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New Britain, Conn., May 19, 1866.  
President Smith,

Dear Sir,

As I am a graduate of Dartmouth, and was, for about a year, your son's tutor at Phillips Academy, Andover, Mass., I venture to ask of you a little favor.

I design, next September, to open a private school at South Malden, Mass., and desire greatly to announce your name among the "references" in my forthcoming circular. Will you, Sir, permit me to do so?

An early reply to this will be esteemed as a great kindness.

Most respectfully yours,

Isaac N. Carleton,  
Principal Conn. State Normal School.

J. N. Corliss

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