

Boston July 27th 1866

Gen O. O. Howard

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Dear Sir:

I am in receipt of your very kind
autograph note and cards for which I thank you sincerely, Your
promise of a letter of Gen Reynolds is extremely kind and I
assure you appreciated by me. I am greatly pleased indeed with
the Gettysburg article. In fact anything pertaining to the late conflict
I read with avidity - for though while it was raging I was far
too young to take part in it, I was a great war boy and there
in spirit - throughout. I intend no flattery and I hope you will
pardon the suggestion but why do you not Sir, write a record like
Gen Sherman's Memoirs, I am sure they would be a great deal
more interesting. Hoping to hear from you again at your
convenience I am

Yours with great respect and regards

Faithfully, Yours.

E. H. Stickland Jr

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Washington
July 27 '76

Dear General

I had a talk
with Ogn yesterday. His
view of your case is that
the new Solicitor of the
Treasury be requested to
direct the District Attorney
to agree with your Counsel
as to the facts, & submit
to the U. S. District Court
the simple question of
law—as to responsibility.

To reopen the case for
examination of the accounts,
he thinks would take

much more time & labor.

Dyn will see Talbot
the new Solicitor as soon
as he is confined & gets
settled in his office.

My family are well after
the severe weather of the
last month - the children
now in Wis. Congress

still in session - the Senate
bury with Belknappe. The
trial ended yesterday & the
voting will begin today.

With regards to all
your household personal
& official,

Yours Truly
C. Whitney

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Chicago, July 27, 1876

Gen. C. C. Howard
Portland

Oregon

Dear Brother

On my return from
taking my family last, and
from a little business sojourn
with Rowland in N. York City
I found your good report of
the Oregon Association. I
am sorry I had to cut it-
down, but as it is you see it
takes three fourths of a page
and in this hot weather, we
must not give our readers
too long reports of anything,
especially of anything that
the majority of them would
not take an interest in.

you know it is only the people
of the particular state - that are
generally interested in the reports
of the State Association.

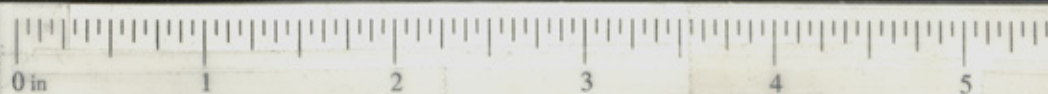
I was much interested in a
letter from Grace to Mother
which I saw when I was East,
and hope we will have a visit
from her, at our house, in Septem-
ber.

Kitty will be home
probably before the middle of
September - perhaps the first
week.

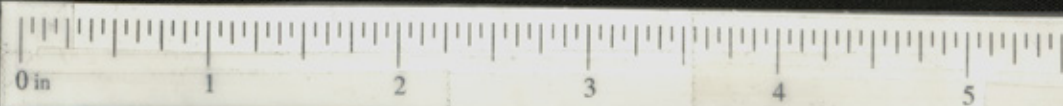
I do not know that
you are fully aware how long
our little Bird has been sick,
and how anxious we have been
on his account.

He was worse
while we were ~~out~~ at Rowlands
but he is gaining rapidly now,
down on Penobscot Bay, where
all my family are with Mr.
and Mrs. Foster. I am
in hopes he will be nearly re-
stored in strength - by the time
they return.

I see, evidently, that you are

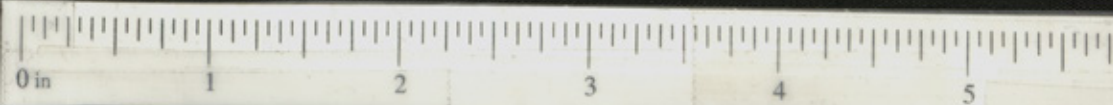


joyed the meeting of the Association.
 I like the resolutions as to the Chinese as you
 will notice by my editorial
 reference to them. I suppose
 it is too late to send you ^{many}
 extra copies, but if you could
 use them to our advantage
 we will send some. The same
 paper has an article taken from
 the Commonwealth of Topeka Kan-
 sas, in regard to your Gettys-
 burg paper in the Atlantic
Monthly. I have heard
 other commendations of that
 paper, and, of course, was
 exceedingly interested in it my-
 self. For my own part I
 should say the Chattanooga pa-
 per is superior as a literary pro-
 duction, in some respects, but
 I think both well written and
 that they will do you credit in
 the a literary point of view.



They are also exceedingly valuable as reliable contributions to history. I wish you would go on and write up as completely and fully as you possibly can, all your recollections of battles and campaigns etc. of the war, also about the Christian Commission, and Sanitary Commission, and of everything relating to the war, in which you in any way participated. You could hardly spend your time to better advantage. It seems to me, no matter whether they are published now or not, they will sometime or other be in great demand.

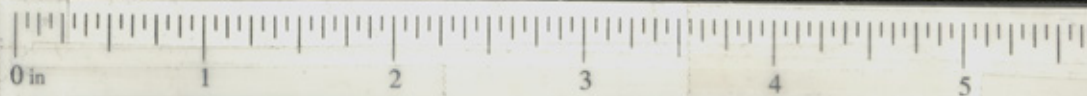
Please tell me the state of your law suit. I hope that Mr. Morrill's going into the Treasury ^{as he} has as he is your ^{personal} friend, I judge, will result in ending the foolish farce of



a trial, and leave you to bet-
ter business than a defence in
law. I have fair hopes
that the Republican party, under
leadership of Hayes and Wheeler,
will return to power in Congress,
if so, I trust - that some
measure of relief to you may
be put through.

If I
were not your brother, and
had not been restrained by
this fact hitherto, I should
certainly have moved in the
matter long ago. Both Hayes
and Wheeler are in sympathy
with your old freedmen's work
more than any officials we
have had since the war, I
think. I trust God is
in all this matter, and that
the conscience of the nation is
asserting itself.

Give my love to Lizzie, Guy
and Grace, Mary, Harry, Little



Bessie and all.
Slade when you write, Give him
my best Brotherly regards.

Affectionately Yours.
Ed Howard
per G.

P.S. I must tell you that we are
feeling very poor. Our advertising has
come down almost to nothing, and
our receipts cannot much longer pay
the expenses — indeed we do not now
pay anything for contributed matter.

We are not accustomed to pay for
the reports of the Associations. I
hope you will not be disappointed in
regard to this.

I spent last night with Mr. and
Mrs. Cole of Ravenswood by invitation.
Mr. Cole is as much as ever inter-
ested in the Howard University. He
is much respected in the Church, and
in the community at Ravenswood.
He has been their Engineer in putting in
very successfully the Holly Water Works,
bringing the water from Lake Michigan.

Yours Ed H.

received
under
out

GEO. W. DYER,
Attorney and Counsellor at Law,

519 Seventh Street,

Lock Box 100.

Washington, D. C., July 28 1876

Genl O. O. Howard.

Portland Oregon.

Dear General. I have
of your letter of the 14th. I approve of your coming
to Washington, and advise you to come as soon
as you can get leave. Mr Morrill is now finally
in his seat, the Cabinet are all friends of the
President, and inclined to act as he wishes.
Genl Sherman is strong in position. George F.
Talbot the new Solicitor who enters upon
his duties to day is a Maine man, and a
friend of ours, and Sewal is in a pretty
high position. The chances were never
better for a favorable adjustment of things.
Congress will adjourn by the 10th prox.

Yours truly
Geo. W. Dyer,

Attorney and Counsellor at Law

Lock Box 100

320 Seventh Street

Washington, D. C. July 22, 1917

Dear Sir:

Portland, Oregon

Dear Sir:

I am in receipt of your letter of the 19th inst.

in which you state that you are desirous of securing a

copy of the report of the Commission on the Administration of

Justice for the year 1916. I am sorry to hear that the

report is not yet available. I will endeavor to secure a

copy for you as soon as it is available. I will also

send you a copy of the report of the Commission on the

Administration of Justice for the year 1915. I am

very sorry that the report for 1916 is not yet available.

I am, Sir, very respectfully,
Yours,
[Signature]

July 28, 1876

Wm H. Page 1876

My dear General

I think I wrote to
you recently of your letter.
that I saw Gen Sherman
about it & he saw Secy
Taft & Atty Gen Brewster.

Both of whom were well
disposed in the matter.
Atty Gen Brewster I think
said he knew nothing
about it.

Since then there has been
a change of the act
a new Secretary is in the
line & Mr. Taft is the
Secretary & Gen Taft is the
Attorney Gen. I have just
written a note to call
Sherman's attention to

the propriety of the thing is
then new gentlemen
the subject.

He agrees with me that
your county should not
allow its officers or agents
to carry the same
you who have so well
served it.

Yours faithfully
Wm. W. W.

J. O. Newland
Portland
Oregon

Let Bulsholder call to
see me in the morning
God bless you

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Dear General
McClellan
Washington
Aug 26

Headquarters Army of the United States,

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Washington, D. C. Aug 28 1846

Dear General.

I had a letter from General Howard on the 17th July last yesterday. which I gave the Secretary and asked him to speak to the Sec of the Treasury about it with a view to stop the issue.

Yrs

W. L. Sherman

General.

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Judge Advocate's Office,

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DEPARTMENT OF THE COLUMBIA.

To General Howard. U.S.A.

Portland, Oregon, July 28th 1876

Dear General:

Mr. Upton (Judge) has just been in the office.

Mr. Mallory was going to call up your case this week, but gave away on account of engagements made by the Judge. But Mr. Mallory has fixed on the 16th ~~proy~~ for your case. He says he cannot put it off any longer or he will be accused of dereliction of duty. The Judge wants you to communicate with Washington at once. If they are going to have an "agreed case", he wants you to have Mallory instructed from Washington to stop proceedings. Mallory is determined to call up the case on the 16th of Aug. so what you do must be done quickly. This is the gist. So you will know what to do as well as if I wrote volumes.

Yours

Seaden.

American Tract Society,

PACIFIC AGENCY.

Rev. Frederick E. Shearer, District Secretary,

757 Market Street.

San Francisco, July 29 1876

Mrs. O. O. Howard.

Dear Madam,

Your
subscription to the
Illustrated Christian Weekly
is now due from July 1875
to July 1877. Please remit
us at once five dollars,
either by registered letter,
money order, or by Wells
Fargo & Co prepaid,
and oblige,

Yours Truly
F. E. Shearer

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PACIFIC AGENCY

707 Market Street

Rev. Frederick E. Johnson, General Secretary

San Francisco July 22 1872

Mrs. O. C. Howard.

Dear Madam,

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 S. J. J. J.

subscribed to the
 illustrated Christian
 is now due from July 1872
 to July 1873. Please
 us at once five dollars.
 either by registered letter
 money order, or by Wells
 Fargo & Co. preferred.
 and oblige,

Yours truly
 J. C. Johnson

OFFICE OF THE ATLANTIC MONTHLY AND EVERY SATURDAY.

Riverside Press, Cambridge, Mass.

July 31 1876

Mr Geo O O Leonard
Portland Oregon.

For your contribution, entitled

Chattanooga
in the August ATLANTIC, we inclose our check
for \$ 200. = , and remain,

Very truly yours,

H. O. HOUGHTON & CO.

Per W. S. S.

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OFFICE OF THE ATLANTIC MONTHLY AND EVERY SATURDAY

For your contribution, entitled
July 31 1872

Wm O. Jones

Botanist Oregon

For your contribution, entitled

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Wm O. Jones

in the August ATLANTIC we include our share

for 250. and remain

Very truly yours,

W. O. HENNINGSON & CO.

Pa 250

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Post Office Department.

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Washington, D.C. JULY 31ST, 1876. 18

MY DEAR SIR:

YOUR VERY KIND LETTER OF CONGRATULATION OF THE 13TH INSTANT, REACHED ME SOME DAYS AGO, BUT IN THE TREMENDOUS PRESSURE OF BUSINESS I HAVE BEEN UNABLE TO REPLY UNTIL TODAY. I AM VERY GRATEFUL TO MY FRIENDS FOR THEIR VERY HEARTY EXPRESSIONS OF GOOD WILL, AND FOR THE VERY FLATTERING ASSURANCES OF CONFIDENCE WHICH HAVE POURED IN UPON ME, ALL OF WHICH I SHALL ENDEAVOR TO DESERVE.

WITH MANY THANKS FOR YOUR COURTESY, I AM

VERY TRULY,

YOURS,

L. A. N. Lyne

GENERAL C. C. HOWARD,

PORTLAND, OREGON.

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Washington, D.C.

July 27, 1898

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YOURS

W. C. C. HARRIS

PORTLAND, OREGON

W. C. C. Harris

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Wadsworth North District, 258
Register of Deeds Office July 31-76
Lowell.

Dear Genl

Having taken so much pleasure in reading
your acct of the Battle of Gettysburg & Chattanooga
both of which I had the honor to be in, and thinking
that perhaps you might soon give us Atlanta
I take the liberty to give you an item of fact to
use or not, or in any way, or any part, that you
may think best.

On the morning of Sept 2nd 1864, the First
Second & Third Divisions of the 20th AC were
ordered to send each a detachment to March
at 6 O'Clock and go as near Atlanta as possible.
On acct of the Battle of Jonesboro the Rebs were
forced to Evacuate Atlanta, consequently they destroyed
their ammunition trains, the bursting of shells sounded
like Canonading in the distance consequently the
troops halted outside of the City until the cause
of the supposed Battle could be ascertained. Our
Command was under Col John Coburn from
Ind. Capt Scott and myself volunteered
with a few Cavalry to inspect the works
and soon found them deserted. we at once
notified Col Coburn, and he at once Advanced
Meeting the Mayor and Council who surrendered

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to the Atlanta, consequently they destroyed
the building of the building
consequently in the distance consequently the
battered bricks of the city until the corner
unfused. It could be ascertained, but
and was under the paper between from
Sept 2nd and 1864, 1864
a few (including the first)
from the first then directed, we at once
it for the first, and he at once observed
in the morning and (consequently the first)

in the morning and evening the lamentation
for Deborah, and he at once observed
how far from their destined, use at once
a poor country to improve the streets,
left to rot and mould, notwithstanding
that was under his father's eye from
superior balls could be ascertained, but
collected outside of the city until the same
arriving in the distance consequently the
evening train, the painting of the landscape
to the whole attention, consequently they destroyed
out of the battle of Jorobah the men were
to and go as near Atlanta as possible

the City, we dashed ahead but were
fired upon by drunken stragling Rebel (soldiers)
in the City, our Infantry skimming, soon
silenced them and we captured fifty of them,
and at once put a demand upon the City to run up
a flag to run up a flag to run up
but he hadn't one in his Command, fearing
the White Star Division might come in even
last and run up a flag and claim the honor
we called on the Mayor requesting a humbly
in writing, which the following is a true
Copy.

Atlanta Ga. Sept 2nd 1864

Genl Ward Com 3rd Div. 20th A.C.

Sir The fortunes of War has placed
Atlanta in your hands. as Mayor of the
City I ask protection for Non Combatants and
private property.

James M Calhoun
Mayor of Atlanta,

Wm Scott Capt & A.A. I.C.
J. Thompson Sgt A.A. I.C.

The original copy Genl Ward kept.
I have the Mayor's Oughtograph in my pocket
Album written at the time.
we then assisted Genl Knapp of the 1st
Hav Div. ~~to~~ run up a flag on the Engine
House.

I have been register of deeds of this
dist for the past three years. My
second term if fortunate enough to get
elected will commence with the year
1877. Election this fall. My wife is with
me in the Office a portion of the time.
She sends her kind regards. She well recollects
taking dinner with you in Camp at Stafford,
and would be pleased to return the compliment
at Lowell.

With our wishes for your
future health, prosperity and happiness
we subscribe ourselves yours
truly

J. Thompson

Oct 33rd Mass

The original copy sent Ward
has the original photographs in the book.
I have written at the time,
then inserted the copies of the
same in the album.

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for the past three years, and
ever since I fortunate enough to get
into the Government with the year,
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Love,

With our wishes for your
future health, prosperity and happiness
we subscribe ourselves yours

Wm. H. Thompson

cannot possibly have out pecuniaries unless to
himself change
as we are
hope
that they
will
just
every
year
make
no
debts
have
a good
little
church.
Love to all
Edw. K. K. K.

R. B. HOWARD,
Resident Editor.

Eastern Office of THE ADVANCE

No. 48 Bible House,

New York,

July 31

1876

Dear Mother

I am asking my
views about the sale of your
Story &c. now due & receive
& ought to have been answered
before. I have no idea whether
such a book as you are writing
would sell or not. I never
see Lyman Abbott & know
nothing of his requirements
for a Christian Week Story. I
am glad to see favorable
notices of your Army Reminiscences
in the papers. These
will introduce your name
& publisher & readers as a
writer. which is quite
distinct thing from a
Philanthropist. a Soldier
or a Lecturer. as you need

As to reminiscences
of my own life, I can conceive
of no ones taking any interest
in them except my children.
The incidents are tame & much
owe any readability to the
style of the writer.

I met Ella first at her Aunt
Mrs. Shotts in Ipsham. I was
attracted to her by a little act
of motherlike kindness when two
little sisters. I visited the
family at their beautiful
home on Merry meeting way
& was impressed with the
goodness of the family. Our
engagement came along
slowly & I did not "ask
 Papa" till about the time
I graduated (1856). He was
cordial and thereafter I
was a member of the family
till 1860. When Ella & I
began a family of our own.

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R. B. HOWARD,
Resident Editor.

Eastern Office of THE ADVANCE,

No. 47 Bible House,

New York, 187

We hope to see Grace when
she comes East in Sept.
Mother expects to pay her
first installment at Vassar
& I have the money on
hand for that purpose.
The Auburn Savings Bank
makes no dividend & Mother's
income falls a little there.
Mother went from Leeds to
Dexter Me. last Thurs. No
plan has been fixed upon
but we hope she will spend
the winter with us at E. Orange.
We live not 40 rods from
the Newark line, in a
large old fashioned ⁵⁰ frame
on a street corner opposite
our little Stone Church.

(Received from Mrs. 31-7)

It was a hot dusty place
till the rains came. The horse
cars pass the door. We have
a large yard with plenty
of pines - a garden & other
fruit. Helen's husband & baby
are at Helen's father's in
Farmington - have been
gone three weeks today &
will remain till School
begins Aug 25. I will
go for her then. Otis is at
Fopsham with his Grandmother
father. David at Leeds at
Laura's. Horace starts for
Cal. in Aug. I occupy a
study bedroom in my
house - take my meals
near by & come to Newport
Every day. Advance is having
a very hard time for money.
No advertisements or subscrip-
tions coming in. Charles keeps
up pretty good courage but
needs our sympathies & prayers. He

Bound Brook N.J.

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Genl O Howard
Portland

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July 31st 1876

Dear Sir

Would you be kind enough to give me your opinion of the Rev James D Eaton. Am informed you are a member of the church he was formerly pastor of in Portland.

He has preached for us twice and we like him very well. Our Society is now & rather small. Is Mr Eaton the man to build us up spiritually and in numbers as well, Congregationalism is now in this part of New Jersey and is looked upon rather as an invader. Is he the man to take command and lead us successfully. Was his pastorate with you entirely satisfactory.

Whatever information you see fit to give will be considered confidential

Yours Truly

R H Frayze

