

McDowell, R.E.

San Francisco, Cal  
Dec 1880.

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Adgrs. Mil. Div. Pacific & Dept. Cal.,  
PRESIDIO OF SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.,

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My dear General.

In haste I write  
taking the opportunity of Mr  
Blair's going over to Oakland  
to night, to ask you to telegraph  
Mrs. Howard for us, if possible  
before she starts, to come  
with the family & stay with  
us whilst she is here. When  
Mamma came home yesterday  
she would not hear of  
Mrs. Howard's going anywhere  
else - & bid me ask you  
very warmly to stay here  
the time you have to stop  
over

It's being New Year's day  
etc - I cannot find the  
proper paper ~~to~~ & apologize  
therefore for using the  
Government sheet - Trusting  
it shall see you all next  
week, believe me to be

Yours sincerely

Helen E. McDowell



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**THE WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH COMPANY.**

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175 B NORVIN GREEN, President.

Dated

*Vancouver Dec 2 188*

*Barracks W.T. 130 Pm 4<sup>th</sup>*  
Received at Cor. 15th and "F" Streets, Washington, D. C.

To Gen O. O. Howard

War. Dept WDC

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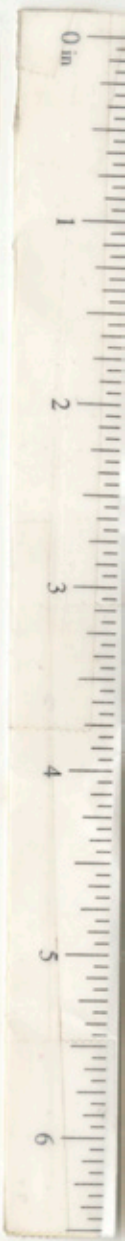
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Washington D.C.  
Dec. 6, 1880.

To the President

Sir:

Should a vacancy occur in the office of Judge Advocate General, as an officer of the Army, I feel a deep interest in the succession as long as the Department shall continue, and I do not know of one better fitted to fill the place, nor one who could be selected more generally acceptable to the officers of my acquaintance, than Col. Thomas F. Barr.

The Colonel has been diligent and painstaking in the performance of his duties as a Judge Advocate these many



years and his moral character is above  
reproach: So that I cheerfully unite  
with his host of appreciative friends in  
recommending him.

Very respectfully yours,  
(signed) O. O. Howard,  
Maj. Gen. U.S.A.



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Washington D.C.,  
Monday, 6<sup>th</sup> Dec. '80

Gen. Howard

Dear Sir,

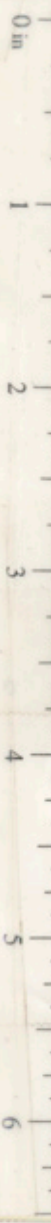
If it is not troubling  
you too much, I would like to ask if you  
could be influential in procuring me a  
clerkship in the Indian Bureau, or other  
Dept under Gov't,?

I have had much  
experience in office work, and in writing  
of all kinds, and feel very confident I  
could give satisfaction in such capacity.

Respectfully

Miss Louise J. Hopkins,

Should you reply, direct to "City" only,



Miss Anne's Book

Dec. 4. 1880

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TRADE MARK.



OFFICE OF

NATHAN MILLER  
MANUFACTURER OF

LADIES & CHILDREN'S UNDERWEAR, &C.

325 Canal Street,

New York, December 6<sup>th</sup> 1880

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Gen. O. O. Howard Commanding Dept.  
of the Columbia  
Seafar

As I am keeping a  
collection of the Autographs of distinguis-  
ed men of America, I should feel hon-  
ored by receiving yours,

Enclosed please find envelope ad-  
dressed to my destination

Very Respy

Yours obly  
Alfred W. Mearns

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TRADE MARK



Nathan Miller

1881-1882

MANUFACTURER

N.Y.

LADIES & CHILDREN'S UNDERWEAR, &c.

325 Canal Street,

New York, December 13, 1880

Rev. D. C. Howard

of the  
Episcopal  
Church

Dear Sir,  
I have the pleasure of  
acknowledging the receipt  
of your letter of the 11th  
inst.

and in reply to inform  
you that the same has  
been forwarded to the  
proper authorities.

Very respectfully,  
Nathan Miller



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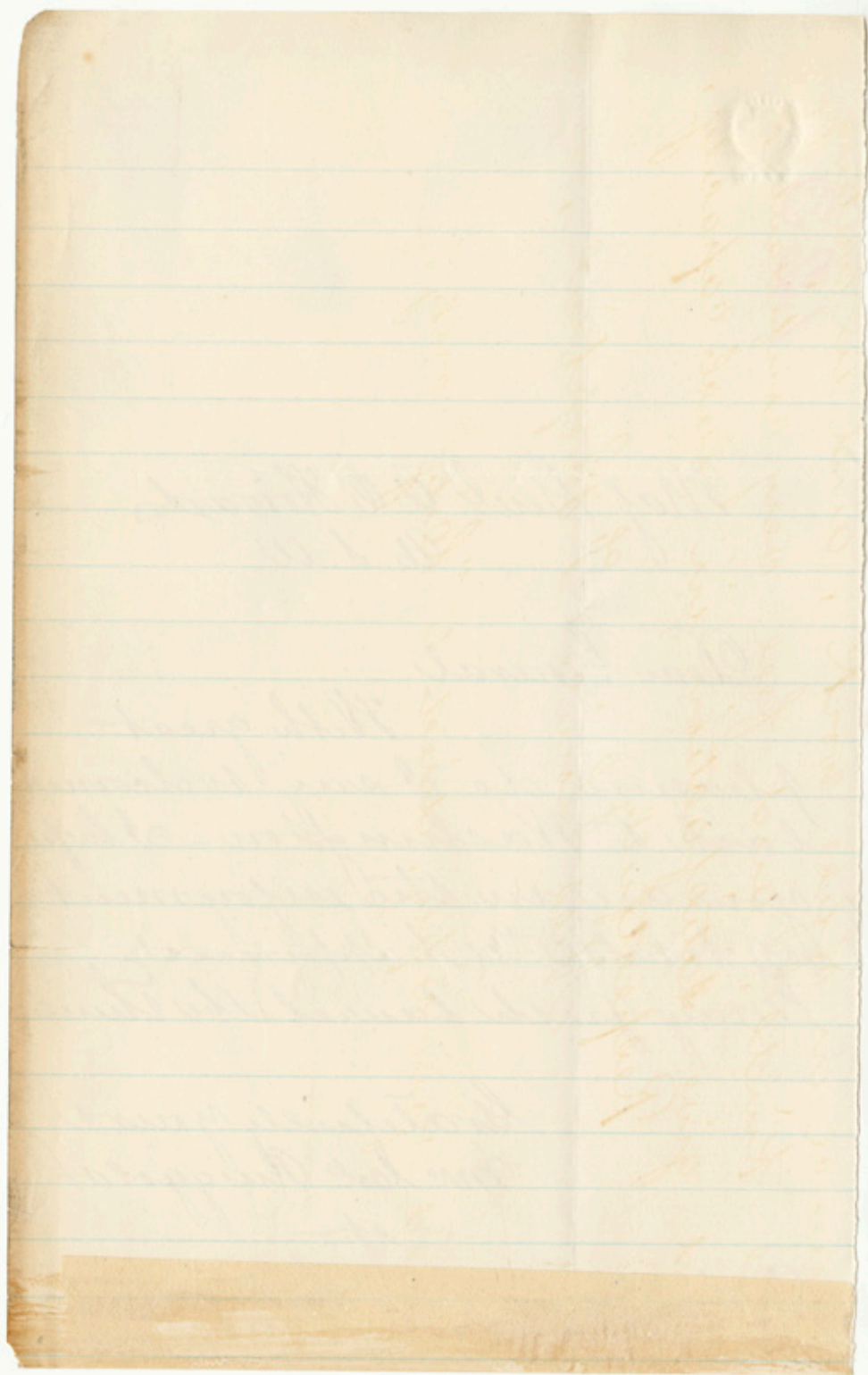
May Genl. A. C. Howard  
U. S. A.

Dear General,

With great  
pleasure do I say welcome  
back to Washington - I hope  
you are in the enjoyment  
of health & happiness -  
May fresh laurels be thine.

Gratefully yours  
Mr. Col. Ruggold  
of  
S. C.

Dec 6<sup>th</sup> 1880.





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NORVEX GREEN, President.

Dated *Languever Barre Dec 7* 188*9*

Received at Cor. 15th and "F" Streets, Washington, D. C.

To *Gen O. O. Howard*

READ THE NOTICE AT THE TOP.

*Following are sums  
required as costs  
this department repairs  
+ new constructions  
to make complete  
four Company post  
Van Corcor Barrocks forty  
one thousand +  
twenty five dollars  
Dept Head quarters fifteen  
thousand six hundred*

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THE WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH COMPANY

RECEIVED AT THE OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF THE INTERIOR  
WASHINGTON, D. C. JANUARY 10 1882

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Wm. O. D. Howard  
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Following are the  
names of the

This department refers

to the  
County of  
Van Horn  
over there and

County of  
left this quarter  
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NORTH GREEN, President.

Dated

Dec 7 1889

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To

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READ THE NOTICE AT THE TOP.

+ forty six  
sheds. fort Klamath  
one New Set  
Company quarters, six  
thousand six hundred  
+ fifty five,  
New woodsheds  
one hundred +  
fifty five. Fort  
Ranby New bath  
rooms three hundred  
+ seventy four,  
New wood sheds

1897

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*[Faint handwritten text at the bottom of the page]*

Stall.

Box New York

Copy of quarterly report

Thousand Six Hundred

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Rev. Geo. H. ...



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3. aot  
One thousand &  
twenty four. Fort  
Walla Walla five  
New Cavalry Stables  
Nineteen thousand one  
hundred & seventy  
nine. Additions to  
Six Regts barracks  
to make them  
suitable eighteen thousand  
one hundred &  
twenty eight. New  
guard house three thousand

THE WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH COMPANY.

TO THE DIRECTOR, WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH COMPANY, WASHINGTON, D. C.

Dear Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 1st inst.

in relation to the matter of the Western Union Telegraph Company.

I am sorry to hear that you are not satisfied with the results of the investigation.

I have been very anxious to see that the matter is properly handled.

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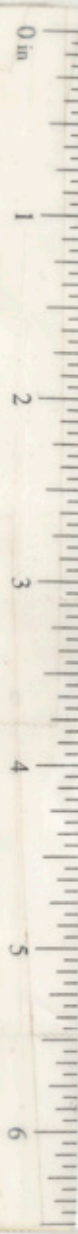
To \_\_\_\_\_ 4 East \_\_\_\_\_

READ THE NOTICE AT THE TOP.

Four hundred &  
twenty three Chapel  
& liberal seven  
hundred & twenty  
one. Water Closets  
officers Quarters One  
thousand. Fort Stevens  
New Company Quarters  
two thousand seven  
hundred & sixty  
seven. Fort Lapwai  
three New Sets

THE WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH COMPANY  
 A. H. NEWELL, President  
 157 N. 3rd St. St. Louis, Mo.

Three New Lots  
 Seven, Fort Jackson  
 numbered 1 & 2  
 two thousand seven  
 New Orleans Quarantine  
 thousands, Fort Jackson  
 officers Quarantine one  
 one, Water Class  
 numbered 1 & 2  
 & labeled seven  
 twenty three Chapel  
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To \_\_\_\_\_

READ THE NOTICE AT THE TOP.

5 O.D.A.  
Company's Quarters twelve  
thousand. Magazine  
eight hundred & eighty  
five. Four new  
sets officers Quarters  
seven thousand eight  
hundred. Boise Barracks  
New Cavalry Stables  
four thousand &  
forty five. Two new  
sets officers Quarters  
six thousand five





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To \_\_\_\_\_

READ THE NOTICE AT THE TOP.

6 Oct  
hundred. Repairs to  
Present officers Quarters.  
four hundred +  
fifty. Reflooring, Company  
Quarters two hundred  
+ two. Water closets  
unlested Men two  
hundred + eighty  
four. Hay Sheds  
eight hundred +  
fifty four. Fort  
Calville New buildings

Charles New Building

Fifty four, fort

eight hundred &

four, May 1864

hundred & eighty

collected them two

to two, Winter Creek

fourteen two hundred

fifty, following Canyon

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Necessary for Complete  
four Company post  
two New Sets

Company quarters seven  
thousand five hundred  
& forty five.

Fourteen Sets Company  
officers quarters seven  
buildings twenty seven  
thousand three hundred  
& sixty one

Set Commanding officers  
quarters three thousand





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8 Oct  
three hundred &  
ninety six, ought  
to have twenty  
thousand additional for  
Camp Spokane. Total  
pay two hundred  
thousand for Sept  
' Revers entirely closed  
Yesterday. Weather  
now moderating. No mails  
for several days  
but will straighten

THE WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH COMPANY

THE COMPANY'S TELEGRAPHS ARE THE ONLY RELIABLE AND RAPID COMMUNICATIONS IN THE WORLD.  
THEY ARE USED BY THE GOVERNMENT, THE ARMY, THE NAVY, THE MERCHANT SERVICE, AND THE PUBLIC.  
THEY ARE THE ONLY COMMUNICATIONS THAT ARE NOT SUBJECT TO THE CAPRICIOUSNESS OF THE WEATHER.  
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To \_\_\_\_\_

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everything in a  
day or two.  
I don't understand  
whether Dayton Waela  
Waela telegraph line  
will be bought  
or we shall  
establish for the  
present Courier line  
suggested

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June.

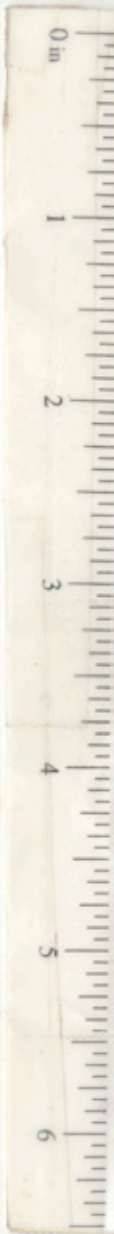
S.A.

Dec. 7, 1870.

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everything on a  
day or two.  
I don't understand  
your letter about the  
corner the night line  
will be bought  
or can be  
estimated for the  
present corner line  
suggested

June  
S.A.  
3000 Paid to R. 1870





Saml N. Robinson

Dec. 7. 1880.

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1317 9<sup>th</sup> Street, N. W.  
Washington D.C.

Dec. 7<sup>th</sup> 1880.

Dear General:

This I suppose  
is about what you wished me  
to write.

Would it be best for me to  
have a letter from any one  
else?

You know I have no one  
to depend on myself, and  
would be glad to be able to

help care for mother.

Very respectfully

Sarah H. Robinson



Copy.

Washington, D.C. Dec<sup>y</sup>, 1880.

To the

Commissioners of the Freedmen's  
Savings Bank and Trust Co. }  
Messrs.

The Fowler note at your bank  
has a balance unpaid. I disposed  
of that note to Mr. Fowler in a bona  
fide sale and expected that the col-  
lateral would certainly more than  
cover the note and interest.

The money was raised solely  
to build those houses for the colored  
people and those connected with  
the University. I do not think that  
I am now legally held, tho' Mr.  
Fowler may be, but as he is a  
young man and with moderate  
means and only desired to save  
me, when I was ordered to Arizona  
by the purchase, I am not willing  
to throw the burden of payment  
of the residue upon him. I have  
(over)



lost nearly, if not quite, all ~~my~~  
my property here by shrinkage so  
that I beg the trustees to abate  
as much as possible of the interest  
on the note and let me know  
the least amount for which  
they can make a complete  
and final settlement. If I can  
borrow the money I will pay  
at once

Yrs &c  
(Signed) P. P. Howard  
Brig. Genl. U. S. A.



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can make a compromise & pay

within the money & will

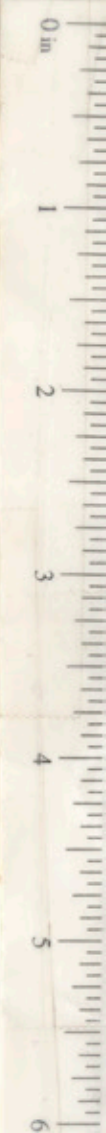
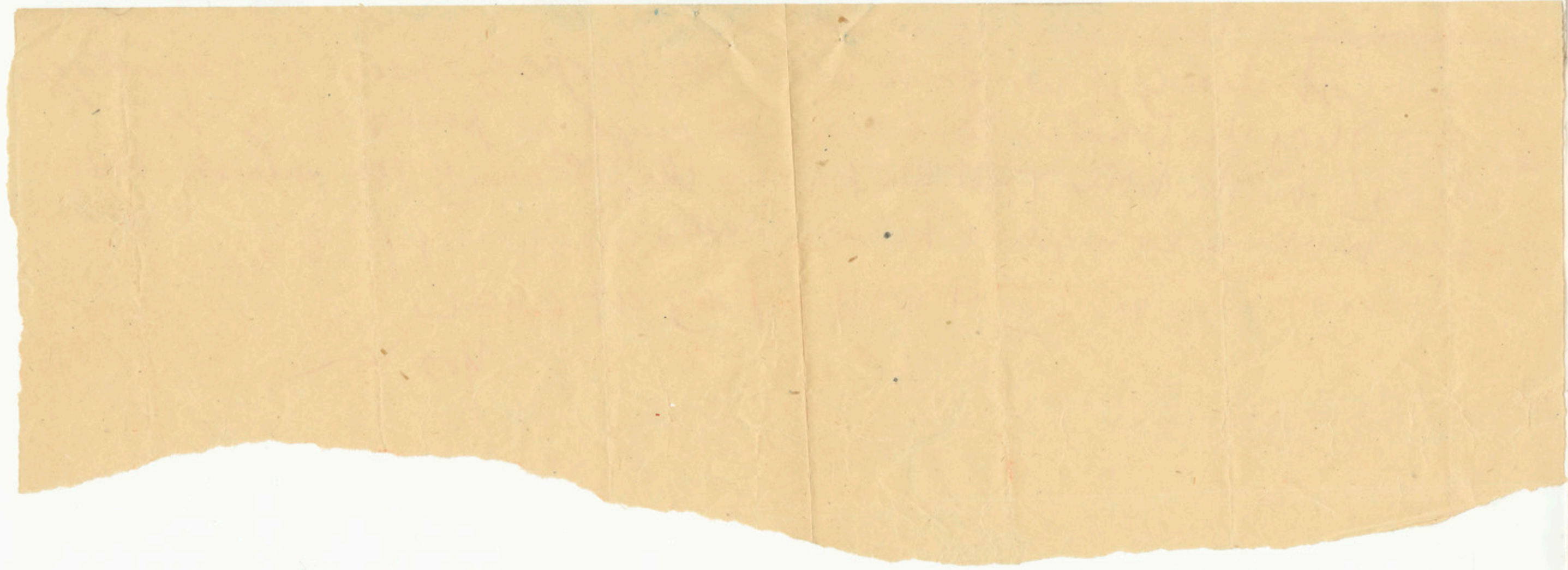
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pay at once.

Yours  
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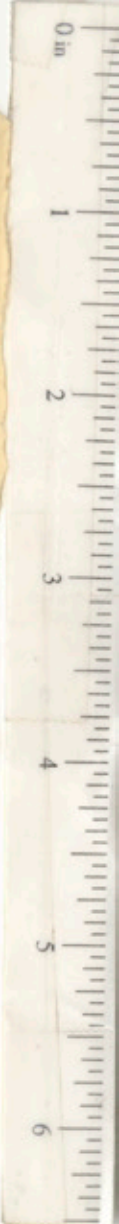
To the Commission of the  
Masses:

J. D. and Thos. Co. Pay  
Dec 7. 1880

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I disposed of that note to Mr Fowler in a bona fide sale & expected that  
the collateral would certainly more than cover the note & interest.

The money was raised solely to build more houses for the colored people  
of this community. I do not think that if Mr Fowler  
legally held, that Mr Fowler might, but as he is a young man &  
with moderate means & only desired to serve me, when I was ordered to  
answer by the purchaser. I am not willing to throw the burden <sup>upon</sup> him.







Washington, D. C.

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Dec 7<sup>th</sup> 1880.

Dear General Sherman

I had intended to say nothing and write nothing with regard to the subject of my assignment, but what you said yesterday has affected me very much and I do feel as though you looked upon my service in the Freedman's Bureau quite differently from what I do. In Johnson's Encyclopedia there is succinct statement of a grand work which I planned and by the aid of officers of the Army, mainly, succeeded in accomplishing.

The monuments of this work, especially in the educational line, are evinced in the permanent institutions of learning like those of Hampton, Atlanta and Nashville, and while men may accuse and defame me I am nevertheless happy and thankful to God that I have had the opportunity to be associated and prominent in this permanent good.

Now, I have made no interest to go



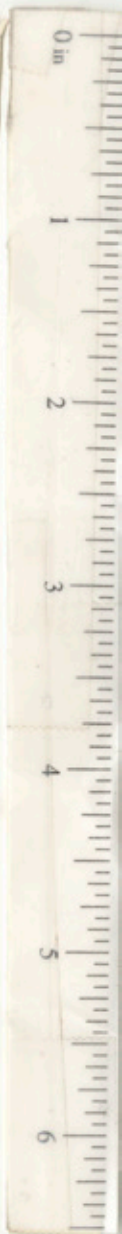
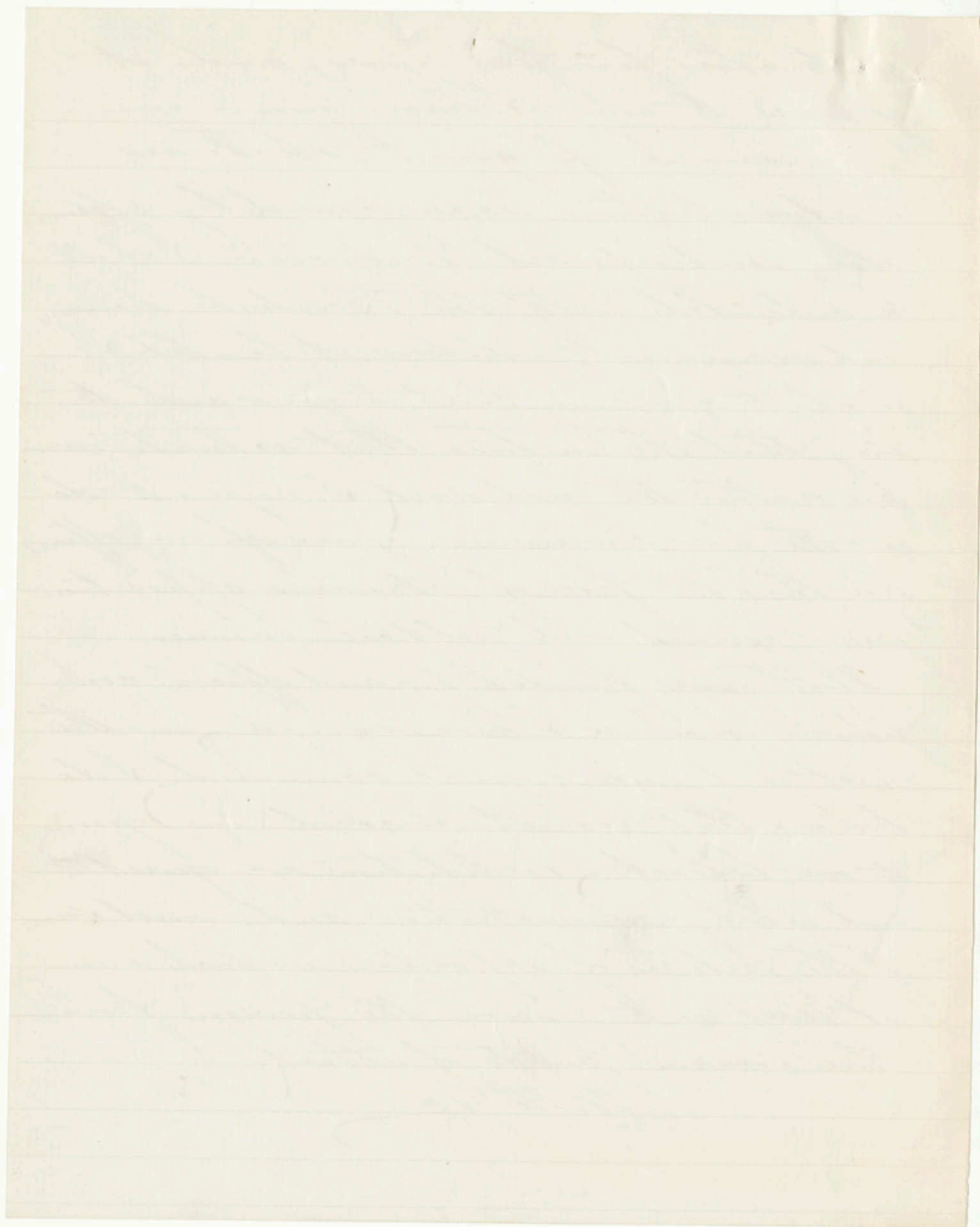
West Point. Genl. Schofield was junior  
to me when I served with you in the  
West. He was made Secy of War, and  
a Major General of the Regular Army  
before me. Genl. Hancock was junior to  
me in the Volunteer Service. My success  
and record in history is certainly equal  
to, he also was promoted to Major General  
in the regular service first. I hardly  
think that the fact that because Mr  
Lincoln had left a request for me to  
be assigned to that Freedman's Bureau  
work, and because after careful consider-  
ation, I believed it my duty to accept  
it, that this has prejudiced me ~~in~~ in  
your eyes, or depreciated your estimate  
of my military ability. Now I ask my-  
self why Genl Sherman prefers Genl  
Schofield or Seth to me for the Depart-  
ment of West Point which has been esteemed  
equal to a military Division. I am a gradu-  
ate of the Academy; I have its vital  
interests at heart probably more deeply  
than most men; I have a very thorough  
acquaintance with it having been an



instructor for four years; and it appears to me I have given you an example of quiet & steadiness of administration accompanied by reformatory and upward tendencies. I shall be contented with the President's decision and assignment, whatever it be, but I wish to open my heart to you and to say that the motives that actuate me are rather the good work I hope to do in the few remaining years of my official life than the fears of strenuous opposition from personal and political enemies.

With your friendship and official confidence, such as I have enjoyed in the past and under your command, I do believe that I could succeed in giving to our beloved institution a quiet and orderly administration and meet some of the features of opposition in such a way at least as to remove the poison from their several points of attack.

With Yrs





Copy

Washington, D.C. Dec 7. 1860

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first. He was made Secy of War, and <sup>a</sup> Major  
General first of the Regular Army before me.  
Genl. Hancock was junior to me in the  
Volunteer Service. My success, and record in history  
is certainly equal to his; he also was promoted  
to Major-General in the Regular Service first.

I hardly think the fact that because Mr.  
Lincoln had left a request for me to be  
assigned to that Freedman's Bureau work and,  
because after careful consideration I believed it  
my duty to accept it, that this has prejudiced  
me in your eyes, or depreciated your estimate  
of my military ability.

Now I ask myself why Genl. Sherman  
prefers Genls. Schofield or Getty to me for the  
Department of West Point, which has been  
estimated equal to a military division.

I am a graduate of the academy; I  
have its vital interests at heart probably more  
deeply than most men; I have a very thorough  
acquaintance with it - having been an  
instructor for four years; and, it appears to  
me, I have given you an example of quiet







steadiness of administration accompanied by  
reformatory and reform tendencies.

I shall be contented with the President's  
decision and assignment, whatever it be.  
But I wish to open my heart to you and to  
say that the motives that actuate me  
are rather the good work I hope to do in  
the few remaining years of my <sup>official</sup> life than  
the fear of strenuous opposition from personal  
and political enemies.

With your friendship and official confidence,  
such as I have enjoyed in the past and  
under your command, I do believe that  
I could succeed in giving to our beloved  
institution a quiet and orderly administration  
and meet some of the features of opposition in  
such a way at least as to remove the poison  
from their sword points in attack.

With unchanging regard,

I remain, ever yours

Wm. L. G.

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Very truly  
yours



Headquarters Army of the United States,

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Washington, D. C., Dec 7

1880

General O. Howard -

Present - Ebbitt House.

Dear General.

I have your letter of this morning and assure you that if you are ordered to succeed General Schofield at West Point you shall have my earnest support, though it will avail little when the pack is in full chase after you. The reasons for General Schofield's assignment were his special fitness, his long service, and the fact that as long as the United States Commanded one of the Divisions of the Army, one of the Major Generals was as it were surplus. The reasons for his relief are his own application based on what he believes an act of injustice, a failure



to support him in a silly claim. in fact  
what he considers as a sympathy of the  
Executive with his treason. I am embarrassed  
to find a suitable command for him. as  
when relieved he ought to have choice of  
Divisions according to his Rank - or we must  
carve out a new Division for him - There  
is no such trouble with the Six Brigades  
because we have nine Bpts and only six  
Brigades.

I had no knowledge of your coming to Washington  
till you were here - that however was not  
your fault. but General Drums: and he  
yesterday explained that he supposed he had  
told me of the President's message at the  
time it was sent. Neither the President or  
Secretary of War know how necessary the pres-  
ence of a Dependable Commander is at his  
Head Quarters, as you and I do -



I am not going to discuss the Freedman's Bureau - its origin, work, and death. All I know is that an officer's best work and best fame are in the strict line of his Profession - and I know better than even you do, that the men who influenced you to embark in that office were the first to join in the hue & cry against you personally & officially. And you yourself complained to me that they had nearly ruined you, by charges far passed in the Liberal limits with which I believe you were persecuted.

Now as to lost Point. I admit all you say of your services and record as a Soldier. And prize this well earned fame so highly, that I hate to see you risk it again. When Schofield is released it will of course be attributed to his agency, or alleged mistakes in the treatment of the boy Whitaker - That boy is convicted of having scratched his ears, feigned



insensibility - so as to be admitted to the hospital  
long enough to account for his deficiency at an  
approaching Examination. and then joining in a  
general Charge against his fellows of being his  
assailants. I watched the proceedings of the  
Court of Inquiry closely, ~~and~~ saw the boy after-  
wards in the Section Room, and am convinced  
that the whole thing was of his own doing. - He  
failed absolutely in his attempt to get into the  
hospital and at the Examination also "failed."

I don't know that there is any good reason, but  
I believe if you go to West Point the inference  
will be that it has reference to this case,  
and <sup>to</sup> the Race question. I am willing to go  
as far as the facts in this question, but I  
do not believe West Point is the place to  
try the Experiment of Social Equality - All  
else has long since been conceded. -

Social Equality must be admitted in Civil  
Life, in Congress, Cabinet and Supreme Court



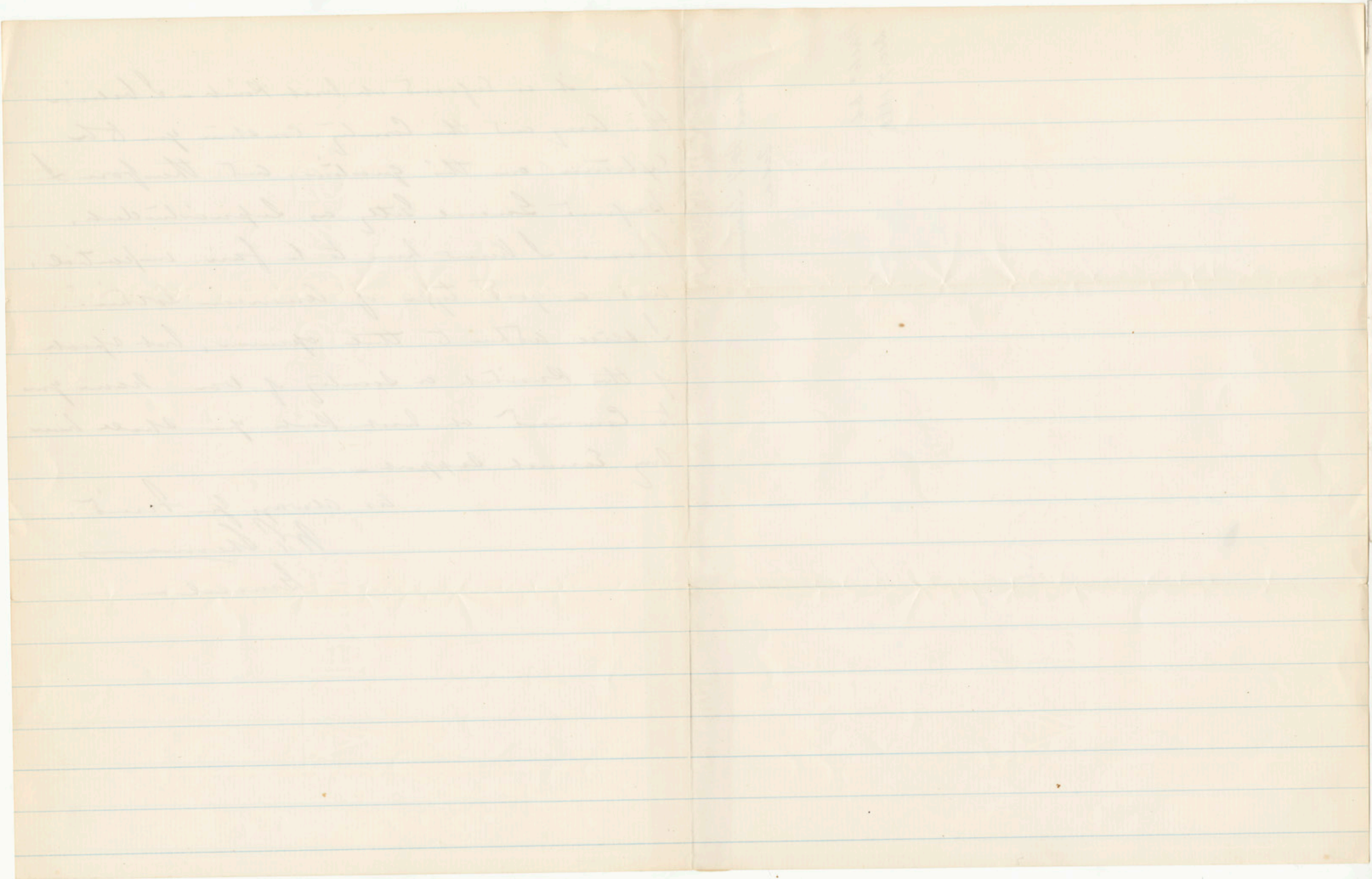
before it is enforced at West Point - I believe  
the Army and the Country construe you to be  
extreme on this question. and therefore I  
propose General Getty as Superintendent,  
because I know him to be fair, impartial,  
and a good type of "American Soldier."  
I still adhere to that opinion, but speak  
if the President or Secretary of War name you  
to Command at West Point you shall have  
my Earnest Support -

as always your friend,  
W. L. Sherman  
General -

Recd Mr. T. Sherman  
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March 26,  
Dec. 7, 1860.







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New York, Dec. 7 1880.

Gen. E. Whittlesey,

Office Bld. Ind. Commissioners

Dear Bro:—

I understand that Gen. O. O. Howard is, or is to be, in Washington soon. I know no better way to reach him than through you.

If you have the opportunity please say to him, that if he comes to New York, I wish he would call upon me, for I wish to talk with him about the Spokane Indians.

Yours truly,

M. E. Strieby.

Dear General

I find this on my  
desk & Enclose it to you

Yours

C. Whitelsey

N. H. Dec. 7, 1855

M. G. Crosby



House of Representatives,

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Thos. J. Patterson

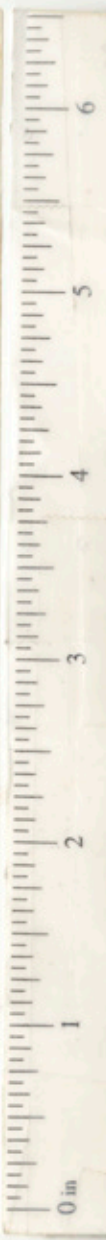
Asst Genl. Manager, C. & N. O.

Chicago. Ill.

My Dear Sir:

This will introduce  
to you my friend Genl O. O. Howard  
and U.S.A., who is now returning  
to the Pacific coast for his  
family - having been assigned  
to duty in the East. Any cour-  
tesies extended to the General  
will be greatly appreciated by  
Yours Respy

E. K. Valentine



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House of Representatives,

Washington, D. C., Dec. 7<sup>th</sup>, 1880.

Thos L. Kimball  
Asst. Genl Manager U.P.R.R.  
Omaha, Neb

My Dear Sir:

This will introduce  
to you Genl O.D. Howard who  
is returning to Pacific coast  
for his family - having been  
assigned to duty in the East.

Any courtesies extended to  
him will be fully appreciated  
by

Yours Very Respy,  
E.H. Valentine

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Madison, D. C.  
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Beardslee, L.A.

Little Falls  
N.Y.  
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Little Falls  
New York  
Dec 7<sup>th</sup>

Gen. O. O. Howard  
Wearfield

I send by this mail my  
little speech - in re Alaska  
Andrian &c

Inasmuch as the mass  
was crumpled together in  
three days - was used greatly  
as a text. to branch off from  
as the spirit moved me  
and was printed from the rough

by our personal & official  
influence.

Trusting sure that your  
interest in the cause  
will be my excuse  
for so unceremoniously  
approaching you

I am

Truly yours

J. A. Beardslee

Notes, its claim to literary  
value is slight.

Yet it did good and  
my request was heartily  
complied with - and quantities  
of valuable articles sent  
to the aid of the Alaskan  
Mission.

I think that now is the  
time to help that forgotten  
Country, and you as well  
as myself are in position  
to render strong aid  
to the cause of civilization  
and religion.



Dear Genl.

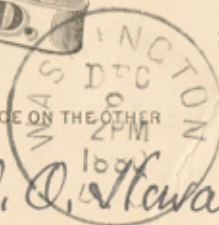
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I want you to speak  
about "Saint Gaspard & the Evangelical  
Movement in France," in an Church,  
next Sunday night. - I congratulate  
the country & Ch. Point, upon its new  
Commandant. I should like to be Chaplain  
under you!

Yrs. J. C. R.



WRITE THE ADDRESS ON THIS SIDE - THE MESSAGE ON THE OTHER



Major Gen. O. O. Howard,  
Ebbetts Shreve,  
Calif.

