfect any arrangements that may be necessary in connection with your visit.

Anticipating a very enjoyable evening, I beg to remain,

Very truly,

Henry B. Haigh
President



Annual Entertainment and Reception
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GILSA CAMP, NO 133,
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SATURDAY EVENING, APRIL 3RD 1897.

MUSIC BY GILSA CAMP BAND.



A COMEDY DRAMA IN TWO ACTS, ENTITLED
HICK'RY FARM,

Will be Presented by THE MANHATTAN DRAMATIC COMPANY.

CURTAIN WILL RISE PROMPTLY AT 8 P. M.

April 4, 1897.

9 WEST 121ST STREET.

Dear Mayor Strong:-

I think
both you and your wife
would enjoy hearing
Miss Benfy read at my
house on Tuesday.

I send you two com-
plimentary tickets, and
hope we shall have the
pleasure of seeing you.

Very cordially,
Per. J. K. Mrs. Carol O. Hays.

The Goldey,

A SOCIETY TO DEVELOP LITERARY TASTES

144 MADISON AVENUE.

NEW YORK, APRIL 2D, 1897.

The Goldey respectfully invites you to attend its
THIRTEENTH ANNUAL ENTERTAINMENT, to be held at
Chickering Hall, Friday Evening, April twentythird 1897.

The Goldey is a literary and debating society
affiliated with the New York Evening High School.

The work of the society has received the endorse-
ment of the Hon. Grover Cleveland, Chas. A. Dana,
Rev. Thos. J. Ducey, Col. Robt. G. Ingersoll, Mrs.
Frank Leslie, James C. Carter, and many others.

Your favorable reply is hoped for.

Respectfully,

ERNEST G. ALBERGUE,

Sec'y Entertainment Committee.

To Hon. Wm. L. Strong.

12 or 57 st.

NOTE DATE OF FAIR - DECEMBER 15th - 28th

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MADISON SQUARE GARDEN, NEW YORK CITY, N. Y.

NEW YORK, Apr. 5th, 1897. 1896.

Hon. William L. Strong,
Mayor's Office, City.

Dear Sir:

As the enclosed prospectus will explain to you, a Scandinavian Charity Concert will be given Monday evening, April 19th, in the Madison Square Garden, Concert Hall. The entertainment, while assured of the patronage of several Americans of high social standing, will also be representative of the Scandinavian element centering in New York. Several of the boxes have been named for distinguished Scandinavians as Jenny Lind, Christine Nilsson, Hans Christian Andersen, Ole Bull and John Ericsson. The box named Sweden-Norway has been taken by Mr. Karl Woxen, the Swedish-Norwegian Consul, and that named for Denmark will be occupied by the Danish Consul, Mr. Henry Braem. Box No. 14 in the center of the balcony has been named for Greater New York. As a guest of honor, you are respectfully, earnestly and cordially invited to occupy it together with Mayor Wurster of Brooklyn and Mayor Gleason of Long Island City. Two complimentary box seats are enclosed.

Hoping that your duties and engagements may permit your attendance, and believing that you would find the entertainment enjoyable, I am

Yours very respectfully,

Allen S. Williams
Manager.

NEW YORK, April 6th, 1897.

MY DEAR SIR:

A number of members of the Union League Club have tendered to General Porter a Banquet, at Delmonico's, on the evening of May 3rd, and, believing that you will desire to unite in the entertainment, have requested the undersigned Committee to communicate with you before closing the list. The subscription has been fixed at \$16.

The Committee will be glad to have you accept and, if it is your pleasure so to do, you will greatly facilitate their work by filling out the enclosed card and returning the same to J. Adriance Bush, 100 Broadway, New York, together with your check for the above amount, on or before the 15th inst., and, in the event of your being obliged to decline, it will also be a favor to the Committee if you can express such determination by return of the card without delay, as the number of guests must be finally decided upon on that date.

Yours very respectfully,

JOEL B. ERHARDT,
J. ADRIANCE BUSH,
JOHN R. VAN WORMER,
ROBERT A. C. SMITH,
WALTER C. GILSON.

Trinity Church Bicentenary.

The enclosed invitation is sent in the hope that you will be able to attend the Celebration. If you signify your acceptance to Charles E. Davenport, Vestry Office, 187 Fulton Street, New York, by April the twenty-seventh, a ticket of admission to the Church, bearing the number of your reserved seat, will be sent to you. This condition is made necessary by reason of the extremely limited number of sittings.

New York, April 6th, 1897.

Stephen P. Nash
on behalf of the Committee.

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*The Rector,
Churchwardens and Vestrymen of Trinity Church
in the City of New York
request the presence of
Hon. Wm L. Strong, Mayor of City of N. Y.
at the Celebration of the Two Hundredth Anniversary
of the granting by King William the Third of England of their
Charter of Incorporation,
to be commemorated by a Public Service on Wednesday,
the fifth day of May, eighteen hundred and ninety-seven,
at eleven o'clock, in the
Parish Church on Broadway opposite Wall Street.*

R. s. v. p.



Trinity Church Bicentenary

Hon Wm L. Strong,

Mayor of New York

The Central National Bank,

OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

~~William L. Strong, President.~~

Edwin Langdon, ~~Vice President.~~

Chas. S. Young, Cashier.

Lewis S. Lee, Asst. Cashier.

New York,

April 6, 1897.

Hon. W. L. Strong.

Dear Sir:

The Credit Men's Association
will give their Annual Dinner at the
Hotel St. Denis on Thursday evening,
April 22nd, this month.

It is earnestly desired to have
the Mayor of the City of New York as
one of the speakers, and as a member
of the Committee on Speakers, I beg to
ask for your favorable consideration.

Very truly yours,

Edwin Langdon

F. A. Palmer, Pres. P. Cumming, Treas. H. F. Hutchinson, Secy.

Broadway Savings Institution,

4 PARK PLACE,

New York, Apr 7th 1897

Hon. Wm L. Strong

My dear Sir:

The Harlem
Republican Club will hold
their Annual Banquet
on Grant's Birthday
Apr. 27th and the Committee
most cordially invites you
to be present on that
occasion as the guest
of the Club. We trust
that you will be able
to be present and we
can guarantee you a
most enjoyable evening

Yours very truly

Lincoln Stewart
Pres

F. A. Palmer, Pres. P. Cumming, Treas. H. F. Hutchinson, Secy.

Broadway Savings Institution,

4 PARK PLACE,

New York, Apr 7th 1897

Job E. Hedges Esq

My dear Sir:

The Harlem
Republican Club most
earnestly requests you
to be their guest at
their Annual Banquet
on Grants Birthday, Apr
27th at West End Hotel
226 W. 125th St. We trust
you will be able to
be present & promise
you an enjoyable
evening. Expecting an
early & favorable reply
I am

Yours very sincerely
Lincoln Stewart
Pres.

UNION LEAGUE CLUB
NEW YORK

General Grace Potter requests
the pleasure of the Company
of the Mayor of New York
at lunch, at one o'clock
P. M. Saturday April 10
at the Langens Club, 120
Broadway, to meet Colonel
John Jay.

April 8 1897



Office of the Mayor
PHILADELPHIA.

April 8th 1897.

Hon. Wm. L. Strong,
Mayor of New York City.

Sir:-

On Saturday, May 15th 1897, the Society of the Cincinnati of the State of Pennsylvania will dedicate and present to the City of Philadelphia the Washington Monument located in Fairmount Park.

As Mayor of the City of Philadelphia I extend to you an invitation to be our guest and to accept our hospitality at that time.

Very truly yours,

Chas. M. Howard

Reception to Gen. Horace Porter

The Authors Club,

The Executive Council,

asks the pleasure of your company
at the Club Rooms, Music Hall,

Seventh Ave. & 56th Street.

on the evening of April 9th 1897

at nine o'clock.

To Hon. W. L. Strong -

Present this at the door.

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Mr. W. W. Hoppin
requests the pleasure of your company
to meet very informally, the members of the
New York Sabbath Committee,
on the 40th Anniversary of its Founding,
and the
Rev. W. W. Atterbury, D. D.,
who for more than a quarter of a century
has been its executive officer.
Tuesday, April 13th 1897,
at 8.30 P. M.
47 West 53rd Street.

R. L. V. P.

THE UNION LEAGUE CLUB.

New York, April 13, 1897.

To Mr.

William L. Strong

The honor of your company is
requested at the Supper to be given to

MR. JOSEPH JEFFERSON,

in the Alcove room, on Tuesday evening,
April 20th, at ten o'clock.

THE HOUSE COMMITTEE.

New York April 13th 1897

My dear Mayor

The honor of your presence is requested at the
Twenty Sixth Annual Dinner of the Veteran Association
71st Regt. N. G. N. Y. which will take place at the Windsor
Hotel Cor. 5th Ave. & 46th St. New York City on Wednesday
April 21st 1897 - 7³⁰ P. M. Commemorating the
departure of the Regiment for the defense of the
National Capitol on April 21st 1861

An early reply is earnestly requested

Yours very respectfully
E. A. McAlpin
Pres.

To
Hon. William L. Strong
Mayor N. Y. City

Enclosed.

New York,

April 15, 1897.

Dear Sir;-

The dinner to Mr. Geo. Edw. Harding
will be given at the Holland House, Fifth Ave.
and Thirtieth Street, on Monday April 19th
at 7.30 o'clock P. M.

Evening dress.

Yours very respectfully,

W. H. Baker

W. A. Conover



HEADQUARTERS

OLD GUARD

ARMORY—84 FIFTH AVE., COR. WEST 14TH ST.

New York, April 15, 1897.

ORDERS }
No. 14. }

I. This Battalion will parade on Thursday, April 22d, 1897, in full uniform, to commemorate its Seventy-first Anniversary. Assembly at the Armory at one o'clock P. M. The Staff, Honorary and Non-Commissioned Staff, Band and Drum Corps will report to the Adjutant at the same hour.

The line will be formed at 1.30 o'clock P. M. SHARP.

II. The Installation of the officers elected March 17th, 1897, will then take place. At the conclusion of this ceremony the Battalion will march to St. Thomas's Church, Fifth Avenue, cor. 53d Street, where the Anniversary Service will be celebrated, Chaplain Rev. John W. Brown, D. D., officiating. At the conclusion of the Church service the Battalion will return to the Armory. Admission tickets for the Church service can be had at the Armory.

III. The members of the Battalion will assemble at the Armory, in fatigue uniform, on Monday evening, April 19th, at 8 o'clock, for drill and instruction.

By order of Major THOMAS E. SLOAN.

ROBERT P. LYON,

Adjutant.

(OFFICIAL.)

SEVENTY-FIRST ANNIVERSARY

—OF THE—

OLD GUARD,

THURSDAY, APRIL 22D, 1897,

ST. THOMAS' CHURCH, FIFTH AVE. AND 53^D STREET, NEW YORK.

SERVICES CONDUCTED BY REV. JOHN WESLEY BROWN, CHAPLAIN OLD GUARD.

SERVICES AT 3:45 P. M.

PRESENT THIS TICKET AT THE CHURCH.

High Bridge, New York;

April 16th, 1897.

Hon. Wm. L. Strong,

Mayor, New York City.

Dear Sir:-

While realizing that the night of April 26th precedes a very busy day for you, I desire to repeat the invitation sent you some time since, to attend the reception of the Garfield Republican Club of High Bridge, to be held at Huber's Casino, 162nd St. and Jerome Avenue. We appreciate the demands on you, but I am sure the people who will be present would so like to hear from you, that we will not press upon you to stay long with us, if you will kindly give us a short talk at the opening, which will be at ten o'clock P. M., Monday, April 26th.

Hoping to receive a favorable reply, I am,

Yours very truly,

George L Purdy

President.

*or 56 Beaver Street
C/o O. & W. Ry. Co.*

*10 Devoe Street
High Bridge*



Guest

HOTEL

Twelfth Regiment N.G.N.Y.

1897

SAVOY

FIFTH AVE.

AND 59TH ST.

Golden Anniversary

BANQUET

Admit His Honor Wm. L. Strong

WEDNESDAY

AT SEVEN O'CLOCK

APRIL 21ST

Mayor

of the

Capt. Wm. Schwallie

SECRETARY

NOT TRANSFERABLE



You are invited to attend

A Review

By COL. GOODMAN JAMES GREENE

Also, Cavalry Drill and Games of

THE FIRST SIGNAL CORPS

At Central Park Riding Academy

Seventh Avenue and 59th Street

SATURDAY EVENING, APRIL 17th, 1897

Owing to the limited seating capacity of the Academy your early reply is particularly requested.

HOMER W. HEDGE, Captain.

THE UNION LEAGUE CLUB.

New York, April 19th, 1897.

Dear Sir:

A meeting of the Reception Committee of the Reception to be given by the Club to The President and The Vice-President of the United States on the twenty-seventh instant, will be held in the general meeting room of the Club, on Wednesday the twenty-first instant, at eight o'clock P. M.

By order of

MATTHEW C. D. BORDEN,

Chairman.

GEO. BETHUNE ADAMS,

Secretary.

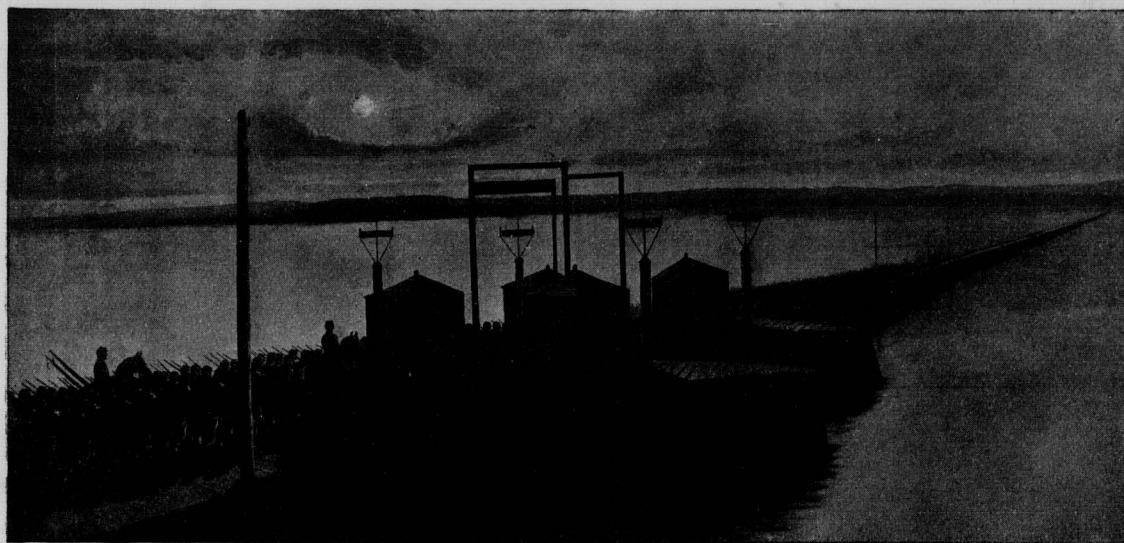
Old Guard Association of the Twelfth Regiment,

N. G. N. Y.

MAJ.-GEN. DANIEL BUTTERFIELD, President.
616 Fifth Avenue, N. Y. City.

COL. CHARLES E. SPRAGUE, Treasurer,
54 West 32d Street, N. Y. City.

CAPT. WILLIAM H. SCHWALBE, Secretary.
362 Tompkins Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.



Painted by Forbes for the Old Guard Association

THE ADVANCE OF THE UNITED STATES FORCES INTO VIRGINIA IN 1861.
THE TWELFTH REGIMENT LEADING.

Golden Anniversary.

The Old Guard Association of the Twelfth Regiment, N. G. N. Y. requests the honor of your company at its Golden Anniversary Banquet, at the Hotel Savoy, New York City, at 7 P. M., April 21st, 1897.

The Banquet is in celebration of the Regiment's departure for the war in 1861, and the fiftieth Anniversary of the Legislative Act which formed the Regiment.

The favor of a reply is requested.

Wm H Schwalbe
Secretary.

To

Hon. Wm. L. Strong,

Mayor, City of New York.

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Hon. W. L. Strong,
Mayor N. Y. City

Dear Sir;

I would respectfully
urge your
acceptance of the invi-
tation extended to
you by Mr. A. T. Mac-
donald President of
the Brooklyn C. D.
Sabbath school assos.
to review their Annual
Concert on Thursday
June 3rd. Trusting
you will find

it convenient to
have Brooklyn
with your presence
on that occasion
I remain,

Yours Truly,
G. P. Miller

Brooklyn
April 23/93.



W. M. MANNING

BK Apr. 23/99
Hon. Mayor W. L. Strong
Dear Hon. Sir!

As the 2 cities
will be one, we want you to
be with us on the 3rd of June
to view the Sabbath School from
the grand stand.

Would it be possible for you
to visit us the Eastern District
Sabbath School on June 3rd to
review the children from the grand
stand. Behaving Hon Sir, it would
be a blessed to eyes and minds as
it would for Israel, when Moses
came down from the mount.

Come dear Sir and God come with
you
over
M. Manning V. D. M.

P.S. Doubtless the president
has already invited you

Best Mr Manning

APRIL 23d, 1897.

A public meeting of the business men and property owners of Harlem will be held at Murphy's Hat Store, Third Avenue, between One Hundred and Twenty-seventh and One Hundred and Twenty-eighth Streets, on Thursday evening, ^{May 6th} ~~April 29th~~, 1897, for the purpose of expressing our protest against the action of the authorities in having adopted the easterly side of Third Avenue for the approach to the new Third Avenue bridge, and also against the manner in which it is proposed to proceed in the building of the approach. The present plan, if fully carried out, will have the effect of shutting us off from all wagon and car traffic from the North Side for several years, as it is proposed to finish the Lexington Avenue approach first, throw that open, and thereby divert the traffic before commencing any work on Third Avenue, and, until the easterly approach on Third Avenue is completed, which may require two to three years, there will be no vehicular traffic on upper Third Avenue from the day the work is commenced until it is finished.

This matter is of vital importance to every business man and property owner on upper Third Avenue, and it will be of interest to you to attend, as prominent speakers will be present to make the matter plain to all.

Respectfully,

NATHAN LEMLEIN,

Secretary Third Avenue Improvement Association of Harlem.

1861.

1897.

Am W L Strong Mayor

The Veteran Corps 69th Regiment

request the pleasure

of your company to the Thirty-sixth

Anniversary Dinner,

to be held at Sturtevant House, 1186 Broadway,

on

Saturday Evening, April 24th, 1897,

at seven o'clock sharp,

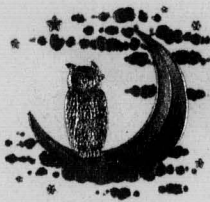
*to commemorate the departure of the Regiment for
the War, April 23d, 1861.*

Col. John Coonan,

President.

R. S. V. P. to Surgeon John Dwyer,

182 East 111th Street,



Οἱ Σχολαστικοί

request the honor of the company of

Mr. Wm. S. Strong.

at its

First Annual Dinner.

on Saturday evening, April twenty-fourth, 1897.

at six-thirty o'clock.

The Savoy.

The favor of an answer is requested.

addressed to Mr. John W. Davis, Treasurer.

Kingsbridge, N. Y. City.

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Music by Prof. Pierce.

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125 WEST 14TH STREET.

HEADQUARTERS
VETERANS OF THE NINTH REGIMENT
N.Y.S.M. - N.G.S.N.Y.
83RD N.Y. VOLS.

New York, April 26th, 1897

The pleasure of your company is respectfully requested at the Annual Dinner of the Veterans of the Ninth Regiment, N. G. N. Y. (83d N. Y. Vols.) N. Y. S. M. and the 36th Anniversary of the departure of the Regiment for the War, on Thursday, May 27th, 1897, at 8 P. M. at Clark's, No. 22 West Twenty-third St.

G. A. Hussey Commandant.
No. 60 William St.

To Hon. *Wm. L. Strong*
Mayor of New York

Annual Dinner
Veterans of the Ninth Regiment

N.Y.L.M.



N.G.N.Y.

(83^d New York Vols.)
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Thursday May 27th 1897 at 8 P.M.

EIGHTH WARD

Ulysses S. Grant Club

Annual

Reception and Ball

at

Everett Hall,

34-33-35 East 4th Street,

Monday evening, April 26, 1897

EVE OF U. S. GRANT'S BIRTHDAY.

Mr. _____

Introduced by *John H. White*

PLEASE PRESENT THIS INVITATION AT THE DOOR.

SOUVENIRS FOR ALL.

NO CHARGE AT EITHER LADIES OR GENTS HAT ROOM.