

[Letter Isaac N. Burritt to Elihu Burritt February 3, 1873]

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Dear Sir:

Since I saw you in this city at the Peace Convention I have kept in view your kind invitation to write to you for information as to the Burritt genealogy etc. The names of our ancestry in the Burritt line, as my brother [Loren?], obtained them, were:

William,

Stephen,

Peleg,

Peleg, 2<sup>nd</sup>,

Blackleach,

Blackleach, 2<sup>nd</sup>,

and Samuel Burritt, my father. Of course he collected some other particulars, not essential. If you can

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add something to what we have, [~~crossed out word~~] showing us where we separated from your line, and send us the crest you alluded to, we shall be much grateful. If a fuller statement of the material we have is desirable I will send it to you.

Since you were here the boy in which you took so kindly an interest has grown apace. In remembrance of your interest his younger brother, now six months old, a remarkably healthy and fine looking fellow, has been named Elihu Guy [?]~~—~~the last name because Mrs. B. is a Catholic and their custom is to use some name in the Calendar of Saints.

I have just received the January number of the Advocate of Peace, and refer to it to say that I take much interest

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in the cause to which yourself and associates are devoting so much time, and that should you ever feel disposed to address anything on the subject to the class reached by my journal, I will cheerfully publish it here. Perhaps anything which you should wish to bring to the attention of Congress or the other branches of the government could be advantageously published here. I

should think it would be an excellent thing for the Peace Society to have a meeting here during every session of congress. I am sir with great respect

Your Obt. [Obedient] Servant

I.N. Burritt