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FOR

Department Encampment of Pennsylvania G. A. R.,

JUNE, 1896.

Chambersburg, Pa., Apr 15, 1896.

Genl. C. C. Howard

Dear Sir and Comrade

Are you

open for an engagement to lecture on Tuesday
night June 2^d? If so will you please give us
your terms &c.

Yours Respectfully
F. W. Day

\$125.00

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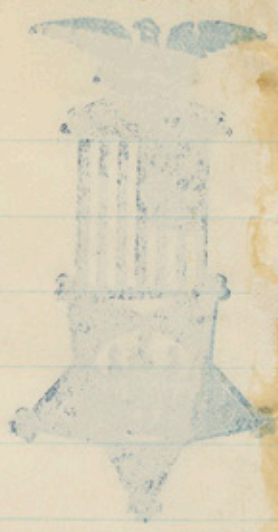
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JUNE 1926.



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HARTFORD LIFE AND ANNUITY
INSURANCE COMPANY,
Hartford, Conn.

HARRIS & PATTERSON, State Managers, Trust Building,

Check letter sent. 193
DALLAS, TEX., April, 15th. 1896. 189

Hon. Oliver O. Howard,

Governor's Island, N.Y.

My Dear Sir,-

About three years ago you wrote our Mr. Patterson a letter endorsing the Hartford Life and as that letter has been of some assistance to us, -- and you know the more policy holders we get the more dividends we will have to apply, we take the privilege of asking you for another letter giving your opinion, as a policy holder, of our Company, which would be of benefit to you as well as ourselves, and thanking you in advance for the same, we are, with respect,

Yours very truly HARRIS & PATTERSON,
STATE MANAGERS,

By *Patterson*

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American Missionary Association,

BIBLE HOUSE, NINTH STREET AND FOURTH AVENUE.

New York, April 15, 1896 *189*

Gen. O. O. Howard,

Burlington, Vt.

Dear Sir:

Your kind favor of April 13th is just received and I will communicate its contents at once to the friends at Williamsburg, Ky. from which point the ^{farmer} letter came. You remember the A. M. A. has a large and important mountain academy there and the whole people are anxious to have Gen. Howard speak for them. The students join in this desire with great enthusiasm.

You will probably hear directly from their committee, or I will communicate with you the outcome of the correspondence as soon as possible. I certainly hope these loyal Mountaineers may have the privilege of hearing Gen. Howard on one of his magnificent and eloquent lectures.

With great respect,

Yours sincerely,

C. J. Ryder.

American Missionary Association

Bible House, Ninth Street and Fourth Avenue

April 15, 1898

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608 12th St, W. Pr.
April 16th 1896,
Major Genl. O. O. Howard,
Dear Sir,

I learned last night,
through a friend, that the
evening before, at the Estlin
House, I had used grossly
offensive language to you.
I was shocked to hear this,
as I had no recollection of
meeting you, or of being in
the Hotel. I would have
endeavored to have seen
you, in person, today ^{to}
to offer my humble apologies.

but I am confined to my room, by temporary
illness, & take this method of expressing
the humiliation I feel, at the occurrence.
It shall, at least, be a usefull lesson to
me, for the rest of my life, I hope you
will feel that in the matter, there could
have been nothing personal, & so far at
least, may be willing to condone the offense
I am not in the habit of using bad language
& cannot understand how I could do so,
under any circumstances,

Very Respectfully,
Yours Obedt. Servant,

E. W. Lord.
Capt. U.S.A. Retd.

M. V. EAMES, ... Pres.
M. V. EAMES, ... Treas.

J. R. PERSONS, Cor. Sec.
E. H. MEYER, Rec. Sec.
F. C. ALLEN, Mis. Sec.

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Young Men's Christian Association,



Ohio Wesleyan University,

Delaware, Ohio, Apr. 16, 1896.

Gen. O. O. Howard,

Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir;- Our Young Men's Christian Association are very desirous of securing a lecturer for some date between June 1 and 16. If you have dates open about that time, will you kindly write us your terms. The proceeds of the entertainment are to be applied on helping students attend the Y.M.C.A. summer conferences. Our association and distribution would be highly favored and honored if such an arrangement is possible. A very early reply will be appreciated.

Yours very respectfully,

S. E. Ellis.

182 So. main St.

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Young Men's Christian Association



Ohio Wesleyan University

Delaware, Ohio, April 1, 1896

Rev. O. O. Howard,

Washington D. C.

Dear Sir: Our Young Men's

Christian Association are very desirous of securing a lecturer for our state between June 1 and 15. If you have been able to do so, please write your kind, note in your return. The proceeds of the entertainment are to be applied in helping students attend the Y. M. C. A. summer conference. Our association and students would be highly favored and honored if you could on arrangement in possible. A very kind, reply will be appreciated.

Yours very respectfully,

J. E. Ellis

185 So. Main St.

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in my behalf so that it can be
 pushed to a speedy conclusion
 if they only knew what Happiness
 I brought to Genl Burnside and
 his Starved army and all refugees in
 there I think I would have long
 since got my money, any yet if
 I had it to day its no compensation for
 my ~~personal~~ trip successfully
 accomplished and yet if I never get
 anything from this great Nation I helped
 to save I will have the consolation of
 knowing that I have helped to make a shoe
 it is I am in poor circumstance
 as far as this world goods are concerned &
 I therefore appeal to you to help me if you
 can for I know that your ^{Heart} ~~Heart~~ Long
 since given to the master will do what it
 can for a Brother in Distress your friend
 98 Excuse this letter John T. Brown

Gibson Washington D.C.
 Perry, R.
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Ebenezer Tenn April 17-1866
 General O. O. Howard
 My Dear Sir

I want to
 call to your mind if I can an
 incident of our meeting at
 Louisville Tenn during the Siege
 of Knoxville by Genl. Longstreet
 if you recollect I had just
 returned from Knoxville having
 carried the Dispatch through
 from Louisville Tenn where Genl
 Wheeler was to Genl Burnside
 at Knoxville said Dispatch telling
 him to hold out a few days longer
 that there was under fire march to
 his aid the various commands
 forgot which and they would either
 capture Longstreet or drive him from

the Valley. When I goi Back to
Louisville I meet Seven of your
advance Pickets who after finding
that I had just returned from
Knoxville from carrying said despatch
to Genl Burnside when you came
I suppose told you and you sent
for me at your Headquarters at
Mrs Hooders and well do I recollect
your Empty Sleeve and what an
Impression it made on my mind
for I was then but a Boy 18 years
old you asked me all about Knoxville
and Genl Burnside's which Information
I gave you as I had seen the Genl
and also been among his Soldiers
if you recollect your Corps the "
I did not go any farther than Louisville
I only tell these things to refresh your
mind. Congress By an act Passed
in 1873 Granted to Miss Mary Love
Two Thousand Dollars for her services

and I filled my Case shortly after
and as yet haven't got anything
only favorable reports to pay me a little
amount three time and a favorable
report from war claims committee
to ^{the Present House Representative} pay me \$1,000. When I first made
up my case I wrote Genl Burnside
for his Affidavit and he wrote back and
told me that when Congress meet he
would go before the Committee in Person
and testify in my behalf which he did
there has never been any trouble to
get a unanimous Report from the Com-
mittee to pay me for my services but it always
goes back to the House is put on the calendar
and dies there. your Present Congressman
Henry R. Gibson told me at our
convention the other day that he
had everything in good shape now
couldn't you assist me by using your
Influence with members of Congress
that you know to interest themselves

AMERICAN TRACT SOCIETY, *Box*

10 East 23d Street,

J. M. STEVENSON, D. D., Sec. Emeritus.
W. W. RAND, D. D.,
O. L. SHEARER, D. D., } Secretaries.
WM. A. RICE, D. D.,
LOUIS TAG, Ass't Treas.

NEW YORK,

Apr. 17, '96

Major Genl. B. O. Howard

My dear Sir

Our Annual Meeting is to take place May 13 this year, and as our honored President has "gone higher" it devolves upon you as Vice-President to preside on this occasion. May we rely upon your being with us? If so we shall be very glad. We hope for a pleasant meeting, & have promised of short addresses from two missionaries to

Yrs faithfully
W. W. Rand

AMERICAN TRACT SOCIETY.

10 East 23d Street,

New York

Apr 13 '96

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Rev. Geo. D. Howard

Brooklyn

Dear Sir,

I have been very glad to hear of your

interest in the "Tract Society" and

to see that you are so interested in the

work of the Society. I am sure that

you will find it very interesting and

profitable. I am sure that you will

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I am sure that you will find it very

Yours truly,

Wm. Howard

R. D. HILL,
ATTORNEY,
WILLIAMSBURG, KY.

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Williamsburg, Ky. Apr 4/18, 96.

General Oliver O. Howard,
Burlington, Vt.

Dear Sir:-

Rev. C. J. Ryder of New York has sent me copy of your letter to him, dated 13th inst., relating to the probability of your delivering a lecture here during your trip to the National Convention at St. Louis. In your letter to Rev. Mr. Ryder, you say "For a lecture all this year, I have received \$90.00 and expenses. If I should go to the St. Louis Convention, traveling expenses would be small. You know the situation best at 'American Highlanders'. Possible a lecture for one-half net proceeds would be the best there" Dr. Ryder has said to me that you would probably go to the Convention, and if I preferred I could correspond directly with you. Let me say, General, that nothing would please us more than to have you deliver us a lecture, and ~~let me say~~ that I will assume the payment of your expenses and \$45.00 if you will come, even though your expenses should be all the way from Burlington here and back, and I will also say that you shall have the full net proceeds, which I think will not amount to less than \$65.00, and in all probability, considerably more.

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Washington D. C.

Dear Sir & Comrade

Your favor of yesterday at hand, and in reply will say that we are well pleased that you can accept our invitation to lecture for us on June 2. You will therefore consider yourself engaged for that night. In regard to subject we would like a little time to consider.

Your terms are satisfactory and your remuneration is assured, as you will learn by letter from Mr Thos. Cree.

I presume you furnish circulars like the ones enclosed. If you have a single column out of yourself we would like you to send us two for advertising in our two dailies.

You may depend on having a full house.

Yours Respectfully
F. W. Day

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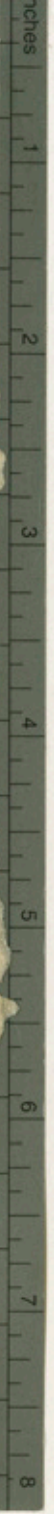
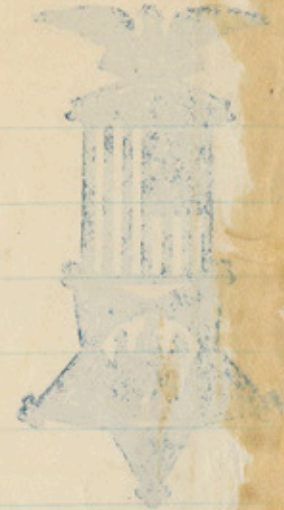
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JOHN W. DOANE,
FREDERIC R. COUDERT, } RECEIVERS.

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Warysville Kansas Sept 18 1896

Genl O. O. Howard.

Dr Genl.

I hope you will not think I am forward, or assuming too much, but being free to act, I took the liberty to remind my friend and neighbor, Hon. W. A. Calderhead, M.C. from this, the fifth Congl. Dist, that you have not been fairly treated, considering that you are the last of our Army and Dept Commanders, in not having conferred on you on your retirement the rank of Lieut General, and he ought to introduce a bill to that effect.

That he will do so I am satisfied, and hope this mark of respect if not of duty, will be bestowed on you - You won the title fairly.

Without further apology for my action, I enclose Mr Calderhead's answer.

Wishing you every enjoyment of health and contentment; and in recollection of your many acts of personal kindness while with you on the "March to the Sea,"

I am yours

Jno Loneragan

J. P. MORGAN & CO.,

P. O. Box 3036.

New York, *205* April 18th 1896

O. C. Howard Esq.

Burlington.

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Dear Sir ,

We are sending you to-day per Reg^d mail
Trust Receipt for the following securities of the Northern
Pacific R. R. Co., received from you :

\$ _____ General First Mortgage Bonds.

\$ _____ Second Mortgage Bonds.

\$ _____ Third Mortgage Bonds.

\$ _____ Collateral Trust Notes.

\$ _____ Consolidated Mortgage Bonds.

\$ _____ Dividend Certificates.

\$ 1 M. Preferred Stock.

\$ _____ Common Stock.

\$ _____ Northwest Equipment Co.

Yours truly,

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| \$ | Common Stock. |
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Yours truly,

J. P. Morgan

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Lynchburg, Va., April 20, 1896.

General O.O.Howard,

Ebbitt House,

Washington, D.C.

My dear General:-

Accept my thanks for your very kind, cordial and friendly note. I want you to give my love to your son Harry too. I will be in Washington before many days, and hope to see you.

Very sincerely yours,

Fitzhugh Hall

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O.O.H.*

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Winchester, Va., April 20, 1862.

General O.O. Howard,

Elliott House,

Washington, D.C.

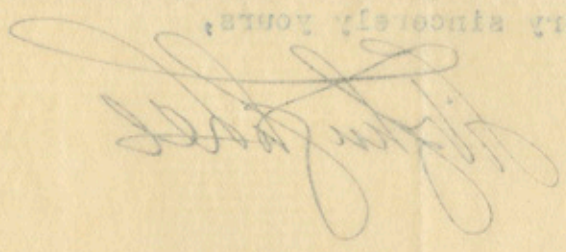
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New York, April 21, 1896 189

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Burlington, Vt.

Dear Friend:

R. D. Hill, Esq., Attorney at Law, of Williamsburg, Ky.
has written me to write you in reinforcement of his pledge that the
people will meet the conditions of your kind letter which you
sent to me and which I forwarded him. Mr. Hill is a thoroughly
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With kind regards,

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L. J. Ryden

NORWICH UNIVERSITY,

Northfield Vermont.

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April 21

1896

Gen. O. O. Howard,

Dear Sir:-

We are making efforts to compile a roster of our graduates and past cadets, but in order to do this we must have more war records as Adj Gen's reports etc. We are trying to get the ~~regt~~ histories of the regiments in which our men served. Would you be so kind as to inform me where the history of Gen. Geo. P. Buell's regt could be obtained and also if there have been histories published of Gen. Ransom's regt; the 30th Ill. & the 28th Ill.? We tried to get the Mass. war literature, which they have for distribution to the libraries in the state but find they can not send the works out of the state. We need these works very much. and it seems as though Mass. could well afford to give us the works on consideration of the number of our men who served in the war from Mass. We have a number of books

Some of whom were Jesse A. Gore; J. P. Gould;
Crowningshield; Griswold; Joseph
Stedman; Cunningham (Brig. Gen.) Edmund
Rice. and a number more.

I have worked on this roster for about
2 years. Have found about 300 names
so far. We will print the roster in our
Reveille this month, and will send
you a copy.

Yours respectfully,

Wm A. Ellis.

Alumni Editor

of the Reveille.

S.E.W.

WHITINSVILLE, MASS.

1339 14 St.

Washington

April 21/96

Gen. O. O. Howard.

My dear Sir,

I enclose my
check for one hundred dollars
for the "Howard Hall of Honor
Fund". I send it to you
because I like to report
to Headquarters!

I hope some time I may
show you our Country home,
and it would be an added
pleasure if you would
bring Mrs. Howard with
you. Mrs. Denny is usually
with me all summer and
she may prove an attrac-
tion! Sincerely yours
Sarah C. Whitier.

