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New York City, Mch. 23rd, 1900.

General Oliver Otis Howard,  
Champaign, Ill.

Dear General Howard:-

I have your letter of the 21st and note contents.

As soon as the second mortgage with the release and proper papers are presented and examined, I will give a check to take up same.

I will also see what can be done to send forward funds to Mr. Eager. I wrote him a letter the other day, asking him to write and tell just how little he could get on with for a few days, and as soon as I hear from him, I will take up the matter again, and will write you immediately. Please write me and state about when you will be in New York again.

Yours truly,

P. S. I am delighted to hear that there is some prospect of getting a pledge from Dr. Pearson, and Mrs. McCormick.



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WAR DEPARTMENT,  
QUARTERMASTER GENERAL'S OFFICE,  
WASHINGTON, D.C.

March 23, 1900.

My dear General:

Your letter of the 17th instant, relating to the matter of appointment as Assistant Quartermaster of Volunteers, of Mr. T. J. Stedman, formerly chief clerk to your son, Colonel Howard, and now on duty as clerk in Manila, is received. In reply you are informed that in September last Colonel Howard recommended Mr. Stedman for this place, whose recommendation was referred by me to the Adjutant General of the Army.

I have this day referred your letter to the Adjutant General, for

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With kindest regards, I remain,

of appointment as Assistant Quartermaster

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

Number last Colonel Howard recommend

ad Mr. Steedman for this place, whose

of any other person.

Of course you know I have no personal acquaintance with Mr. Stedman, and do not know what his exact qualifications are, and for that reason am not justified in saying more than I have. Colonel Howard's recommendation in Mr. Stedman's behalf is itself entitled to special weight, and I have no doubt will receive proper consideration by the authorities.

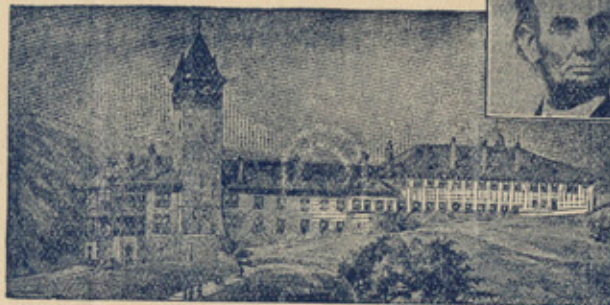


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*Sec'y and Asst. Treasurer.*  
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March 24th, 1900.

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

My dear Friend and Brother:-

I have just received in a  
letter from B. Ellis, Sec'y a check for \$60.00 on account. Many  
thanks for promptness.

Yours fraternally,

*John Hale Larry*  
R. R.



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Barton School, Tenn.  
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John Hall Lamy,  
Albany, Tenn.

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John Hall Lamy



Indianapolis, Indiana  
March 25<sup>th</sup> 1900.

Gen. O. O. Howard.,

Dear Sir:

Your letter received some time ago, asking for contribution to your "Lincoln Memorial". We would be delighted to aid in some way, but on account of the many heavy demands we are forced to meet in so short a time, we are not able to contribute to others. Nevertheless we join in wishing you good success in your "Memorial" plans.

Sincerely Yours

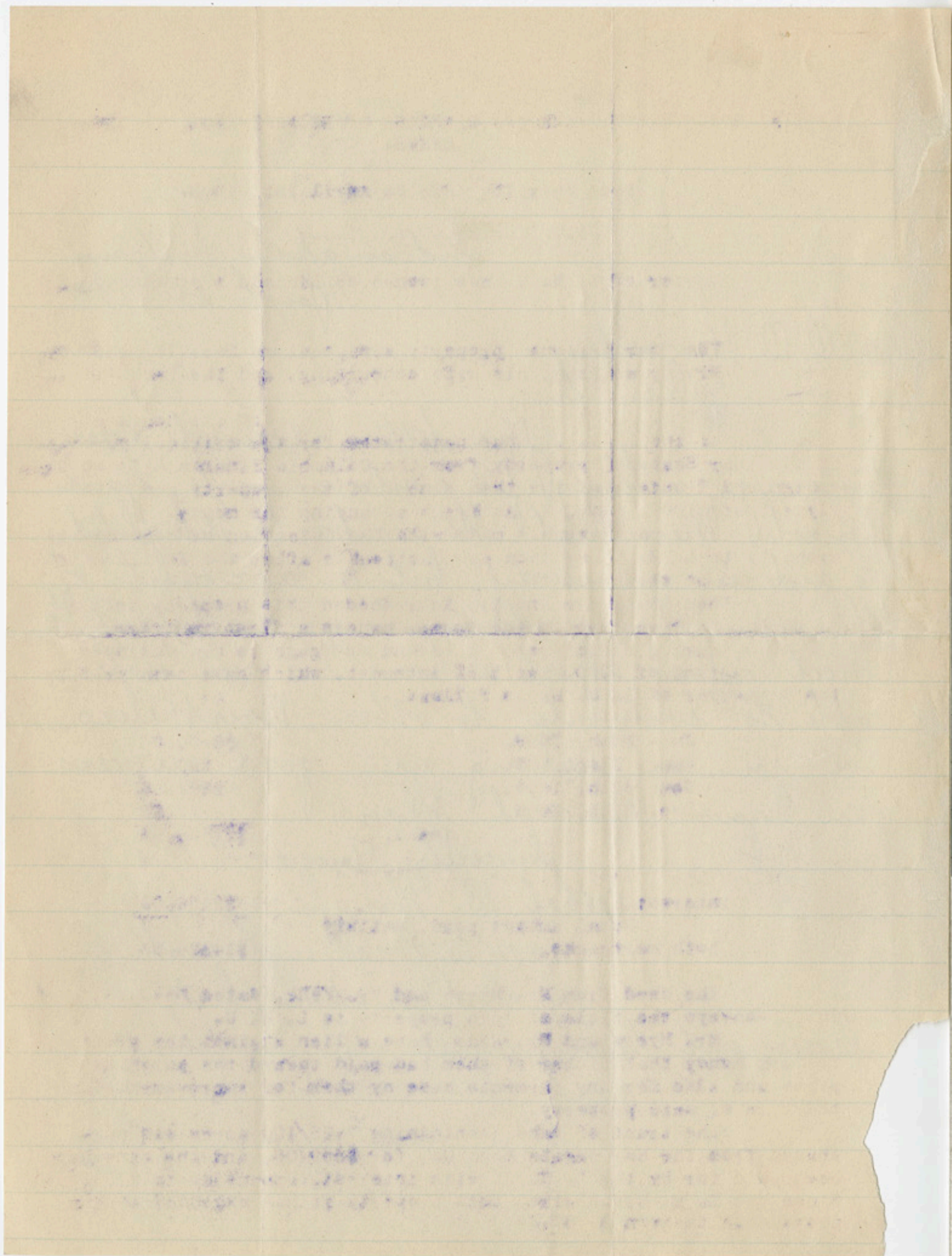
Ethel B. Thight-

1414 E. Washington St.

Indianapolis, Ind.

Covenant Congregational Church.







Pastor's Study,  
Dwight Place Church,  
New Haven, Conn.

Mich 26. 1900

My dear General Howard,

You know of the death of Rev J. E. Fitchell D.D. pastor of the Dwight Place Church, as his last charge.

Mrs Prather informs me that you will be likely to visit her on your return from the west & that your friendship for the Doctor was such that you would be ready possibly to participate in a memorial service which we are planning for some Sunday evening. I write



know if this would be  
a gratification to you.

We hold a service tomorrow  
night for the Church where  
a more informal & free expression  
from a great many of our  
members may be secured  
than would be likely in the  
Church auditorium. But Dr  
Fitchell, as pastor 13 years  
of this Church, had a wide  
connection with people throughout  
the city. He was also Chaplain  
of the Governor's Foot Guards & a  
member of the Grand Army Post.

These companies & men would  
be glad to come in a body  
if provision was made for  
them. We are therefore planning  
for such a gathering some



Pastor's Study,  
Dwight Place Church,  
New Haven, Conn.

Sunday night in April. And if  
you can be with us, it will  
be considered remarkably fortunate.

Easter is the 15<sup>th</sup> & the special  
exercise; that day makes it  
desirable that the memorial  
be some other Sunday & yet  
if that was the only day  
you could be here, we would  
set that time. I expect that  
one or two of the local clergy  
will take part; but I shall  
say nothing to them until  
I hear from you.

Please let me know your  
mind & set the Sunday as early  
in the month as you can.

Sincerely Yours Wm. L. Latta



Pastor's Study.  
Edwige Place Church.  
New Haven, Conn.

My dear friend,  
I have just received your letter of the 15th and am  
glad to hear from you. I am well and hope  
these few lines will find you the same.  
I am very busy at present but will  
try to write you more fully soon.  
I am, dear friend, very truly,  
Your affectionate friend,  
J. H. [Name]



Office of the Appraiser of Merchandise,

Port of Boston, Mass.,

March 26. 1900

My dear General

The Young Men's Rep. Social Union want to know if you are to be near enough to Boston on Monday, May 21, to be with it as a guest in the Evening of that day. They are not rich but will pay any expense for transportation. I shall be very glad to have you accept if you can and will accompany you (D.R.) on that occasion. I sent your large photograph to Luther Laphin Mills Chicago as you



directed and trust it reached  
him in good time & shape.

The uniform edition is a  
"stunner" and pleases all your  
friends here who have seen it.

Regret to hear of Dr. Patchell's  
death. How many get into new  
homes only to leave them for a  
better in "the city not made with  
hands". All well at home &  
send regards.

Sincerely, Yours,

G. I. Hamard

Maj. Gen. D. S. Howard

Amrlington  
Va.



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THE INTERSTATE LECTURE BUREAU,

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Shelbyville, Illinois. March. 27, '00.

Dear Gen. Howard:

An entertainment billed for the opera ho use here prevented my putting in the date for you for Thursday night. Next season I hope to fill more time, and have you before my own people.

We want a four page circular to use in booking you for next seasons work. All our circulars are uniform in size, 8x11 when folded. I inclose sample. We can issue such a circular, for \$10. for the first two thousand and save you all the trouble, if you wis us to do this. We will bunch your dates, so as not to make trips long, and consult you always before making a final date. Let us know at once please if you will issue the circular, or if you want us to do it for you. By having them now we can place you in some of the larger courses early, and give you plenty of notice. Kindly let me hear from you here, please at your earliest convenience. Believe me,

Yours Very Truly,

Chas. L. Wagner



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Chas. L. Harris





Meriden, Conn., March 27, 1900.

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

Dear Comrade:-

Your very kind letter of the 14th duly received, and it has been submitted to the Board of Managers, and they think it best not to attempt to guarantee the One hundred dollars at present, but for this special meeting which they have in contemplation, to get some G. A. R. man at less expense.

They have asked me to say to you that some time in the future they will be glad to arrange for you to deliver your addresses for the benefit of the Lincoln Memorial University.

Trusting to have the privilege of seeing and hearing you again before we are called hence, I am, very

Very sincerely yours,

*Albert A. May.*



# BUSINESS COLLEGE

Middlebury College, Middlebury, Vt., 1890.

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Wm. C. May



THE PATERSON  
MILITARY SCHOOL,  
PATERSON, N. J.

March 28th, 1900

Major Gen. O. O. Howard:

Dear Gen. Howard:

We are doing all possible  
in way of advertising the  
lecture set. for Tuesday  
April 3<sup>rd</sup>. The Press is  
very generous and an  
announcement and an ap-  
peal for the cause  
will be made from  
our prominent pulpits.

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next Sunday. The Students  
are anticipating your  
address to them at the  
Armory at 2. which is  
an open day to their friends.  
Gen Congdon will entertain  
you and the Advisory  
Council of my School at  
dinner at the Hamilton  
Club. and you will after-  
wards be the guest of Dr.  
E. J. Marsh, Chief Medical  
Adviser of the Mutual  
Life Insurance Co, New York,  
at her home this City -  
Dr. Marsh is an old veteran

I am sure you will  
hear from you this week.

Kindly advise me in time to  
enable me to meet you on

arrival -  
Very sincerely  
Lincoln St. Ryan



Lead. So. Fab.  
Mar. 28, 1900.

Gen. B. B. Howard.  
Burlington.

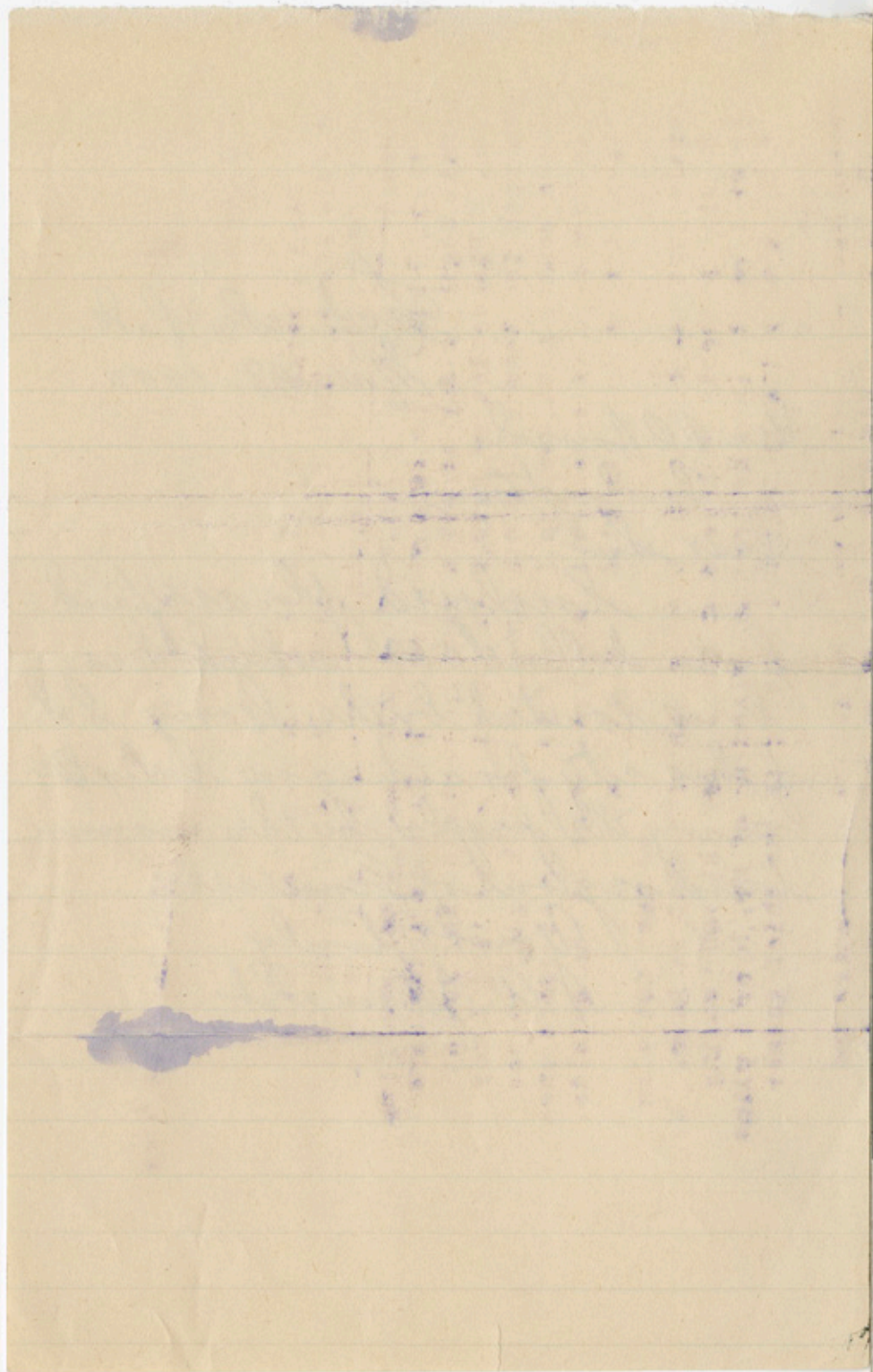
Dear Sir:

Enclosed please find  
five dollars <sup>\$</sup>5.00 which has  
been donated by the Cong. S. S.  
of this city for aiding in enlight-  
ening the people in the moun-  
tain regions of Tennessee.

Yours truly  
A. J. Knight

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March 28, 1900.

Gen. O. O. Howard,

New York City. N. Y.

My dear Sir:--

General John Eaton, who has been for several years President of our Society, is in declining health and feels obligated to decline a re-election. Several members of our board who are great admirers of yours, have expressed the wish that you might succeed him. In their behalf I therefore write to enquire whether you are willing to allow your name to be presented at the next election, which will occur the latter part of April. The general scope and purpose of the Society will appear in this letter head. I might add that the duties of President would not be great. We have an executive committee that looks after matters generally and our full board is called together only two or three times a year.

Hoping for an early and favorable reply,

Yours truly,

*J. E. Gilbert*



