WAR DEPARTMENT, QUARTERMASTER GENERAL'S OFFICE, WASHINGTON.

November 28th, 1891.

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My Dear General,

Yours of the 25th is received. It is only recently that my attention was called to the appropriation for the Signal Service for the present fiscal year. which provides for the pay of civilian operators and other military telegraph employes. By reason of this the Quartermaster's Department has no longer the authority to hire civilian operators, and General Greely has been asked to take charge of them. He has the power to retain the present operator or to assign

the duty to a Signal Service Sergeant.

Yours sincerely,

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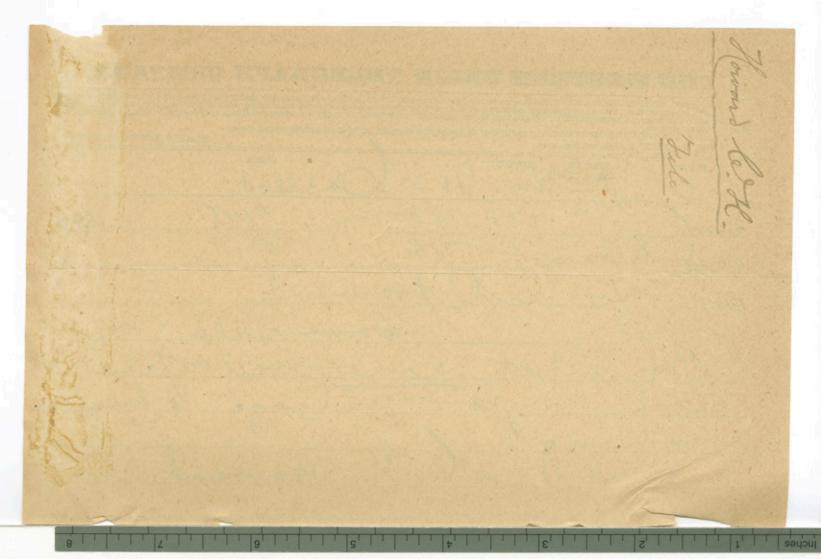
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Gen. O. O. Howard, c o War Dept, Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir: --

We are making the most elaborate preparations for Sabbath services throughout the summer of 1893 at Harvey, Illinois, where has been established a head-quarters for temperance people, church people farmers' alliance folks and reformers generally. Whatever the World's Fair authorities may choose to do regarding the opening of the Fair on Sunday, the people who will choose to make their home during the World's Fair at Harvey will be among those who could not be induced to attend a Sunday Exposition. These meetings will be in charge of a special committee, whose names are given above, all of whom have promised their hearty co-operation and support of this undertaking, and whose names are used with their express authority in this connection.

The plan has the endorsement of every religious, temperance, agricultural and reform paper in the City of Chicago. These meetings will be attended by many thousands of the most intelligent visitors at the World's Fair, and from every portion of the world, and will be addressed only by the most eminent teachers, clergymen and other public Appointments will be made under the special direction of the committee on public meetings as it appears at the head of this

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letter. With their special direction to do so, I write to say that we are anxious to engage you for an address at some time during the summer session, and to state that we will consult your convenience in fixing date.

Will you state to us whether we can obtain you for such an address. The subject you will be at liberty to choose yourself, only that it should such as would be consistent with the usages and associations of that day.

Awaiting your favors, we are,

Yours very truly,

Secretary.

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General O. O. Howard,

Governor's Island, New York Harbor, N. X.
My Dear General Howard: --

Please do not forget that the Loyal Legion meets Wednesday evening. I shall try to make a McPherson night of it: and as you were in West Peint with him, I hope you will be there and prepared to say about him some of the many pleasant things which he so richly deserved.

Very truly yours,

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Dear General. Washington, D. C., Nev 31. 1891

Yours of Oct. 26' with a copy of the Independent Came in due time. Hor Noyes of the Star is in Europe, but & have this morning - after Several Visits to the Star office - Succeeded in seeing his Son, who manages in his father abscence. I stated the matter tohow in afew words. and he looked our the achile and said would see what he Coned do, and he Could not publish it ni just its present Shape would give the substance of it " That is the May it now Hances. If you have not alundy sent the paper to Dr Runken please as so, in once that it may appear ni full ni the College paper & shall be the Doctor tonight about it - I know how deeply you sympathise with Mis Gomery in this matter, and & know & no. You and I haveing had a little Expensive of that Kind. can Sympathise with her as others Cumot. at the time of the Sencetors death I had a long

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