Seattle Wash. Jan. 5/895

Gen. O. O. Howard.

Dear Bro.

The Pastor and the official Board of the M. E. Church in this city, requested me to write to you in regard to securing your consent, if possible, to deliver a lecture in Seattle, at as early a date as will suit your convenience.

I spoke to them of you, and assured them of your sympathy with every good work, and of the probability of your being able and willing to comply with their request. Will you

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A Arnold

Seattle
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be kind enough to inform me, if you can accommodate me, and if so, the most favorable terms upon which you would be willing to come. I am glad to hear of your return to this Coast, and cherish the hope that you may be spared many years to fight for God and humanity. With best wishes and prayers for your present and future welfare

I am your brother in Christ
A. Atwood

318 Columbia St.
Seattle
Wash.

Respondent

MAJ. GEN'L. O. O. HOWARD, PRESIDENT.
J. N. STEARNS, CORRESPONDING SECRETARY AND PUBLISHING AGENT.
WM. D. PORTER, TREASURER.

National Temperance Society
—AND—
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Major General O. O. Howard,
Portland, Oregon.

Dear Sir:-

The meeting held at Prohibition Park last Summer passed a resolution that the President and Secretary of each of the National Temperance organizations should constitute a National Advisory Board to look over matters and suggest plans and methods, &c., in Temperance work. It also said that if either President or Secretary cannot act, they might designate some one in their place.

Dr. Funk writes me to suggest that as Secretary of this Society, I should call those persons together. I do not wish to undertake the work, but suppose I ought to do so, and then let them act as they choose. I do not see how these men who are scattered all over the country can possibly get together and do any sort of work, but it is well perhaps to make the trial.

I do not know your plans when you will return to this Coast. We very much miss your counsels and your presence, and hope it will not be long before you will be with us again. If this Committee should be called together before you return, will you suggest some one of our Society who can act in your place, or shall I find some one who will be sure to meet with the Committee? I shall have to correspond with the Good Templars and Sons of Temperance, and other bodies to see when and where they can meet.

I should be glad of any message or article or letter ave any time to give out to the people through the columns e Advocate, as you know, I am alone in the editing, and it a little heavy on my shoulders.

I have sent the January number to eight or ten thousand rs in the State of New York, and we have stirred up an im- gitation against the Sunday opening of saloons.

Yours very truly,

J. N. Stearns
per E.

OFFICE OF
Gen. O. O. HOWARD,
H. S. HOWARD:

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J. M. Stearns

Alcatraz. Jany. 5. 95.

My dear General,

The Dictionary came just befor Christmas and is a fine book. I did not imagine it was going to be such an elaborate volume. Please accept my sincerest thanks & best wishes. The pleasant associations alone that it recalls makes it doubly valuable.

We are all nicely settled

himself comfortably on the deck of a horse he is quite unhappy and may ask to be relieved. The Major is looking very well and I am sorry they would not allow him to transfer with Maj. Kinzie who wants to stay at the Presidio. I suppose Macdonald has told you of his intended marriage in February with Miss. Pennington. I would have been willing to wager almost anything that he was cut out to live and die an old bachelor. I think

and although our quarters
are very limited we are
doing the best we can to have
a merry time. Some of us are
given to complaining much
but I do think this is the most
disappointing uncomfortable
climate I ever struck. It blows
and rains and is shivering
cold and yet this is the
pleasant season what sort of
weather will be dealt out to
us in the unpleasant season
I cannot guess. My duties
here I find almost nothing

We have a very pleasant garrison
Col. Guenther in Command and
he makes matters as pleasant
as possible for everybody. Genl
Forsyth seems to like California
very much. San Francisco
people find him very agreeable
and a man of very different
stamp from Genl. Rugers.
Genl. Forsyth will not hire at
Ft. Mason as he is entirely
alone. May Darling had hoped
to be allowed to go in Command
of Ft Canby but he has been
put in Command of the two
light batteries at Presidio
and as he cannot arrange

however that they are both
well fitted to one another
and accustomed to looking
on the bright side of life.
Witherspoon writes that he
thinks he is going to like
his detail at Kingston R.I.
Being the first to be detailed
there he will have the opportunity of instituting a system
of his own. He says it is a
distressingly quiet & sleepy
town. I notice by the papers
that it has been a very
stormy Monday at Portland

OFFICE OF
Gen. O. O. HOW
H. S. HOWARD.

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Recd Jan 9/95

bu[illegible] is' you have all
been very well and will
enjoy your perfect freedom
I am sorry indeed that
my house is such that I
cannot insist on entertaining
you when you visit this
town but we shall look
you up surely. I enclose you
a clipping from a N. Y. paper
sent to me here — rather pointed
isn't it? With best wishes
to you all in which Mrs Peat
joins me I merely yours
Chas S Peat

To
Gulo Howard.
Portland Oregon.

Words! Words! Words!

"One has the feeling at times that its aim is to count words."—New England Journal of Education.

The following comprise the words on page 1439 of "A Standard Dictionary of the English Language," published by Funk & Wagnalls Co.

psephitic, psephomancy, Psettinæ, Psetta, psettin(e, pseudacusis, pseudallosematic, pseudambulacral, pseudamygdaloid, pseudamygdaloidal, pseudamygdule, pseudandry, pseudaphia, pseudaposematic, pseudapostle, pseudarachnæ, pseudarthrosis, pseudaxine, pseudelephant, pseudelminth, pseudhelminth, pseudelytron, pseudelytrum, pseudembryo, pseudembryonic, pseudencephalus, pseudepigrapha, pseudepigraphic, pseudepigraphal, pseudepigraphical, pseudepigraphous, pseudepigraphy, pseudepiploon, pseudepiploic, pseudepiscopacy, pseudepiscopy, pseudoepiscopacy, pseudepisematic, pseudesthesia, pseudæsthesia, pseudhæmal, pseudohæmal, pseudhelminth, pseudimago, pseudimaginal, pseudinoma, pseudisodomum, pseudisodomon, pseudoaconitin, pseudoaconitine, pseudoangle, pseudoannulus, pseudoaquatic, pseudoarchaic, pseudoarticulation, pseudoaxis, pseudoblepsia, pseudobombus, pseudobrachium, pseudobrachial, pseudobranchia, pseudobranch, pseudobranchial, pseudobranchiate, pseudobrookite, pseudobulb, pseudobulbous, pseudobulbil, pseudocalculi, pseudocarcinoid, pseudocarcinoma, pseudocarp, pseudocarpous, Pseudocerotidæ, Pseudoceros, pseudocerotid, pseudocerotoid, pseudo-Christology, pseudochromia, Pseudochromis, Pseudochromidæ, pseudochromididæ, pseudochromid, pseudochromidoid, pseudochromoid, pseudochrysalis, pseudocœle, procœlia, pseudocœlom, pseudocœlic, pseudocolumella, pseudocolumellar, pseudocommissure, pseudocommissura, pseudocommissural, pseudoconcha, pseudocone, pseudoconglomerate, pseudocorneous, pseudocortex, pseudocosta, pseudocostate, pseudocotyledon, pseudocrisis, pseudocroup, pseudocrystalline, pseudocumene, pseudocumidæ, pseudocuma, pseudocumid, pseudocumoid, pseudocyclosis, pseudocyesis, pseudocyst, pseudodeltidium, pseudodipteral, pseudodipterally, pseudodistance, pseudodont, pseudodox, pseudodoxal, pseudoencephalitis, pseudoerysipelas, pseudofever, pseudofilaria, pseudofilarian, pseudofoliaceous, pseudogalena, pseudoganglion, pseudogastrula, pseudogeneral, pseudogeneric, pseudogenus, pseudogeustia, pseudogeusia, pseudograph, pseudographeme, pseudographize, pseudography, pseudogyn, pseudogyne, pseudogynous, pseudogyrate, pseudohalter, pseudoheart, pseudohemal, pseudohermaphrodite, pseudohermaphroditism, pseudohexagonal, pseudohypertrophy, pseudohypertrophic, pseudo-Isidorian, pseudol, pseudolabium, pseudolabial, Pseudolarix, pseudoleucemia, pseudoleucæmia, pseudoleucocythemia, pseudolichen, pseudologist, pseudology, pseudomalachite, pseudomania, Pseudomelaniidæ, Pseudomelania, pseudomelaniid, pseudomelanioid, pseudomembrane, pseudomembranous, pseudomeningitis, pseudomenstruation, pseudomesoderm, pseudometallic, pseudomonocotyledon, pseudomonocotyledonous, pseudomorphin, pseudomorphine, pseudomorula, pseudomorular, pseudonarcotism, pseudonavicella, pseudonavicula, pseudonavicellar, pseudonavicular, pseudoneuroptera, pseudoneuropter, pseudoneuropterous, Pseudoniscidæ, Pseudoniscus, pseudoniscid, pseudoniscoid, pseudonucleolus, pseudonychium, pseudoparalysis, pseudoparaplegia, pseudoparasite, pseudoparasitic, pseudoparenchyma, pseudoparenchyme, pseudoparenchymatous, pseudoparesis, pseudoparthenogenesis, pseudopathy, Pseudopecopteris, pseudopediform, pseudopercular, pseudoperculate, pseudoperculum, pseudoperidium, pseudoperiodic, pseudoperipneumonia, pseudoperipteral, pseudoperipteros, pseudoperistome, Pseudophidia, pseudophidian, pseudophone, pseudopthihis, pseudoplasm, pseudopod, pseudopodal, pseudopodial, pseudopodian, pseudopodic, pseudopodium, pseudopode, pseudoproct, pseudoproctous, pseudoprostyle, pseudopsia, pseudopupa, pseudopupal, pseudoramose, pseudoramulus, pseudoray, pseudorexia, pseudorhabdite, Pseudoscines, pseudoscinin(e, pseudosclerosis, Pseudoscorpiones, pseudoscorpion, pseudosematic, pseudoseptate, pseudoseptum, pseudosiphon.

The National Tribune.

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The Great National Soldier and Home Weekly Newspaper.

1729 New York Avenue.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 5, 1895

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Maj. Gen. O. O. Howard:

Sir:

Please find inclosed draft for $228.60. payment in full for Parts XI., XII., XIII and XIV.

Respectfully

John McElroy.

Gen. O. O. HOWARD
H. S. HOWARD.

Ans Jan 15 1908

National Tribune

Enclosed check
$28.00
XI-XII-XIII-XIV

State University of Washington.

OFFICE OF
THOS. M. GATCH,
PRESIDENT.

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Seattle, Washington, Jan. 5, 1895

Genl O. O. Howard

Dear Sir,

Remembering the interest you took in the welfare of our young people while I was connected with the Willamette University, Salem, Oregon, I am encouraged to ask you to deliver our Commencement address May 23, 1895.

Our school was prosperous last year as you will see by the accompanying catalogue but this year the attendance is much larger. Our military department is well sustained.

Earnestly hoping you will assist us I am,

Very truly yours,

Thos. M. Gatch

Your expenses, with whatever remuneration you may consider proper will be promptly met.

G.

OFFICE OF
Gen. O. O. HOWARD,
H. S. HOWARD.

Jan 10 '95

Thos M Gatch

Asks an address

Gen. O. O. Howard
State of Washington
Washington, D.C.

Military Order of the Loyal Legion of the United States.

Commandery of the State of Vermont.

Burlington, Vt., January 7th, 1895.

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

Portland, Oregon.

Dear Sir and Companion:

Your transfer from the Commandery of New York to the Commandery of Vermont has been received, and I can assure you that a hearty welcome awaits you whenever you can find it convenient to meet with your Vermont Companions.

Very truly yours,

Wm L. Greenleaf

Lieut. U. S. V.

Recorder.

MILITARY ORDER OF THE LOYAL LEGION
OF THE UNITED STATES,

COMMANDERY OF THE STATE OF VERMONT.

BURLINGTON, VT., ...189

Lieut. WILLIAM L. GREENLEAF, U. S. V.,
Recorder.

OFFICE OF
Gen. O. O. HOWARD,
H. S. HOWARD.

Welcomes to Vermont
Comdry

J. W. HOWARD,
CIVIL ENGINEER,
No. 1 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK.

Jan. 7th, 1895.

Dear Father:

The second set of letters of introduction, with names of persons to whom I may deliver the same, came yesterday. Thank you. All well at home. Chancey's family are all very well, except the boy, who has earache.

Love to all.

Affectionately your son,

Jamie

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OFFICE OF
Gen. O. O. HOWARD,
H. S. HOWARD.

Jan. 7th, 1895.

Dear Father:

The second set of letters of introduction, with names of persons to whom I may deliver the same, came yesterday. Thank you. All well at home. Chauncey's family are all very well, except the boy, who has ~~[illegible]~~ Love to all.

Affectionately your son,

Howard

Respectfully yours
O. O. Howard

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The Mouse.

Chozy. Clinton Co. Ky.

Jan. 7. 1895.

Gen. O. O. Howard Lt.D.

Honored Sir.

Permit a request from one who once prayed for you on the Dr. Camp Meeting Church. We celebrated one Sabbath. A parent in a great burdened condition of heart & mind has sought information from me ~~that~~ which I know of no one but yourself can give. The family is a well known one, the boy is bright and polite in good health. Not of a head-

Strong Nature. The Mother is some
what nervously prostrated - The father
financially embarrassed and therefore
burdened in heart & mind; upon
whom the disobedience of their eldest
boy of fifteen is the last straw that the
other wise strong camel's back can bear;
Seeks a Military or Naval School
Discipline for their boy Harry.
He is a Native of this State now in the
village (15) fifteen miles north of Plattsburgh.
Kindly advise. In great haste this before
from your kind ness - Yours respectfully

Jno X. A. Lashing Dell.

OFFICE OF
Gen. O. O. HOWARD,
H. S. HOWARD.

Rec'd Chic.

Chic. Jan 17-1890

61. Beekman street
New York.
Jany. 7th 1895

Genl. O. O. Howard.
Dear Friend.
although I have not received an answer to my last letter to you, I feel like talking to you to day.

I was in hopes of writing you something definite regarding the progress of business in a channel similar as in my last. but there seems to have occurred an unavoidable delay in their affairs which I hope will be straightened out in a short time. Business is

as you know almost at
a stand still. ~~but I~~ but
I feel so thankful to God
for his kindness to me
through it all. I often feel
so cast down and blue at
the state of things generally
but my trust is in a higher
power to deliver me from
the troubles which beset
me. Causes me to shake
off the horrid nightmare so
to speak, and go on with
a renewed faith. I feel that
the good Lord will raise me
up friends among his people
who will dispel this cloud
of gloom. and give in its
place a sunshine of prosperity
over peace. We had a very
~~pleasant~~ pleasant week during the
Holidays at the Tabernacle
and also at the Bethany. The

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Children were just as happy as children always are at Christmas times.

I shall be very happy to see you when you come East.

I hope to get a letter from you shortly as I am very anxious to hear from you.

Hoping that you and all with you are in the best of health and happiness. And wishing all a happy New Year.

I am as ever
Yours most sincerely.
Chas. H. Shepherd.

OFFICE OF
n. O. O. HOWARD,
. S. HOWARD.

answered - Jan. 18th 1895

JAN 18 1895

D. H. Shepard

RST METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.

Geo. W. Grannis, Pastor.

Residence, 226 Church Street

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Salem, Oregon, Jan 7 1895

Gen. O. O. Howard.

Dear Bro:-

As you are to be in Salem the 28th we would be glad you could remain with us, Sunday the 27th and address young men in my church in evening. We hope to prevail upon Bishop Cardwell to remain with us and preach in the morning. I would like to make that a day to be remembered. The legislature will be in session, and if there is any class of men need to be touched with the power of the Gospel in these perilous times, it is that class to which we look for our laws. We will see that you are cared for while you remain.

Yours truly

Geo. W. Grannis.

OFFICE OF
Gen. O. O. HOWARD,
H. S. HOWARD.

Ans June 9/90

G W Lannis

Regrets - remain over Sunday (27th)

Office Board of Education

Address Emerson School

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Tacoma City Schools

C. W. Mock, Secretary

Tacoma, Washington Jan. 8 1895.

Maj. Gen. O. O. Howard.
Portland, Oregon.

My dear Sir.

Your favor of Dec. 7th was duly received, and your friends were disappointed in not being able to have you with them at the Forefathers' Day meeting of the Congl Club at Seattle.

I am requested to urge you to accept an invitation to attend the next meeting of the Club in this city which will be held the Second Wednesday in March. The Committee would like to have you consent to be the principal guest, and give a short address or spend some subject for discussion, in either case selecting your theme. Will you do it? The Club is poor or it would be glad to pay you, but it will be responsible for your transportation and other expenses.

If the H. S. Howard, whose name I see on your letter head is Harry, and if the daughter in Portland is Bessie, please remember me kindly to them.

Very Truly Yours. H. M. James.

OFFICE OF
Gen. O. O. HOWARD,
H. S. HOWARD.

Cmd

W. M. James

Tacoma, Wash

JAN 21 1895

Mrs. Evelyn Farrar

Porter Maine.

Dear Rev. Howard:—

I am going to ask a favor of you. I am anxious to take city boarders. Would be glad to have them from the 1st. of June until the last of Sept.

I have two rooms that I could spare and would like four boarders.

Would you be so kind as to help me get some. You know about our home.

We have made some changes. We now have a bath-room and double parlors and a new piano, which makes it quite as pleasant as when you were here.

We have a good team and there are many pleasant drives about here and a good chance for boating and fishing, as you know. I would like a good cook and make it as pleasant as I could for them. If you could secure some would you let me know how much they were willing to pay per week.

Do you remember you promised to make me a visit when you retired?

I hope you may be able to do so this summer.

Is Harry with you now? Please remember me to him. Please let me know if you receive this as I do not know your address.

Your loving niece,
Evelyn E. Farrar,
Dexter,
Maine.

Jan. 8, 1895.

Answered Jan 17th 1895

OFFICE OF
Gen. O. O. HOWARD,
H. S. HOWARD.

C. P. Caswell

Lynn Mass Jan 9th 95

Gen. O. O. Howard
Dear Sir

Being out of employment and wishing such I thought by confiding with you that if it was attainable you would help me to get such. I have never used either liquor nor tobacco at all, owing to a strong disposition that accounts for

my journey of to-day, I I am thoroughly acquainted
am young yet and am with all branches of farming
not too old to make a an also handy with tools
stir of some kind and like also flowers. Hoping
Letter down. Now I wish you will take this Letter
very much to get away under consideration and
from the cities and learn help me if in your power
a permanent Situation I will be under obligations
in a farm in your to favor down. I am
Stout, with a good Christian finish best of references
family, and known your in regards to character
opportunity that is the
direct reason for writing
this letter. In this state
it seems that there is no
chance open any. to other
that drink. perhaps owing
to my certain faults I
entertain that belief

Respectfully
Thos. F. Caswell
11 Wilson Street
Lynn
Mass

OFFICE OF
Gen. O. O. HOWARD.
H. S. HOWARD.
Gt Washington
and

Mt Grant Ariz.
Jany 9, 1895

My Dear General:

Possibly you think I have entirely forgotten you but such is not the case as I often think of you & your family & wonder how you are now enjoying life. I trust you find it as much if not more pleasant

family might be there to see that it is done properly. Give my love to Mrs Howard Harry & Mrs Bessie & Kinder & Capt & Mrs Haden & do not forget that I trust you will always remember

Your Sincere Friend
Geoffry H. Macdonald

To
Genl O. O. Howard
Portland
Mgan

than you anticipated & that you are all
in fine health & spirits. Have little in the
way of news to give you. Find my new duties
very pleasant & they keep me thoroughly oc-
cupied. Have to get up early now & hustle
around before seven am, & this is kept up
until dark. I hear from home that occasionally
& they all seem contented & happy & also
the Rothrosses. Now this is not intended
as a "newsy" letter but to let you know
that you are not forgotten and if you come
this way in the Spring that I have a place
for you, you see I said "I" but that it will
be "we" as I am going to take a month's
leave in February & return home by the middle
of March & hope to bring a bride back
with me. I think about the 23rd February
will be the date & I wish you & your

OFFICE OF
Gen. O. O. HOWARD,
H. S. HOWARD,

Answ'd
JAN 21 1895

Mrs E. Murdock

General Howard:

Pardon me for intruding upon your time and attention. In November my mother arrived in this city, bringing my daughter, passes from New York having been obtained for both. My mother has had to do what work she could find; my daughter has a position as house maid. I have been ill all winter with coughs and colds — physicians think that my lungs are seriously diseased. On Thur. last a letter reached me from Great Barrington Massachusetts threatening foreclosure proceedings upon my property. I have written to every officer of the 6th Infantry, and to every woman friend connected with that regiment that I thought I had, and have received no answer. Major Greenleaf, stationed in Chicago alone has written for me to the G. B. Savings Bank making enquiries

about, his property. If the foreclosure has not already taken place, it can be exchanged for two pieces of land near Riverside, California, free of encumbrance. I sent Major Groesbeck the letter from the real estate agent containing this offer, and he wrote back, consenting to the exchange, if it could be made. $86. the same required on interest. I am powerless to pay.

The home will be lost unless help can come from somewhere; and where to look unless to my husbands brother officers I cannot tell.

The 6th Infantry have criticised me for buying this home at the East, and for giving money to my mother and sister. Both actions I regret but at that time was nearly crazed with grief. The wrong inflicted upon me by my husbands death, was greater than any once committed by me. In his full strength he was cut down unnecessarily. For no fault of my own I am condemned to walk this earth, and perhaps the next, alone — a desperate widow. My first small literary effort was published in the Times in this city, about two months ago, $9.75 being paid me for it. Two others of the same kind are nearly finished, I hope to have the three published in book form under the title of "Army Life on the Frontier"

If God gives me life and strength, next year I shall enter the State Normal School in this city as a pupil, to get a certificate as quickly as possible. To depend upon music as a vocation I cannot do, for there is no dependence to be placed on it. If those who have known me when prosperous, could believe Adelaide and myself to be in great need of clothing, discarded garments might be sent us, that would be very gratefully received.

Very respectfully
Emily Murdock

148 West Jefferson St.
Los Angeles, California
Jan 9th 1895

STATE OF OHIO.
OFFICE OF THE
ADJUTANT GENERAL.

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COLUMBUS, Jan 9th 1895

Genl O. O. Howard
Portland, Oregon.

Sir

I have the honor to return the enclosed with the information that after looking over the record of the National & State homes for July 1st 92 to June 30-93 the name of Chas Fellon does not appear.

On seperate slip we give the last known address of a number of the officers of this organization.

Regretting my inability to assist you

I have the honor to be Sir

Very Respectfully
James. C. Howe
Adjutant General

OFFICE OF
Gen. O. O. HOWARD,
H. S. HOWARD.

Adjt General
State of Ohio

Returns Allen