

Aug 13. 1886.

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San Francisco. Aug 17<sup>th</sup> 1886

Dear Genl. Howard,

When you visited Fort Knoborough four years ago, you called me a greeny, jokingly, because I was the only woman there. Now, my happy home is gone, and my husband lies under the cruel waters of Grand River. I have chosen California as an abiding place because I have some property here that must be looked after. But

I have been thinking, were I to  
die here among strangers, could  
I have a ~~comfortable~~ <sup>quiet</sup> resting place  
in a government reservation?  
I have not seen left families  
as so many many widows  
unfortunately are. Some time  
when you are in town, and  
have a moment to spare,  
I should be so glad to see a  
familiar face.

Yours very truly  
Eulie Murdoch

Mrs D. H. Murdoch  
no 2409 Pacific Ave.  
San Francisco

Hdqrs. Mil. Div. Pacific & Dept. California,

MEDICAL DIRECTOR'S OFFICE.

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Presidio, San Francisco, Cal., Aug 11<sup>th</sup>, 1886

My dear Genl.

How can I  
thank you for the kind  
words you were pleased  
to say of me to Rev. Mr.  
Roe. Should I live to go  
to N. Y. I certainly will  
visit him.

I rec'd. yesterday  
a delightful letter from  
Miss F. Foster Rev. Secy.  
of Wm. Ell. of this.

My dear Genl. my  
coming again for day  
you are busy - and with Mrs  
in association - with kind  
words of sympathy - only  
she who has suffered as  
I have can appreciate

and the more do we feel  
that as we descend into  
the vale of tears —  
May our Heavenly Father  
ever keep you and yours  
in his keeping, shall ever  
be my prayer.

With sincere gratitude

L. B. Pugh

Miss Gul O.V. Honore  
President <sup>legarny</sup> San Francisco  
Cal.

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San Francisco, August 11, 1886

My Dear General Howard:-

The General Association of California meets a week earlier than usual this year, which fact I ascertained after you left the church this evening. The anniversary of the Board of the Pacific will therefore be observed September 29<sup>th</sup> or 30<sup>th</sup> - Will it make a difference with your plans? Please assure me that it-

does not make the least  
difference!

Very truly yours  
Lucy M. Fay

W.W. Dugay, A.M.

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Answer to Lucy M. Fay's  
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Practices before the Supreme Court of the United States, Court of Claims, Claims Commissions,  
and the different Committees of Congress, and all Departments of the Government.Washington, D.C. Aug 12<sup>A</sup> 1886Genl. O. O. Howard,  
San Francisco Cal  
General

Herenish send account  
 Current and check on San Francisco<sup>No 5801</sup> for  
 \$917.46. also Statement of Murphy &  
 Oyer the Agents who sold the House  
 427.7<sup>E</sup> St. J.W. The delay in the  
 completion of the sale was owing to  
 some difficulty in tracing the title  
 and to the fact that the person who  
 was in charge of your interests in  
 1877 neglected to pay the taxes &  
 special assessments due. that the  
 property was sold for the same, and  
 you have now had to pay such  
 taxes & assessments with interest at  
 10% per annum, amounting to  
 \$132.94 is the penalty of such  
 neglect. Please enclose herewith the

Received Tax Bills for the same.

If Mr Smith was in charge of your interests at the time, he is, or should be responsible for this neglect and if you wish it, and will write him to that effect and send the letter to me I will try to collect from him.

Please acknowledge

Very Truly Yours  
Allan Dusterf

Washington, D.C., Aug 22  
Rutherford. Allan

Enclosed check for \$100.00, also  
regarding Yorkton photo

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Office of Clerk U. S. Circuit Court,

FOR THE DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA.

826.

San Francisco, Cal.,

August 12, 1886.

Major General

O. O. Howard, U. S. A.,

commanding Division  
of the Pacific &c.

Dear Sir:

Winchester Band of Hope meets at the Protestant Orphan Asylum on Haight street, between Laguna and Buchanan streets, this city, on Saturday evening, the 21<sup>st</sup> inst. at 7 o'clock.

May not the children expect you to be present on that occasion, and listen to your counsel and advice? I promise you a cordial welcome and a good programme. Please

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invite such friends as you desire  
to accompany you.

Yours Respectfully  
Henry P. Shedd

San Francisco Cal.  
Augt 14 1866

Sheddy.

asks Genl H. to present  
at meeting of Winchelsea  
Band of Hope at SF Cal  
on Sat inst

Very truly yours

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Washington Corr. Office  
Aug 12<sup>th</sup> 1884

Genl Geo Howard U.S.A.

Washington D.C.

Dear Sir & Comrade

Enclosed

find invitation to the Annual  
reunion the 90th Regt Infantry.  
to be held in this city Aug 3, 1886  
I am instructed to write, and  
urge you to attend the Regt  
will give you a right Royal  
Welcome. trusting that your  
duties and inclinations may  
be such as to give us your  
presence I remain as ever

Your Comrade  
D.M. Sherman

~~Washington D. C.~~ Aug 12

Woman S.A.  
Decay.

Extend insulation to re-  
-ceiling of 90<sup>th</sup> O.V. Lat.

M.S. Aug 23. 1886.

*829* Washington C. H., O., Aug. 12<sup>th</sup> 1886.  
Genl C. O. Howard Asst.

DEAR COMRADE:

By resolution adopted at our last reunion, held at Lancaster, Ohio, in September, 1885, it was unanimously resolved:

"That the next regimental reunion be held at Washington C. H., on the 27th and 28th days of August, A. D. 1886," and Comrade Ricketts, secretary of the Regimental association, was instructed to issue a circular to that effect.

At a meeting of the comrades of Companies C, K and F, of the regiment (who have charge of making the arrangements for the reunion) held in Washington on the 31st day of July, 1886, it was "*Resolved to change the time of holding the reunion to the date of Tuesday, August 31st, 1886,*" *that being the anniversary day of the completion of the muster in of the regiment at Camp Circleville in 1862, and the anniversary day on which the regiment left Camp Circleville, passed through Washington and moved to the front, a position it continued to hold for three years, and until it was honorably mustered out of service at the termination of the war.*

Comrade, the committee respectfully request that you mail to Major James F. Cook, the enclosed postal card, on the back of which you will *indicate your intention to be present, and participate in the reunion; or if not, indicate that circumstances will prevent you from being present.*

Prompt attention to this matter is necessary in order that the committee may know how many comrades to provide for, at the banquet to be given on that occasion. Remember, comrade, that the Regimental Roll is rapidly diminishing in number, that our locks are growing gray, and that a large majority of the thirteen hundred who once answered the roll call of the 90th Regiment, O. V. I. have joined the ranks of the silent majority, where we are certain to join them at no distant day. Then permit us to urge upon you the duty of making an extra effort to be present, and make this the largest and most successful of our reunions. We promise you a hearty welcome on the part of the citizens of Washington and Fayette County, as well as a splendid time, and a greater pleasure than all else will be the meeting together of a greater number of your comrades than you will ever again meet in this life.

Very Respectfully Yours,

JAMES F. COOK, Secretary.

MRS. S. N. YEOMAN, Assistant Secretary.

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such to find themselves here as to hope for a sufficient time  
to recover from their own personal misfortunes at which time  
beginning 17 to take up again their former place and business  
from 17 1850 to 1854 A. D. and then again in 1855 & 1856  
and another time in 1857 & 1858 in connection with the  
Garrison cause. But in 1859 he returned to his old business  
of law & commerce & became well known in A.  
D. 1860 he was elected to the office of Sheriff of the  
County of Franklin & held it until 1863 when he  
was succeeded by his son. He was then elected  
as a member of the State Legislature for the  
year 1864 & 1865 & again in 1866 & 1867 & 1868  
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again in 2020 & 2021 & 2022 & 2023 & 2024 &

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Headquarters Department of the Platte,

Omaha, Neb., Augt 13 1886

Major General Ord Howard

Dear Sir:

As the action  
of Congress in cutting down  
the appropriation for the  
Quartermasters Department  
has, so far as I can judge,  
completely killed any  
chance of my getting  
any increase of pay -  
(Genl Dandy has been  
cutting down salaries) I  
write to say that if there  
is a vacancy at your head-

quarters. and you would  
like to have me work-  
ing for you again I  
shall be very glad to  
go to you.

Hoping that this will  
find you in the best  
of health

I am

Very respectfully  
Your affec son  
L. J. Mallot

EDWARD S. SALOMON,  
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW,  
*We are*  
331 Montgomery St., Rooms 4 and 5.

83D.

San Francisco, August 13<sup>th</sup>, 1886.

Major General O.O. Howard.

Black Point.

My dear General.

To return on the Primary Election of the Republican Party in this City & County. A large number of soldiers at the different stations in the bay are registered voters of the 31<sup>st</sup> Assembly District of this City. I have been asked by the County Committee to request you to allow these soldiers to come over on the McPherson tomorrow to vote. Will and can you permit them to do so. I would be and so would our Committee very thankful, if it can be done.

About Your Message in to Thomas Post, I feel very sorry, although it cannot be helped now. I felt a great deal of pride in having my dearly beloved Commander of old days a member of the Post over which I have the honor to preside. 30 or 40 Comrades who knew of your intention of joining an Post have called for an explanation. I showed them Your letter and have made it all right very truly yours  
Edward Salomon

Salomon, Edward S.

Soldiers on the Islands  
of the Bay to be excused  
from duty to come to N.Y.  
to vote at Primary Elections

J.W.

831.

568 Eighteenth Street, Oakland, Cal. Aug. 14th 1886

Major General O. O. Howard,  
Commanding Pacific Division U. S. Army,  
Presidio of San Francisco, Cal.

Dear Sir:-

On behalf of the General Committee of Arrangements of the Veterans of the Mexican War, the Pioneers and other Societies, I desire to return our sincere thanks for your kindness in sending a Light Battery of Artillery to Monterey to fire the National salutes on the occasion of our Celebration of the 110th anniversary of American Independence and the 40th anniversary of the taking possession of California, and the raising of the American flag at Monterey by Commodore Sloat of the U. S. Navy in July 1846.

Your kindness in thus aiding us to make the affair a grand success will ever be remembered with gratitude and especially by the Veterans of the Mexican War of 40 years ago.

I have the honor to be

Respectfully Yours,

Edwin A. Sherman

*Chairman of the Committee of Arrangements.*

Oakland Cr. Aug 1st 1886

Sherman Et.

On behalf of Veterans Mexican War.  
thanks Genl H. for service of  
Light Battery 1<sup>st</sup> Arty  
at Celebration at Monterey Cal. July  
1886.

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568 Eighteenth Street, Oakland, Cal. Aug 14th 1886

Major General O. O. Howard.  
Commanding Pacific Division U. S. Army.  
Presidio of San Francisco, Cal.

Dear Sir:-

I take pleasure in notifying you of your election as an Honorary Member of the California Pioneer Society of Alameda, Contra Costa and adjacent Counties, in consideration of your kindness in sending a Light Battery of Artillery to Monterey to fire the National Salutes at the joint celebration of the 110th anniversary of American Independence and the 40th anniversary of the taking possession of California and the hoisting of the American flag at Monterey by Commodore John D. Sloat of the U. S. Navy in July 1846.

Your Honorary Membership to bear date of July 4th 1886.

Enclosed please find your badge which you are requested to wear on proper occasions, especially on those of the 9th of September the anniversaries of the date of the admission of the State of California into the Union.

I have the honor to be

Respectfully Yours.

Edwin H. Sherman.

Secretary.

Oakland Cal. Aug 14, 1886

Sherman E.A.

Adress Gen Howard of his election  
as Honorary Member. Cala  
Pioneer Society.

ans Aug 17, 1886.

Feb. 14<sup>th</sup> 1886

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Washington Aug. 14. 1886.

Gen. O. O. Howard.

Dear Genl:

I send you a couple of slips from the National Republican for your "Scrap Book" which I suppose Hayden still keeps with some portion. The controversy is going on in the public journals & am reminded of what Gen. H. A. Scott said in his reply to your article on Gettysburg - "The war over, the fight just begun". I suppose many of the old Comrades have called on you during the last few weeks. I wanted very much to go to San Francisco, but could not afford it. I wish to announce in this connection, that I have decided at the dignity of grandfather, as may has a succ' boy two months old, she lives at home, and we have plenty of "music in the air" when the young man gets hungry and calls the Commissariat to order. Things on the Hill

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negative  
and bright  
are very  
bright

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are quiet now. as to the College. as students  
and Professors are away on vacation. We got  
a very liberal appropriation for repairs, and  
Clarke Hall is to be furnished up a little—  
The trees have become so large now, that the  
Campus is beautiful. It dont look much  
as it did when we bought it. As soon as the  
Reservoir is finished, and the ditches around  
it perfected, our place will be a charming  
spot indeed. Now Coston is trying to sell  
the "Standard place". and I would sell mine  
if I had a good offer. as it is larger than I  
need now, with my reduced family—

The Doctor lives at his father in laws. and  
May and her husband may not be with  
us more than another year. Besides the  
house is too large for my wife to keep clean  
& in shape. We are all as well as usual, but  
begin to feel a little old. Although the war  
Clouded on our Mexican border made me  
feel wonderful young, especially as  
Gen. Mac Farley, told me to hunt up  
my uniform, and look over the

*Recd Reg  
Survey  
of  
Borneo*

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new Regulations, as he might need me.  
I see you have sold your store on the  
Island - that clears you out of property  
here does it not? I hope you will not for-  
get as however, even if you are not lon-  
ger bound to us by ties of property - our  
Church is enjoying a healthy degree of  
prosperity under the pastorate of Mr Newman.  
He is a man of an entirely different cast  
from Dr Remond, but nevertheless a sincere  
Earnest Christian - a good preacher, and  
excellent pastor. The old church has sent  
off several offshoots, which are doing well  
with prospects of future usefulness -  
I presume Dr Palmer has called on you,  
& has no doubt told you all about the  
wonderful strides the city is making,  
and how rapidly real estate is inhan-  
ting in value - Give our regards to  
Mrs Stonard, Slader, and the children.

Sincerely yours  
J.W. Galloch

Washington D.C.  
Aug 14. 1886.

Balloch, G.W.

Encloses certain slips  
from the National  
Republican.

Alls. Aug 23. 1886.

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Vancouver Aug 14<sup>th</sup> 1886

Dear General

I have given Mr. Whitcomb a letter of recommendation which will probably be sent to your Chief Quartermaster. He desires the position of Master of the McPherson. I believe him to be thoroughly competent. He is at present Master of the Stein Telephone running between Portland and Astoria. but suffers so much with malarial obnoxiousness he thinks he cannot remain on the Columbia River.

and desire a change of  
climate - He went to Cal-  
ifornia last year and  
recouped from his trouble  
but it has ~~the~~ appeared again.  
I wish this that his appli-  
cation may receive consid-  
eration which a word from  
you will insure.

Yours very truly  
James T. Gray

Genl Q.C. Howard

Cmd. Division of the Pacific