

Acceptances from Members of the
U. S. Senate & House of Representatives.

House of Representatives U. S.

Washington, D. C.

14th. April, 1897.

answered

Dear Sir:

If consistent with the order of arrangements, I have the honor to request to have assigned me three seats, one for myself, and two for members of my family, during the Grant Memorial Ceremonies.

Very respectfully,

R. D. Hawley

Honorable

William L. Strong,

12 West 57th. St.,

New York City.

United States Senate,
Washington, D. C.

April 17, 1897

Hon. Wm. Strong,
Mayor &c.

My Dear Sir; I have the
honor to accept your
courtesy in relation for
the 27th inst. ant.

Very truly -

C. W. Fairbanks

United States Senate,

WASHINGTON, D. C.,

April 17th, 1897.

Dear Sir :-

I accept with pleasure your invitation to be present at the formal transfer of the Tomb of General Grant to the City of New York, and shall be pleased to receive a ticket for seat on the Grand Stand.

Very truly yours,

Refined Proctor

Fred'k I. Phillips, Esq.,
Sec't, Grant Monument Com.

House of Representatives U. S.

Washington, D. C.

April 17, 1897.

Hon. William L. Strong,

Mayor:

Dear Sir,

Your favor, inviting me to be present at the ceremonies upon the occasion of the formal transfer of the tomb of General Grant to the City of New York, is at hand.

I take pleasure in accepting the invitation.

Very truly yours

James G. Maguire
m.c.

Washington D.C.
Apr 17. 1897

J. A. T. Hull acknowledges
receipt of invitation
to attend the ceremonies
at Grant's tomb on 27th
inst and accepts.

To Fred D. Phillips
Secy Grant Mon. Com.
New York

FIFTY-FOURTH CONGRESS.

JOHN A. T. HULL, Chairman.
Newton M. Curtis, Lucien J. Fenton,
Benjamin F. Marsh, John P. Tracey,
Ephraim M. Woomer, Thomas B. Catron,
Michael Griffin, D. Gardiner Tyler,
George N. Southwick, George B. McClellan,
Richard W. Parker, Joseph E. Washington,
Roswell P. Bishop,

Herman D. Reeve, Clerk.
Herman Schreiner, Ass't Clerk.

Committee on Military Affairs,

House of Representatives U. S.,

Washington, D. C., Apr 17 1897

Dear Genl.:

Yours received.
Would like two seats.
Thanking you for your
kindness

I am yours truly
J A T Hull

Genl G M Dodge
No 1 Broadway
N.Y.

Mr P Phillips
This is to certify
of meeting time of House Rep
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his invitation under name
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Genl Dodge

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United States Senate,

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 18, 1897.

Frederick I. Phillips, Esq.,

Secretary Grant Monument Committee,

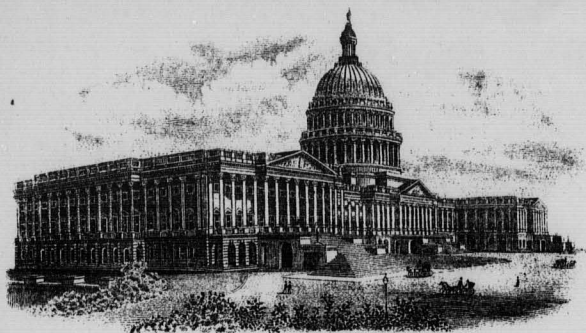
New York City.

Dear Sir:-

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of an invitation from your committee, inviting me to be present at Riverside Park on the occasion of the transfer of the tomb of General Grant to the City of New York, and I accept the same with thanks. My wife will accompany me and I would be pleased if a ticket for her as well as myself would be sent to me.

Very respectfully,

Geo Turner



House of Representatives, U.S.
Washington.

April 18th 1897

To the Hon.

William L. Strong

Mayor of the City of New York

Sir:-

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your request to be present at Riverside Park on Thursday April 27th 1897 at Eleven O'clock A.M. upon the occasion of the formal transfer of the Tomb of General Grant to The City of New York by the Grant Monument Association.

Fully appreciating the courtesy extended it affords me great pleasure to advise you of my acceptance. May I hope that Mrs. Lusk will be permitted to occupy a seat on the grand stand with me.

I have the honor to remain

Courteously yours

Philip B. Fox

FIFTY-FOURTH CONGRESS.

JOHN A. PICKLER, Chairman.
Henry F. Thomas, William E. Andrews,
Benson Wood, George C. Crowther,
Cyrus A. Sulloway, Constantine J. Erdman,
Theodore L. Poole, Fernando C. Layton,
S. S. Kirkpatrick, George B. McClellan,
Winfield S. Kerr, Joshua W. Miles,
W. C. Anderson, William Baker.

L. H. Bailey, Clerk.
F. S. Arnold, Ass't Clerk.
Wm. T. Sullivan, Ass't Clerk.
Bessie M. Ridenour, Stenographer.

H. W. Blanchard,
Detailed from Pension Bureau.

Committee on Invalid Pensions,
House of Representatives U. S.

Washington, D. C., Apr. 18th., 1897.

Frederick I. Phillips, Secretary,

Municipal Grant Monument Committee.

New York City, New York.

Dear Sir:

Your invitation to be present at the ceremonies to be held April 27th., 1897, received. It will afford me pleasure to attend the services, and I shall be thankful for a ticket of admission to the grand stand. I am, sir

Very respectfully,

(Dictated-B.)

G. A. Marshall

House of Representatives U. S.

Washington, D. C.

April 18, 1897.

Hon. Wm. M. Strong,

Mayor of New York.

Sir:--

It affords me very sincere pleasure to accept your invitation to attend upon the occasion of the formal transfer of the Tomb of General Grant to the City of New York on the 27th inst., to join the Nation in paying tribute to the memory of her great dead.

Very Respectfully,

John W. Gains.

House of Representatives U. S.,

Washington, D. C.

Apr 18/97.

Dear Sir:

I have the honor to
notify you of my intention of
attending the Ceremonies on the
27th inst., and of my acceptance
of your kind invitation.

Yours truly,

R. E. Burke

Mr. Frederick D. Phillips, Secy,
New York City.

FIFTY-FOURTH CONGRESS.

ALVA L. HAGER, Iowa, Chairman.

Samuel M. Clark, Iowa. Benjamin E. Russell, Ga.

Ernest F. Acheson, Pa. Asbury C. Latimer, S. C.

George C. Crowther, Mo. John D. Clardy, Ky.

Ed. E. Davis, Clerk.

Committee on Enrolled Bills,

House of Representatives U. S.,

Washington, D. C., *April 18th, 1897*

Hon. William L. Shung
New York

My Dear Sir:

*Please accept thanks for your
very courteous invitation to be
present at Riverside Park on the 27th
inst. The invitation is accepted.*

Very Respectfully Yours
A. L. Hager.

House of Representatives United States,

Washington, D. C.

April 18, 1897.

Frederick I. Phillips, Esq.,

Secy. Grant Monument Ass'n,

New York City.

Dear Sir:-

I beg to acknowledge receipt of invitation of the Grant Monument Association to attend the exercises at Riverside Park on the 27th inst. and in accordance with suggestion accompanying the invitation, I desire to say that it affords me much pleasure to accept the same. Shall greatly appreciate the ticket of admission to a seat on the Grand Stand, the transmission of which on receipt of this acceptance is indicated by the invitation.

Thanking the Association for its kind consideration, remain,

Yours very truly,

-Dictated-

CC:CC

W. L. Gifford
16.6.7 *dist. via*

House of Representatives U. S.,

Washington, D. C., 4-18-97

Dear Sir

I have the honor to acknowledge receipt of invitation to Riverside Park. on Tuesday the 27th inst. at 11. o'clock A.M. It gives me great satisfaction to accept the same - and to express how sensible I am of your kindness in tendering this courtesy - With many thanks

I am Yours Truly

W. Brewster

Bedford J. Phillips

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House of Representatives U. S.

Washington, D. C.,

April 18th, 1897

Hon. Wm L. Strong,
New York.

Dear Sir:

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your kind invitation to be present upon the occasion of the formal transfer of the Tomb of General Grant to the City of New York. I shall accept, with pleasure, and in so doing desire to tender my sincere thanks for the courtesy you have shown me.

Very respectfully yours,
W. E. Perry.

House of Representatives,
Washington. April 1883

Mr. D.S. Alexander accepts
with pleasure the invitation
of The Mayor of the City
of New York to be present
at Riverside Park upon the
occasion of the formal
transfer of the Tomb of
General Grant to the City
of New York.

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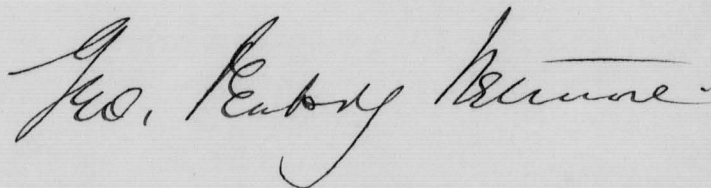
UNITED STATES SENATE,
COMMITTEE ON MANUFACTURES,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

April 19, 1897.

Dear Sir;-

I beg to accept the invitation of the Grant Monument Association to attend the ceremonies incident to the transfer of the Tomb of General Grant to the City of New York, on the twenty-seventh instant.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Geo. Henry Moore". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned below the typed name.

Frederick J. Phillips, Esq.
Secretary, Committee on Invitations,
Grant Monument Association, New York City.

FIFTY-FOURTH CONGRESS.

MARION BUTLER, Chairman.
Fred T. Dubois. James Smith, Jr.
Henry Cabot Lodge. Francis M. Cockrell.
John L. Wilson. David B. Hill.
George P. Wetmore. Donelson Caffery.

Francis H. Hoover, Clerk.

UNITED STATES SENATE,
COMMITTEE ON ORGANIZATION, CONDUCT, AND EXPENDITURES
OF THE EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENTS.

WASHINGTON, D. C.,

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April 19th, 1897.

Mayor W. L. Strong,

Chairman Committee Invitation.

Sir:--

Yours inviting me to be present at Riverside Park on Tuesday the 27th of April, 1897 upon the occasion of the formal transfer of the tomb of General Grant to the City of New York, received. Allow me to express my appreciation of the courtesy extended, and also to notify you of my acceptance of the same.

Yours very truly,

Marion Butler

SENATE CHAMBER,
WASHINGTON,

April 19. 1897.

My Dear Sir:

It is my purpose
to be in New York on the
27th inst., on the occasion
of the transfer of the Tomb
of Gen. Grant to the City
of New York.

As I shall go to my
home at Concord, N.H., to-
morrow, to remain for
a few days, you will
kindly send the tickets to
the Grand Stand to my
address there.

Respectfully yours,
J. H. Gallinger,
Frederick J. Phillips, Esq.

United States Senate,

WASHINGTON, D. C.

April 19th, 1897.

Frederick I. Phillips, Esq.,

Secretary Committee on Invitation

New York, N.Y.

Dear Sir:

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of the invitation of your committee to attend upon the ceremonies upon the occasion of the transfer of General Grant's Tomb to the City of New York, to thank you for the same and to say that if my public duties permit I will be pleased to attend.

Yours truly,

Wm. Diller

United States Senate,

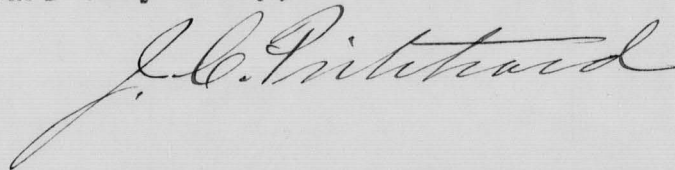
WASHINGTON, D. C. April 19, 1897.

Frederick I. Phillips, Esq.,
Care Grant Monument Association,
New York City.

Sir:

I am in receipt of your cordial invitation to be present on the 27th inst. to attend the Grant ceremonies. I accept your invitation with thanks.

Yours very truly,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "J. C. Pittman". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned below the typed text "Yours very truly,".

United States Senate,

WASHINGTON, D. C.,

Sept 19th, 1897

Hon Wm. L. Strong
Mayor New York City

Sir

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of
your invitation to be present on the
occasion of the Grant Monument
Exercises on the 27th and to say that
I shall be pleased to be present
on that occasion

Sincerely
Lee Mautte

House of Representatives U. S.

Washington, D. C.

19th. April, 1897.

My dear Mayor Strong:

I am requested to inform you that Mr. R. B. Hawley, of Texas, expects to be present on the occasion of the formal transfer of the tomb of General Grant to the City of New York, on the 27th. of April, 1897; and returns herewith the ticket for a seat on the Grand Stand.

I am Mr. Hawley's Private Secretary; and I would consider it a personal favor if you could have two tickets sent to Mr. Hawley. I do not expect to be in New York; but if you could have one of the tickets sent to me, I would give it to Mr. Hawley, in the event of your not being ^{desired} ~~able~~ to break the rule of sending more than one ticket to any one member of the House. I would like very much indeed to be in New York--especially after my association with General Porter on the Inaugural Committee, as Official Stenographer; but the pressure of my official duties here in Washington is so great that it will be quite impossible for me to leave. In having the tickets made out for Mr. Hawley, his name should be written, "Mr. Robert Bradley Hawley". This is to avoid any confusion with Senator Hawley, of Connecticut.

As you are doubtless aware Mr. Hawley is the only Republican representative from Texas in Congress; and, of course, the whole state look to him; and you can perhaps have some idea of the work I am compelled to do.

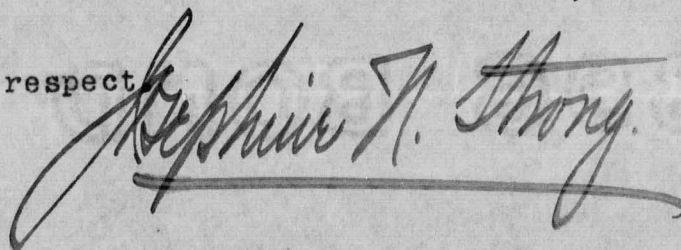
I have been very successful since I saw you. Of course, General Osborne, Mr. Hanna and Mr. Butterworth have all been factors in ^{my} ~~this~~ success.

Mr. Charles Hedges is here from Mansfield, Ohio. He has told me of some of your early efforts to gain a footing in New York, in all of which I was very much interested; and I feel very proud of the results of your efforts.

Thanking you in advance for this courtesy; and assuring you of my deep appreciation of all your kindness to me in the past,

I am

With great respect

A handwritten signature in dark ink, reading "Stephen J. Strong". The signature is written in a cursive style with a long, sweeping underline that extends to the right.

Honorable William L. Strong,
12 West 57th. St.,
New York City.

House of Representatives U. S.

Washington, D. C. April 19, 1897.

Frederick I. Phillips, Esq.,

C/o Mayor of New York, New York.

My dear Sir:-

I am in receipt of the invitation of the Mayor of New York to be present at Riverside Park on Tuesday, April 27th, and accept the same with pleasure.

Very truly yours,

Charles A. DeLoach

House of Representatives United States,

Washington, D. C.

April 19th, 1897.

Frederick I. Phillips, Sec'y,
New York City.

Dear Sir;

I beg leave to thank you for your kind invitation requesting my presence at Riverside Park, the 27th inst., and shall be present if my engagements will permit of my absence from Washington on that date.

Yours truly,

Frank M. Eddy

House of Representatives U. S.

Washington, D. C.

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Fred'k I. Phillips, Esq;

Sec'y Municipal Grant Monument Committee,

New York City.

My Dear Sir:--- I am just in receipt of your kind invitation to attend the ceremonies on the occasion of the formal transfer of the tomb of General Grant to the City of New York by the Grant Monument Association, on the 27th inst., and accept the same with pleasure.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Stephen D. Mitchell". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, prominent initial "S".

House of Representatives U. S.

Washington, D. C.

April 19th '97

Frederick I. Phillips, Secretary,

New York City

My dear sir:

I have your kind invitation to be present on the 27th inst. upon the occasion of the formal transfer of the tomb of General Grant to the City of New York, and I am pleased to say to you that I will accept the invitation and shall be obliged for a ticket for a seat on the grand stand.

Respectfully yours,

J. W. Smith

House of Representatives U. S.

Washington, D. C.

Apr. 19, 1897.

Hon. William L. Strong, Mayor, Chairman, etc.,
New York City,

Dear Sir;

I have the honor to
accept with much pleasure your invitation to be present at
Riverside Park, on Tuesday, April 27th inst., at the Grant
Monument ceremonies.

Thanking you in advance for the favor of a ticket to
the grandstand, I remain,

Yours very truly,

Marlon Pitney

House of Representatives,
Washington.

19 April 1977

Dear Sir

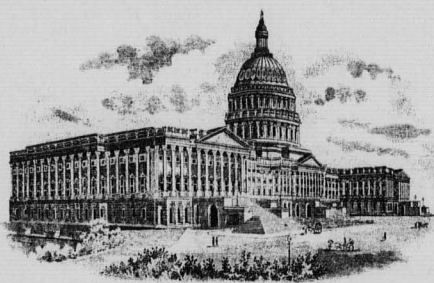
Your cordial invitation to me to be present at Riverside Park on April 27, etc., is hereby most respectfully acknowledged.

It may be, and I hope will be, likely that I can have the honor to accept your invitation. Every American must ever feel it to be a privilege to honor a soldier whose treatment of his antagonists was superbly generous and humane.

With thanks for your courtesy, I am
Most Truly Yours

Hon. W. L. Strong

Mayor of N.Y. } W. Brewer



House of Representatives, U.S.
Washington.

April- 19/97.
Hon Wm L. Strong
Dear Sir-

It gives me much pleasure to accept your kind invitation to be present at Riverside Park, on Tuesday April 27th/97, upon the occasion of the formal transfer of the Tomb of General Grant to The City of New York by the Grant Monument Association.

Very Respectfully
Wm L. Booz
Member Congress Maryland.

House of Representatives U. S.

Washington, D. C.

April 19th, 1897.

Mayor of New York City,

Chairman of the

Municipal Grant Monument Committee.

S i r : - -

I have the honor to acknowledge receipt of your invitation to be at Riverside Park, on April 27th, to witness the formal transfer of the tomb of General Grant to the City of New York, and hope to be able to avail myself of the privilege of being present on that important occasion.

Very respectfully yours,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "W. F. Starr". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, sweeping initial "W".

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House of Representatives U. S.

Washington, D. C.

April 19, 1897.

Hon. William L. Strong,

Mayor of the City of New York,

New York City,

Dear Sir:

Your invitation as Chairman of the Municipal
Grant Monument Committee, to be present at the Riverside Park, received.
I thank you very much for the same. I will be glad to be present on
the occasion.

Yours truly,

John F. Shafroth

Dictated.

House of Representatives U. S.

Washington, D. C., April 19th 1897

Mr. Frederick J. Phillips
New York
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Dear Sir:-

I am in receipt of your kind
invitation of recent date and take this
method of notifying you of my
acceptance

Very Truly Yours
R. C. DeGraffenried

House of Representatives United States,
Washington, D. C.

April, 19, 1897.

Mr. Frederick I. Phillips,
Sec'y Grant Monumental Association,
New York City.

Dear Sir,

I accept your kind invitation to be present at the transfer
of the Tomb of Gen. Grant to the City of New York. Thank you.

Very truly,

Thos. H. Ball.

House of Representatives United States,

Washington, D. C.

April 19th, 1897.

Mr. Frederick I. Phillips, Secretary,

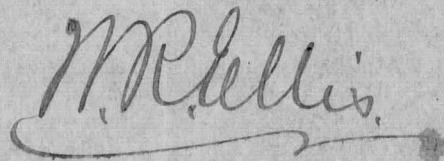
Grant Monument Association,

New York City, N. Y.

Dear Sir:-

I am in receipt of your invitation to attend the exercises on the 27th inst. for the formal transfer of the Tomb of General Grant to the City of New York by the Grant Monument Association. I am pleased to accept the same and hope to be present on that occasion.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "M. R. Ellis", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

House of Representatives U. S.,

Washington, D. C., April 19th, 1897.

Frederic J. Phillips

Secretary Grant Monument Com.

New York

Dear Sir

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of the invitation to be present at Riverside Park on Tuesday 27th inst. at 11 o'clock and to witness the formal transfer of the Tomb of Genl Grant to the City of New York by the Grant Mon. Ass.

It is my desire and purpose to attend & will thank you for a ticket for a seat in the Grand stand.

Yours truly,
Harry Skinner

FIFTY-FOURTH CONGRESS.

WILLIAM P. HEPBURN, Iowa, Chairman.
Loren Fletcher, Minn. John B. Corliss, Mich.
James S. Sherman, N. Y. Charles G. Bennett, N. Y.
Irving P. Wanger, Pa. James F. Stewart, N. J.
William H. Doolittle, Wash. Andrew Price, La.
Thomas Settle, N. C. Josiah Patterson, Tenn.
J. Frank Aldrich, Ill. Franklin Bartlett, N. Y.
Charles F. Joy, Mo. Harry Welles Rusk, Md.
George H. Noonan, Tex. Tazewell Ellett, Va.
J. H. Tedford, Clerk.

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce,
House of Representatives U. S.

Washington, D. C., *April 19, 1897.*

F. I. Phillips, Esq.

Acty Municipal Grant Monument Com.

Dear Sir:-

*I accept the invitation for
April 27 and will thank you to
send my ticket to me at The Shoreham
Hotel, Washington.*

Yours truly,

Charles G. Bennett, M.C.

FIFTY-FOURTH CONGRESS.

CHARLES W. STONE, Pa., Chairman.

Charles S. Hartman, Mont.

W. Godfrey Hunter, Ky.

Henry C. Loudenslager, N. J.

Henry C. Brewster, N. Y.

W. F. L. Hadley, Ill.

Addison S. McClure, Ohio.

James H. Southard, Ohio.

Ben L. Fairchild, N. Y.

John M. Allen, Miss.

John H. Bankhead, Ala.

Thomas C. McRae, Ark.

Stephen M. Sparkman, Fla.

James G. Spencer, Miss.

Richard H. Clarke, Ala.

Sam B. Cooper, Tex.

Nathan O. Murphy, Ariz.

COMMITTEE ON COINAGE, WEIGHTS, AND MEASURES,

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES U. S.,

WASHINGTON, D. C.,

April 19, 1897.

Mr. Frederick I. Phillips,
Secretary Grant Monument Association.
New York, N.Y.

Dear Sir:

I am pleased to accept
your invitation to witness the
transfer of the tomb of General
Grant to the city of New York, and
shall be present should nothing
prevent.

Very respectfully,

S. B. Cooper

Dictated.



House of Representatives, U.S.
Washington,

April 19, 1897.

Hon. William L. Strong,
New York City,

My dear Sir:-

I have the honor to acknowledge receipt of your invitation, as Chairman of the Municipal Grant Monument Committee, to be present at Riverside Park on Tuesday, the 27th., day of April, 1897, at eleven o'clock A. M., upon the occasion of the formal transfer of the tomb of General Grant to the City of New York, and to accept the same.

Very respectfully,

V. Warner

M. C.

George W. Smith, Ill., Chairman.
 William E. Andrews, Nebr. Alva L. Hager, Iowa.
 Richard Bartholdt, Mo. William A. Jones, Va.
 Roswell P. Bishop, Mich. Philip D. McCulloch, Ark.
 Frank S. Black, N. Y. Joshua W. Miles, Md.
 Samuel A. Cook, Wis. William C. Owens, Ky.
 Ebenezer J. Hill, Conn. Thomas B. Catron, N. Mex.
 Benjamin F. Howell, N. J.

Committee on Private Land Claims,

House of Representatives U. S.,

Washington, D. C., April 19th 1896.

Frederick J. Phillips, Esq.,
 Secretary, Committee on Invitation
 Municipal Grant Monument Committee
 New York, New York.

My dear Sir:

I have the honor to accept the invitation
 to be present at Riverside Park on Tuesday, the
 twenty-seventh of April, 1897, upon the occasion of the
 formal transfer of the Tomb of General Grant to the
 City of New York by the Grant Monument Association.
 Mrs. Smith will accompany me on that occasion.

Very respectfully,
 Geo. W. Smith.

House of Representatives United States,

Washington, D. C. April 19th 1897.

Hon. Wm. L. Strong.

Chairman, Municipal Grant Monument Com.
New York.

Dear Sir:-

I have the honor to acknowledge receipt of your invitation to be present , at the transfer of the tomb of Gen. Grant to the City of New York on the 27th inst.

I accept the invitation , and will be present accompanied by my wife if possible.

Very Respectfully,

H. O. Stevens
4th Dist Minn

House of Representatives U. S.

Washington, D. C. April 19th, 1897.

Hon. Wm. L. Strong, Chairman,
New York City.

Dear sir:-

I acknowledge receipt of the invitation of the Municipal Grant Monument Committee to be present upon the occasion of the formal transfer of the tomb of Gen. Grant on the 27th inst.

I will be pleased to attend these interesting ceremonies and accept your kind invitation with great pleasure.

Respectfully,

S. J. Baird

House of Representatives U. S.

Washington, D. C.

April 19, 1897.

Hon. William L. Strong,
Mayor City of New York, N.Y.,

My dear Sir:-

I desire to thank you for your kind invitation to be present at the exercises on the 27th. of April at the tomb of Gen. Grant. I beg to state that I shall be most happy to accept the same. Believe me,

Very truly yours,

Geo. Edmund Foss.

House of Representatives U. S.

Washington, D. C. April 19, 1897.

To the Mayor of the City of New York,
New York City, N.Y.

Dear Sir:- Your card inviting me to be present at
Riverside Park on Tuesday, the 27th day of this month, at 11 o'clock
A.M. upon the occasion of the dedication of the tomb of Gen. Grant
has just been received. I am very thankful for the invitation, and
assure you that I shall make every effort to be present on that
occasion.

Truly & Sincerely yours,

Sho H. Tongue

House of Representatives U. S.

Washington, D. C.

Apr. 19th, 1897.

Hon. William L. Strong,
Mayor of New York City,
New York, N.Y.

Dear Sir:-

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your invitation to be present upon the occasion of the formal transfer of the Tomb of General Grant to the City of New York by the Grant Monument Association.

I thank you for the invitation, and it will give me pleasure to avail myself of the courtesy extended.

Very respectfully,

J. York

House of Representatives United States,

Washington, D. C.

April 19th, 1897.

Hon. William L. Strong,

Mayor of the City of New York.

Yours containing invitation to be present at ~~Riverside~~ Riverside Park upon the occasion of the formal transfer of the tomb of General Grant to the city of New York is hereby acknowledged and accepted with thanks.

Very respectfully,

R D Dickinson

House of Representatives U. S.

Washington, D. C.

April 19th 1897.

Hon. William L. Strong.,
Chairman.

Dear Sir: -

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your invitation to attend the ceremonies incident to the transfer of the Tomb of General Grant to The City of NEW YORK on April 27th. It will afford me great pleasure to be present on that occasion, and I will thank you for the ticket you have so kindly offered.

Very respectfully,

J. K. Miles
M.C.

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55th
FIFTY-FOURTH CONGRESS.

WILLIAM S. LINTON, Mich., Chairman.
Daniel B. Heiner, Pa. Harry Skinner, N. C.
Harrison H. Atwood, Mass. Thomas J. Strait, S. C.
George W. Prince, Ill. Charles H. Yoakum, Tex.

W. W. Blackmer, Clerk.

Committee on Ventilation and Acoustics,

House of Representatives U. S.

Washington, D. C. April 19th. 1897.

Hon. William L. Strong,
New York City, N. Y.

Dear Sir:

I accept with pleasure the invitation of the Municipal Grant Monument Committee to be present at Riverside park on Tuesday, the 27th day of April 1897. upon the occasion of the formal transfer of the tomb of Gen. Grant to the City of New York.

Very Resp'y,

Geo W Prince M.C.
10 Chesee St

House of Representatives U. S.

Washington, D. C. April 19, 1897.

The Hon. William L. Strong, Mayor,
New York City, N. Y.

Dear Sir:-

I have the honor to acknowledge the invitation of
your Committee to attend the ceremonies in honor of General Grant.

I have an engagement on the evening of the 26th. in
Boston, but if I can get away from that City in time to attend the
ceremonies in New York, I shall be most happy to accept your invita-
tion.

Very respectfully,

Richard Pearson

JAMES S. SHERMAN N. Y., Chairman.
Charles Curtis, Kans. Samuel C. Hyde, Wash.
George W. Wilson, Ohio. James E. Watson, Ind.
George D. Meiklejohn, Nebr. John M. Allen, Miss.
Robert J. Gamble, S. Dak. John W. Maddox, Ga.
William H. Doolittle, Wash. George C. Pendleton, Texas.
Israel F. Fischer, N. Y. John S. Little, Ark.
Frank M. Eddy, Minn. William C. Owens, Ky.
Alexander Stewart, Wis. Dennis T. Flynn, Okla.
George E. White, Ill. H. E. Devendorf, Clerk.

Committee on Indian Affairs,

House of Representatives U. S.,

Washington, D. C., April 19, 1897. 189

To the Honorable

William L. Strong,

Mayor,

New York City, N. Y.

Dear sir:--

I acknowledge receipt of your kind invitation to attend the ceremonies upon the transfer of the tomb of Gen. Grant to the city of New York, and beg to say that it will give me pleasure to accept the same. I thank you for your consideration. With personal regard, I am,

Very sincerely yours,

J. S. Sherman

House of Representatives,
Washington.

April 19th, 1897.

Hon. William L. Strong,
Mayor- New York City,
New York.

My Dear Sir:-

I am in receipt of your kind invitation to attend the exercises at Riverside Park, April 27th. I expect to be present, and will esteem it a great kindness if you will reserve me a seat and forward me a ticket, as you so kindly suggest.

Very truly yours

C. B. Kauder

CHARLES DANIELS, N. Y., Chairman.
 Lemuel W. Royse, Ind. Romulus Z. Linney, N. C.
 Edward D. Cooke, Ill. Hugh A. Dinsmore, Ark.
 Fred C. Leonard, Pa. Charles L. Bartlett, Ga.
 William H. Moody, Mass. Smith S. Turner, Va.
 William A. Martin, Clerk.

Committee on Elections, No. 1,

House of Representatives U. S.,

Washington, D. C., *April 19, 1897*

Hon W. L. Strong
Mayor of The City of New York.
Chairman of Municipal Grant Monument Committee
New York.

Dear Sir

I am in receipt of your invitation requesting my presence at Riverside Park on Tuesday the 27th of April 1897, upon the formal transfer of The Tomb of General Grant to The City of New York by the Grant Monument Association." is received.

I accept your invitation and shall be present.

Very Respectfully
Charles L. Bartlett
M.C. 6th Dist Ga

House of Representatives U. S.,

Washington, D. C. April 19. 1897

Frederick T. Phillips Esq.

Secretary of Grant M. Assn.

New York.

Dear Sir: I beg to accept
with pleasure an invitation
to attend the Grant
Monument ceremonies on
April 27.

Very Truly Yrs.
Wm. H. Fleming

House of Representatives United States,

Washington, D. C.

April 19, 1897.

Hon. Wm. L. Strong,

New York, N. Y.,

Dear Sir:

I am in receipt of your kind invitation to attend the ceremonies upon the occasion of the transfer of the tomb of General Grant to the city of New York, on the 27th inst. and in reply I beg to say that it will afford me great pleasure to be present on that occasion. Thanking you for this consideration, I am,

Very truly yours,

A. H. S. S. S. S.

House of Representatives U. S.

Washington, D. C.

April 19th. 1897

Hon. Wm.L.Strong

Mayor of New York City.

My Dear Sir:- I am in receipt of your kind invitation to attend the Dedication of the Tomb of U.S. Grant. I will be pleased to accept the honor you have extended me, and shall attend the services.

Yours Most Sincerely,

C. F. Dorr

M. C 3rd Dist Wm

House of Representatives United States,

Washington, D. C.

April 19. 1897

Hon. Wm L. Strong
Mayor of New York City

Sir: Your invitation to me to
attend the Grant Memorial
Services at Riverside Park.
Tuesday April 27th is accepted
with thanks. Respectfully
Martin N. Johnson



House of Representatives, U.S.
Washington.

April 19th 1897.

Hon. William L. Strong and others,
Gents;

I have the honor
to acknowledge the receipt of your
invitation to be present at Riverside
Park on the 27th day of April, inst.
upon the occasion of the formal
transfer of the Tomb of General
Grant to The City of New York
by the Grant Monument Asso-
ciations.

I thank you for the Courtesy,
and accept your invitation.
Very Respectfully,
Hansen Miller.

House of Representatives United States,
Washington, D. C.

APR. 19 1897

MUNICIPAL GRANT MONUMENT COMMITTEE,
New York.

Gentlemen: --

I have received your invitation to be present at the change of the tomb of General Grant. I accept with pleasure your kind invitation, and would be pleased to receive a seat to the grand stand.

Respectfully,

C. H. Castle

JOSEPH H. WALKER, Mass., Chairman.
Marriott Brosius, Pa. Ebenezer J. Hill, Conn.
Henry U. Johnson, Ind. Edward D. Cooke, Ill.
Henry C. Van Voorhis, Ohio. William F. Aldrich, Ala.
James T. McCleary, Minn. Nicholas N. Cox, Tenn.
Charles N. Fowler, N. J. Jesse F. Stallings, Ala.
Jacob Lefever, N. Y. James C. C. Black, Ga.
George Spalding, Mich. Francis G. Newlands, Nev.
W. A. Calderhead, Kans. John K. Hendrick, Ky.

Frank Roe Batchelder, Clerk.

Committee on Banking and Currency,

House of Representatives U. S.,

Washington, D. C., April 19, 1897

Mr. Fredk. K. Phillips, Sec'y,

Municipal Grant Monument Committee,

New York City.

My dear sir:

I shall take great pleasure in accepting the kind invitation of your committee to attend the exercises attending the transfer of the Tomb of General Grant to the City of New York, on Tuesday, April 27, 1897.

Very truly yours,



House of Representatives United States,

Washington, D. C.

April 19, 1897.

Mr. Frederick I. Phillips,

Sec'y Grant Monument Committee,

New York, N. Y.,

Dear Sir:-

I am in receipt of invitation to be present at Riverside Park, April 27, upon the occasion of the formal transfer of the tomb of General Grant to the City of New York, and am pleased to accept the same.

Yours respectfully,

Jesse Overstreet

Committee on the Merchant Marine and Fisheries,
House of Representatives U. S.

April, 19, 1897

Hon. Wm L. Strong
Mayor and Chairman

My Dear Sir

I accept with
pleasure your invitation to be
present at the ceremonies in
honor of Gen. Grant on the
27th of this month.

Yours very truly
Seward E. Payne
U.S.
Washington D.C.

Committee on Naval Affairs,

House of Representatives U. S.,

Washington, April 19, 1897.

Hon. Com. L. Strong -
Mayor. New York

My dear Sir -

I am pleased to accept
your invitation to be present at
Riverside Park on Tuesday April twenty-
seventh upon the occasion of the
formal transfer of the Tomb of General
Grant to the City of New York

Yours respectfully,

Amos H. Cummings

House of Representatives U. S.

Washington, D. C.

19th April, 1897.

Hon. William L. Strong,

Mayor of City of New York,

New York.

My dear Sir,

I am pleased to have the opportunity of being present upon the occasion of the formal transfer of the Tomb of General Grant to the City of New York, and gladly accept your invitation to be with you on Tuesday, the twenty-seventh of April.

Yours faithfully,

John J. Senty



House of Representatives, U.S.
Washington.

April 19, 1897

Hon. Wm. L. Strong

Mayor of New York

My Dear Sir:-

In compliance with the suggestion of the enclosed notice I hereby accept the invitation to the ceremony of transferring the tomb of General Grant to the City of New York and will be pleased to receive the ticket for the seat on the Grand Stand referred to therein.

Yours Respectfully,

Wm. L. Strong

House of Representatives U. S.

Washington, D. C., April 19, 1897

Hon. Wm. L. Strong
Chairman of the
Municipal Grant-
Monument Association

I have the honor
to acknowledge the receipt of invi-
tation to be present at Riverside
Park on Wednesday the 27th of April
1897. Upon the occasion of the for-
mal transfer of the Tomb of
General Grant to the City of New-
York by the Grant-Monument As-
sociation; and I accept with
great pleasure -

Very Respectfully
James A. Wacker
In C. from Va

House of Representatives U. S.

Washington, D. C.

April 19, 1897.

The Mayor of New York,
Chairman, Municipal Grant Monument Committee,
New York City.

Sir:

The invitation of your Committee to ^{be} ~~the~~ present at the
Riverside Park on Tuesday, the 27th instant, at 11 o'clock,
a.m., upon the occasion of the formal transfer of the tomb
of General Grant to the City of New York by the Grant Mon-
ument Association, has been received, and you are hereby
notified that I accept the invitation, with thanks.

Respectfully,

A. A. Davenport



House of Representatives, U.S.
Washington.

Apr. 19 / 1897.

To the Hon. Mayor of the City of
New York and other gentlemen
of Committee -

Dear Sirs:-

I have the honor of receiving your
kind invitation to attend the "Grant
Memorial ceremonies on Tuesday,
the twenty-seventh of April, 1897. - for
which I return sincere thanks.

I will take great pleasure in be-
ing present on that occasion - accom-
panied by my wife and daughter.

Very Res.

W. F. Love.

W. L.

House of Representatives U. S.

Washington, D. C.

April 19, 1897.

Hon. William L. Strong,

Mayor, New York, N.Y.

Dear Sir:-

I accept with pleasure your kind invitation for the Grant Ceremonies and shall be greatly pleased if you will send ticket for seat in Grand Stand to my New York address, 72 N Moore Street.

Yours truly,

John H. E. Schuyler

NELSON DINGLEY, Jr., Chairman.
Serenio E. Payne, Walter Evans,
John Dalzell, James A. Tawney,
Albert J. Hopkins, Joseph W. Bailey,
Charles H. Grosvenor, Benton McMillin,
Charles A. Russell, Joseph Wheeler,
Jonathan P. Dolliver, John L. McLauren,
George W. Steele, Samuel M. Robertson,
Martin N. Johnson, Claude A. Swanson.

Herbert M. Lord, Clerk.

COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS,
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

Washington, D. C.,

April 19 ,1897.

Hon. Wm. L. Strong,

Mayor,

New York.

Dear Sir:

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your invitation to be present at Riverside Park on the 27th inst. upon the occasion of the formal transfer of the tomb of General Grant to the city of New York, and accept the invitation. I beg to extend my thanks also for the courtesy shown to me, which I highly appreciate because of the many associations which are very dear to me in connection with General Grant and his memory.

Very respectfully,

Walter Evans

House of Representatives U. S.

Washington, D. C. April 19, 1897.

Hon. William L. Strong

Mayor, City of New York.

Dear Sir:

I am pleased to accept your kind invitation to be present at Riverside Park on Tuesday April twenty-seventh upon the occasion of the formal transfer of the Tomb of General Grant to the City of New York.

Yours respectfully,

C. W. Weymouth.

House of Representatives U. S.

Washington, D. C. April 19, 1897.

Honorable William L. Strong,

Mayor, New York City.

Dear Sir:

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your invitation to be present at Riverside Park on April 27th upon the occasion of the formal transfer of the Tomb of Gen. Grant to the City of New York, which I am pleased to accept.

Yours respectfully,

W. L. Knapp
Mc. Mass.

FIFTY-FOURTH CONGRESS.

WILLIAM P. HEPBURN, Iowa, Chairman.
Loren Fletcher, Minn. John B. Corlies, Mich.
James S. Sherman, N. Y. Charles G. Bennett, N. Y.
Irving P. Wanger, Pa. James F. Stewart, N. J.
William H. Doolittle, Wash. Andrew Price, La.
Thomas Settle, N. C. Josiah Patterson, Tenn.
J. Frank Aldrich, Ill. Franklin Bartlett, N. Y.
Charles F. Joy, Mo. Harry Welles Rusk, Md.
George H. Noonan, Tex. Tazewell Ellett, Va.

J. H. Tedford, Clerk.

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce,

House of Representatives U. S.

Washington, D. C., April 19, 1897

Hon. Wm. L. Strong,

New York City

My dear sir:

Your very kind invitation to a seat on the platform at Riverside Park on Tuesday, the 27th of April, for the Grant Monument celebration, is just received. I accept your invitation with thanks. I would not only be glad to have one ticket for myself but I would like to have an extra ticket for a lady friend who will accompany me. If not inconsistent with your regulations, I would be glad to have two tickets.

Very truly yours,

L. Fletcher

House of Representatives,
Washington.

April 19. 1897

Hon William L. Strong
Mayor of New York.

Dear Sir -

I accept with
pleasure your invitation to attend
the ceremonies to be held upon
the occasion of the transfer of General
Grant's tomb to the City of New York

Very truly

John D. Ayer

Washington, D. C.,

April 19th, 1897.

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

Dear Sir:-

I accept with thanks your kind invitation to be present upon the occasion of the formal transfer of the tomb of Geberal Grant to the City of New York, on the 27th inst.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "G. M. Curtis". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned below the typed text "Yours truly,".

NO 11 B STREET, N. W.
WASHINGTON, D. C.

Mr. J. W. Babcock accepts
with pleasure the kind invita-
tion of the Municipal Grant
Monument Committee to be
present on the occasion of the
formal transfer of the Tomb
of General Grant to the City
of New York, Tuesday, April
27th, 1897, at Riverside Park.

April 19th 1897.

Frederick D. Phillips,
Secretary-

House of Representatives U. S.

Washington, D. C. April 19th. 1897.

Mr. Frederick I. Phillips,

Secretary, Municipal Grant Monument Committee,

New York City.

Sir:-

I am in receipt of the invitation of the Municipal Grant Monument Committee inviting me to be present at Riverside Park on Tuesday the 27th. of April on the occasion of the formal transfer of the Tomb of General Grant to the City of New York.

I accept with great pleasure and would appreciate a ticket for a seat on the Grand Stand.

I am very respectfully

Robt. W. Davis

House of Representatives U. S.

Washington, D. C.

April , 19, 1897.

Mr. Frederick I. Phillips,
Sec. Municipal Grant Memorial Committee,
New York City.

Dear Sir:-

I hereby acknowledge the receipt of your invitation to the Grant Memorial Celebration, and it is a pleasure to me to accept the same. Please send the ticket to me at 486 Orange St., New Haven, Conn., as I leave to-morrow for my home.

Thanking you for your kind remembrance, I am,

Very respectfully,

H. D. Sherry

House of Representatives U. S.

Washington, D. C.

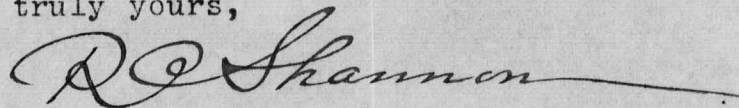
April 19, 1897.

Frederick J. Phillips, Esq.,
Secretary, Committee on Invitation,
Grant Monument Association.
New York City.

Dear Sir:-

I accept with pleasure the invitation of the
Mayor of the City of New York to attend the ceremony of
the formal transfer of the Tomb of General Grant to the
City of New York by the Grant Monument Association on the
27th instant.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "R. J. Shannon". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above the typed name and title.

M.C.,
XIIIth Congressional District of New York.

House of Representatives United States,

Washington, D. C.

April 19th., 1897.

Frederick J. Philips, Esq.,

Sect. Invitation Committee,

Grant Monument Association.

Dear Sir:-

It will give me pleasure to attend the Formal
Transfer of the Tomb of Gen'l. Grant to the City of New
York.

Yours very truly,

George T. Ayler

M.C.1st. Alabama.

Dictated.

House of Representatives,
Washington.

April 19, 1897.

Mr. Frederick I. Phillips,
New York, N.Y.

Dear Sir,--

Your kind invitation as Secretary of the
Grant Monument Association to be present at
Riverside Park upon the occasion of the for-
mal transfer of the Tomb of General Grant to
the City of New York is received and accepted.

Thanking you for your courtesy, I am

Very respectfully yours,

J. T. M. Chary.

House of Representatives U. S.

Washington, D. C., April 19th, 1897

Frederick Phillips
N.Y.

My Dear Sir: Permit me to acknowledge the receipt
of your kind invitation to be present upon the
occasion of the annual transfer of the Tomb of Genl.
Grant to the City of New York. I shall be pleased
to attend accompanied by Mrs. Brewster

Yours Truly
James F. Brewster

House of Representatives U. S.,

Washington, D. C., April 19, 1897.

Mr. Frederick J. Phillips
Secty Grant Monument Association
N.Y. City

Dear Sir: I have the honor to acknowledge receipt of your complimentary invitation to be present at Riverside Park on the occasion of the formal transfer of Tomb of Gen Grant to the City of New York & beg to say that I will gladly avail myself of the opportunity of being present. I beg that you will also send me tickets for a seat for my wife who will probably accompany me.

Very Respectfully
A. J. Fox

House of Representatives U. S.

Washington, D. C. April 19th, 1897

Frederick I. Phillips, Esq.

Secretary of the Municipal Grant Monument Committee

New York

Dear Sir;

It gives me pleasure to accept the invitation of your Committee to attend the ceremonies attending the formal transfer of the Tomb of General Grant to the City of New York on April twenty-seventh, 1897.

Yours very truly,

S A Northway

& CO DALTON MASS I

House of Representatives United States,

Washington, D. C.

April 19th 1897.

Dear Sir,

Your invitation to be present at the exercises on the 27th at hand and I will be pleased to recieve ticket for the same as you suggest. I have the honor to remain

Yours Respectfully,

C. A. Barlow.

GEO. B. McCLELLAN,
12th District, New York.

House of Representatives U. S.,

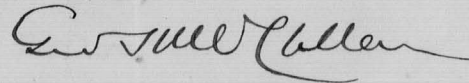
Washington, D. C.

April 19, 1897.

Dear Sir:

It will give me great pleasure to accept the very courteous invitation of the Mayor to attend the ceremonies at the Tomb of General Grant on April 27th.

Yours very truly,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Geo. B. McClellan". The signature is written in a cursive style with a long, sweeping underline.

Frederick I. Phillips, Esq.,

Secy., Municipal Grant Monument Com.,

Mayor's Office, New York City.

House of Representatives U. S.

Washington, D. C.

April 19th, 1897.

FREDERICK I. PHILLIPS Secretary
Municipal Grant Monument Committee,
NEW YORK CITY, N. Y.

Sir:-

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of an invitation from your Committee to attend the Exercises at Riverside Park on the occasion of the formal transfer of the Grant Monument to the City of New York by the Grant Monument Association, and it afford me great pleasure to accept the same.

Yours, very truly,

Walter L. Heaven

FIFTY-FOURTH CONGRESS.

E. F. Loub, Cal., Chairman.	Rowland B. Mahany, N. Y.
George W. Smith, Ill.	John C. Kyle, Miss.
John J. Gardner, N. J.	Claude A. Swanson, Va.
William S. Linton, Mich.	Henry W. Ogden, La.
Nehemiah D. Sperry, Conn.	George C. Pendleton, Tex.
Thomas Settle, N. C.	Uriel S. Hall, Mo.
George F. Huff, Pa.	Nathan O. Murphy, Ariz., (Delegate).
William Lorimer, Ill.	
Jacob H. Bromwell, Ohio.	
O. L. Miller, Kans.	Wm. S. Ballard, Clerk.

Committee on the Post Office and Post Roads,

House of Representatives U. S.,

Washington, D. C. April 19 1897.

Frederick J. Phillips, Esq.,
Secretary, Committee on Invitations,
Municipal Grant Monument Committee:

Sir:

d

herely acknowledge receipt of invitation to
the transfer of Tomb of General Grant to the
City of New York April 27 1897.

I wish you would send my ticket to
the Grand Tour to me care of "The Union
& Times", Buffalo, N. Y.

Very respectfully

Rowland B. Mahany.
R.

House of Representatives U. S.

Washington, D. C. April 19, 1897.

Mr. Frederick J. Phillips,
Mayor's Office,
New York, N. Y.

My dear Sir:

I have the honor to acknowledge receipt of your kind invitation to be present on the occasion of the formal transfer of the tomb of General Grant to the city of New York, on April 27, 1897.

I take pleasure in informing you that I accept the invitation with thanks, and shall arrange to be present on that occasion.

Very respectfully yours,

J. A. Wilson

House of Representatives U. S.

Washington, D. C.

April 19, 1897.

Mr. Frederick I. Phillips

Secretary

New York City, N. Y.

Dear Sir;

Your kind invitation to attend the formal transfer of the Tomb of General Grant to The City of New York is to hand, and will esteem it a special privilege and pleasure to accept the same.

Yours truly,

A. C. Shuford.

House of Representatives United States,
Washington, D. C.

4-19-1897.

Hon. Frederick I. Phillips,

New York City.

My dear sir:- I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of Mayor Strong's kind invitation to attend the General Grant ceremonies on the 27th, and I shall be delighted to receive a ticket for a seat on the Grand Stand.

Yours truly,

J. D. Botkin, M.C.

House of Representatives U. S.

Washington, D. C.

Apr. 19. 1897.

Mr. Frederick I. Phillips,

Secretary.

Municipal Grant Monument Committee.

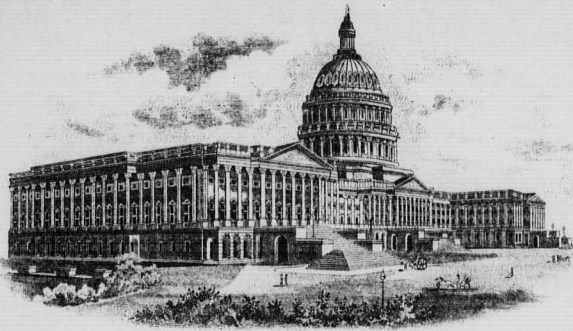
New York, N. Y.

Dear Sir:- I have the honor to acknowledge the invitation sent me for the 27th. inst.

Unless prevented by other business, I shall be pleased to be present.

yours truly,

James H. Codding



House of Representatives, U.S.
Washington.

April 19, 1897.

Hon. Frederick I. Phillips, Secretary,

Grant Monument Association,

New York City.

My dear sir:-

The Invitation to attend the the ceremonies of the formal transfer of the Tomb of General Grant to the City of New York is received for which I do most heartily thank you. If nothing unforeseen occurs I will be present. If it is possible I would be pleased to have you send an Invitation and ticket to my Private Secretary Mr. John R. Williams, Hotel Willard because, I expect him to accompany me. As already stated I accept the invitation and remain

Very truly yours,

Wm. B. Williams

JOHN J. JENKINS,
ATTORNEY,
CHIPPEWA FALLS, WIS.

House of Representatives U. S.

Washington, D. C., April 19th 1897

Hon. Wm. L. Henry Sir

I accept with
pleasure your kind
invitation to be present at
River Side Park 27th inst.

Very respectfully

Wm. J. Jenkins

M. C.

10th District of Wis.