

Steamer Transp.

V Chap Amos,
GV - Genesis.

VIII Chap Isaiah

LXI Chap Isaiah. ³²

CXV.

XIII 1st Corinthians.

St. John - Baptist's Day - June 24 - 1892,
Lake Survey, Okanogan Co; Wash.

Maj. General Howard,
Commanding Governor's Island N.Y.
My kind loyal & true friend.

Put aside your
Sword and read what this pen traces
as wielded by General Francis Marion
- "the Swiftest" - Grand son - whose original
Orion descendent Richelieu respected
and Louis XIV feared. See History of France.

Refer to St. Louis "messenger book"
(Copies) sent you from this point in 1884
by special messenger of your order then.

A great and impending Chinese war
danger is imminent. Violated treaty.

St. Peter of Rome and St. Paul of Westminster
have Coalesced. So have NW, SW, NE & S E.

Secretly concentrate forces in
Montana, Idaho and Washington.

In times of treason - examine
your cartridges - about $\frac{1}{2}$ are non-
explosive from dampth of atmosphere.

Rather a rain-soaked "Round head"
is given us. Cleveland is in the soup.

Reciprocity is first trade in the
interest of Carnegie's Colonies of the Brit-
ish Union controlling Wall Street, Lombard
Street, London, and Pittsburg - Atlanta of
King Georgia. Blaine is with the Pope.

I have had long interviews
in 800 miles scout among High Commis-
sioners.

It is a unanimity of conviction and
concentration of feeling. "War!" "War!"

Common laws - special legislation -
common taxation - and oppression of the
Dark races - Indian - Mexican and Chinaman.

It will end in a race war.

It is openly advocated as a necessity by
political leaders. You know the rest.

- ELSIS -

2
J. B. Haggins,
50. Nevada Block.

W

423.

San Francisco Cal. June 24 1892

Genl. O. O. Howard
New York.

Dear Sir,

There is some activity just now in buying and selling lands in the "Weed Patch", in anticipation of the building of the East Side canal. Of course it is chiefly speculative. Persons have asked me if you would sell your land there. As they repeat their inquiries I thought it due you I should write you.

Prices for land similar to yours, range from \$10. to \$20. per acre. I believe I can get \$15. per acre for yours, possibly more. If this would be any object to you, kindly advise me. In view of parties now seeking lands, it might be well for you to wire me your views as well as write fully by mail.

There is no question that your land & others of like merit, will increase considerably in value after the canal is built.

Very truly yours,
L. C. McFie

Ms. A. 9. 2. 6.

Dear Sir,
Rev. O. O. Howard
New York.

There is some activity just now in buying and selling lands in the "West Point" in anticipation of the building of the East Side Canal. Of course it is chiefly speculative. Persons have asked me if you would sell your land there. So they repeat their inquiries I thought it due you I should write you. Prices for land similar to yours range from \$10. to \$20. per acre. I believe I can get \$12. per acre for yours, possibly more. If this would be any object to you, kindly advise me and in view of parties now seeking lands, I might be well for you to work up your views as well as write fully by mail. There is no question that your lands of like merit, will increase considerably in value after the canal is built.

Very truly yours,
J. O. M. L.

Rev. O. O. Howard
New York

Mayle. Annie P.



427
Charlotte N.C.
June 24th 1892

My dear friend

I have waited
all this time, hoping
that you would either
write to me, telling me
something about Rowland
or that I would see
something in the papers
about him, but as I
have not heard I
thought I would write
and find out whether
he lived and whether

My Mother
of 805 North
D Street
Charlotte

Mrs Howard has returned home; My health does not seem so good as it used to be, but I miss about one hundred and forty. This is pretty good for one who has twelve grand children, the times are so large that it is so very hard for us to get along, but I am in hopes after the election that things will brighten up. I wish you would have your picture with Mrs Howard,

taken and send me. For I would dearly love to look upon the face of two of my most loved friends, and ones who I never shall forget. I would be pleased to hear from you often as it seems to cheer me up in my days of poverty. Love to Mrs H. And receive a great share for yourself. I remain yours most truly
Annie P. Mayle

NORTHERN NEW YORK CONFERENCE.

FIRST
METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.

REV. ADDIS ALBRO, D. D.,

PASTOR.

RESIDENCE, NO. 8 HOWARD AVENUE.

June 25, '92.
UTICA, N. Y.,

Gen. O. O. Howard,

New York City.

Dear Sir and Brother,-

I write to most cordially and earnestly request you to come to Utica to spend Sunday, July 3rd next, with us in the interests of the Soldiers of this vicinity. I have invited all of them to attend a special service to be held in our church on that occasion, it being the anniversary of the Battle of Gettysburg in which a large number of the old Soldiers of this section were engaged and in which some were wounded. It will be a great day and I trust an opportunity will be had to reach a large number and help them to acknowledge Christ. Many of them never go to church except on such an occasion as the one contemplated. I am sure you would be able to do them great good by coming to speak to them in the evening of that day. I have agreed to address them in the morning of that day. May we not have the pleasure and profit of your presence and words on that day? I sincerely hope that we shall receive an

early and favorable reply?

Most Cordially Yours;

Addis Ababa.

You will doubtless recollect meeting me at Chicago at the
the Hearing before the National Commissioners of the
World's Columbian Exposition last September.
Sunday, July 3rd next, with us in the interests of the
Soldiers of this vicinity. I have invited all of
them to attend a special service to be held in our
church on that occasion, it being the anniversary of
the Battle of Gettysburg in which a large number of
the old Soldiers of this section were engaged and in
which some were wounded. It will be a great day and
I trust an opportunity will be had to reach a large
number and help them to acknowledge Christ. Many of
them never go to church except on such an occasion
as the one contemplated. I am sure you would be
able to do them great good by coming to speak to them
in the evening of that day. I have agreed to address
them in the morning of that day. May we not have
the pleasure and profit of your presence and words on
that day? I sincerely hope that we shall receive an

LAW OFFICES OF

Wm E
MORRIS & KEANE
No. 23 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK.

WILLIAM E. MORRIS,
ALBANY, N.Y.

New York, June 27th, 1892.

Major General O.O. Howard,

Governor's Island,

N.Y. Harbor, N.Y.

My Dear General:-

The "United States Regular Army and Navy Veterans" will hold their National Convention in Phila. Pa. at 10.30 A.M. on July 4th, 1892, and the "Philip H. Sheridan Command No. 1" of which you are an honorary member, will leave in a body at 6 A.M. on that day via. the Reading System. Before doing so however, they will raise ~~the~~ flag at Battery Park at reveille, and will be very much pleased if you will cause a National Salute to be fired there, same as last year.

The Command has directed me to extend to you an invitation to accompany us to the Convention at Phila. as their guest, and I assure you that every member of the organization will be highly honored, if your official duties will permit you to accept.

I remain,

Very respectfully yours,

Wm E Morris

5763 A.E. '92.

New York City,
June 27, '92.

Morris, Wm E.

Sarge P. K. Sheridan Command No. 1, U. S. R. I. & N. V. will attend their National Convention at Philadelphia on July 4, but before doing so will raise the flag at Battery Park and would be much pleased if a National salute were fired there; extends invitation of Command to Genl. Howard to accompany them to Philadelphia as their guest, etc.

Recd! W. E. June 28, '92.

June 28, 1892

Copy furnished to the Commanding Officer of Fort Columbus, who will send, at the proper time, a detachment of men, and at least two guns, to fire the salute at Battery Park.

Very respectfully yours,
Wm E. Morris

A. G. FAY,
S. V. C.
Montpelier.

E. T. MONAHAN,
Adjutant,
Burlington.

(8)
H. S. FOSTER, Commander,
Burlington.

W. H. HEADLE,
J. V. C.
Danby.

LEONARD FISKE,
Quartermaster,
Burlington.

Vermont Division Sons of Veterans



T. T. LAMPHERE, Chief of Staff, Calais.
G. O. WEBSTER, Surgeon, St. Albans.
R. C. SEARING, Chaplain, Arlington.
E. T. GRISWOLD, Inspector, Bennington.
F. W. SAULT, Mustering Officer, West Randolph.

H. C. HERRICK, Judge Advocate, Vergennes.
C. G. ANDREWS, Sergeant Major, Burlington.
E. E. ABBOTT, Q. M. Sergeant, Burlington.
G. W. KEELER, Color Sergeant, Burlington.

U. S. A.

DIVISION COUNCIL:

H. O. BIXBY, J. B. RIPLEY,
Chelsea, St. Johnsbury.
W. H. BOYD,
Montreal.

Burlington, Vermont,

June 28, 1892.

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

Dear Sir:-

You are cordially invited
to attend the Tenth Annual Encampment of the Vermont Division,
Sons of Veterans, at Brandon, Vermont, July 6th and 7th, 1892.
Your presence is especially desired at the Grand Camp Fire, to be
held on the evening of July 7th. Earnestly hoping to receive a
favorable response, I am

Yours very respectfully,

H. S. Foster,

Division Commander.

(Dictated)



John H. J.

HEADQUARTERS



U. S. A.

June 28, 1892.

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

Dear Sir:-

You are cordially invited

to attend the Tenth Annual Encampment of the Vermont Division,
Sons of Veterans, at Brandon, Vermont, July 6th and 7th, 1892.
Your presence is especially desired at the Grand Camp Fire, to be
held on the evening of July 7th. Warmly hoping to receive a

favorable response, I am

Yours very respectfully,

O. O. Howard

Division Commander.

(Dictated)

Langdon L. L.

See

Headquarters First Regiment U. S. Artillery,

418

Fort Hamilton New York Harbor,

June 28th 1892.

My Dear General Howard-

I hasten to tell you that Captain Andrus was all right the whole time of my absence, and he presents no appearance of having been otherwise - Indeed he looks remarkably well - It may be that I was entirely mistaken and that I was quite too

anxious - I am
very happy in
being able to say
this because he
has never given
me any cause for
anxiety since we
have been on this
Coast -

Very Respectfully
Yours.

Samuel A. Langdon
Col 1st Art
N. Y. A.

Murdock R. Kenney.

44V2
2118 Golden Gate Ave. San Francisco
California. June 28th 1892

Dear General Howard,

I must write
to thank you for your kindness, and to
say how deeply I appreciate your
uniform kindness and generosity. I
am making a short visit with my
mother, but shall return to Walnut Creek
this week. I am happier than I have
been at any time since my husband
died, and I always try hard to look
on the bright side of everything.

I shall probably fail in securing an
increase of pension, because General
McCook has refused to help me.

He is at present absent from Los Angeles,
I believe, but Mrs McCook has written
to say that he will not help me.

General and Mrs McCook are offended
with me because I have expressed
some natural feeling in regard to the
manner of my husband's death.

Mrs McCook was my guest when
she met the General, and while she

remained three months at my house, an attachment was formed that afterwards resulted in an engagement. I gave Mrs McCook of my best, and did everything in my power to make her visit a pleasant one, but now that I am in trouble she despises me.

When General McCook was ordered to Fort Leavenworth, every one thought that he would take Captain Murdock's company with him, but instead Col. Wherry and Capt. Schindel were asked to go, and Captain Murdock was sent to camp in Southern Utah.

Now Mrs McCook writes that General McCook asked Captain Murdock to go to Fort Leavenworth, and that he refused to go. Every officer in the 6th Regt. knows that this is not the truth, and I have written to Mrs Morton to state Mrs McCook's words.

I should not have been willing to make such a great effort to secure an increase of pension, had I not

felt very guilty in regard to the disposition I have made of the money my dear husband so thoughtfully left me, although the shock of his sudden death nearly caused me to be insane, but now I have done all that I can, and must leave the final result with God. When I am able I intend to buy you a little gift, just to show you how I feel in regard to your Christian politeness and patience.

Very respectfully yours

Emily Murdock

You probably know that Mrs McCook was Miss Colt of Milwaukee. She was an early friend of mine, and I invited her to Fort Douglas, and as she and General McCook often said before Capt. Murdock died, I "made the match", in more senses than one.

IDLEWILD

Peekskill June 28, 92

My Dear General.

As the time for
our Union Sunday
School excursion
^{Sunday} July 8th is rapidly
approaching, I deem
it proper to write
you, by way of remem-
brance.

We hope to land at
Governor's Island at
2.30 P.M. or as near
that time as possible.

Our people are
impatient for the
time to come for
all anticipate a
rich treat.

I was grieved to
hear of your great
sorrow in the death
of your brother.

All such bereavements
are indeed painful,
but God is able to
sustain.

May you find his
grace sufficient.

Very truly yours,
W. L. Garrison.

R. S. MacARTHUR, D.D.—“I am greatly in sympathy with the plans of the American Patriotic League. I have advocated substantially the same idea on a number of public occasions.”

J. R. MILLER, D. D., *Editor Presb. Board of Pub.*—“I think your thought is feasible and practicable. I am heartily in sympathy with the objects to be attained and will gladly do anything in my power to help make the movement successful.”

CHARLES H. DIETRICH, *President Kentucky State Teachers' Association*—“I am free to say that I can endorse your educational project with all my heart. Its leading ideas should permeate the training of all American children and be continued by the means you outline in the homes among the adults.”

CHARLES H. PARKHURST, D. D.—“The field into which you have entered is a wide and promising one, and may you be abundantly blessed in the efforts which you put forth.”

MARY LOWE DICKINSON, *Gen'l Sec'y Order of The King's Daughters*—“The plan seems admirable in its purpose and scope, practical and judicious in its proposed methods, and must be, if wisely conducted, most beneficial in its results.”

THOMAS M. BALLIET, *Supt. Schools, Springfield, Mass.*—“I am glad to hear that the ‘Patriotic League’ has already taken definite shape, and I sincerely hope it may soon receive the necessary financial backing to enable it to begin active work. I am heartily in sympathy with the object.”

FRANCIS E. CLARK, D. D., *President United Society of Christian Endeavor*—“I am glad you are carrying out this plan of work, and believe that your work will be of great value to the cause of good citizenship throughout the land. I have no doubt you will be led to accomplish great things along these lines.”

R. R. McBURNEY, *Young Men's Christian Association*—“You have undertaken a large work in seeking to promote the objects of the PATRIOTIC LEAGUE, and yet I deem it to be one of the most important works which can be undertaken.”

JOSIAH STRONG, D.D., *Author of Our Country*—“The need is great, the plan is, I believe, practicable, and the possibilities of good boundless. It is objected that we are ‘organized to death.’ Organization does not produce life, but life does produce organization; and the fact that organizations of every sort are multiplying is evidence that a new life is making itself felt. I desire to do everything in my power to serve you.”

AMERICAN PATRIOTIC LEAGUE

45 Broadway : New York

THIS Society has recently been organized, and is chartered under the Laws of Congress. It is the outcome of earnest and careful deliberation, and is designed to meet a great and growing need of the nation, for which as yet no large and systematic provision has been made.

AIM.

ITS aim is to educate the youth (of both sexes) of the nation into earnest, intelligent, and patriotic citizens.

CHARACTER AND SCOPE.

THE League is non-sectarian, non-partisan, permanent in character, and national in scope.

METHODS.

A THREE years course of reading and study will be pursued, modeled after the Chautauqua plan, by individuals and circles. The course will include subjects relating to the duties and privileges of American citizenship, such as the Constitution, American history and biography, the rise and development of democratic institutions and their underlying principles.

A League periodical is contemplated for the publication of the weekly lesson papers, etc., also a system of posts, chapters, examinations, correspondences, lectures, “recognition” ceremonies, and a rate of dues sufficient to insure self-support to the League after the expenses of preliminary organization.

FINANCIAL BASIS.

IN order to place the League upon a firm financial basis, it is proposed to secure an endowment fund of \$100,000 by subscription.

Those contributing \$100 will be known as LIFE MEMBERS, and be entitled to receive the periodical publications and to enjoy the privileges of the League. Those contributing larger amounts will be designated FELLOWS, PATRONS, etc.

All funds will be received and disbursed by a Board of Trustees, of which Hon. H. B. Hammond, President of the Boston and New York Air Line R. R., 45 Broadway, New York, is Treasurer.

ORGANIZATION.

COUNCIL—EDWARD EVERETT HALE, JOHN JAY, DORMAN B. EATON, JAMES A. BEAVER.

EDUCATIONAL COMMITTEE—THOMAS M. BALLIET, WALTER L. HERVEY, MARY LOWE DICKINSON, J. WINTHROP HEGEMAN, EDWARD EVERETT HALE.

TRUSTEES—WM. IVES WASHBURN, FRANK RUSSELL, HENRY B. HAMMOND, Treasurer.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE—JOHN A. CASS, MARY LOWE DICKINSON, LA SALLE A. MAYNARD, WILSON L. GILL.

OPINIONS.

MANY letters of encouragement have been received, from which a few extracts are here appended:

"BISHOP A. CLEVELAND COXE, of Western New York, assures Mr. Wilson L. Gill of his profound interest in plans of the kind proposed for the young."

EDWIN D. MEAD, *Editor N. Eng. Mag.*—"You are free to use my name as being warmly interested in what you propose."

PROF. R. E. THOMPSON—"I find myself in hearty agreement with you as to the need of such an effort, if we are to perpetuate American institutions in the spirit which animated the founders of the Republic. As to your specific plans, they commend themselves to my judgment as in the line of methods which have proved eminently successful with our people."

ANDREW D. WHITE—"Your work interests me much."

JOHN JAY—"I shall be glad to hear of your success in laying the foundations of your movement with such assistance from the high scholarship and remarkable educational ability of our land, as to command the approval of all good citizens and the ready assistance of our generous countrymen, who day by day are learning of what importance is an enlightened spirit of nationalism and intelligent appreciation by our children of the American idea, as the only sure preservator of Republican government from the perils by which it is surrounded."

DORMAN B. EATON—"The more I have reflected upon the extension of the kind of education you propose, the more I have been impressed with the need of it, and with the vast possibilities of its usefulness. I would gladly have an active part in a work so patriotic."

O. B. POTTER—"I am exceedingly glad to see that public attention is being turned in this direction, and that men like yourself are giving it thought."

HENRY B. HAMMOND—"The increasing efforts of innumerable individuals, each striving to help or instruct those to whom his influence extends, in the manner you suggest, must tend to strengthen and perpetuate our Government and greatly ameliorate the condition of all classes of our citizens."

HERBERT B. ADAMS, *Johns Hopkins University*—"I have examined your prospectus with interest, and think you have conceived a large and patriotic idea."

JOHN HABBERTON, *Literary Editor N. Y. Herald*—"I have read your prospectus with great interest, and like all the measures proposed."

D. C. HEATH—"It strikes me that your new Educational movement is one that ought to be encouraged."

EDWARD EVERETT HALE—"I have no doubt that this thing could be done, and that it would be of great use."

SARAH K. BOLTON—"I believe heartily in your work. It will be HERCULEAN, but you must not shrink from it, for the League will do great good. We can scarcely love our land too much, and loving it, we must necessarily work for its advancement."

FRANK RUSSELL, D.D., *Field Sec'y Evang. Alliance*—"The whole matter grows more and more favorable to me."

J. COLLINS PUMPELLY, *Union League Club*—"If your ideal can be made to materialize, you will have conferred a great boon on all the youth of our land."

(6)

439

New York, June 28, 1892

Maj. - Gen. O. O. Howard,

Dear Sir:

Enclosed is the initial circular of an educational movement in which I am greatly interested. I should be pleased to have gentlemen of influence take an interest in the matter, and therefore bring it to your notice, asking your kind consideration thereof.

Truly yours,

Frank Russell.

Friend Tracy

liberation thereof.

matter, and therefore bring it to your notice, asking your kind con-
sideration to have gentlemen of influence take an interest in the
of an educational movement in which I am greatly interested. I should
enclosed is the initial circular

Dear Sir:

Wm. W. Gen. O. C. Howard,

New York, Jan. 22, 1892

Truly yours,

Frank Russell

7/25

452

44 West 35 St }
June 28. 1892 }

Dear General,

In the line so thought-
fully sent from Kansas, (!)
you ask "shall we say Thurs-
day." Certainly! Or, any later
day that may better suit
your convenience. I know the
claims of your official duties
upon you &c &c. I have to be
a stay-at-home body; & you
may do the very great favor
you have promised me what
you best can:— only, come early,
& not with a pre-occupied mind.

Ever Most Cordially Yours
Francis W. Upham
Gen^l Howard..

Upham F. W.

468
ILLUSTRIOUS SOLDIERS SERIES.

Including Biographies of Washington, Green, Jackson, Taylor, Scott, Sherman, J. E. Johnston, Lee, Thomas, Grant, Hancock, Sheridan, and Admirals Farragut and Porter.

98 Bible House, New York, 29 June 1892

GEN. JAS. GRANT WILSON, Editor.
D. APPLETON & CO., Publishers.

Dear General

The enclosed came to hand
through the Appletons this morning. Kindly give your
attention to its contents by forwarding proof at your
earliest convenience and oblige

Very truly yours

Jas Grant Wilson

General Howard USA

inches
1
2
3
4
5
6
7
8

ILLUSTRIOUS SOLDIERS SERIES.

Including Biographies of Washington, Grant, Jackson, Taylor, Scott, Sherman, A. S. Johnston, Lee, Thomas, Grant, Hancock, Sheridan, and Adminis. Magway and Porter.

Wilson James Grant

GEN. JAS. GRANT WILSON, Editor.
D. APPLETON & CO., Publishers.

1892
No. 1111
New York

Mr. Grant

The enclosed contains a number

of copies of the Appleton this evening. Kindly give them

attention to its contents by forwarding proof of your

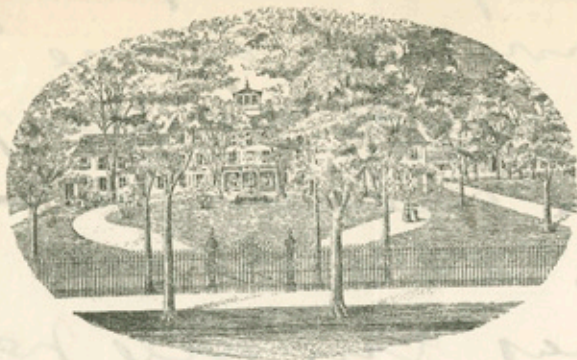
valued convenience and advice.

Very truly yours

Chauncey M. Smith

General Sherman M. A.

404
BLAIRSVILLE SEMINARY.



REV. T. R. EWING, D. D.,
Principal.

Blairsville, Pa., June 29, 1892.

Maj. Gen. W. H. Howard,
Greenwich Island,
New York.

Dear General:

In this mail
I send you one of my
catalogues.

If need be I could send
you a letter — or a number
of letters — from Rev. E. P.
Smith showing my very
intimate relations in
U. S. ^{and afterwards} service. I am not
without hope that through

Ewing. J. R.
him you may have such
remembrance of me and of
my work as will justify
your granting a favor
now as to this.

That you will permit
me to add to an ad-
vertisement in the
"Army and Navy Register"
Washington, D.C.

the following:

"Reper by permission to
Maj-Gen. A. A. Howard."

Sincerely yours,

J. R. Ewing.

399.

General Howard does not
 issue such passes as you suggest
 Capt ^{Cornelys} Herrell, Redford Id is in
 charge of the Station 140 Nooper Street,
 Brooklyn,
 Liberty Rep NY. June 29, 1892
 Major Gen. O. O. Howard.
 Sir:

Will you kindly
 send me pass for self and
 friend to torch of Statue of
 Liberty. I understand that you
 issue such passes, and I
 will be greatly indebted to you
 for same.

Respectfully,
 Wm. O. Cornell Jr.

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 27th inst. in relation to the above named matter. I am sorry to hear that you are unable to attend to the same at present. I will be glad to hear from you again when you are able to do so. Very respectfully,
 J. O. Howell

With your kindest regards and assurances of my personal interest in the result of the trial, I remain, Sir, your obedient servant.
 J. O. Howell

Very respectfully,
 J. O. Howell

George David Jr

Fort Randall, S. Dakota.
June 21, 1892.

Maj. Gen. O. O. Howard, U. S. Army,
New York City, (Governor's Island) N. Y.

Sir: I have the honor to acknowledge receipt some days ago of your letter relative to Pvt. McIneen, Co. F. 21 Inf. I delayed answering until today in order to give you all the information possible concerning him.

McIneen has been all the winter complaining to me of suffering pain from his ankle which was broken in Salt Lake City. He was able to perform the duties of 1st Cook of the Indian Company but was anxious to be relieved from this detail as soon as I could replace him by an Indian cook who was being trained in the company kitchen, & then endeavor to be discharged for disability. accordingly at the proper time he was put on sick report & sent to the Post surgeon. I regarded him & still do, as physically unable to perform all the duties of an Infantry soldier, such as marching,

walking past &c, but the Post surgeon finally marked him for duty, claiming that the leg-fracture &c had healed & that the man was therefore all right. McInnis now seemed to be suffering so much as to be unable to work in the kitchen and so I applied to the Regimental Commander to have him returned to duty with his old Company.

The Regimental order relieving him from duty with the Indian Company was received today.

The responsibility of his case is now on the shoulders of his Co. Commander, Capt. Willis Withich, 2d Inf.

What will be done I cannot say, but I believe that he will be required to perform his regular company duties, & I believe also that he is physically unable to perform them.

This last however is for the Medical Dept. to decide.

His record while with the Indian Company has been excellent, but he seems to have set his heart on being discharged, and I am afraid that if he is not he will not keep in the straight path much longer.

There is nothing "fandulent" in his enlistment as far as I know, except that he being married enlisted as a single-man.

I am sorry I cannot find a way out of this trouble, but the action of the Post surgeon in pronouncing McInnis physically qualified to perform his duty puts a stop to any further attempts on my part, whatever may be my own opinion as to the extent of McInnis' disability.

Very Respectfully,

Your obedient servant
SAMUEL LEAH J.
Lieut 2d Infantry
Commanding Co. I.

Inches

New York Jan 30th, 1862 [June 30 1862] Rec 395

There is a bill before Congress to finish marking the lines of battle at Gettysburg, Union & Confederate. It

has passed the Senate. I am about to make application to be appointed one of the three Commissioners to do the work. And have my application enclosed by the majority of the prominent officers of both armies. You was away when I called, but I have left a space for your name. Will you allow me to use it? If so please write as soon as you return, as I want to have the paper presented, but very much want your name on it Sign Officially, and address

John B. Bachelder

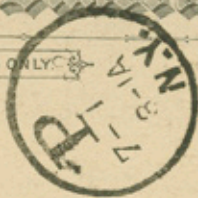
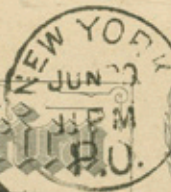
220 New Jersey Av. S. E. Washington D.C.

By your post I have no paper here

POSTAL CARD ONE CENT.

United States of America

THIS SIDE IS FOR ADDRESS ONLY.



Maj. Genl O. Howard U.S.A.
Governors Island
New York.

Farm, Field & Stockman.

Chas. H. Howard,

Editor.

Chicago, June, 30, 1892

Gen. O. O. Howard,

Governor's Island, New York,

Dear Brother:

As Lieut. Treat is to be back on the 30th, I come reluctantly to the communication that you are not going to visit us this time. As soon as I receive the outline sketch from Boston, with reference to the memorial window, I will submit it to you. Of course we need not make any great haste as to the matter. I want to secure the funds from the estate as far as possible, as brother Dell requested this, and you have already advanced so much, I am sure you would want it done. Rowland had authorized \$33.33 $\frac{1}{3}$ to be charged up against him. I suppose you have heard nothing further with reference to the park on the Great Hill. I think we had better obtain the deeds from each of the two parties as soon as practicable so that it will not sift through, and when Guy goes down have him follow up the matter, getting subscriptions himself from those interested, or securing the help of several Leed's people to do so, and when we have raised the requisite amount, have a kind of a celebration, say next summer in starting the monument.

Another matter is so distinct, I will put it on a separate sheet. Relating to the business of Mr. Isaac Russell.

I have no important news, Nina is going to Bangor soon to spend the summer. Lawrence was intending to attend the Christ-

ian Endeavor convention in New York, and make you a visit, but I have been compelled to withdraw both Lawrence and Arthur from college for want of money, and they are both going to work what they can for a year. Lawrence has already a place in a bank at \$25.00 a month. This is small but is much better than spending money. Arthur is looking for a similar place.

Very truly yours,

Albion

Sin with this I have
yours for Kouras trying
you could not come this
way - sorry!

Albion