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Rev. J. H. WARREN, Superintendent,  
CENTRAL AND NORTHERN CALA, AND NEVADA.

7 MONTGOMERY AVENUE,

San Francisco, May 1<sup>st</sup> 1888

Dear General Howard—

Can you meet Dr Holbrook, Dr McLean—Dr Benton, Mr Rankin & two or three other representative Congregationalists next Monday 10<sup>30</sup> A.M. at the railroad building on 4<sup>th</sup> & Townsend Street, in the room of the Law Department?

An offer is made to the Congregationalists to take the Management of the new town of Naples near Santa Barbara—It means money & those who take it in hand—I want you & have

a show with the free - as well  
as to strengthen our cause in  
that growing & important  
section of the State - I ~~send~~  
mail you a <sup>descriptive</sup> Circular -

I have just come from there  
& can vouch for sky - land  
water - Climate &c &c -

Truly Yours  
J. H. Warren

J. H. Warren.



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1 TO 3 P. M.  
6:30 TO 7:30 P. M.

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707 McALLISTER STREET.

San Francisco, May 17<sup>th</sup> 1888.

Gen. O. O. Howard  
City.

Dear Sir;

Dr. Hannon has just enclosed me without any comment or explanation your reply to his invitation (given in accordance with my request) to address our congregation at Centenary Church on Children's Day on subject of Adult Bible Classes. Do not know whether he has replied; so I will say that we will certainly be pleased to have you come and we will see that you have time to reach your own class after enriching our feast with presence and thought.

Yours truly

M. F. Grove

Supt. Centenary S.S. of M. E. C. South.

W. J. Lane

W. J. Lane

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FOR MAGNETIC RECORD

Don't know what it is



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Gen O. O. Howard

Dear Sir & Bro:

Many thanks.

When a gallant soldier surrenders his own terms ought to be accepted.

We accept your conditions. It is the day of "small things" with us <sup>here</sup> - hence our need of a great man -

Yours

J. Hannum



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Howard

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WILLIAM E. DODGE,  
NEW YORK.

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An. May 24/88.

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May 17/88

11 CLIFF STREET,

My Dear Gen. Howard,

I remember with great pleasure my fortunate meeting with you in San Francisco and your kindly hospitality.

On my return to the City I find your letter of April 19<sup>th</sup> as to the Bogswell Fountain.

Before communicating with the Department of Parks, the Commissioners of which have charge of this matter, would you kindly inform me whether the Statue on the top of the Fountain is of Dr. Bogswell himself. If so, I fear it would prevent its acceptance by the City for very obvious reasons.

With kind regards to Mrs Howard and your Son,

I am, Very Truly Yours,

Major Gen. C. C. Howard

W. E. Dodge



W. E. Dodge

May 1872

Dear Mr. Bennett

I remember with great pleasure

your letter of April 19th and the opportunity

of my return to the City of

Washington.

Before communicating with the

Board of Directors the

which have charge of the matter,

would give them the information

on the tip of the mountain

of the Department.

I am sure that your

views by the City for very obvious

reasons.

With kind regards to Mrs. Bennett

and your own

Believe me very truly yours,

W. E. Dodge

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on the slopes back of the  
of California, eastward and  
extending to the richest mining  
and forest districts. These  
lands in soil and climate  
are better than the Southern  
California lands, free from  
frost and much better watered  
by large flowing rivers.

We have the only good harbor  
on the coast at Topolobampo  
and the freedom from duties will  
enable the delivery of Belgian rails  
at \$30. per ton and the completion  
of the first 35 miles at a cost  
of imported materials about equal  
to the subsidy. There are upon  
the ground over 100 colonists  
hardy American pioneers who are  
now self supporting, colonists of

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Newburyport, May 11, 1888.  
Maj. Gen. O. O. Howard.  
My dear friend:—

I see you are expected  
to take an interest in a revived  
charter of a R.R. in Mexico to  
run through Sinaloa. As I am  
connected with A. K. Owen, the  
President of the Mexican Construct-  
ion Co., Jesse Grant, Vice Pres<sup>t</sup>,  
Ex. Sec. Winsom, Rice, and other  
Directors I think it of mutual  
interest and advantage to tell you  
our plans and ask your aid to



prevent any collision of interests.  
President Grant became interested  
with Owen, Winslow and others and  
they obtained from the Mexican Gov-  
ernment the extraordinary concession  
known as the Texas, Topolobampo  
and Pacific R. R. and Telegraph  
Co. giving a charter and conces-  
sions as set forth in the books  
and papers, I have requested

Owen to send you. Our  
friends have expended about  
\$300,000. in securing surveys  
of the two thousand miles charter  
and expenditures incidental in  
the last twelve years. Parties  
in Boston and New York assisting.

There remains on hand \$94,080.

deposited with the Mexican Government  
to be returned <sup>to the American subscribers</sup> on the completion  
of the first 35 miles which is  
nearly ready for the iron, between  
Topolobampo harbor and the Huerta  
River, a smooth country.

The amt of cash subsidy to  
be paid by the Mexican govern-  
ment out of the Treasury is  
\$8,064. or \$282,240. for on  
the completion of the first 35  
miles.

The subsidies I believe  
amount to about \$16,000,000.  
in cash for the entire line and  
a land grant equivalent to about  
13,000,000 acres which land  
grant will prove exceedingly  
valuable as they are largely



of these things, but the  
and perhaps put you at  
the head of an enterprise with  
of your ability, qualifications and  
character.

I remain ever your friend.

E. M. Boynton

E. M. Boynton

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new Credit Foncier Co. thor-  
oughly in his interest; the ad-  
vance guard of over 5000 colo-  
nial Americans who have sub-  
scribed their names and several  
hundred thousand dollars for  
land and city interests as soon  
as the R. R. shall afford employ-  
ment and a base of operations.

All parties would like very  
much for you to become interested  
with us and we will try to make  
it as much for your interest as  
the other Co. can. Their subsidy  
I understand consists of Mexican  
bonds worth 25 cents on a dollar  
without the land and many other  
important concessions we have,  
provided <sup>if</sup> we complete our first  
section within one year from next



July.

I should be very happy to have you here in July at the opening of my railway and should like to have you visit me as long as it may be in your power to stay.

There is to be an unveiling of a colossal bronze statue of Gov. Josiah Bartlett, first signer of the declaration of independence on July 4<sup>th</sup> at Amesbury, Mass. Whittier writes a fine poem for the occasion, the State of Mass. at my request has just appropriated \$5000. to entertain the guests that day when the state receives

the statue from the donors and I will see that the Governor forwards you an official invitation which is to be given to all the Governors of the U.S.

As my children are direct descendants of Gov. Bartlett and I am the only person out of town on the Committee I take an interest and shall be happy to see yourself, Mrs. Howard and your son the Engineer at my home -

I hope if you have not, you will not connect yourself with that other enterprise as I hope after my railroad gets going in July to be in funds to





JOHN W. MURRAY,  
Vice Pres.

E. OELBERGIAN.  
President.

JAMES A. SILVEY,  
Secretary.

AGENCY  
German American Insurance Company

OF NEW YORK

G. W. BALLOCH, Agent,  
1006 F. Street.

Washington, D. C., May 18, 1888.

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

Dear Gen: Yours of Apr 19<sup>th</sup> enclosing a letter from John H. Crane to Dr Coggeswell about his funeral came in due time, and should have been answered long ago, but I could not get a chance to see our Commissioners until today. I have had a pleasant interview with Mr West the Chairman of the Board, who desires to be remembered to you. After my interview, at his request I have put the facts in writing to him and in a few days, I shall get a reply which I will send you. Mr Crane is a chronic sore head, and has been at loggerheads with the Commissioners for some time about the management of the Water Department. He was Water Registrar under Mayor Emery, and in his (Crane's) opinion there has nothing been done right since his administration. I think I can have the matter decided to the satisfaction of all. You are pleased

of remarkable tenacity  
to be its capacity to



Washington, D. C. May 12 1887



ALLOCH, Agent,  
5 F. Street.

The satisfaction of all of our  
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Vice Pres!

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President.

JAMES A. SILVER.  
Secretary.

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**German American Insurance Company**  
OF NEW YORK

W. LLOCH, Agent,  
15 F. Street.

Washington, D. C., 188

all of my ability in supplying your Corin-  
ds with some a Brace during the war. Things  
are different - Then, I knew that I had you,  
your entire Command behind me, to  
me up. We are all pretty well, but growing  
a little. I am kept pretty busy in a miscellaneous  
of allay. don't get very rich, but manage to get  
ing. Dr. Rankin has been in the City a week, and  
athel for us last Sunday. had a full house;  
also a reception at Jerome Johnsons on Tuesday.  
The Doctor is looking finely, and preaches with  
his old time vein. We are going to send over  
Pastor. Dr. Newman to attend the World's Missionary  
meeting in London, he sails on the 29<sup>th</sup> of this month.  
Paul Eaton (the Colours Son) joined the Church a  
few weeks ago. It was very touching to me, and  
brought back his father so vividly. Remember  
us to Mrs. Howard & the Children. Blaine  
& Depew is out of it - Sincerely  
W. B. Alcock







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am. May 25.

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Newburyport May 18, '88.  
Maj. Gen. O. O. Howard,  
My dear friend,

I send you  
a clipping from the local  
paper which imperfectly in-  
dicates the railroad progress.

Some very excellent people  
are associated and I think  
the success of the R. R. is as-  
sured. My object in suppressing  
all notice by the newspapers  
up to this date was not to inter-  
fere with my obtaining patents

At Newburyport -  
our friends at Andover are  
directed by him to send  
me your statement to New B.  
from the local office -  
This is appended in order  
very truly  
O. O. Howard



in foreign ~~pat~~ countries, the most  
of which are secured.

Dr. Jas. B. Bell of Boston and  
A. R. Owen of New York are as-  
sociate directors, ~~giving~~ three  
being the smallest number al-  
lowed under the New Jersey act  
of incorporation.

Dr. Bell paid in \$10,000. in  
cash for his stock and others  
have bought sufficient at fifty  
dollars per share to insure the  
completion of our plans.

Our engraved certificates of  
stock fully paid will be ready  
for exchange June 1<sup>st</sup> with  
the certificate holders and  
if you want your ten thousand

at  $\frac{1}{10}$  the par value fully paid  
you will please send for the  
same. Not one share has  
been given away and none  
sold except at the higher price,  
the price to the Boston syndicate  
being \$50. per share, - five  
times your price, as you can  
ascertain from Messrs. Jackson  
and Greedy over Howard Nat.  
Bank, Exchange Place, Devon-  
shire St., Boston.

I will write you another  
letter to go with this regarding  
the Mexican American Construc-  
tion Co. Yours ever

EWB Ogden



# BOYNTON'S RAILROAD.

## The Principle of the Bicycle Applied to Locomotives and Cars.

An Experimental Train Now Being Built at Russell's Machine Shop—Probabilities that It Will Be Set Up on the Salisbury Beach Railroad—A New Principle of Transportation.

At the foundry and machine shop of Albert Russell & Son is being made a locomotive engine unlike any before made by this or any other firm. It is designed to run on the new "bicycle railway," which is the invention and idea of Hon. E. Moody Boynton of West Newbury. Of this idea we have before spoken at length. The tracks are not both laid on the ground as we commonly see them. One is laid on the ground and the other is laid on the underside of a framework which is above and directly over the lower track. The engine and cars have wheels on the bottom and double tracks above. In this way the whole is steadied on the rail and cannot fall over nor off the track. It is expected that great speed will be attained on account of the comparative lightness of the train and also because of the loss of friction. The idea is patented in every country in Europe as well as in the United States and other nations of the Western hemisphere.

The working plans cover about eighteen sheets and are pronounced by the manufacturing firm to be the finest they have ever seen. This is not strange when we consider that they are made by Charles Carver of Boston, the leading mechanical engineer of New England. From looking over the plans we present a general description of this novel engine. The engine is 41 feet over all, that is from the end of the cow catcher to the rear of the tender. The engine, cab and tender are all in one solid piece. In the widest part the engine is only 44 inches wide. It has one driving wheel which is 8 feet in diameter. From the centre of this wheel to the centre of the rear trucks is 20 feet and 4 inches. All the wheels are to be made of cast steel with heavy steel tires shrunk on. The tire will have two deep flanges so as to keep the machine from leaving the track. The cylinders will be 14x12 inches. Under the tender will be a two-wheel truck while all the overhead trucks will have two wheels. Riveted to and around the boiler will be a strong frame which will carry the forward overhead truck of the engine. In it will be the bell, and the whole will not be so wide that it will at all obstruct the view of the engineer. Sixteen feet will measure the distance between the rails. Already the contract for the boiler has been given. It calls for a boiler 13 feet long, 42 inches in diameter, and with 96 tubes. Beneath the center of this the end driver will be put. But the distance from the lower rail to the bottom of the boiler not being 8 feet, the diameter of the driving wheel, there will be a depression in the centre of the length of the boiler deep enough to allow the erection of the wheel. The upper trucks have small guard trucks on each side which rest securely in powerful springs so that in case the train attempts to lean from the perpendicular it will be easily and firmly checked.

Another re of the engine will turn. It is claimed it can turn around a curve of its own length. There is no possible chance for the train to leave the track, so perfect safety in all its movements is guaranteed. The unusual rate of speed of 100 or 200 miles an hour is promised.

The crank of the engine is unlike that in any other. It is a regular bicycle crank, the pedal rod being fastened to the crank, in just the place where the pedal of the road machine is attached. This will give an enormous leverage and power.

The patterns for the castings are nearly completed, three men having been kept busy at them for some time. Quite a number of the castings are done, and there will also be a great deal of forging done.

The cars will be of steel, light and strong, and will have a seating capacity of 100 persons, and the seats will be lengthwise. Mr. Boynton has been given permission to use the Hampton end of the beach railway to try his train which will be ready in about two and a half months.

Mr. Boynton expects to revolutionize the present railway system and erect his overhead track over them, and use both rails of each track as we now find them, for the reason being that two of his trains can pass for they are so narrow. With his cars 48 inches wide it gives 22 inches each side of the rail. The gauge of the present beach road is 4 feet, 8 1/2 inches, which give 28 1/2 inches from middle of rail to middle of track. Twenty-two inches taken from this leaves 6 1/4 inches from edge of bicycle car to middle of track. Double this and we have 12 1/2 inches between the passing trains. So, it is readily seen, that the old roads will not be a dead loss, after all.

Stock is taken in Newburyport, Haverhill, Boston, New York, Paris and other cities. By the first of August, if all goes well, our citizens will probably see the trial road in full operation.

Northern Pacific railroad systems of eulogy. His life work could lead him to scout the complete change expected in the one hundred thousand million U. S. railroad property. The motion of the grooved bi- applied to railways does not any more than that a wide wise or a similarly construct- ge is many fold lighter and same capacity. Several rail- arranged for license and re will be an undoubted ex- tem in practical use. Gen. Boynton as follows:

NEW YORK, Nov. 19, 1887.

Dear Sir: I read your paper on the Boynton with much interest, and to subscribe to all the estimated without full and care- at the same time I am not at your expectations may not realized by an application of m. Success will depend upon ment of details and the ad- ertions to meet strains. Some also be required to determine and other data for calculation. fully,

H. HAUPT, Civil Engineer.



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 ED TO THE FORM.  
 from Distinguished Men  
 E. Moody Boynton's New

Boynton is so closely related to our city through social and business ties that he becomes practically a Newburyport man; and whatever of public interest attaches to his movements is always read with a good deal of pleasure here. Just now Mr. Boynton's bicycle railway system is the prevailing topic of interest among prominent railroad men and engineers, and he is constantly receiving letters of commendation from such not only in this country, but from abroad. Among the latest is one from J. L. Boulange, C. E., a distinguished engineer, recently from DeLesseps' canal; he has been employed on national works in France and other countries, and has received the high salary of fifty thousand francs per year. His education, social and scientific standing, are widely known and give great weight to his opinions. He writes:

Hon. Eben Moody Boynton, President of Boynton Bicycle Railroad.

Dear Sir—I have read with a serious attention and a great deal of pleasure the descriptive "memoire" presented by your patents for the "Bicycle railway system." I have examined with great care the drawings adjoined to said memoire. I have come to the decision that your ingenious combination meets in every respect the wants of the ever increasing development of commerce and industry, and therefore the necessity of frequent and rapid intercourse. You have notably increased the ratio of carrying capacity to weight of trains and reduced frictions and dead weight. In one word, your system of "Bicycle railways," uniting to economy and simplicity, safety the most complete, will, I have not the least doubt, be universally adopted in a very short time.

I am, dear sir, very truly yours,

J. L. BOULANGE,  
 Civil Engineer, formerly Engineer for the Construction of French National Railways, recently of the Panama Canal.

Gen. Haupt who was president of the U. S. Military Railroad Board during the war, chief engineer and general superintendent of the Pennsylvania railroad system, and later superintendent of the Northern Pacific railroad system, needs no words of eulogy. His life work and experience would lead him to scout the possibility of a complete change expected in the rolling stock of nine hundred thousand million dollars worth of U. S. railroad property. The ease and economy of motion of the grooved bicycle principle applied to railways does not admit of question any more than that a wide plank turned edgewise or a similarly constructed railway carriage is many fold lighter and stronger for the same capacity. Several railroads have been arranged for license and within a year there will be an undoubted extension of the system in practical use. Gen. Haupt writes Mr. Boynton as follows:

NEW YORK, Nov. 19, 1887.

Hon. E. Moody Boynton:

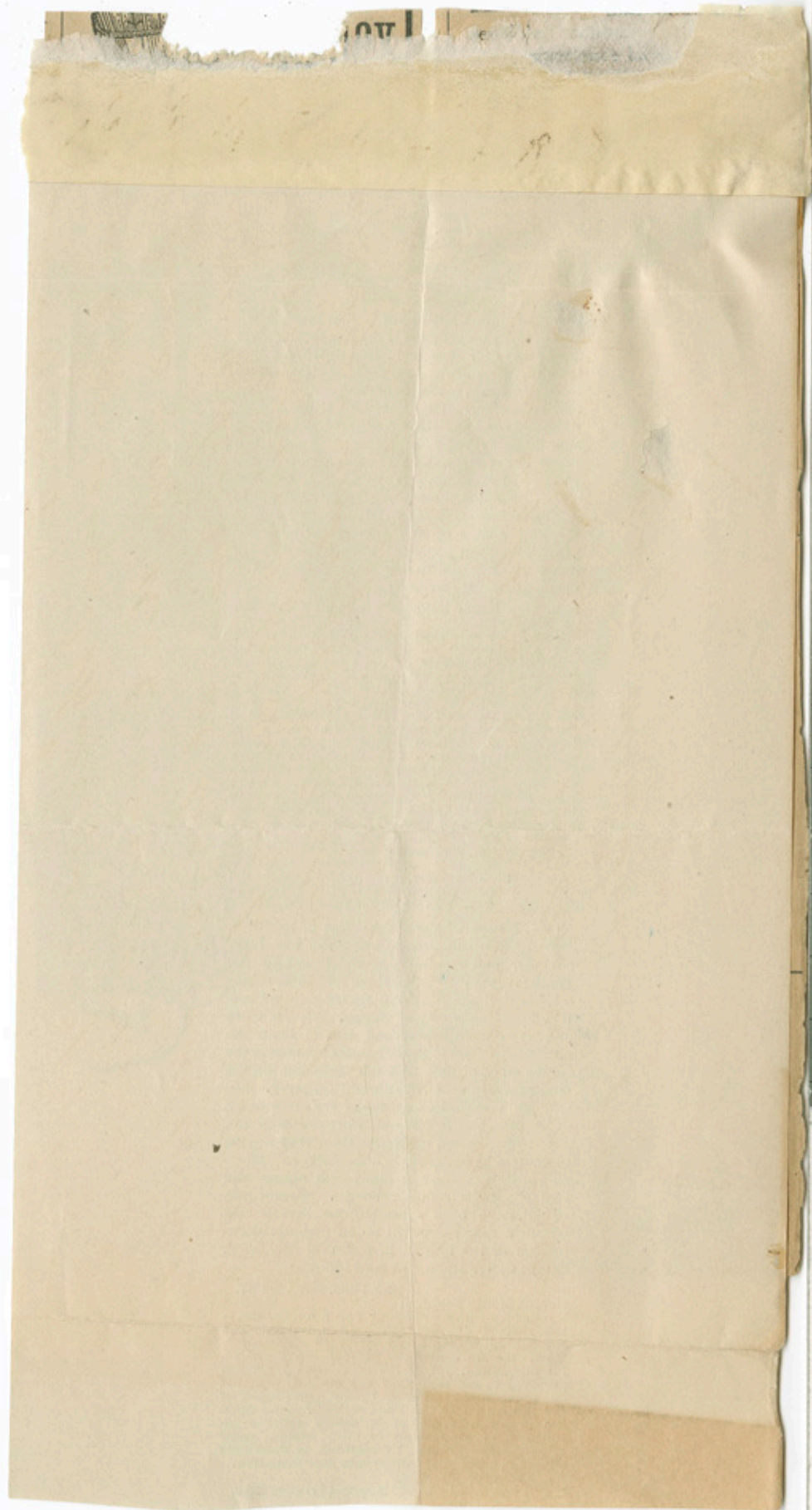
Dear Sir—I have read your paper on the Boynton Bicycle Railroad with much interest, and although unwilling to subscribe to all the estimates therein contained without full and careful calculation, yet at the same time I am not prepared to say that your expectations may not be substantially realized by an application of the proposed system. Success will depend upon the proper arrangement of details and the adjustment of proportions to meet strains. Some experiments will also be required to determine adhesion, traction and other data for calculation.

Yours respectfully,

H. HAUPT, Civil Engineer.

*Handwritten note:*  
 A regular pair  
 of good engine  
 wheels  
 June 1st  
 1888







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on May 20

30. E. 63 Cr.

N. Y. May: 18. 88

Dear General

We have prepared the work  
mentioned in the circular for the general  
welfare & offer it at about cost.

I venture to ask that you will bring the  
matter to the notice of any officers or  
citizens whom you may think take an  
interest in the subject

Sincerely yours  
Amos B. Fry

Wm: You: Womans  
San Francisco



Wm. B. Smith  
H. L.

THE J. B. SMITH

22 Aug. 1828

Dear Sir

The last paper to me  
contains a list of names  
which I have not yet  
received. I will send you  
the list when I receive it.  
I am, Sir, very  
respectfully,  
Yours,  
Wm. B. Smith

Wm. B. Smith  
H. L.

Wm. B. Smith  
H. L.



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de. May 24th

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Denver, Colo., July 19 1888

Gen. O. O. Howard  
San Francisco, Cal.

Dear Uncle Otis:-

I sent you yesterday a photo.  
of Helen, my wife, to go with the one  
you have of me. The picture is the  
best she ever had and is very natural.  
We have just returned from a three weeks  
trip to Salt Lake City and Western Colo. Had  
a very delightful time & Helen enjoyed it  
very much. Wish we could have kept on  
to San Francisco & called on you. I am  
with the Western Pub. Co. and my trip  
was for them in the interests of the  
D & R G R.R. working up a little book  
called the Tourist's Hand Book, a  
guide to Colorado, Utah & New Mexico.  
We were very glad to hear yesterday



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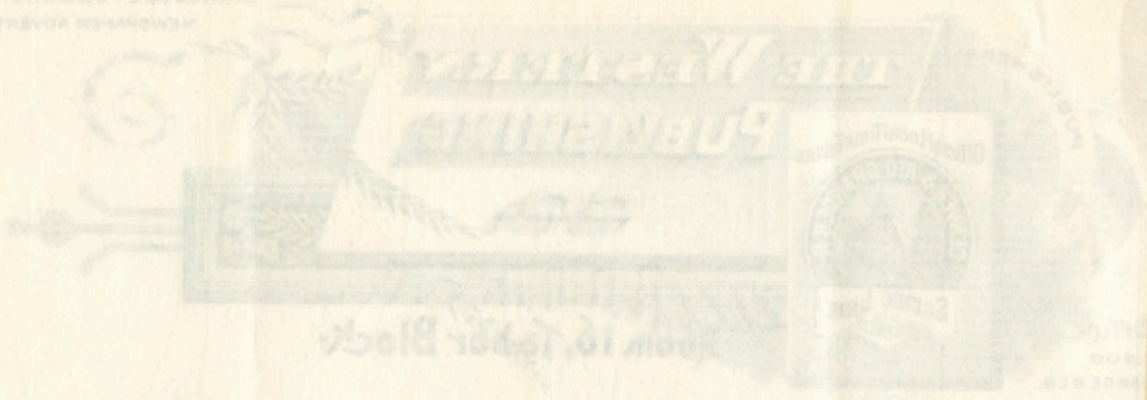
Denver, Colo., \_\_\_\_\_ 188

That Grandma is better and able to  
be about her room. Father and family  
have moved from West Medford to  
Arlington about 3 miles. David is  
well and doing well in his profession.  
We came east with Mr William E Dodge  
Jr. of New York who said he was a  
friend of yours and had just left San  
Francisco. Love to Aunt Fizzie and the  
children

Your affectionate nephew  
O. O. Howard



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*C. C. Stewart*

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A. P. HOPKINS, President.  
 WM. G. MAUL, Vice President.  
 ALFRED MILLARD, Cashier.  
 F. B. BRYANT, Asst. Cashier.

Omaha, Nebraska, May 19 1881

My dear O. O. Havant  
 San Francisco.

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In reply to your letter May 14<sup>th</sup>  
 Mr. Washburn says he would  
 like these shares but has no  
 money and can't think of a purchase.  
 You probably know that the Mother  
 Company will hereafter participate  
 in the profits of this Nebraska  
 Company as dividends will be  
 light - If you I cannot get  
 anything like what you want (not  
 over 85 cents) or you must make  
 some other disposition of the shares  
 Yr. v. Alfred Millard



Alfred Hill

My dear Mr. Hill  
I have just received your letter of the 19th inst. and am glad to hear that you are well and happy. I am also well and hope these few lines will find you the same. I am very busy at present but will try to write you more often. I am, dear Mr. Hill, very truly yours,  
Alfred Hill



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GOLDEN STATE  
MILLS

411.

San Quentin, May 19, 1886

Maj. Gen. O. O. Howard

Dear Sir & Brother

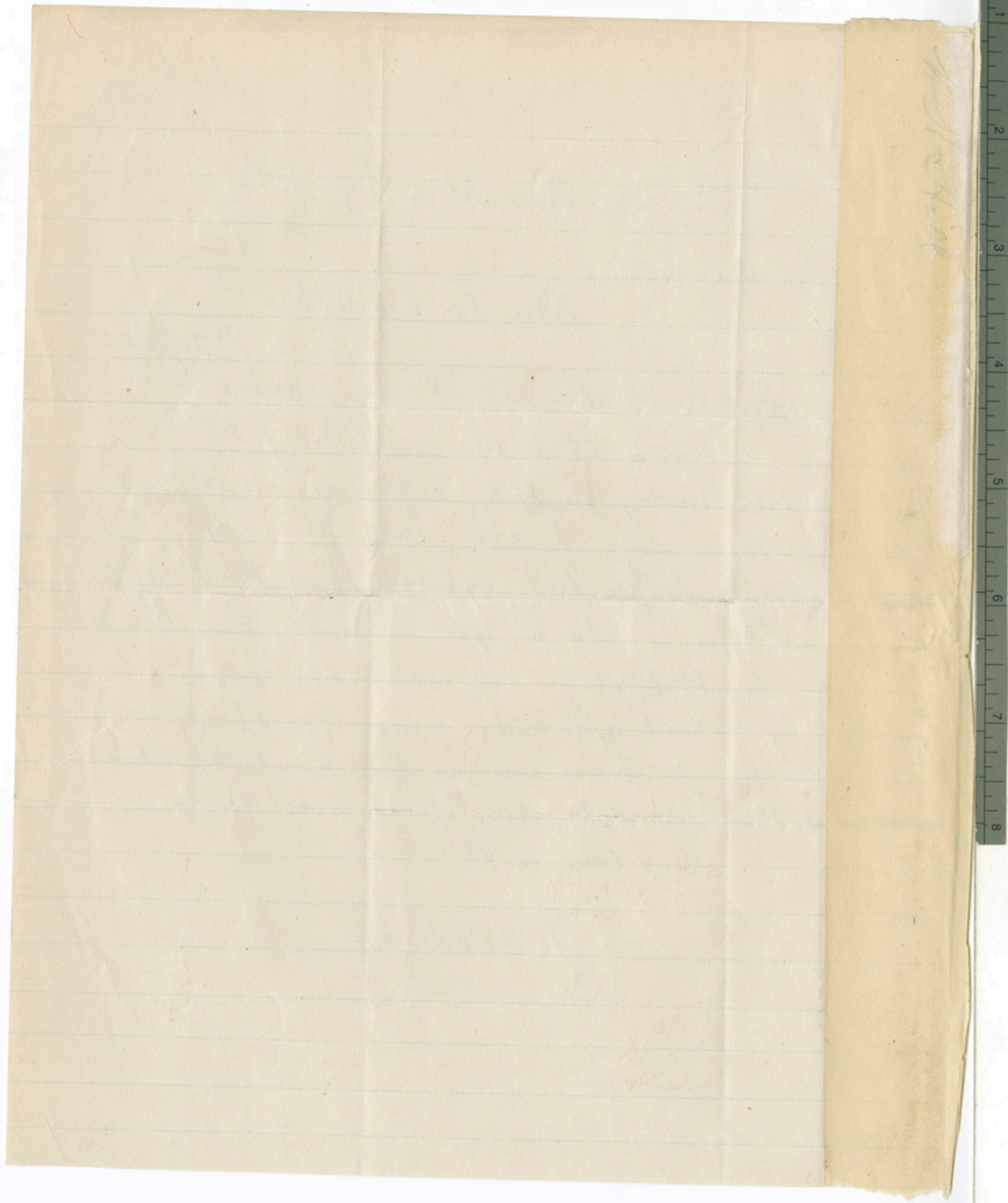
Your favor

of the 15th is at hand. I am more than  
pleased to know that you will (D.V.) be here  
on the 1st Sunday in July, & I will mark you  
down for that day. I am sure that you will  
meet with a cordial welcome from the Prisoners,

I will drop you a note, the week  
previous to that day, suggesting the hour &  
train by which you will come. We shall only  
be too happy, to have you as our guest at that  
time, & Mrs. Howard also, if she will come,  
Yours Bro in Xt

Wm. H. Hill







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Minneapolis, Minn.  
May 21<sup>st</sup> 1888.

General:

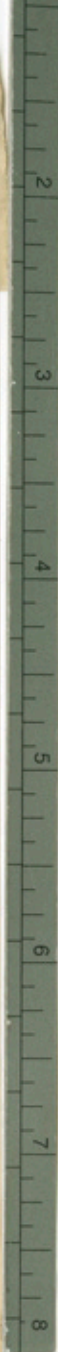
I have a large collection of autograph letters of military interest, given me by my father, Gen. Patrick, whom you doubtless remember. In it I am specially desirous of including all prominent graduates of West Point. Of yourself I have only a signature upon a card. Can you not favor me with an autograph letter? It would greatly add to the interest of the collection, and I should appreciate your kindness. I remain, General,

Very Respy Yours,  
G. B. Patrick.

Gen. O. O. Howard,  
San Francisco,  
Cal.



C. B. Patrick





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Maj Gen. O. O. Howard

San Francisco Cal

My Dear General

I am

to Council Bluffs & 14 & 15<sup>th</sup>  
we tried the case. & we won  
it. Flickenger says he will  
take the case to the Sup Court.  
I think it will do him no  
good, as he has no case  
The whole cost are \$66.65  
I am very glad that we  
have gained our case. &  
hope that they cannot  
succeed in having a new  
trial. Mrs Bray is well &  
joins with me in best wishes  
for you. Do you know where  
Skiles is now; yours truly  
J. B. Bray



Cherry

1833

*[Faint, mostly illegible handwritten text, likely bleed-through from the reverse side of the page. Some words like "Cherry" and "1833" are visible.]*



to teach, but I think I will  
send them away. What is use  
for me to work for people who  
are forever talking about me.  
Gen knows, My people have  
always talked about me. This  
talk has broken me down,  
and I do not care whether  
I live or die. It is useless for  
me to try to stand against the  
World. Gen knows how many  
Husbands I have had. I did  
answered all that has been  
said, but a thought came to  
me that it was no use. So I  
wrote this.

Your Humble Servant  
Sarah Hoppins

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Leuchbeck Mass.

May 21 1888

Dear Friend,

Your very  
welcome letter is at hand  
and I assure you. My Dear  
Friend. I am lost to know what  
to say. I am indeed very much  
surprised to get such reports  
about my self. What can I do. or  
say. it seems to me that all  
I might say will do any good.  
These men who have said all  
these things about me are my  
most bitter enemies. You  
say it all. when you say they  
are my enemies. If I could have  
all these men brought together  
& then could have my say too.



But as it is, it is impossible for  
me to do any thing. And Dear  
Friend. if I had the means.  
I would shamefully have all the  
men rested for this shameful  
Slander. If this could be done, I  
then would have some show.  
But as it is, these lies must go  
before the people, and I cannot  
help my self. All the Indian  
men you speak of, are nothing  
but Cold Blooded Murderers.  
that are talking about me, and  
I can prove it. It is just like  
it was, during the Bannack War.  
My Dear Friend. Gen. Howard.  
thought that the Unratilla  
Indians were helping the troops.  
and were good Indians. and I  
told him. they were doing more  
murders than the Bannacks.  
But Gen. did not think so. &

I was the one told Gen. what to  
do, after Bannack War was over.  
to rest all their chiefs. He  
would find out. He him self  
knows, whether I told him.  
the truth or not. I talk this  
way, because the men who are  
talking about me are like those  
Indians who made Gen think  
they are good, by talking about  
me to all the white people. If  
I could only get the men together  
Gen would know what kinds  
of men they are. You speak of  
these men been my enemies.  
They are, they <sup>are</sup> worst of Indian  
men in Canada. They are Cold  
Blooded Murderers. Dear Friend.  
if I had money. I would come  
down to see the Gen. My self.  
but I cannot. I have commenced  
my school, I have 10 children



MEMORANDUM.

To Gen. O. O. Howard  
Phelan Bldg.  
May 21/88

FROM

Young Men's Christian Association,

BUILDING, 232 SUTTER STREET,

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.

Dear General:-

I suppose you remember that you are to go to Mrs. North-  
up's to dinner tonight. She expects you to meet me here at half  
past five and come out to her house. And you are down to lead the  
Noonday Prayer Meeting tomorrow as per enclosed card. You see I  
am using you a good deal these days.

Very sincerely yours,

H. M. W. C. A.



MEMORANDUM

FROM

Young Men's Christian Association

BUILDING, 222 SIXTH STREET  
SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.

*C. C. Howard*  
*Wm. B. W.*  
*Wm. B. W.*

*Wm. B. W.*

General:-

I suppose you remember that you are to go to Mrs. North-  
to dinner tonight. She expects you to meet me here at half  
past five and come out to her house. And you are down to lead the  
Friday Prayer Meeting tomorrow as per enclosed card. You see I  
wishing you a good rest these days.

Very sincerely yours,

*Wm. B. W.*