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Sept. 1867.
Platonsville N. J.

Major

Gen. O. O. Howard.

Chairman of the Building Com.
of the Cong. Chh. Washington
D. C.

Dear Sir

Enclosed find the
contribution of ^{our} Cong. Chh. & Soc.
and of the S.S. for the new
edifice which you are erecting
for the promotion of the worship
of God.

Chh & Soc — \$ 10.

Sabbath School — \$ 10.

\$ 20.

Yours truly

E. A. Buck.

Pastor.

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W. A. W. W. W.
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W. A. W. W. W.

Chairman of the Board of
the City of New York
N. Y.

Dear Sir

I enclose for the
Constitution of the City of New York
and of the State for the year
1871 which you are enclosing
for the publication of the
City.

Yours very truly

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New York Sept 1867.

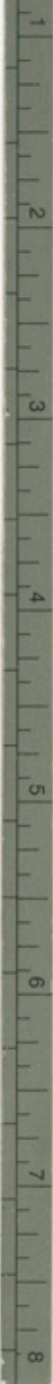
My dear Howard.

I saw by the Tribune this morning that you were in Providence R. I. I wrote to you in Washington, but as I shall not sail until Wednesday, I thought I would write you again. Will you please give me a letter of introduction to Genl Kilpatrick. I am going to Chili under quite favorable auspices. I did not go to Mexico at the time I wished for want of means. With many thanks for your kindness to me.

Yours very sincerely
C. Wendell.

P.S. Mother sends her kind regards and thanks for your kindness to me.

C. W.



Medway Mass. Sept 1. 1867

May Gen O. O. Howard
Dear Sir

I send you
Enclosed \$10.00 a Contribution
from the

Medway Village Church.
to the Building fund of the
Cong. Church at Washington
Wishing you success in
this truly Christian and
Patriotic enterprise I am

Yours very Respectfully
M. M. Fisher

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Received of Mr. J. H. [unclear]

the sum of \$10.00

for the [unclear] of [unclear]

to the [unclear] of the [unclear]
and [unclear] of the [unclear]
and [unclear] of the [unclear]
and [unclear] of the [unclear]

Witness my hand and seal
this [unclear] day of [unclear]

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Wm. Suckard 99
Cummington Sept 2 1867

My Gen O. O. Howard

Dear Sir

I send you enclosed one dollar
for the purpose of aiding towards
building your Church which
you are ~~the~~ superintending
I know it is but a mite but
the ocean is made up of drops
of water but still I feel that it
is as much as I can afford in
my old age and I hope a
blessing may rest upon it
you need not send any Receipt

I am Respectfully &c
Wm Suckard

Cummington Mass,
Sept. 2^d 1867

Packard Wm

Enclosed \$1.00 to
aid in erecting
Congl. Church in
Washington D.C.

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Exeter N. H.

Sept. 2. 1867

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Dear General

Herein enclosed you will find P.O. order for \$30, the amount contributed by the 2nd Cong. Ch. & S.S. for the erection of your temple of the Cong: faith & order, to the good of man & the glory of God, in our Capital.

Long may it endure & abundantly may it be blessed in its work of disseminating the faith and the principles of our fathers, those same principles which have been so gloriously victorious in our national struggle.

Be assured of the
sympathy of all Christians
and all patriots in your
present trying position, in
your conflict with wickedness
in high places, and especially
of the interest and cordial
appreciation of all your
old friends, of whom it
gives me great pleasure
to call myself one.

As to the final result,
the Lord reigns and not
the devil, and so am knowing
that even the wrath of man
will be made to praise
the Lord.

Yours truly

Wm. L. Dickinson Jr.

Twinton Four Corners. R.I.

Sept 2, 1867

Maj O. O. Howard

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Dear Sir.

Yours of Decr 10th was duly rec'd, but I have not seen an opportunity when I thought I could successfully present the claims of your Wh. before mine. I may do so, at some future day. Enclosed please find five dollars from my pig, which is but a tithe of what I should be glad to send you.

Truly yours in C^t-love

A. L. Whitman

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Twentysix Farm Corners A.S.
Sept. 2^d 1867

Whitman, Rev. A.S.

Encloses \$5, or to aid
in erecting 1st Cong.
Church in Wash., D.C.

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Camp 15th Infantry

Mobile, Ala, Sept. 2. 1867

Major General O. O. Howard

Washington D.C.

General,

I am in receipt of an order from Gen. Swayne detailing me for duty as Sub. Asst. Commr. Bureau R. F. 2nd A. L., Mobile, Ala. vice Post Major Geo. H. Tracey, who is absent on other duty and expects shortly to go on leave of absence.

The position is one affording a wide scope for usefulness and includes as much responsibility as any district in the State.

I desire to express to you my appreciation of the suggestions you have made in my behalf, resulting in this mark of confidence which I hope fully to justify by affording satisfaction to the Bureau.

General Shepley has informed me that he has objected to the detail on

The usual ground that Captains should
be present with their companies.

I have been two months with my
company and believe I have acquired
such knowledge of it as to feel perfectly
assured that no detriment can accrue
to the service by my leaving it for a while
in the hands of my first lieutenant
Mr. A. S. Bennett—who is regarded as
one of the best officers in the regiment.

I very much desire to retain the
detail I have received from Gen. Swayze
but if this cannot be done I shall recom-
mend Lieut. Bennett as the only officer, I
can now think of, who is a proper person
for the position, which every one knows
requires peculiar judgment and absolute
freedom from prejudice on account
of color—from which all are not exempt.

Gen. Shepard's objections will probably
go to the Adjutant General. While I hope they
may not obtain I shall, in any event, feel
ever grateful for your confidence.

Very respectfully

Yours &c. &c.
James H. Gillette
Capt 15th Regt

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Mass 100
North Amherst Sept 3rd 1867

Gen. Howard

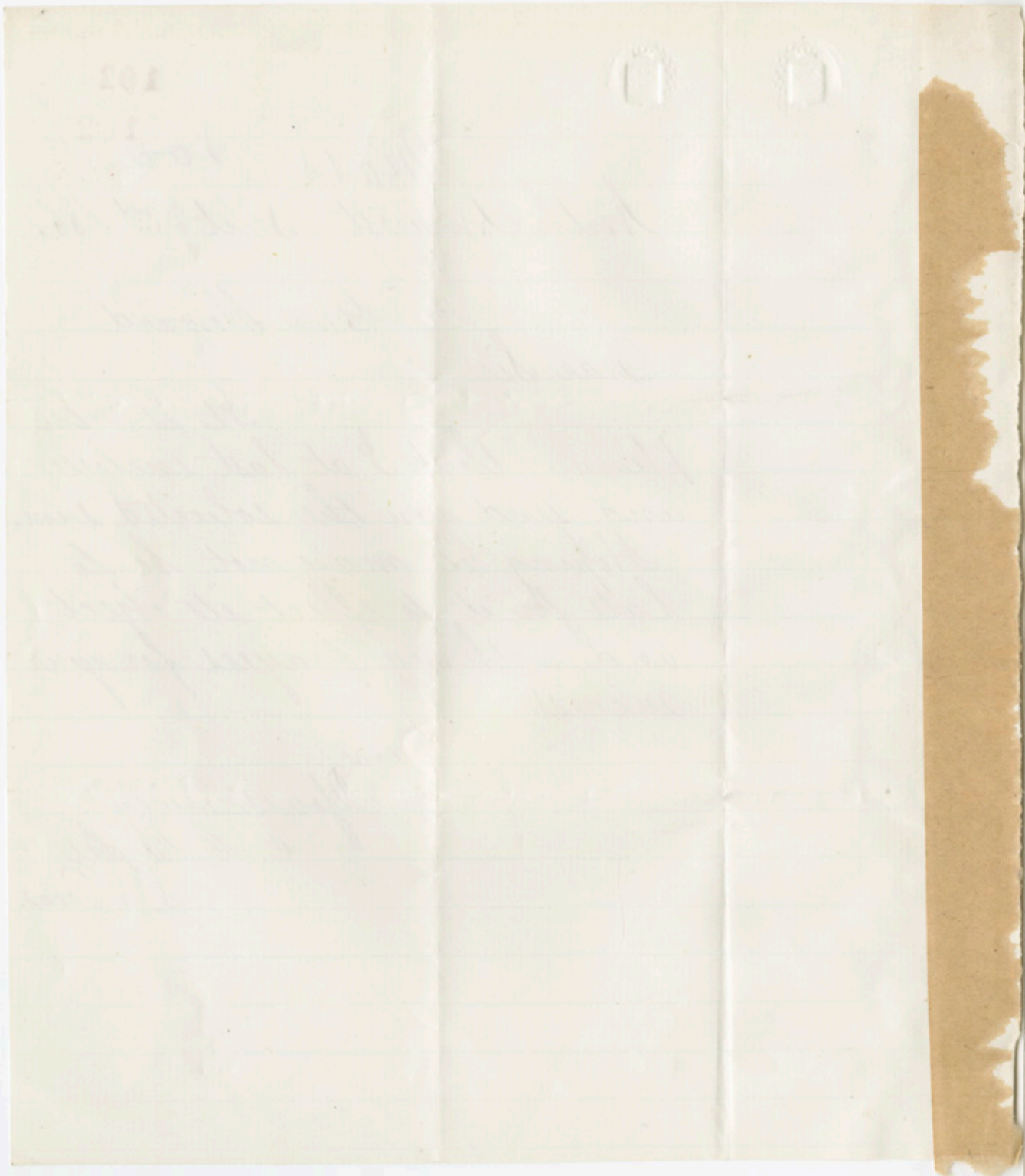
Dear Sir

It is with
pleasure that I at last enclose
and send you the solicited sum.

Hoping it may not be too
late for it to effect its object
and with my prayers for your
success

I am

Yours Truly
E. C. Bowles
S. S. Treas.



Brunswick, Sept. 3, '67
Gen O. C. Howard, 101¹⁰³
Dear General,

I enclose a very
small but very cordial con-
tribution for the new Cong. Ch.
in Washington of 20⁰⁰ from
our Ch & Sabbath School.

Praying for the prosperity
of the enterprise & for God's
blessing upon yourself per-
sonally,

Yours truly,

Geo. E. Adams.

Wilmington, Sept. 3, 67

Rev. C. W. Johnson,
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Dear General,

I enclose a copy

of the report of the

Commissioner of the

in the year of 1866

and the same is

being for the purpose

of the same as for the

of the same as for the

Very truly,

Yours truly,

Wm. E. Johnson

Worcester, Mass. C. V. P.
Sept 3rd 1861

General.

I am now visiting the
old homestead where I was born. I am
very much interested in the War
I feel anxious to see the things which
I have long desired to be engaged. I trust
this my greatest desire may be gratified. For
I am indebted for the paper I now contain
and shall always feel under the most profound
obligations for the assistance rendered me.
Accept therefore in brief expressed by me this
day to your petition. and in this I am
for the favor shown to me in this 20th inst.
position I trust the day is not far distant
when I may reward your munificence more fully.

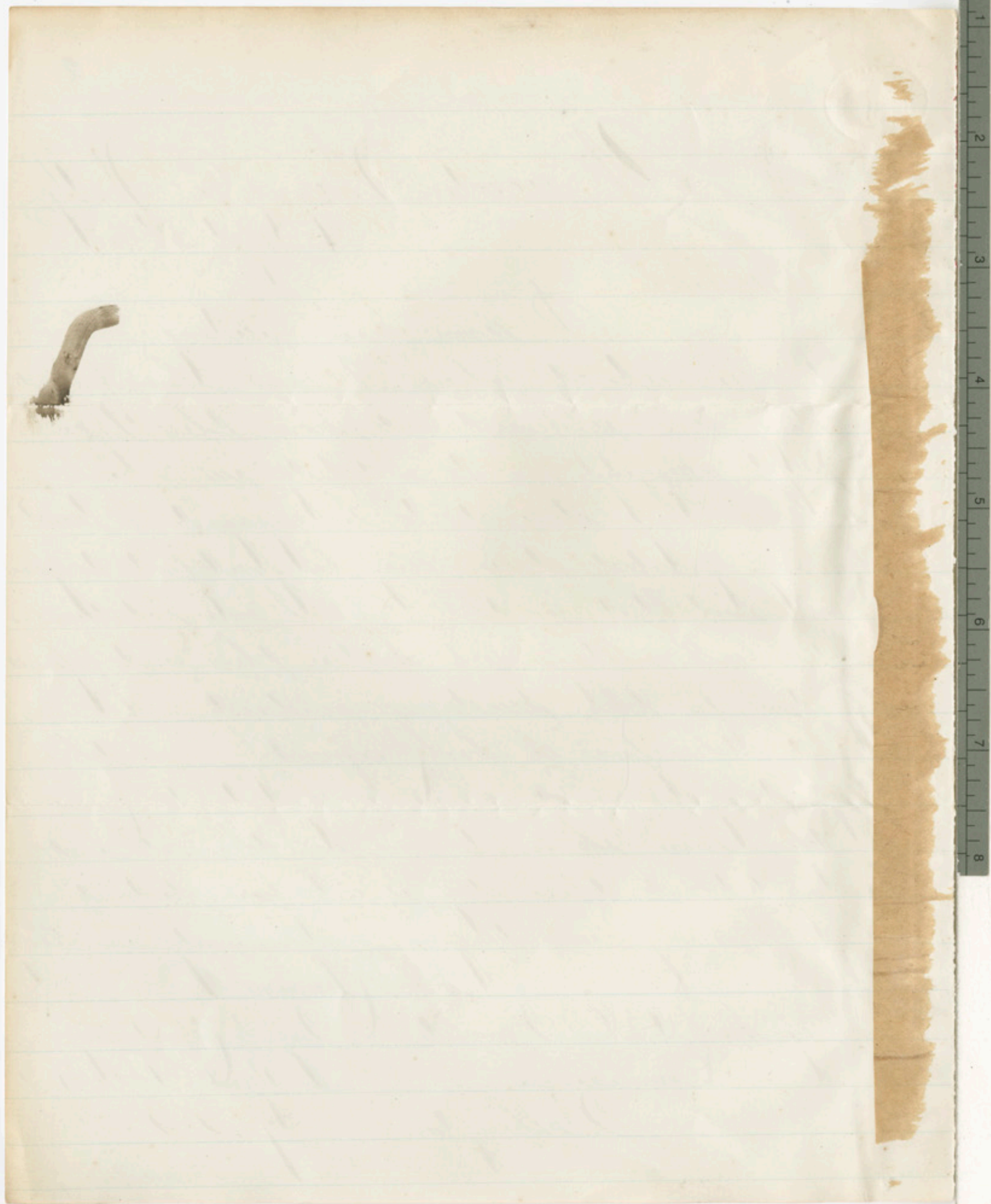
I remain

Very truly
Commissioner

Washington

D. C.

Very Respectfully
Yours
J. D. Bullis
Worcester, Mass.



111 Hill St

Glasgow

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Sept. 3^d/67

My Dear General Howard

The bearer Mr David
Macrae, is a student of
Divinity in the United
Presbyterian Church, & the
author of a very popular
Temperance Prize Tale.
He was also for some time
Sub. Editor of our leading
Glasgow Newspaper, & is
still connected with the
Press. He has interested

himself & sought to inter-
pose in the Freedmen,
by anxious to gain information
about them. Hence I have
furnished the liberty of
you this note, a liberty
hope you will excuse as
it is in the interest of a
to which you are
devoted. Mr Macrae
impressions will probab-
ly be given to the public
Some form or other &
& sincerely read.

My wife & I unite
sending you our kindest

Christian regards. We feel
much indebted to you
for the attentions you
showed us when in
Washington, & we came
home with the most favourable
impression of America &
with a warm interest in
the Cause of the Freedmen.
May God bless you in your
efforts to benefit them.

I remain

Yours very sincerely
James Wells

Major General Howard

Glasgow Scotland
Sept. 3rd 1817

Wells, James

Introduces to Genl. Howard
Mr. David Macrae of
Scotland.

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Lewis Cass Co Iowa
Sept 30. 1867.

Wm. Guil O O Howard.

My Dear Sir.

I am in receipt of a letter from Daniels
and Glenwood saying that you wish a
certificate from me in regard to the forage
for your horses. and most Respectfully
submit the following list.

to wit

Genl. O O Howard	2	Horses
Ordery	1	do
Sam	1	do
Wm Cook	1	do

two of these Horses are your own. and the
others are govt. Horses, but are used for
your benefit. Hoping this may prove satisfactory
I remain your most Oth. Servt.

John A. Mills

P.S.

I am prospering nicely. we have a nice little
daughter. eight months old

Mills

Scurs, Cass Co. Iowa,
Sept. 3rd 1867

Mills, D. A.

Enclosed statement
with regard to forage issued
to Genl. Howard's horses

Wm. G. Howard
Petitioner of Daniel & Sherman

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Washington, D. C.

Sept 3 1887

Maj. Gen. O. O. Howard —

Dear Sir —

I have prepared several statements in reply to the communication in the Christian Press, but it is impossible for me to get any of them into a shape in which they will not, as I fear, do more harm than good. I have just received the number for the present week, which I send you, and in which is another article, which so changes the ground of complaint as set forth in the first communication, and so mixes it up with other matters of which I can not speak, that I am satisfied that any brief reply by myself, such as the editor would be willing to publish, would

be interpreted as gratuitous
officiousness and intermeddling
in other people's matters, and
would result in nothing bene-
ficial.

I hope to see the editor
within a day or two and I
will endeavor to ^{induce him to} get the mat-
ter right with his readers
editorially.

I am preparing a somewhat
full statement of the pains
shown by the Bureau to the
work of the Nat. Sher. Inst.
and of the measures that more
could not be done, which
when published, will tend
to counteract the effect of any
such articles as that signed "B."

As I have occasion to drop
you this line, allow me again
to say - that arrangements
exist for fully occupying the
building here with the work
in charge.

I hope no proposition will

be entertained to turn out this work and leave it without provision, especially in response to a few Boston men and one or two here, who have no possible use for the building, "save the beholding of it with their eyes", and that they may be able to say that it is theirs.

As it is now used, its work is an honor and a credit to the Bureau. The Bureau can point to it as something that is real, that is practical, that is present.

The work in charge is being performed in a manner that is perfectly satisfactory to the earnest workers among the influential Baptists in Washington, and in a manner that will be heartily approved by the denomination at large in other parts of the country, and by many other friends of the freedmen.

Please leave us in the
quiet possession of the prem-
ises for the prosecution of this
great and good work.

Yours with great respect

E. Turner

P.S. I am not well. I
must leave rest for a season.
If you see any way in which
I can render you a service
in the matter at present referred
to above, please drop me a
line directed to New York.
I will very cheerfully do what
I can effectually, to set ar-
right matters which need correct-
ing with the public.

E. T.

New York, Sept 3rd. 1867

Messrs. PUTNAM & SON announce that in the middle of December next, they will publish, to be continued monthly. Number One of

"PUTNAM'S MAGAZINE,"

FOR JANUARY, 1868.

The plan of this work, with various new features of its own, will generally resemble that of "Putnam's Monthly," published a few years since—a Magazine which included among its contributors the best authors of the country, and was warmly welcomed by the public.

Putnam's Magazine, starting with a new era in the history of the country, will keep pace with the enlarged interests of the period. It will aim at a broad and generous Nationality, and an enlightened pursuit of all topics, whether of Politics, Art, Science or Literature; while no effort will be spared to present in its pages, in every variety, the productions of the most accomplished authors of the day. Further particulars will be announced hereafter.

Personal.

All communications on the subject of the Magazine to be addressed to the publishers.

Dear sir, May we ask your kind suggestions in regard to the anticipated notice, and may we have the satisfaction of quoting your name as one of our probable contributors? Will you suggest any topics you may feel interested in discussing? We propose to make a Magazine of the highest tone and character, equal at least to our former one, and improved as far as may be practicable.

Very respectfully yours

G. P. Putnam & Son

Gen. O. O. Howard.

Yours in

Putnam, W. H. and son

State that they intend
starting about the middle
of December next, to be
continued monthly.

No one of Putnam's
Magazine, and desire
to quote Gen. Howard's
name as one of its
probable contributors

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