

Thursday evening Feb 18, 1886
I wish to tell you that yesterday
I finished the higher course in
Shades & Shadows, and that I
fortunately did not fail in any
recitation. I am glad - because
the subject, altho easy to com-
prehend for me, took much
time. The examination comes
next June. I have taken up
"linear perspective," of which I
finished the elements when I
first came here. We complete the
subject in 7 recitations. Mother's
letter of Feb. 14 came to-day. I will
write her Sunday. I am well,
but feel tired; within three weeks,
however, my studies will be less
severe. I will be glad when the
last of the subjects of the year I
have skipped, are done. I am busy
with one now; and then there will
be but one more in winter time. I
am waiting to know if I will be
selected for due promotion, & where
you will go. Please write me
when you know. With love - Saml.



Wetmore.

James L. Wetmore.

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San Francisco, Feb. 19th 1886.

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Gen. Oliver O. Howard

Dear Sir,

I am
collecting the autographs of prominent gen-
erals of the United States, and deeming
my collection incomplete without yours,
I take the liberty of requesting it on the
card inclosed. Hoping not to use too
much of your valuable time,

I remain
Yours Truly
Edward Keegan.

San Francisco, Cal.,
Feby. 19: 1886.

C. C. Denigau,
Requests Genl. No.
autograph.

Ans. Feby. 23: '86.

2 3 4 5 6 7 8
Young Men's Christian Association

ROOMS:

Corner Fifteenth and Farnam Streets.



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Omaha, Neb., Sept 19th 1886

Genl A. A. Howard

Prest Singliss Co. B.

Dear Bro.

It has been
decided to hold a meeting
at the rooms of the Y. M. C. A.
Next Monday at 10 A. M. to
make arrangements for hold-
ing the Annual Meeting
of Singliss County Bible
Society.

Write me if practicable
please be present?

Yours sincerely

Geo. W. Wainwright

Bro. Robt

ABW

Ogallala, Nebr.,
Feby. 19th 1886.

Y. M. C. A.

Announce a meeting
for Monday, 22^d at 10,
A.M.

are all well. Rather hope the Solafied will let you
 come to Gov. Ireland & associate with the Roman Catholic
 masses of N.Y.
 But all
 is uncertain -
 I must go
 & see mother!
 you see the
 years
 she
 can
 not
 get
 up!
 I am
 in
 the
 office
 all
 day
 at
 home -
 affd. Bro.
 Ireland

Washington D.C.
Feb. 19. 1886.

My dear Brother

Thanks for your
 kind letter. As I note you
 I said nothing to Cleveland
 Manning or Endicott about
 you. He said "I find far less
 trouble in civil military than
 in civil offices", which I can
 vouch, after Beecher's letter, to
 mean - "order" - "heaven's first law".
 Manning said. "I suppose you
 who are a peace man want
 him your brother, if he must
 be a soldier, to be the biggest
 kind of a one - alluding to
 promotion. Endicott impressed
 me as a good man chiefly
 occupied in not minding
 himself in pushing anything
 content to catch, lie, bribe and
 swallow the honey a kind of

2 3 4 5 6 7
Howard, Dec. 20.

silence might drop with his
open mouth.

My most pleasant acquaintance
(first) has been Fred Douglass, who
seems a little abashed by the
added obloquy of a white
wife, but who now eloquently
in your praises, quoting the
poet Pierpont's lines on Garrison
as quoted by Phillips & applying
them to you, as standing up
like a "man". He promised
to send you copy of his eulogy
on Gen David Hunter, in which
he (D) shows that all who have be-
friended the enslaved have had
to suffer on acct of it. Hunter's
enfranchisement
& obscurity & your persecution
were cases in point. I go to
Phila & preach Sunday & ^{then} home.

I answer your questions as to
"Cannon" &c in "Seattle & London"
(Utah & Chicago) in print &
will send you copy of paper
when it appears. Glad you

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Atelier of **STANTON M. HOWARD**

ARCHITECT.

1207 MAIN STREET.

Wheeling, W. Va. Feb 19th 1886.

Gen. A. A. Howard,

Omaha, Neb.

Dear Sir

I am in receipt of your letter of the 11th Inst. enclosing Abstract of Family Record. Thanks for your interest in the matter & for the information contained therein.

I have written your Bro. Reid. Howland to Howard, as you suggested & trust he may be able to give me the line of ascent farther back than Capt. Selk, your great grand Father, & if so, I can then determine if there is any connection with the branch sprouting from John, Edward, & Joseph Howard, who settled in North Carolina in 1750.

Respectfully

S. M. Howard

Jan 2

Wheeling, W. Va.,
Feby. 19th 1866

Hagerst, D. M.

Acknowledges receipt
of abstract of record
of Genl. H's family.

School Dist. No. 6,
Mehn.,
Feb'y. 19th 1886.

Cotton, Albert.

Ans. by St. G. Feb'y 20 1886.

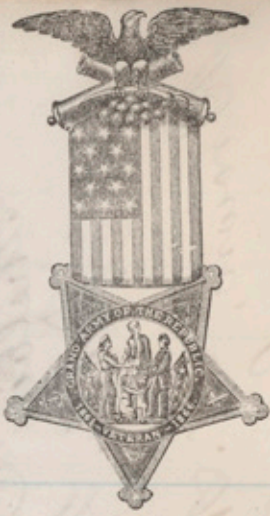
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Feb. 19, 1886.

School district, No. 6.

Buttward - Dear Sir: I have
suffered for years with dyspep-
-sia and last Monday one
week ago took slight hemorrhage
of the stomach; since then have
taken severe cold which threat-
ened Pneumonia, and reached
the first stage so Doctor Spald-
ing says. I am some better
at this writing but will be
incapacitated for some time
no doubt and would like
to know that my attorney,
Mr. J. W. Martin of Jamesville
Ohio will push my claim in
the first meeting of their courts
Mr. M. told me that a certain
amount of costs must be
deposited to prosecute a
- over

Mandamus suit. He will
now try to collect - princi-
ple and interest, in all
about - (\$225) two hundred and
twenty five dollars. My rent -
will have to be met and
incidental expenses in
the family & that I am
very anxious in the matter
then I must have some
seeds and plants for my
garden this Spring. I want
to plant and work $4\frac{1}{2}$ acres
that I have prepared for
garden.

Yours &c
Albert. Ottum



answered Feb. 28/86.

→ DICK YATES POST, 364 ←

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DEPARTMENT OF IOWA,

GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC.

Shelby, Iowa, Feb 28th 1886

Gen O. O. Howard
Omaha Neb

Dear Sir,

I have been instructed by my comrades to ask you to address our Post & the citizens of this place at a Camp-fire to be held at this place about the 10th of March next (the time is not set yet) our object is to raise money for the Relief fund. If you can possibly spare the time I hope you will grant our request. You have many friends here who will be glad to extend you a hearty reception.

Yours Respectfully.
W. H. Brown
Gen. V

Shelby, Iowa,
Febr'y. 20. '86.

Brown, W. H.

G. A. R.

Requests Genl. H's

presence about Mich. 10th
to sightness 'poor' set a
camp fire.

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Dear

New York,
Febr'y, 20. 86.
Funk & Wagnalls.
'Pocket Lexicon Notes.'

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Mrs. Hancock gratefully
acknowledges the receipt of your
kind telegram of sympathy and
condolence.

Governors Island
February 20, 1886.

[Winfield Scott Hancock]

Mrs. Lenk Hancock

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Chamberlain, Dakota, July 20th 1886.

Major General Howard
Omaha Neb.

My Dear Sir & Comrade.

In the name and
behalf of 8000 old Soldiers of Dak. I extend
you a hearty invitation to meet with the
Comrades in Annual Encampment Dept. Dak.
by A.R. at Watertown Dak. March 24th & 25th
1886.

There are hundreds of old Soldiers in Dakota
who served under your Command both east
and west and all desire to look in the face of
one they love. In the army of the Tennessee
15th Corps, I did my service and live its old
Commander as it went down to the Sea.

I am Yours in F.b. & L
W. V. Lucas
Dept. Commander.

Chamberlain, Dak.
Febr'y. 20: 1886.

Deares, W. V.,

G. A. R.

Requests Genl. St's. pres-
ence at annual en-
campment, Wash. D.C.

Ans. Febr'y. 23: '86.

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Genl O. O. Howard

Omaha Neb. Dr. fr.

Yours containing letter
from J. Chase Esq. Keeping Water, relating to
losses claimed to be due upon land lately
sold by Lieut Howard, duly received, and
I have forwarded same to my late partner
at Plattsburgh for investigation.

I will report result to you at an
early day.

Yours truly

Yours abt servt.
Daniel H. Wheeler

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Mondamin, Iowa, 22 Feb 1886

Gen O O Howard
Fort Omaha

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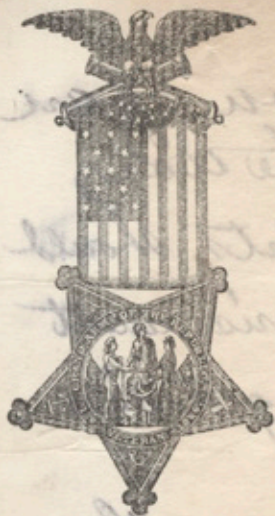
D Sir

Once more I will write you
in behalf of Thomas A Adams who will soon have
his trial for deserting from the regular army
I beseech you in behalf of his friends here
and his poor old mother in Ohio to make his
sentence as light as possible I also enclose
Gen Grover's letter in his behalf

I am Very Truly Yours
Z T Noyes
Z T N

Mangrove, Iowa,
Feb'y. 25th 1886.

Wages, R. S. K.,
Two regard to Put.
Thomas A. Adams, Troop
"B." S. Co., deserter.



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OFFICE OF

JUDGE ADVOCATE GENERAL.

Washington, D. C. Jan. 27th 1886.

C. I. Noyes,

Moundamin, Iowa,

My Dear Sir: -

Yours of the 22^d. inst. is received.
I have no idea ^{but} that if the sort of case
which you describe to me is made out
the Secretary of War will cheerfully remove
the punishment against Thomas A. Adams.
The fact that he was the son of an Ohio
soldier, shot in the war, will of course
attract some sympathy toward him, but I
suppose it will be necessary for you to be able
to present to the Hon. Secretary such miti-
gating circumstances connected with the
immediate offense as will give him ground
upon which to act. For myself I strongly
urge your appeal for Clemency, because I

cannot bear the thought that the son of an Ohio Soldier who did his duty in the war, and fell dead, pierced by rebel bullets, should be undergoing the disgrace of an imprisonment because of unfaithfulness to his obligations to the same government.

You are at liberty to file this letter with the Hon. Secretary for what it is worth. Of course I can say nothing about the facts in your case,

Yours truly,
C. H. Howard

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Phil^a Feb. 23. 1886

Dear Mother

I am at the house
of Mr. Drew. What a delight-
ful home. His income
is \$6000 & they have every com-
fort & make me free to all
part of cost on your acct.

I hope to call & see your
friends the Grebbles. Sorry
your Baptist Minister friends
in Boston were so foolish
as to advise you! Wm. M. W.
Miss up opposition - I think
it will all move right
if left alone.

I am busy here with
Place addresses, calls
&c & will not get

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home till Saturday. The
"Friends" are very kind and
helpful and the old
Soldiers about equally
so.

No perfect peace seems
as far off as other forms
of unchristian righteousness.
But our efforts, our commu-
nions, our obedience & our
faith need not, ought not
to be postponed till some
indefinite future time
called the Millennium. Duties
are our results God's. Love
is ours - Judgment belongs
to Jehovah. His sword
is in his hand & he
will repay. It is ours
to persuade men & be
reconciled to love one another

to love enemies as Jesus said.
 We must do it ourselves as
 individuals. We must
 do what we can to make
 Earthly Kingdoms coincide
 with the heavenly Kingdom.
 We must save & not destroy.
 Star ^{forts} ~~forts~~, navies, armies seem
 to me more & more chiefly
 engines of destruction, moved
 by ebullition of passion
 which subdues to its use
 reason, conscience, invention
 genius, music, uniforms
 marches, and thousands of
 things in themselves beautiful.

Now let us organize to
 save. Purify. Elevate. Let
 God purify & purge by fire,
 if he chose. Our fire is
 love. A.M. Revue

Feb. 23, 1886.

Feb'y. 23: 1886.
Haward, Dec., A. B.

Sioux City, Ia.
Feby. 24. 1886.

Messrs, Col. E. C.

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Sioux City Iowa
Feby 24 1885

My dear General -

I am away from
home on a tour of inspection, this
will account for my being in
this place - I enclose for you
information a slip taken from
the St Paul paper - I would be
glad to know for my own information
if this is a correct statement of
the case. If it is not, would it
not be well to let the Omaha
paper give the facts. Public opinion

is being formed by this and other
articles of like character. It looks
like an Effort to put you in
the Wrong - I cannot see why the
dates given in the Army Register don't
fix the matter beyond question -
I have heard the matter discussed
at forts in this Dept with but
one opinion in regard to the
justice of placing you at
the head of the list not only
on account of the dates given
in the Register but for your
preminence to Service during
the War - I want the President
to give you the promotion via
Honorable not only because

you are entitled to it by such
distinguished Service as places
you far ahead of all others -
but because it is your due
as the ranking officers. See
these attempts to place you in
the position of one attempting
to get a grade not justly yours
by law - fills me with wrath.

I had a letter from Sweden
a few days ago. You have
no more devoted friend than
this man who sends you so
long and faithfully -

Ever your attached friend
Edmund L. Mason

was in the Hallway
the General moved to
various speculations where
our General moved be
rest sent. I hope in some
unexpected way you will not
get so far away as Sawbain
just yet, for it would be
such a pleasure to have
you nearer. I suppose
we shall know soon
now and I await with
impatience the decision
Our little quiet life here
moves on in the same
peaceful vein.

Mamma and I have
been reading Grant's book
together, and it brings back
to her scenes of the past so
vividly, while it helps strengthen

Just affectionately from
little friends
W. Howard Smith

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February 24th 56

Dear General -

I must tell you of a
pleasant little call I
had upon your friend
Mrs. Hallway a little
while ago.

I knew she would not know
me so I sent up my name
as "a young lady friend of
General Howard's" and she
came right down thinking
it was perhaps Miss Krebble.
We had a very delightful time
talking about the General whom
we both were frank enough
to say we adore, and as the
news of Gen. Hancock's death

the faint childish
memories which are
not to fade as the
years slip by, and which
I would keep bright with
the memory of my dear
Father.

I am afraid you received
the impression from my
last letter, that I intended
to be married this Spring,
but such is not the case -
as no time has yet
been decided upon, and
we may be here another
year. But I am hoping you
see, that when the time
does come, you may
be near enough to have
the Howard family represented

in full numbers

Very much want one
of your photographs taken
by Pack in full uniform
which I saw at West Point,
but never dared ask for,
now the one on glass which
is so good of you & Mrs
Howard gave me, fell down
from the table and was
cracked, and I shall continue
to take it about with me
until you send me
one as good.

I trust you are all well
this Winter, Give a great
deal of love to Mrs Howard
Bessie and the boys, and
when you can spare a moment
remember we are always made
happy by the sight of your handwriting

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JOHN E. BAILEY, M. D.
FAC. SURGEON,
FORT MACKINAC, MICH.

Mackinac Island
February 24, 1886.

Genl. O. O. Howard, U.S. Army,
Omaha, Neb.

Dear Sir,

My Jan'y Mr. Moffatt of Mich. introduced "H. R. No. 4548" to Com. and retire "John E. Bailey, A. Surg. U.S. Army, disabled, in the grade of Surgeon & Major U.S. Army. It is supported by Genl. J. J. O'Neill of Mo., Senators Manderson, Cenger and others. It would be pleasant to have you interested.

I hope you will get the promotion you so richly deserve.

My daughter is with Mrs. Genl. Williams and John E. at Fort Monroe, this winter.

Yours with regard,
John E. Bailey

Port Mackinac, Mich.
Febr'y. 24th 1886.

Boatly, Dr., Inq. R.

About his retire-
ment.

request to learn of my
health. I was glad to
see her and am thank-
ful to Mrs. Howard
for her interest in me.

Do not fail to write
to Washington to some
trusty friend, and if
there is a word that
I can say, be sure
that it will be said.

I wish you were already
here. George has com-
menced several letters
to you; he talks of you, but
is a diffident correspon-
dent. Believe me as
always your friend
Emma C. Holloway

Feb. 24. '86

My Dear Friend.
Mrs. L. C. Holloway.

The enclosed
item I cut from the
Sun and I think you
ought to know of it -
and one fact that
I have. Pres. Cleve-
land will very likely
be impressed with this
action of the Catholics,
or rather will be in-
clined to do them some
favours for political
purposes. His sister

Accord.

them this fact and give it - to you
in confidence, so that if there
is anything that you can do or
your friends can do for you. have
them do it. I hope very much
you will come to New-York; it
would be so pleasantly and grat-
ifying to have you and Mrs. Howard
so near. I had a call from Miss
Smith, who came at Mrs. Howard's

offended the Catholic
element by her Essay
on the "Moneslay" and
he has not recovered
from the attacks
made upon them both
in consequence. If
an election were to
be held they would
be ranged against him;
he knows it - and will
be very apt to do
anything he can to
heal the wounds caus-
ed by Miss C's caustic
remarks in print. I

Ans. Mar 2/86.

Office of the
Commissioners of Accounts, 141.

~~1 New Court House,~~
Rooms 14, and 15 of ~~Senates~~ Building
New York, Feb 25th - 1886

Dear General,

I want to ask you to let me
have another month on my note for \$25⁰⁰
due March 3rd.

I have had the promise of an increase of
pay so soon as I could complete a very
important report on which I have been
engaged for three months past, & which I
expected to complete this week, but the
subject requires more time so that I
cannot get my release for another
month, when I shall be in better shape.
Please let me hear from you and oblige
yours very truly
Geo. S. Balch

General O O Howard.
Omaha
Nebr.

New York City,
Febr'y. 25. 1886.

Bald, Geo. J.

Wants month's ex-
tension on his note.

declines.

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Arborville Nbr. Feb. 26. 86

Enil C. O. Howard

Dear Sir.

Our church would be very glad to have you come here and give us a lecture on such theme as you should choose, say one of your lectures on the war. Can you come? If so could you come somewhere about the 19. or 20 of March, or if not then, how would it be about the 15. of Apr. I speak of these dates from the fact that we are in the country & when it is good moonlight we can count on a house full

The church has assumed self-support this year, and we are in

hopes that the sound of a
Congregational General's voice
would help us in many ways
to be better soldiers of Christ.

Our place is about 14 miles south
of Clarke where we could meet you
with a team, or 12 miles north of
Bradshaw

(that would be your turn).

Hoping to hear from you soon.

Respectfully yours.

J. E. Storm.
Pastor of Church.

Andoverville, Neb.
Feb'y. 26: 1886.
Storm, J. E.

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Agents Wanted

Philadelphia Feb 6 1886

Gen O. Howard
Quana Neb.

Dear Sir

We wrote you on the 15th in relation to a short sketch of the Battle of Gettysburg (2 pp), but have not yet received an acknowledgment of our letter. We hope you can do it for us. If you have undertaken it please say when we may expect the copy and oblige.

Yours truly,
Hubbard Bros.

P.S. We beg to acknowledge receipt of article on Military Academies. You are doing us splendid service all of which is highly appreciated.

Philadelphia, Pa.
Feb'y. 26: 86.
Hubbard Bros.
Deletes to sketch
of Battle of Gettys-
burg.

Stamford, Conn. W.

711 Fulton street,

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Troy, N.Y., Feb. 26, 1886.

My dear Father:

To-day there has been a large
fire in the city near Mr. Jupper's
office and he has suffered some
loss, I know. I think it would
be well for me to give Mrs. Jupper
the money (\$~~30~~^{thirty}) for my room rent
for February & March. Can you
not send me right away that
amount? As to my needs - books,
paints for shading maps, bound
volumes I will write when I have
more time. I have finished the
last of the higher descriptive sub-
jects - Shades & Shadows &
Perspective. One of our text books
upon perspective was Church's
of West Point. I shall be

remained in this branch of Studies
of ~~Studies~~ of ~~in~~ ~~the~~ ~~future~~ next
June. I am reviewing a 3rd subject

Trigonometry, & I shall commence
the other subject (the last one) of the
year passed over, - viz the subject of
Compass surveying next Monday.
When these two are done I will
have finished all book work.

I am very busy these days & nights. I
am well. Bitter cold weather is here again.
Adelheid is well & happy - This temporary
separation is good for us both in many
ways, but with the feeling that "God works for
good to them who love Him" we are contented
at a longer or shorter separation. I must
now go to our evening lecture on "Electricity"
& then return to my books. I am still
waiting patiently to see what kind providence
will do in your early promotion. I shall
be glad when the news of it comes
to me. The good newspapers approve your ap-
pointment - a few bad ones "wonder" of "doubt", & press it a
little. With love from Jessie

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San Francisco Feb 28. 1886

My dear Garrison

As the time draws near
for the authorities at Washington
to decide about your promotion
& assignment our anxiety
increases - Of course we are
selfish enough to hope you
will be assigned to the
Dept of the Pacific -

I have tho't, for political
reasons, you would be
assigned here -

If you are sent here
is there anything we can
do for you, in advance
of your arrival? If
so, advise ~~us~~ & we
will do all possible
for you -

Dora & Ollie are

with us as 502 Powell St.
we are well & happy.

Dora is better & stronger
than when she left you.

All join in love to
you & yours -

Hoping soon to see
you all, I am as ever
Yours very affectionately

A. Martin.

215 Sutter St
S.F.

Dec. 11th. 8:1886.

Dora &

Martin, A.