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J. P. MORGAN & CO.,
P. O. Box 3036.

New York, July 27th 1896.

O. O. Howard Esq.
156 College St.
Burlington, Vt.

Dear Sir ,

We are in receipt of your favor of the — enclosing Trust Receipt for the following securities of the Northern Pacific R. R. Co., viz:

1 Shs. Preferred Stock.
7 Shs. Common Stock.

which we return per Registered mail with the 3d payment stamped thereon.

Yours truly,

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C. O. Hovey Esq.

165 Gallery St.

Washington, D.C.

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Yours truly,

[illegible]

July 27th 1896
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My dear General:

Please send me your home address in N.Y. I desire to send your little daughter a Moapa Indian basket, and to know just where to send it.

I have just taken my wife and little boy through the Yellowstone Park for an outing. It is a most delightful tour.

Very truly yours
Wm E Dougherty.

Gen. O. O. Howard.

Paris 27th Feb

My dear Maurice:

Please send me your home address in N.Y. I want to send you a little Bouquet for a Mardi Gras ball, and I haven't your address by heart.

I have just taken my magic and lift tray through the Alliance Français for our meeting. It is a most delightful place.

Yours B.B. Russell

Mme E. Bouquet

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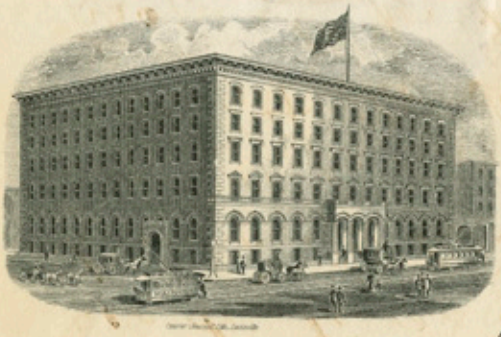

Galt House.

LOUISVILLE, KY.

July 27 1896.

Major Gen O. O. Howard
Burlington Vt

Dear General:

I am just ready to go to Chicago, and have only time to say that Mr Myers and I today bought the Four Seasons property for $13,000.00, $500.00 cash and $5500.00 payable in 5 mos. Balance in one and two years. This property as it now stands cost over $300,000.00. — Mr Myers will next close the Chalybeate spring property for about $2000.00 worth about $25,000.00.

Shall write more when at home.

With kind regards
Cyrus Ke Ar

July 27 1906.

Mr. Geo. D. Howard
Bowling Green Ky

Dear Sir:

I am just ready to go to Chicago, and have only time to say that the Myers and I talking bought the Geo. Berry property for $13,000.00 $5000.00 cash and $5000.00 payable in 2 and 3 years. Balance in one and two years. This property is now about cost over $30,000.00. — The Myers will next close the Globe Tobacco property for about $20,000.00 which will put more money in it than the Berry deal.

Yours Ed

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NEW YORK MONUMENTS COMMISSION

—FOR THE—

Battlefields of Gettysburg and Chattanooga,

23 Fifth Avenue, New York, July 28, 1896.

Maj.-Gen. O. O. Howard, U. S. A.
165 College St., Burlington, Vt.

My dear General:—

Referring to your favor of the 17th inst., I beg to advise you that I have been absent in Chattanooga for about two weeks, returning to my desk this morning.

In the course of two or three days, I will arrange your voucher for presentation to Gen. Sickles for payment.

With pleasant recollections of the honor of accompanying you over the fields of Chattanooga,

I am, General, with much respect, very ~~truly~~ yours

A. J. Zabriskie
Engr & Secy.

Maj.-Gen'l. Daniel E. Sickles, U. S. A.
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Pt. Edward N. Y.
My dear General:

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On receipt of your letter I have at once arranged your work for the Commissioners. Little for Management.

Hope this may meet the wishes of the Commissioners.

Yours, General with much respect,

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Secretary.

Methodist Episcopal Parsonage
J. L. FORT, Jr., Pastor

Williston Vt July 28 1896

Gen. O. O. Howard,
Burlington, Vt.

Dear Sir and Brother, — At our coming Camp Meeting at Spring Grove, New Haven, Vt. Wednesday Aug 26th has been set apart as Epworth League Day. We would greatly like to have you make the address on the afternoon of that day. Can we secure your services? If so what will be the terms? This is no money making device and we are not in a condition to pay a large sum. We want the young people who will gather on that day from all

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our Burlington District to get inspiration from you who have been in public life so long and in whom the nation has confidence.

Very truly yours,
John L. Fort, Jr.
President District League

P.S. I write this at the request of Rev J. J. Nor the Presiding Elder of Burlington District

The International Christian Workers Association. 55

REV. RUSSELL H. CONWELL, President.

REV. JOHN C. COLLINS, Sec'y. REV. H. W. POPE, Associate Sec'y.

MANAGING COMMITTEE.

Dictated Secy's Office, First Nat. Bank Bldg., New Haven, Ct., July 28, 1896.

General O. O. Howard,

Dear Sir:

Could we make arrangements to have an address from you on some of your personal experiences in Christian work at our Silver Lake Summer Christian Workers Assembly the 25th or 27th of next August? Silver Lake is a short distance from Rochester, N. Y. I enclose you "World-Christian" concerning our Convention and also circular concerning Association, if you are not already familiar with it.

Very truly,

John C. Collins.

2 Enclosures.

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Maj. Gen. O. O. Howard, U.S.A.
156 College St. Burlington, Vt.
My dear General:—

I take pleasure in transmitting you herewith, Gen. Sickles' check #7202, drawn to-day on the Bank of the Metropolis, to your order, for $110.45, the amount designated in your itemized statement rendered for Transportation & Subsistence from Burlington, Vt. to Chattanooga, Tenn & return, as a member of the Seventh Corps Locating Committee, during last month.

Kindly sign and return to me annexed Voucher.

Very truly yours,

A. J. Zabriskie
Engr & Secy.

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Boston 29th July, 1896.

Dear General:

I have received a letter (dated the 27th) from your Secretary respecting the Pope Autograph. His offer of $1.00 is accepted and I send it in this letter.

Had I been able to "make out" your Secretary's initials I would have addressed him direct.

Yours very Truly,
D. C. Pavey.

To
Gen. O. O. Howard.

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Williamstown
July 29, 1896.

Dear Uncle Otis,

Your note enclosing N. Y. Central pass and your cards for Don and myself arrived yesterday. I thank you very much. I was anxious to be able to go with Don both for his help and my pleasure, and your kindness will enable us to be together.

a large part of the way.
We will send the
Fitchburg mileage book
from Albany, as you
suggest. Don seems
to be enjoying himself
and I am enjoying his
visit very much indeed.
We are having a chance
to get well acquainted
again. You know I have
hardly been with him
for three years. We have
had one long tramp over

the hills and plan
several more before
next Monday, when
we are to start for home.
I shall probably return
before August 20 and
will then return to you
the West Shore and
Nickel Plate passes as
you kindly suggested.
With sincere love to all
the family

Yours affectionately

L. R. Howard

I will return the N. Y.
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Grover Cleveland
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O. O. HOWARD, JR.

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Burlington, Vermont.

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Mr. Dunn is a mining engineer, a graduate of the University of California in the Class of '72, and a very competent and reliable man. We have had some business relations together and I hope to have more. He left his wife and little boy at the Colonial where we live.

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Affectionately your nephew,

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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
~~WASHINGTON, D. C.,~~ Squirrel Island (Me) July 29, 1896

My Dear General:

Your received. I think it would be an excellent thing for you to participate in the campaign just opened; and I have so said to Mr Manley, Chairman of Maine Republican Committee & also member of National Executive Committee.

I shall be pleased to see you in Maine.

Truly Yours
N Dingley Jr

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Chicago, July 30th, 1896.

Maj. Gen'l O. O. Howard,
Burlington, Vt.

Dear General,-

From Louisville, Ky., I sent a letter to you last Monday evening stating that on that day Rev. A. A. Myers and I had contracted for the Four Seasons property for $13,000.00; $500 being paid in cash, $5500 being due in five months and the balance in one and two years. I took pains to ascertain the cost of this property as it now stands and found that the 500 acres with all there is now remaining on the tract cost the English syndicate no less than $300,000.00. I went all over the tract and am very much pleased with it. I do not see how it could be better suited to the purposes of a large University.

Mr. Myers was to close the contract on his return home for the Chalybeate Spring property just below the Harrow School including the four buildings and four acres of ground for $1,000. or $2,000.00. I have not yet learned whether he has accomplished this.

In connection with the Harrowgate Inn, there is a tract of 800 acres which Mr. Myers says can be bought for about $12,000.00. This we both look upon as an important tract to buy for the University, and it is our plan to make a contract as soon as we can see the way clear for it.

In addition to this, there are several other cheap tracts not so large which we ought to buy or get under control in some way. Mr. Myers probably told you that he has 65 acres on top of the mountain adjacent to the pinnacle, covering the highest summit on the range, and that he has 42 acres in the saddle of the Gap.

A remarkable peculiarity of the situation is the cheapness of lands which are admirably adapted to give the University an ideal and ample site and at the same time make the University rich with a large rent roll. I was surprised to learn that Mr. Myers already has a number of small buildings from which he gets a considerable income. There is now a demand for more houses, and this will of course grow as the institution grows. With $50,000.00 we can secure a total of 4,000 or 5,000 acres of that magnificent land, and this will make the University rich from the beginning. We wish to have men of means see this business situation as early as possible.

Mr. Myers says that if he had the facilities, he could readily secure a thousand pupils for the Academy during the present year. It is not at all probable that he will be able to accommodate all who will voluntarily apply. Furthermore, the other men who are interested with him are confident that they can get a college course freshman class of at least 20 or 25 members. They know of more than a hundred young people who are eligeable to such a class and who should enter it. Mr. Myers probably brought to your attention the fact that in that mountain region they now have seventeen Academies with no facilities beyond the Academy work.

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The work will involve considerable travel, and I ought to have annual passes for myself and one over the principal roads. In view of the philanthropic character of the enterprise and in view of the fact that a considerable amount of railroad business will result from its development, it seems to me that the railroads can well afford to furnish to me the annual passes. As the University grows, there will be a considerable amount of building and equipment and also a large amount of travel of students and visitors. We propose to organize summer assemblies or summer schools in addition to the regular yearly work. We also propose to organize a medical department which shall include the operation of the sanitarium on the Four Seasons tract. This feature alone will bring a large number of guests. Mr. Myers has also suggested that a large portion of the building space commanded by the University might be used during the summer for the entertainment of summer visitors. I should be very glad if you could secure through General Thomas a pass for the balance of this year for myself and one over the Monon and the C. H. & D. Ry., A pass with which to reach the East would also be useful; perhaps one might be obtained over the B. & O. or the Pennsylvania. Mr. Myers and I can probably secure a pass for me over the Louisville & Nashville Road. I think Mr. Myers is personally acquainted with President Smith of the Louisville and Nashville.

You will understand that at the beginning every dollar must be saved so far as possible.

I shall greatly appreciate any suggestions which you can give me from time to time, and I shall try to keep you fully informed of every step that is taken.

With kind regards and best wishes, I remain

Yours very truly,

Cyrus Kehr

P.S.: I am very much pleased with the outlook and regard the matter as providential. It is what I have wanted, and Mr Myers had already planned in detail what I had planned. I shall close up my own affairs here as fast as I can and at the same time push the University work. Dr Roy has given me a good letter to Dr D. K. Pearsons, whom I hope to see tomorrow. C. K.

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Sharon
July 31st
[1896]

My dear General

If you want to send me any letters during the months of August and September, will you please direct to the care of Mrs. N. B. Banks, Salt-Air Cottage, Bar Harbor, Maine. I expect to be there during those months. I hope you and Mrs Howard Rufus will be

this very hot weather.

With kind regards to you both—

I am Yours truly

Mary W. Temple

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Miss Virginia Dox, who has had a wide experience among the people of the Frontier and among the Indians, is now helping to raise money for Whitman College. Dr. Pearsons told me that he thought that as soon as she is done with Whitman (which will be within a year) she ought to be turned into the mountain work. He says there is no woman in the United States better adapted to that work. I shall try to find a way to get Miss Dox to go to Cumberland Gap for a short vacation and rest. If that can be done soon, Mr. Myers and his wife may be able to enlist Miss Dox's interest.

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Young Men's Era.

The representative paper of the Young Men's Christian Associations.

Office, Association Building, Chicago, Ill.

Frank W. Ober, Managing Editor.

Address to Sept. 1st, E. Northfield, Mass.

E. Northfield, Mass., July 31, 1896.

Gen. O. Howard,
Burlington, Vt.

My Dear General Howard:

You may be aware of the recent attempt by the "Young Men's Era" publishers to make the paper mean more to the work for young men in this country. You know the paper has been suspended for the summer and will be republished in September. Over $6000 have been raised to carry it through its first year, and we hope by the grace of God to be able to make it mean a good deal to the young men of this country, not simply as a guide and inspiration to the Young Men's Christian Association work, but as a young man's paper to discuss and take up the questions which have to do with a young man's life.

Major Halford has kindly consented to write the editorial review of the world's doings each week. This in itself will place the paper on a much higher level, as Maj. Halford is one of the best editorial writers in this country. Many other have consented to assist in this work, and I write to ask if sometime during the year you would write something very brief to the young men of this country, perhaps on the theme, "A Christian Man's Duty in case of War," or any theme which is closest to your mind and heart. Mr. Hall, state secretary of New York, has suggested to me that you would be interested and might be willing to contribute something to this paper.

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Gen. O. Howard,
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Yours in Christ,

D. L. Moody.

P.S. Address all letters to Northfield, Mass.

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I fully appreciate that I am asking a great deal of you, but I do so knowing your deep interest in men and in the cause in which this paper is published. I assure you that no corporation will profit by it, but that the work is undertaken both by the company and the editors at this time with the purpose of assisting in the work for young men.

Respectfully yours,

Frank W. Ober

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Gen. Howard

My Dear Sir & my Friend:-

I have written your friend Mr. Bachelder that I cannot comply with his request for my photo. as I have never had it taken except with my little family group a year since-

If however you think I had better sit for it, I might do so.

Very truly yrs.

Sarah S. Sampson

Washington D.C.
July 31st 96