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Young Men Mexican None 27 yrs.
March 10th.

Capt. F. Ward Esq.


Dear Sir: Your note of Nov. 12th just received. I am engaged for Wednesday night April 5th. I am the present with you the next night. The 5th.

Very truly yours,

O. O. Howard

Maj. Gen. U.S.A.
Nov 16 8.

H. L. Adams, Esq.
937 Broadway, Oakland.
Rome 200 29.

Sir: In answer to your favor of this date, Gen. Howard directed me to say that the War Dept. has ruled that if a minor fraudulently enlists he cannot afterwards plead this to obtain his discharge. The boy, if he is still under age, he a guardian dependent upon him, for support, may obtain a discharge from the War.
Mar 16

Mr. Mayne, Esq.
429 Bush St.
San Francisco, Cal.

Sir:

Said Howard directs me to inform you that there are, at present, no vacancies in the Godt office under his charge and many deserving old soldiers have applied to be given places when other vacancies occur.

Very Respt.

Yours Oblig. Co.

[Signature]

Oct 12th, 1849.
March 17th.

Messrs. Smith.

I am, Sir, your obedient servant,

[Signature]

[Address]

[Date]
March 17th

My dear Sir:

I have just arranged

with Mr. McCoy to meet him at

Stanton and be with you

sabbath evening. Need to go with you requested. I shall come

in from Nevada, arriving

sometime saturday night or

sunday morning. Please

address a letter to me at

Woodland so as to reach me

within me.
March 7, 1863

Mrs. Sarah Weinmann Hopkins  
Louisville, Ky.

Madame:

Gen. Howard has been detained by business, so that he will not be in Louisville till Thursday March 10.

He hopes this delay on his part will not prevent his seeing you. He will be able to stay only a few hours in Louisville & that it would please him if you meet him at the station when the overland train from San Francisco reaches Louisville, Thursday morning, March 11; or, at best, have someone there who can take the message directly to you.

Very truly yours,

Curly Goose

[signature]

F'dri'day, March 12

A.D.C.
Mar. 19 18

To The Committee [illegible] Banquet
Room 754 Palace Hotel

Moses:

It would gratify me much to join in the welcome extended to the Hon. Russell H. Alger for whose record as a soldier, a citizen and a man of large benevolence I have special admiration, but owing to other pressing calls upon my time I must decline.

In token of respect,

Moses hands

Major-General

U.S. Army
Nov. 19

James H. Beegee, Col.
Baldwell, Ohio.

Dear Friend:

You forgot that I had been transplanted to the Golden State. You are certainly too far off for a visit, public business & private from preventing any such visit as there is more army present here than I can name. I will be here next month to visit myself. I am extremely sorry I cannot meet many of the Ohio veterans. May your kind regards to all your men and tell him I will try to follow in the footsteps of those Sherman & Bayard. I do not mean to be like one of the Army of the Army or President of the U.S., but to pay one honorary visit to Baldwin and have the family of seeing my name on it.

Faithfully yours,

[Signature]

Maj. Gen. U.S. Army
Nov 19

The Chief of Engineers
U.S. Army
Washington, D.C.

Sir,

Gen. Howard, directs me to acknowledge the receipt of the following maps, with the scale of Jan. 1870

- 68 A, 68 B, 68 C, 68 D, 68 E
- 69 A, 69 B, 69 C, 69 D, 69 E
- 70 A, 70 B, 70 C

Said views of the mining districts.

Very respectfully,

Your obedient servant,

C. C. G. E.

Ref: 3 Sept 2186
March 19th

Dear Sir,

Your good letter of the 10th just came Saturday, I am glad you are not hanging out of the service.

Stevens had a copy of Grant's letter made which I will send you in this.

We are all disappointed that Gen. Grant's children do not come on sooner. Bessie is counting greatly upon that visit and is impatient to see Helen. We are now quite well. I have written to General Sherman and told him that for personal reasons I would like to go East so that he need not change his station too often, thinking that he much prefers this work. On account of Grandpa you and family, Grandpa and I think it better to be in the East. We have nothing certain concerning Gen. Terry. Hughes says he is much better than before.

The war I must say he soon returns to his command.

I am to take a brief trip into Nevada (Junction & Carson) this week to be absent from home till next Monday. Nie, to look after some Indian matters.

Give much love to Genia and the children. We shall be glad enough when you can do so. I think so. The three years gone can come back to me affectionately your father O.C.H.
March 19 0

J. le Warner, B.D.

Los Angeles, Cal.

University Place.

Dear Sir,

The Howard was just leaving the hotel when you came. He requested me to write you and say that he had already fully committed himself to a chaplaincy for the Chaplaincy at Santa Monica. Very truly yours,

[Signature]
Nov 10

H. J. McCoy Reg.
323 Water St.
City.

Dear Sir,

I have seen your gentleman about permission to play football for your club to play football at the Press Club Saturday afternoon. He says that the Press Club has no objection to the club using the facilities of the club with the exception of the gate, if the club believes themselves to do not appear in a half-made condition.

The Lord Lieutenant, the permission is for a practice and not for any actual match which is strictly carried out.

Very truly yours,

E. A. C. E. H. H.
1st Dec. 1924

S.
Nov 20 1912

George Rodd, boy
Wainecouma
Hardwick, Ind.

Sir:

In answer to your letter of the 17th instant directing me to say that money as he is for you, yet he cannot help you. He has no money in any fontain under him, and the claims upon his former have been

so heavy lately that he cannot give you money; there is a soldier home at Yountville but where you might find an shelter. If not you will have to settle along with the Indian Home in Stockton. You had better send your application now to Yountville if they could take you in and then to tell your prospective adopter have given some placed among the first to go to Stockton.

Yours truly
E. H. Freake
1st Lt. Capt.

L1 anchor
March 26

A. L. Ruskin, Esq.

Peshawa, Summary Co., tur.

Sirs:

Mr. Howard directs me to say that he will leave
his home tomorrow, Tuesday, Nov. 27,
for Peshawa, by the Isham
ferry at 3:30 p.m.

Very truly yours,

E. M. St. Steele

14th Dec. 24th
a.d. 6.
Mar 20th

Dear John:

I am just back from Nevada. Mama insists it is easy to
write me to send you a garnet.

The money that you send is

in mind. I welcome you

the joy to have it with

money you tell me to.

The hardest thing you have done

so much. All as well as

warm & one need know

hospitality up to this.

O.O. Wol.

30

John Howson

716 Franklin St

#10 - N.Y.
Mar 26th 8

Dear Frances:

I sent you 

15 oz your request. I shipped 
at Stockton on Sunday. 

address the young man

in the evening to a mass meeting in the city. I met

intimidated to see the Cong at night. I had to be up

at 5 am. This day to get

back to business. It seemed

like old military times. The

hurt me this charge unnecessary

that I know of necessary during

This last week I went to Maryland Col. Then to

Nevada. From there, Carson

Nevada City & and

back via Stockton to

San Francisco. I am glad

to get such good accounts

of your health. I will not

at this time much more.

Will be home soon.

E. O. X.

James W. Howard

18 Fulton St.

Joe NY.
March 27th.

Henry Romeo. Esq.
171 Madison Ave.
New York City.

Dear Sir:

Gen. Howard directs me to thank you for your kindness in sending him the clipping from the World of Nov 19th. & to say that he does not desire to become a subscriber to your bureau.

Very truly yours,

E. P. B. Ebbie

[Signature]
Nov 27, 8

Dear [Name]:

I forgot to bring your letter to the office - am glad you are enjoying yourself and hope when you come back you will be full of travel + vigor. If you wish to stay a little longer than your leave you are welcome to do so.

We will telegraph you in case of any sudden necessity.

Mr. [Name] & I have just returned from Nevada and have not heard from your family since. Best...

Very truly yours,

O.O. Howard

Maj. Gen. U.S.A.

Lt. G. A. [Name]

Savannah, Ga.
Nov. 20, 1888

To: Jerome Madden, Esq.

Land Dept.

P. O. R. L. N.

San Francisco, etc.

Sirs:

Enclosed please find

Hon. Howard check No. 36 in

Bank of California, for $3,434.

Said sum being the amount

for 2½ year on Contracts

for claims 6526 to 6529.

Yours,

C. H. J. Fleck

[Signature]

Telegram:

Exam. A. March 31, 1888.

A. L. Dorr

Stockton, Calif.

Dispatch received. Shall take if possible, first train for Sacramento

Sunday morning. Will do as you take about meeting.

[Signature]

O. A. Howard
Mar 29, 8

L. W. Briggs,

Sir: In answer to your letter of Nov. 12th, Gen. Howard directs me to say that he sent it to Gen. Whittlesey in Washington to see if he could remember you. Gen. Whittlesey replied that he did not, and Gen. Howard himself cannot recall you. The general is very sorry that he cannot help you, but his memory has to retain so many faces and names that occasionally one slips from him.

Very truly yours,

E. M. Freiberg
Mar 29

A. Elmore, Esq.
Lettow Springs College
Sonoma Co., Cal.

Sir:

In answer to your letter of Mar. 21st, Gen. Howard directs me to say that the soldiers of whom you write can obtain a copy of his discharge by writing to the Adjutant General, U. S. Army, Washington D.C.

Giving his Reg. Brigade, Division, Army Corps, date of service, length of same & name of officer signing Originals & other data establishing his identity.

Very truly yours,

E. F. J. Freling
A.D.C.
Nov. 29th

Mr. R. Morrison, Esq.

Dear Sir,

I enclose an
check on per agreement for

$150 + five dollars in coins total

$155.00. Please return the

contract for cancellation

and oblige yours truly,

O. O. Howard

Nov. 29th

Geo. W. Gibbs, Esq.

38-39 Fremont St

San Francisco, Cal.

Dear Mr. Gibbs,

Your favor

of Nov. 26th came duly in

hand. I am greatly obliged
to the gentlemen who subscribed
and mean to open generous
self. I have today settled

the account with the Messrs.

for 1862. Sincerely yours,

O. O. Howard
Mar 30

Dear Sir:

Enclosed please find
Mr. Howard's check on the
Bank of Ohio for $38.75 in pay-
ment of expense assessment for
1870-71, the first amount due
for assessment + .25 for
exchange. The General has
asked Gen. John C. Sartells
to act as his proxy at the
next annual meeting.

Very truly yours,

E. W. Field.
HEADQUARTERS DIVISION OF THE PACIFIC,
San Francisco, Cal., March 27, 1883.

Miss Elizabeth Peabody,
Jamaica Plain, Mass.

Dear Miss Peabody:

Your letter of March 6th, came in due time.

I have delayed answering because of a visit that I was soon to make to Nevada. On Thursday last I had the opportunity of spending several hours in Lovelock and the neighborhood. Sarah Winnemucca and her brother Natchez met us (Lieut. Greble and myself) at the station. With them we visited the farm and the school building, and met all the Indians of the neighborhood who could be collected in so short a time — men, women and children. It is plain that Sarah and Natchez are brother and sister. And if concurrent testimony is of value, they are the children of the Indian Chief whom the Americans named and ever after recognized as Chief Winnemucca. White men who have lived longest among the Pi-Utes tell me this. An old Indian, a brother of Sarah's mother, said that Winnemucca was not the Indian's real name. He gave the Indian name of his chief now deceased. These, Sarah and Natchez, are the grandchildren of the chief named by our people, Captain Truckee. Sarah, whom I met at the Malheur Agency in Oregon, was then recognized by all the Pi-Ute Indians there and by the Indian
Agent, Mr. Sam Parish, a life long friend of the Indians, as the daughter of Chief Winnemucca. She and her sister-in-law Mattie were with us as interpreters and guides during the entire Pi-Ute and Bannock war of 1878. Sarah was afterwards employed by me for a considerable time as an interpreter and teacher of Indian children, the children of prisoners— who were for sometime held at Fort Vancouver, Washington Territory. I have not the means of ascertaining just the wages paid, but I think she was paid $50. per month and her board. I found upon inquiry, that her husband Hopkins, had returned to Lovelock and that Sarah nursed him in his last sickness. I am confident that his death in her room of the school-building and the recent death of at least two of the children have made the superstitious of her Indian friends reluctant to send the children back to her school and teaching.

However, the children with their parents met us at the school building and sang several hymns. Sarah's health appears now tolerably good but she is considerably discouraged. The Indians who went to war and those who were subsequently sent to Yakima, appear to impute all their troubles to Sarah's interpretation and influence. Furthermore, large numbers of white men who have their own purposes to subserve, choose other ambitious Indians, pay them money, or flatter them with the idea of actual leadership, in order to bring about their own conceptions. The testimony at Lovelock by all the white people with whom I conversed was favorable to Sarah Winnemucca's good conduct. Still stories
reached me, that she has in times past behaved like other Indians.

It is impossible for me to trace such tales to their foundation and so ascertain their truth or falsity. This one thing I do know, that in all the months and days she was near me, not a libel reached me deleterious to her character, except certain stories that I saw in newspapers which from personal knowledge I then knew to be false. Her quick temper, irrelatibility under accusation, and plain speaking sometimes, doubtless imputing dishonest purposes to Indian managers which the actual facts would not warrant, have raised up against the poor woman a settled and widespread hostility.

I do not think that alone, with scarcely any support from Indians or whites-men in their neighborhood, she can make much progress in the line of civilization. Could a strong man, like General Armstrong at Hampton, have the charge of an Institution such as you describe at Carson or elsewhere in Nevada, and take Sarah as his interpreter, he would little by little, overcome the present difficulties of the situation. It is necessary to bring the Indians together, in heart I mean, before much can be accomplished.

Indian's enemies delight to sow discord among them; and practically they are prevented from holding land in severality.

I have not spoken of your reports because I need to review them before doing so.

Hoping that this is a satisfactory reply to your question, I remain
with much esteem,

Very truly yours,

O.O. Howard

Major General, U.S. Army.

P.S.

I enclose a few extracts from the diary of my Aide-de-Camp Lieut. Greble, which will give you a good idea of the situation at Lovelock. A letter more in detail than my letter above.

O.O. HH
April 2

Mr. Corinison, Esq.
1879 Union Street,

Sir:

The General wishes me to say that he knows of no law that requires him to interfere in the Sergeant's private business when that business does not hinder him in the performance of his public duty.

Very respectfully yours,

E. A. F. Grebl

[Signature]

[Date: 2 April 1880]
April 2 6

Sir:

Gen. Howard wishes me to say that he feels sorry for you, but believes you will have the moral discipline of prison from continuing good conduct. He sees no mitigating circumstances to cause him to think the sentence too long for the offense committed.

Furthermore as you are truly penitent he believes it will be better for you to continue where you are than to be again immediately exposed to the temptations of dirt and bad companionship.

Yours etc.

E. O. F. Enns

Louis Le Bow
Folsom State Prison
Sacramento Co., Cal.
April 3rd

Mark N. Wilson,
Three forty-thirteenth St., San Francisco City.

Dear Madame,

In connection with your claim against Capt. C. E. Humphreys, U.S.A., Col. Howard directs me to request you to call at these Head Quarters any day between 11 and 1 o'clock.

Yours truly,

J. H. Brooks.
April 3, 1865

Mr. Frank V. Wood,
906 Broadway,
Oakland, Cal.

Sir:

Dear Howard:

I have just learned that the T. P. & L. & S. (Southern Pacific) train will be in this city Thursday. Will you be able to meet me at the station? I shall be glad to give you my address.

Very truly yours,

[Signature]

Address:

Kohala Building
San Francisco
April 22nd

Mr. W. H. Mann

Acting Secretary of War, U.S.
Washington, D.C.

Dispatch received. Accept gratitude of Government and civilians for your active energetic services.

O.O. Howard

Major General
April 9, 1863

Dear Mr. Slocum,

I almost despair of getting to see you. I wish you this morning on receipt of a note from Mr. A. A. Thedwara the painter. He says, "I left on with them back ground for portrait at Mr. Athins place." This amount promised to get it and bring it to me but failed to do so. If the article is still with you, will you have the kindness to send it to my office? We want

[Handwritten note in the right column: "I wish to have a good long talk with you before I go East. Mr. Forest and I framed to appreciate the value of your tumor at Virginia City. We were walked about in one of the mines 1200 feet below the surface of the ground."

With kind regards to your household. Be yourself. I remain an ever

Your Friend

O.O. Howard

Maj. Gen. U.S.A.

Mr. Adolph Slocum

"Salts Heights"

Lily
April 12

Dear Capt. Humphrey,

Mrs. Wilson has come in at three and has read her your letter. She don’t see how Mrs. Humphrey could forget her service—five years in all—four is running, but me in writing. She has signed a receipt in full, which leaves in trust with me so that if you will send her $50 now I will at once endorse you the receipt in settlement. I can easily see how you have overlooked the matter, I think you are wise to settle it this way.

With much respect, Remain

Very truly yours,

O. P. Browne
You will find pictures of many of the "ships of war" in the book "Modern Ships of War" by Sir Edward J. Reed, R.N. and Edward Timpson, published by Harper & Bros., Franklin Square, N.Y. From this book you can also get pictures and descriptions of the ships we had up to 30. Our ships are no more than figures of any affair.

I send upon also pictures of the Collingwood, a sister ship to Boudou, also several ships of which please return to me.

It would be interesting to compare the ships our forts were built to fight against with the ships of today.

You will find pictures of the new 100 ton gun in the Scientific American. I saw this model ago and the article gives modern forts as they should be. See Harper, Weekly, Mar. 10th, pp.

Please compare the guns we have now with those we had when our forts were built.

Yours to,
E. F. J. Lincoln
1857-1858

[Signature]

[Notebook page sign]
List of newspapers/articles:

- No. 1. "Our Defence."
  - "Columbia" March 11, 1888

- No. 2. "The Defence of our Forts."
  - "Harper's Weekly" March 10, 1888

- No. 3. "Why the Queen's Baltic Fleet Came.
  - 12 pages, "Naval Intelligencer" London, June Aug. 6, 1867.

- No. 4. "Nrodale of Old English ship."

- No. 5. "April Burmese."
  - "Nodale" London, May 27, 1867.
April 5, 1862

Dear Sir,

The Honored Desires me to inform you that the subject of his address will be "Incidents & Lessons from the Battle of the Rebellion." He will be on hand at 8 a.m. to deliver an address on

Carriage is to meet him in the main hall. Will you kindly let me know if the meeting is to be held at the simple 8 a.m. or at 9 a.m. if not, when?

Very truly yours,

E. H. Earle

[Signature]

Mr. Wallace A. Wiss
324 Pine St.

[Signature]
Shelton Building
April 5 1865

Dear Mr. Stump:

I was asked to see you about a new invention—an aerostatic balloon—but not finding you in, will you kindly talk with my Engineer officer, Lieut. Rhonis, about it. He understands the matter and can explain.

Yours truly,
O. C. Howard
Maj. Gen. U.S.A.

Shelton Building
San Francisco, Cal.
April 5 1865

Dear Mr. Fick:

There is a dry concentrator near my office (a new invention) and I promised to see you and talk with you about it. If you or your nephew have mining interest in such a contrivance, Lieut. Rhonis will tell you about it.

Very truly yours,
O. C. Howard
Maj. Gen. U.S.A.
April 6, 1861

Let J. D. Parker, 6th Mass. Lt. Col., etc.

Dear Sir:

Permit me &

introduction to your friend J. D. Parker, Esq., a lawyer of this city and a

gentleman of literary talents. Very truly yours

O. E. Howard

Maj. Gen. U.S.A.
April 6

Dear Colonel:

At first, I thought I would send you the band at once; then I concluded it would be better for you not to take it away during Col. Shaftel’s temporary absence.

As soon as he comes back I will go to the matter. Of course, in case of need you would command the Reg. but if it is not used, except where very convenient, to change the papers to for Col. absence.

I am much disappointed that Mrs. Bartlett is not better.

With better hopes for the future I remain

Very True Yours

O. D. Howe

Maj. Gen. W.

Lt. Col. John S. Bartlett, U. S. A. Army

Benicia Barracks

Lt. Col.
April 6

Mr. Treasury, Esq.
623 O. St. N. W.
Washington, D.C.

My dear young friend:

Your application has been sent as you requested.

Mr. Huntington referred it out here to his chief manager.
Mr. Towne and Mr. Towne wrote me how he could not comply with it. There is no possible use in applying to a man like Mr. Huntington who has such claims of work under his supervision.

You must go directly to the engineer in charge of some portion of some one road. I do not know myself just how to do it. The map has not yet arrived.

With kind regards I remain Very truly yours

O.O. Howard

Maj. Gen. U.S.A.
Dear Sir,

An extract from a letter that I sent to my wife, complete with your wish.

May not the better shepherd high, among the mountains' side,
May not the child's plow-share, and the plow-share's plow be drawn?

May not the mother's deep plans, may not the child's joy be found?

May not the heart's most secret desires, may not the child's mind be understood?

May not the child's heart's desire, may not the mother's love be found?

May not the heart's deep secrets, may not the child's soul be drawn?

May not the heart's most secret desires, may not the child's mind be understood?

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May not the heart's deep secrets, may not the child's soul be drawn?
I cheerfully concur in Gen. Warrend's statement of recommendations. If you can aid the prisoners to a place, I shall be pleased.

Yours truly,

O. O. Howard

Major General U.S. Army
April 10th

Herresh E. Wilson Enr.
Sheridan Arkansas.

Sir:

There remain but 3 or 4 parts of the report from

Hoping you will

send it on

Very truly,

Geo.

O.O. Howard

Major Enr. U.S.A.
April 14th 18

Ellie Gilmore
Glowne, S.C.

Your note received. How is mother today? We have heard nothing of morning yet received no answer.

O. O. Howard
April 14th


Washington D.C.

My dear Sir:

I am now preparing to dispose of the Y.M.C.A. property. How does the matter stand today?

Hoping that your own case I remember

Very truly yours,

O.O. Howard

Oscar Grant
April 14th

Sarah Winomree,
Love Lock, Nevada.

Dear Sarah:

General Howard writes me to say that he and Mr. Sholes looked into the subject of the Indians taking 3 acres of the river, over against her place. They found some idea of this project, but the Government refused. They found some General says. But the Government would not. Consequently, the General wrote a letter to Mr. Sholes, saying, by hopes right they could not make the letter to Mr. Holmes. Everybody by hopes.

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In much mischief till
a good account from
Lorlocke.

Yours truly,

Dr. Chase

1st Oct. 1844

A.R.G.
April 11th 18-

My dear friend:

I made a visit to Mr. Shaw, but did not see him. I saw
him as he went out of his, till I could not get near him, as
he came out of his, till I could not get near him, as

Wednesday night last, he promised

among some connections to

match with Mr. Church, bringing

so his letters from another

in Oakland, I think. I was
glad to welcome him. He told
me that he had done his

not to take your picture but

that he found little demand for

some good pictures of you.

And not succeeded in carrying

it. He promised to send

as soon as he had

Mr. Church in.

Mr. Smith. He repays that

Paul, your account, must want it

but I have cut every thing

in that he does not know

where Paul is.

Mr. Dunn said he would ask

one in looking up Paul. So

that if we can find Mr. Paul

we will send it.

It gives me much pleasure

to learn of your interest in the

Pique Chief. If you can get

I have kept account the two

nailing my case in a back

place of the church. Then

this morning that my mother is

ill. I hope that I may be able
to get to Chicago, on which there is

sorne prospect while she
is living.
My kind regards to
the different members of your
family, not forgetting your
sister Mrs. Kaplan.
By I go east I shall drop
into your shoes and your
home probably before long.
Write your wishes by praying for them
remain as ever

Sincerely your friend

D. O'Howand

New York: S. H. Major Gen. W. H. Hoyt

P.S.

All at home, Mr. Sullivan,
Mrs. Trumbull, by other inquiry kindly
pray. O. O. F. W.
HEADQUARTERS DIVISION OF THE PACIFIC,
San Francisco, Cal., April 17th, 1888.

George W. Childs Esq.
Philadelphia Ledger,
Philadelphia, Penna.

My dear Sir:-

Dr. Henry D. Cogswell, whose card I enclose, has the extraordinary generosity to tender to your city the gift of his superb Drinking Fountain.

I will send you a cut of the fountain which he proposes to present. It is a duplicate of the one in Washington (corner of Pennsylvania Avenue and 7th Street), that was given and accepted by Congress—(see joint resolution July 6th, 1882.)—

He gave another of the same design to Boston, beautifully located on Boston Common.

This is wholly an act of benevolence; in his own words—"In the interest of God and humanity."

The Doctor loves to furnish good pure water to the multitude and hopes it may in some measure be an antidote to the terrible thirst for strong drink which destroys so many of our poor boys.

Whatever be the motive—in any case a noble one—the gift is certainly grand, and will be met in Philadelphia with a most hearty ac-
acceptance.

The Doctor's only condition is as to location. Upon this subject, should the present be accepted, there would be ready and easy agreement through a proper Committee.

To present it to Philadelphia, must mean to the Corporation as the proper custodian of such public property.

Remember, dear friend, that this is not tendered as an advertisement for it is in no way connected with the Doctor's business.

The fountain offered to your City is stored at the place of manufacture, Mason, N.H., at Alexander McDonald's Works.

It will require the cost of transportation and setting up.

Lamps, refrigerator &c, all go with the fountain free of cost.

If you will kindly have my letter shown to the proper parties and answered to me, as Dr. Cogswell owing to his age and cares desires to conduct the correspondence through me, I will be greatly obliged.

Even if I should change my station the correspondence may be the same.

Very sincerely yours,

O. O. Howard

Major General, U.S. Army.
The Sepoy unfurled his flag on the edge and it was in the middle of the fountain. The depth is in the middle, hence the depth is given place to a novel fountain attachment.

The statue figure (a large) of this, on the other side the head no less accurately to each part of the figure. The face, it has to have some attractive movement on it. The one in Mahipuri has a large head. One of the four in his epaulets a circle of Raj tokens. It is considered
mowing of cloth on a kite

Rope by Mr. C. He professes that

grand Regulator works a small pan

Anson gave the number is 200.

Nashe is doing here.

the horses were next to me on the

side cave represent the fountain

The cloth in the middle have been

unrapid, giving place to

more

frequent attachment.

The latest figure (a horse) in the

left the hand no not according to

the needs of the owner. He thinks it has 6

ever some opportunities for

change. The one in Dorking has a horse

0th. One of the two in the ship have a

vision of King Ferdinand. It is

established.
HEADQUARTERS DIVISION OF THE PACIFIC,
San Francisco, Cal., April 19th, 1883.

William E. Dodge Esq.
New York City.

My Dear Sir:-

Dr. Henry D. Cogswell of this city, a
Philanthropist well known here, generously tenders to your city
through me a Drinking Fountain.

The cost of it is probably $8000. The enclosed cut repre-
sents the fountain which he offers.

It is nearly a duplicate of one he gave to the city of Washington, and which was accept-
ed by Congress (see joint resolution of July 6th, 1882).

He gave another of the same design to Boston, that was well
placed on Boston Common.

Nor has San Francisco been forgotten, two handsome fountains are
set up and two more accepted.

These gifts are wholly acts of benevolence; in his own words:
"Tendered in the interest of God and humanity."

He cherishes the hope that they may in some measure prevent
the formation of a taste for stronger drink which yearly destroys
so many of our young men.

The Doctor's only imposed condition is as to it's location.

Upon this subject, should the present be accepted, there would
doubtless be a ready agreement through a proper Committee.

It is understood that the gift is tendered to your City Corporation as the proper custodian of such public property.

The fountain offered will be an appropriate ornament to any spot, and will require only the cost of transportation from Mason, New Hampshire, (where it is now completed and stored) and the cost of setting it up.

Lamps, refrigerators &c, all go with the fountain free of cost.

If you will kindly have this offer placed before the proper authorities and answered to me, as Dr. Cogswell, owing to age and cares, desires to conduct the correspondence through me, I will be greatly obliged.

The Doctor suggests that possibly the Vanderbilts may be pleased to aid in the proper placement.

Sincerely your friend,

O. O. Howard

Major General, U.S. Army.
April 8th

Mr. Geo. W. Beadle
Washington, D.C.

Dear General:

Enclosed please find a letter which appeared in a newspaper. The copy was a fine thing for the boy from Washington. And you precious people! I was not able to go to town.

On this morning a cordial 200 yards had passed me in a chicken coop.

Command would have arrived. It was not in line of things. Perhaps we cannot drink out of other people's wells.

Yours truly,

O.O. Howard
Major General
U.S. Army
Apr. 07

My dear Mr. [Name],

Enclosed I have sent you the bank note. It is at hand. I am much obliged to you for the information.

I fear that drink is still at the bottom of your son-in-law's illness, causing or ushering an appendix.

Very truly yours,

[Signature]
April 20th

Lt. Col. Howard, B. E. M.

Shafter, May 8th

Dear Brother:

I enclose the following to be used at your discretion. If you have any other recommendation from me, please have them reported and send with this letter to the Adjutant General.

You are at liberty to make official copies of the letter and send same if you so wish.

Very respectfully yours,

Lt. Col. Howard

May, Gen. U. S. A.
April 20

To the Adjutant General
U. S. Army.
Washington, D.C.

Sir:

I have the honor to enclose herewith a transcript of the record of Capt. B. J. Humphrey, A.2. M. In respect with the same I recommend that he receive the brevet of Major. His entire history in war and in peace has been fraught with gallant deeds and faithful, efficient public service.

Very respectfully,

Your obedient servant,

O.O. Howard

Headquarters Department of the Columbia

Portland, Oregon, December 21, 1877.

To the

Assistant Adjutant General,

Military Division of the Pacific,

San Francisco, California.

Sir:—

I wish to make special mention of the following officers who have served under my command during the late expedition against hostile Yeg. Apaches:

   He commanded Co. E, 4th Art., at the battle of the Boisewata on the 11th July, Co. F, on the 12th July.
   His battalion commander says of him: He exposed himself on so many occasions that I will not attempt to enumerate them.

   A hint to him was sufficient no matter what the danger. He and his
Company were the most exposed of any of the [blank]. Nothing daunted him. Throughout the campaign he continued to display his soldierly qualities.

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Very respectfully,
Your Obedient Servant

O. O. Howard
Brig. Gen., U. S. A.,
Comdg. Dept. of Col.

A True Extract Copy

E. H. Freble
1862 & 63
April 30th

Mr. W. B. B. de Trenerry

Vice-Consul
San Francisco, Cal.

Dear Sir:

General Howard

designates tomorrow, April 30th,
at 11 o'clock a.m. at his office, Pacific Building, as the time and place where he would be glad to receive you, J. E. South, his officers, and yourself.

Very respectfully,

Your obedient servant,

C. S. Field
April 28, 8.

Dear Mr. Alcorna,

Lot. H. la De Alcoa,

The bearer, desires you to cash a sight draft, drawn on his brother in Germany for 2,000 marks. I hope you may be able to accommodate him. Probably you have some acquaintance who can indorse the letter and offer of his brother. Ander De Alcoa, Maj. Gen. of Engineers in Munich. Yours truly,

O. D. R. H. F. S.

Gen. U. S. A.
April 25th 1874

Dear John,

I am writing from Chicago,
where I have just arrived
from New York. I am writing
this letter to you from

Don't talk about this man

Your love to your wife

Yours,

[Signature]

[Address]
Mr. 25th

My dear Colonel Mason,

Though I have not seen the letter yet, I know well that Colonel Drake's promotion must have lifted you to the leading of the Third Infantry. So I write to congratulate you with all my heart, and I wish you to become again associated with a good comrade and I think the ladies' children will be happy. If you always suggest temperance, and very much you will, in them, too much temperance. May the Lord bless you and give you many hands of your post regiment for your spiritual hire. May Howard & his

Children do not forget you to your. We are a little long-hand seen the sending another to Command the Division of the Missouri, but think there may be good sufficient officers for keeping me here. I am nearly 70 years and would like to have a quiet. Your friend & dear brother.

Mrs. Howard Rogers

Yourself in the neighborhood of St. Paul. Not near

Sincerely yours,

O. H. Howard

Major General U.S.

Col. E. C. Mason
Fort Snelling

Ann H. Paul

Minnesota
April 26

Dear Sir:

Gen. Howard desires me to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 26 Inst. & to say for him that he will be with you on the evening of April 4th.

Very truly yours,

E. A. Eidel

San José.

O. V. Whittlesey, Esq.

Clerk.

San José.

April 26

Dear Mr. Duisenberg:

Gen. Howard desires me to thank you & the other members of your committee, for their kind invitation for April 26th. He, and Mrs. Howard hopes to be with you at the reception of the evening. Very truly yours

E. A. Eidel.

Mr. C. A. C. Duisenberg
314 Sacramento 31.

San José.
HEADQUARTERS DIVISION OF THE PACIFIC,
San Francisco, Cal., April 27, 1888.

Charles L. Webster & Co.
New York City.

Messrs:

I have written a singular history which is true in every particular. It is entitled "The Story Of A Hebrew Pioneer." The story embraces an account of a remarkable character who crossed the plains in 1847 and had experience as a Voyageur, Employé of the Hudson Bay Company, as a Sport, Saloon man and gambler; as a soldier in Indian Wars, and as a Frontier Scout.

His kind of life led him into every sort of society; among the Miners and the rough men of cities, and the hardy Mountaineers, whose homes were isolated and subject to every kind of experience.

This man's marriage was remarkable and his ultimate conversion most extraordinary. For many years I myself, have known him and at times employed him in the most hazardous of frontier duty. The manner of telling the story I can best perhaps show you by forwarding a couple of chapters.

The two chapters are I know hardly fair specimens of the work, for it grows in graphic power as you proceed.
The work is so full of incident that it is pictorial from the beginning to the end, and is capable of rich illustration.

Now as I have not had my run in books sold by subscription, I thought perchance you would like to undertake one for me.

The book would be in Royal Octavo, about 400 pages independent of illustrations. The title of course is subject to pioneer's change. The word "Hebrew" is used by me because my mother was a Jewess, and if he had any religious bias it was in the direction past of the Jewish Faith. For thirteen years there could be hardly a more decided and exemplary Christian than this man.

The evolution of his life gives such an abundant insight into the early history of this Coast that I thought it would afford matter of universal interest.

I need scarcely say that my own knowledge of the North West more Country has enabled me truthfully to develop his crude accounts.

Should it occur to you that by the use of my name with this truthful book, liberally illustrated, that you could get as large a sale as you have succeeded in obtaining for some of my friends and brother officers, I will be glad to co-operate with you in putting it before the Public upon such terms as we may agree upon.

Very truly yours,

O. O. Howard

Major General, U.S. Army.
April 28th 1861

S. Harris

Adj. M.M. P.U.

San Francisco, Cal.

Yours Sir:

Referring to your communication of the 26th inst., I have to acquaint you that it has been referred to the Commanding Officer of the Provisional Army of the Pacific, that the Patriotic Band has been forbidden to play on Sundays for hire and so can only come into com-
petition with the barbers of your Union on that day by mutual concilia-
tion.
April 15th 1861

Mr. William Beebe,
St. Albans, Lewis Co.,

Sir:

In answer to your letter of April 1st, I am directed to say that you may obtain the information you desire by writing for it to the Adjutant of the U.S. Military Academy.

West Point, N.Y. The General has not the printed slips to which you refer, but those are supplied to any one desiring them on application to the Adjutant Military Academy. Replying to it, we cannot give you the desired information.

Yours truly,

E. Strickland

[Signature]
April 30 - 5.

Dear Mrs. Randol:

The General says I should make any arrangements you may desire for the trips on Saturday, providing they do not interfere with the time table.

The boat will make the first trip with your party, leaving Washington at 9:15 a.m.

She will take you from Angel Island at any time you may say not later than 4:15 p.m.

Enclosed I send you a pass for Miss Sherman.

Very truly yours,

C. L. Farley

Mrs. Lizzie G. Randol.
927 Turbot Street
Oakland, Cal.
April 30th, 18------

Dear General:

Your mission was very recherche. The search came a little too late, as I wished to go with him to a banking house. I have requested him to give you my compliments and request that he may come again tomorrow at 11 o'clock a.m. This event will remain me no inconvenience.

Yours truly,

O.O. Howard

Maj. Gen. U.S.A.
May 1st

Dear Wife Hannah:

General Hammond writes me to say that you will be obliged to apply to Col. Chapin, Commanding the Fort at Cape Island, and state the number that you wish to come with you.

The application are as follows for passage for volunteers by Sandy Island, that the General is obliged to adhere to the rules regarding passage. (Copy enclosed)

Very yours truly,

Sarah H. Hammond

1408 New Hope St.

S.F.
May 1st, 5.

Mr. Fred Hillard,
Commercial Bank
Omaha, Neb.

Dear Sir: I enclose to you ten shares, Nebraska Telephone Co.
capital stock, denominated 297; also, 1/6 shares ditto, numbered
304, making a total of 10 1/6 shares. Will you have the
timeliness to sell them for me, deduct your commission from
the proceeds and remit the balance, and do greatly oblige.

Your truly,
O.O. Howard

O.O. Howard
Maj. Gen. U.S.A.
May 14th

Hon. Melville W. Fuller
Chief Justice of the United States

My dear Sir,

Of course you will hear of the change of office. One does (when he reaches the upper floor) I am glad elevators have come to make those upper floors available), but I wish with you to say that I am glad you rejoice that the choice fell to you. Because it is a hard thing to flee and probably not to remain, better than the office of President, but such as your genius and friends like them do and problems will redress the balance. Of course

Grant will carry you, but he

will mean more after. Maybe it

would be if I mean a pay age

Vernon one Friday, no 9 do not.9

nothing more for the person 1 bad but
May 2

Dear Sir:

I hold letters from Rev. Mr. M. Libbey, Pastor United Presbyterian Church, and from H. J. McCleary, Secy., M. B. A., recommending Mr. A. D. McEwan.

Based on these gentlemen's knowledge and approval, I commend to you Mr. A. D. McEwan for a position on the police force and hope he may pass your examination to become the man he desires you to be.

O. D. Howard
May 2, U.S.A.

May 9

Mrs. Charles G. Griffin
527 Armourton House
Baltimore, Md.

My dear Colmar,

We have heard the good news, the birth of the little boy but not the date. May the Lord bless the lad and the lad's father and mother!

All at home join in hearty congratulations.

I am just writing out to inspect for Mr. Deanwell Medlin. Mrs. Medlin has been from your tutelage now 3 years.
May 7th.

Captain C. Humphrey,
Act. Quartermaster U.S.
Cheyenne, Wyo. Tipt.

Dear Captain:

Your letter with enclosure for Mrs. Wilson was this day received. She was sent for and has given the accompanying receipt which I transcribe. Hoping this may find you well, I am, Very truly yours,

O.O. Howard
Major General, U.S.A.

May 7th.

Dear Sir:

Your kind invitation is just received. I should be in Cheyenne during the week and regret that I cannot be present with you at Woodland. Hoping that you may have a pleasant season, I remain Very truly yours,

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

George Howard, Ensign
Mar. 15th, 1865, 2nd A. C.
Nordland, N. Dak.
May 7th 1863

W. W. Lynch, Esq.

Beaufort, Ala.

Sir:

I am to reply to your letter of the 3rd inst. from Beaufort.

It was directed me to say that there will be no objection to your having the chance to visit Fort Point, Beaufort.

If you desire to visit Beaufort, you will have to write to the Commanding Officer of the Post for permission, stating the number of persons who will accompany you, and the day you desire to go.

As this is a military prison, permission to land there is given by the Officer responsible for the safety of the prisoners. Very truly yours,

Capt. E. Ophiel

W. B. E. 2nd Y. C. S.
May 7, 1842

Mr. Paul Goldsmith,
Oakland Daily Evening Tribune
413 Sixth St.
Oakland, Cal.

Sir: In compliance with your request of May 5, 1842, I have directed me to send you the enclosed pass for 6 persons.

Very truly yours,
E. H. White
May 7, 1842

Dear little May:

This morning, about a quarter past ten, I have just come to the office in the city. I have a pile of letters and among them a fort one from Vancouver; it contains a few letters from old friends and acquaintances. I have opened it and found out about your own self. If I am going to fort the last night, to start this afternoon and be absent for more than a week, I must assure you at once that I can see the rest of my family and deliver your letter. There will be given to Grandma and Aunt Beavin a little after one o'clock this afternoon for I shall go home, take lunch there, and get ready to leave San Francisco this afternoon.
May 7th

Mr. W. S. Peabody, U.S. Army

Dear Mr. Peabody:

In reply to your letter of May 1st, I have...
May 11th.

Mr. J. Steenwyck, 9 W. 6th Ave.
Santa Clara, Cal.

Dear Sir:

Your letter of May 10 was opened by Miss Howard who has requested me to answer you. The General left the city last Sunday for Ft. Mc Dermith & other points in Nevada. I do not know definitely when he will return, but think not until after Monday next. Mr. McCray has just been in this office & I read him your letter. I will give the General your letter as soon as he returns.

Very truly yours,

E. Q. Frear

Oct. 27th. 1847

A.D.C.
May 14th

Dear Sir:

You inquired of me concerning Col. E.D. Freeman, late officer of the 3d.

I have known him for many years. In the service he was an excellent soldier; rarely wounded at one time and bringing away an unblemished record.

I have met him several times since the war and found him enjoying his retirement due to a war of injury.

If you can use a good word from me to assist him in making his living or furthering his interests you are at liberty to do so.

Yours truly,

O.O. Howard

Majgin General
U.S. Army

Attention: M. Woolward

Chicago, Ill.
May 16th.

This month.
San Francisco, Cal.

Sir,

Gen. Howard has received your letter of May 10th. He would be obliged to you if you would call and see him at his office.
4th floor, Phelan.

Building. Your objections about the kitchen are sufficiently strong to need investigation. If you can give facts to prove them you will do good for the men & the Service.

Very respectfully yours,

E. St. J. Threlk.

1863 5 Apr.
My dear Mary, I shall be glad if you will come here next fall. If you do not come, then, we will write to each other more often. Please let me know if you are coming. I miss you very much.

May your wish be granted.

Yours truly,

[Signature]

E. D. F.
May 10th

Mr. E. B. Warren
1405 G Street

Dear Sir:

Your kind letter is at hand. My family and that of the late recipient your kind expression of regard.

I will forward your letters with my endorsement and ask them to be placed on file with Capt. W. E. Jones application. You, yourself or your friends who may visit the War Dept. can call them up at pleasure.

With kind remembrancer
I am truly yours.

P.S. The President has decided to retain us here for the present.

O.W.
May 10, 18--

Dear Sir:

I thank you for a copy of the book entitled "The Successful Man." It is a large volume and exhaustive in its practical consideration of what conduces to real success. No young man can read any portion of this work without advantage, and certainly the well selected sketches of successful men will be a source of especial interest and inspiration.

As much better is hard upon character and knowing integrity that I hope that the chapter listing of them will be read and re-read by the purchasers of the book with as much concerning religion, yet one remark is well worth noting; viz. Men have come back from all wanderings, from all false moral dogmas, to the Magazine for rest and peace.

I commend particularly the author's best remarks in his preface. If some distant time shall be made brighter, if some dungeon of life shall be enlightened it will not be in vain that the book has been written.
O. O. Howard
Maj. Gen. U. S. Army

W. T. Grant, Esq.
316½ California St.
S.F.

May 15th

Mrs. Elin B. Pratt
With compliments
Transitom and Harley, Boston, Mass.

Please return my manuscript if unneeded—wish to publish it.

O. O. Howard
May 18th

To the
Adjutant General, U.S. Army
Washington, D.C.

Sir:

Major E. B. Throckmorton, had considerable active service with me while he was a Captain in the 4th Artillery.

In conduct in the field and as Post Officer he gave me great satisfaction.

At the Close of the Nez Perce Campaign of 1877 he had a special commendation in my final report. The following is a copy:

"This officer discharged his duty while on detached service, and during the march from the Clear-Water to the Missouri River, with zeal and fidelity.

He commanded the battalion of foot troops..."
which pressed forward from the Maccabees, to take part in the final engagement, and now the call of his superior officers by the energy displayed on that occasion."

The Major desires a West Point appointment for his son. I cannot speak of the young man’s fitness from personal knowledge but call attention to the worthiness of his father in the days of trial.

Yours respectfully,

O.O. Howard

Maj. Gen. U.S.A.


Headquarters of the Pacific
San Francisco, Calif., May 15, 1861.

Respectfully forwarded to the C.S. of the Army, with request that the accompanying letter be placed on file with the application of Lieut. Frederick Horsey of 2nd U.S. Infantry. I have not personally examined Lieut. Horsey's record. He has an unblemished reputation here. I have already recommended another officer for the first vacancy, but can do no less than forward the matter for consideration.

O. O. Howard
Major General U.S. Army
May 16th

S. Thomas Webster Co.
Santa Cruz, Cal.

Dear Sir,

In reply to your note of the 11th inst. I would advise you that after consultation with Mr. McCay, I have decided to go with him to Santa Cruz on Thursday next in search again.

Very truly yours,

O.O. Howard

Major General
U.S.A.
May 16th

Dr. A. O. Jenkins,

Wilson House, 4th Ward, Washington D.C.

Oakland, Cal.

Dear Sir,

Genl. Howard directs me to acknowledge your communication of May 9th, and advises you that same has been referred to Col. Shafter, Comdy. Nagel Island, with instructions to inform you of his action.

Very truly yours,

Your of Mt. Durant.

1st Lt. 2nd Artillery
A.O.S.

Communication ref'd to Col. Shafter May 16, 88
May 18th

...some news... I have today seen...

My friend has not yet come but last week... came from... Chicago to see prominent... back and forth... They will be here in a few days. I think that my friend... a Chicago surgeon... that over some route... only be seen to gain your time... to get back on it... Then will be no trouble about your getting permission to stop up... there... by the way... do to the opposite business... wish this you... get home... Some of us have... been there... and I cannot tell...
results, as they interrupt his lessons, his eyes do not seem to focus on it. Mr. Joseph is grateful for the news.

Several people went with me to Nevada (to fort the desert) pyramids taken. Residuous and without his name against General Miles’ head quarters in Los Angeles. Six weeks ago, he has been for some time not being well, is gone into the arms for recuperation.

I would say he is in too great haste to get through. It is not far, clean up every thing in good shape, then you will make a happy journey home. Remember, etc. I have heard much to finish your letter. We remember you with love.

Be as kind as possible. We have been finished and I have not had time to take his regiment to build. Remember for the summer incampments going down 50 miles (the citizen’s marching on transportation only back or for so fort Harford). I think the right battery will take the same ground, making the whole distance all well at home. We got good news from Grandpa Grose. The little ones have been well, not long since. Where you find us, we are having abundance of news. Luckily you had been here in time.
May 17th,

W E. Dodge Esq.
New York City.

Dear Mr. Dodge:

Allow me to introduce to you my son James W. Howard. Any kind word you can give him will be, as to me.

Sincerely your friend,

O. O. Howard
Major General, U.S. Army.

May 17th,

H M. Flagler Esq.
40, Broadway, New York.

Dear Mr. Flagler:

I always speak of you with so much gratitude that my boys ask to know you. James W. Howard, my son is just graduating at Troy Polytechnic School, and going into business with Mr. Barber., Barber Asphalt Company.

If you will kindly give him a few moments of your time and cheer him on his way with a bit of seasonable advice I will be much obliged.

With the heartiest of greetings,

Sincerely yours,

O. O. Howard
Major General, U.S. Army.
May 17th,

Villard:

My dear Mr. Villard:

My son. James W. Howard, asks me to introduce you to you. 

He has spent some time in Germany, you may have a special interest in the young man.

You remember my Harry; he is now a lad of eighteen. My five boys are doing well; the youngest only being at home.

I hope you are well and happy.

Give my kindest regards to Mrs. Villard and believe me ever your friend,

O.O. Howard

Major General, U.S. Army.

Mr. Villard
May 19

Dear Samuel,

I send you the enclosed. Mr. Dodge has large business interests in sugar. I see now the words. He is a fine character like his father. I am told that our boys cannot see him.

Mr. Douglas is so delicate about his aid to me that I would rather that you do not even hint at it. He will gain you a pleasant reception so that you

What in I think just now is in Berlin. I am delighted to see him recovering the position that I rightly belongs to him. Your much love to John. All well there.

Morning when I left Fort Monroe. Good luck to Archibald. She is a good sensible woman, beloved of the Lord. Affectionately yours,

Mr. [Signature]

3. Reading type-writer letter.

Yours,

[Signature]
O. M. Sturgis —

O. O. Howard
Major General Vol.

Brigade's General Abner E. Miles.
Corps, Dept of Oregon.
Los Angeles, Cal.

Despatch of the date concerning the movement of cavalry, received. All right.

O. O. Howard
Major General

County.
May 20.

Mr. Johnnie Evans,
47 Howard St.,
Hobart.

Sir:

In answer to your request of this day, the Agent directs me to say that he has left the incoming of passes for parties to land at Angle Island, to the Immigration Office of Hobart.

Post, but written. Please write to him stating the names of the persons you desire a pass for England. I must rely on you now order removed by the Inspector. Popes but still in force.

Very truly yours,
E. Champ [Legible: T. Champ]

AndBradberg's Back

In December, 24. May 33.

Respectfully referred to Messrs. D.C. W. Cheek, Jr., President D.G.

Jr. note, 1820, his appearance of the amount of lost deeds. 2nd or 3rd the 1st. 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th, 10th, 11th, 12th, 13th, 14th, 15th, 16th, 17th, 18th, 19th, 20th, 21st, 22nd, 23rd, 24th, 25th, 26th, 27th, 28th, 29th, 30th, 31st, 32nd, 33rd, 34th, 35th, 36th, 37th, 38th, 39th, 40th, 41st, 42nd, 43rd, 44th, 45th, 46th, 47th, 48th, 49th, 50th, 51st, 52nd, 53rd, 54th, 55th, 56th, 57th, 58th, 59th, 60th, 61st, 62nd, 63rd, 64th, 65th, 66th, 67th, 68th, 69th, 70th, 71st, 72nd, 73rd, 74th, 75th, 76th, 77th, 78th, 79th, 80th, 81st, 82nd, 83rd, 84th, 85th, 86th, 87th, 88th, 89th, 90th, 91st, 92nd, 93rd, 94th, 95th, 96th, 97th, 98th, 99th, 100th, 101st, 102nd, 103rd, 104th, 105th, 106th, 107th, 108th, 109th, 110th, 111th, 112th, 113th, 114th, 115th, 116th, 117th, 118th, 119th, 120th, 121st, 122nd, 123rd, 124th, 125th, 126th, 127th, 128th, 129th, 130th, 131st, 132nd, 133rd, 134th, 135th, 136th, 137th, 138th, 139th, 140th, 141st, 142nd, 143rd, 144th, 145th, 146th, 147th, 148th, 149th, 150th, 151st, 152nd, 153rd, 154th, 155th, 156th, 157th, 158th, 159th, 160th, 161st, 162nd, 163rd, 164th, 165th, 166th, 167th, 168th, 169th, 170th, 171st, 172nd, 173rd, 174th, 175th, 176th, 177th, 178th, 179th, 180th, 181st, 182nd, 183rd, 184th, 185th, 186th, 187th, 188th, 189th, 190th, 191st, 192nd, 193rd, 194th, 195th, 196th, 197th, 198th, 199th, 200th,

W.G.
May 24th.

Dear Gen. Graham:

Allow me to introduce to you Mr. A. Joullin who has charge of the Panorama of Vicksburg. He came to the General this morning with a request that he might cut some wood from the Presidio. The General desired me to write upon it and request that if you can conveniently comply with Mr. Joullin's request you will do so. Mr. Joullin thinks that the wood from the main will do.

Very respectfully,
Your obedient servant,

[Signature]

Col. W. M. Graham,

Presidio, S. T. Cal.
May 24

My dear Day:

Janis, from Ohio, his home came to hand in good shape last night. Mary found them as I left home in the telegram. Had to be away at a Convention in New York. I came home from the front the last. Santa Clara in my order I will write now to the Board of Missions, called "Famili," from to write me a little the second day.

Going up, I found Helen at Janis. Helen could not go to sleep because as she said, "Hope you will not come home.*"
May 25th 6

Your Res. Res.

Your kind letter came to hand. Please let me know if you desire to see the finishers of Afterlight and the Y.M.C.A. property.

Faithfully yours,

O.O. Howard

Majr Genl.

W.T. Sherman

A.S. Peattin Eng.

Washington D.C.
May 24th

Sir, Allan Rutledge Esq.
Washington D.C.

My dear sir:

What can be obtained for my hat on "M" St.?

I seemed like pine it,
Not at a sacrifice.

Very yours,

O.O. Howard

Maj. General
U.S. Army

P.S.

What is the source of your affidavit at the Navy Department? Is what the issue?

O.O.H.
May 25th

Dear Sir:

I think I sent the letter to Capt. Coffin.

The commissioner said substantially this; that the case had been considered, that the proof required by law was not sufficient and that it was not possible without an act of Congress to grant a pension.

Very truly yours,

O.O. Howard

Maj. Gen. U.S.A.

H. Thomas J. Elston

Youngsville

[Signature]
Respectfully,

Headquarters Department of California,

San Francisco, California, May 26th, 1849.

Sir:

Your excellency's dispatch of the 7th instant, giving the details of the proceedings of Captain Price in the killing of 5 of the Indians, has reached me.

I have given the matter the most careful consideration, and from an investigation of the whole affair I find the information given by the Indians of that day to have been correct, and Captain Price to have been in the wrong.

I thought it advisable to inform you of the proceedings of the men under your command, as it may be proper when you are at a distance to verify the information given by the Indians.

I am, Sir, your obedient servant,

O.O. Howard

Major General

To,


San Carlos Agency.

A. T.
Presidio of San Francisco, Cala.,

May 24th, 1888.

Lieutenant Edwards joined my Troop as 2nd Lieutenant at Benicia Barracks in 1873, and served with me until he was promoted 1st Lieutenant in 1879.

During that time, he served at Camp Bidwell, Cal., Camp Harney Oregon, and Yakima Valley, W.T.

Lieutenant Edwards is one of the best informed and efficient officers I know of and has a good deal of experience as A.C.S.

His conduct in the field during the Bannock Campaign was excellent.

(Signed) Thomas McGregor.

Major 2nd Cavalry.

Official Copy.

1st Lieutenant 4th. Infantry,
A.D.C.

Headquarters Division of the Pacific,

Lieutenant Frank A. Edwards, 1st U.S. Cavalry, under the command of Major McGregor, was for some time in my Department and on active duty. I take pleasure in endorsing his record and the opinion of Major McGregor.

Oliver O. Howard

Major General, U.S. Army
Telegram.

San Francisco, Cal.

May 28th

O. O. Howard
Major General, U.S.A.

I have just heard the dreaded news of your brother's death. Mr. Howard unite with me in conveying to his precious family our sincere expressions of sympathy and sorrow.

O. O. Howard
Major General, U.S.A.
May 29th

Paul in Reading
County S.C.

Dear Sir:

Judge Howard has received your letter; your claim to have been a Tpr. Enr. on the staff of Gen. Carl Schutz and I have served 3 yrs. of four months in the 58th N.Y.

Vols.

After much your name cannot be found among them or the officers of the 58th N.Y. nor is it among

Regrets

The same wishing some confirmation of your document before I act.

Very truly yours,

George A. Chance
Inland Camp.
May 29th

Dear General:

Permit me to introduce Rev. Solomon, past President A.A.R. Any arrangement you may make for the music, with him, will be satisfactory to me.

Very truly yours,

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

To Capt. W. H. Graham
Brig. Gen. U.S.A.
President of A.A.R.
May 29th 8

Moses Smith
10th Washington St.
Brooklyn N.Y.

Dear Sir:

Majr General Howard directs me to acknowledge your letter of the 22nd Inst, & to explain that 60 $ in postage money 50 $ for the book you forwarded & 10 $ for postage of books.

Very truly yours,

Majr General

[Signature]

Clark
May 20th.

Sir:

Enclosed I send you a copy of the order having the subject of furnaces for the use of the Board. As you can understand, if power can be given to all people in their work with their hands.

Much would change be uncontradicted if the offer of their union could be opposed by their financial support especially for their common welfare.

Very truly yours

E.O. Smith

Mr. Geo. C. Riley

2112 Van Ness Ave

Oct"
HEADQUARTERS DIVISION OF THE PACIFIC,

Colonel John T. Lockman,
(Late, Colonel 119th N.Y. Volunteers.)
No. 33, Nassau St., New York City.

Dear Colonel:

Many thanks for your letter of May 23rd.

You may not have noted that I was so far away. Should anything call me East, so that I could be present at the dedication of the monument erected to your Regiment, nothing would afford me more pleasure.

A Napoleon would have given special recognition to the first day at Gettysburg. To have lost so little ground and with an inferior force to have taken and secured the strong position which gave us the most important victory of the War, ought not to be passed over and set aside merely as "a defeat".

Reynolds and myself followed the plain instructions of strategy, namely, that an advance guard of the main army should meet the enemy boldly, dispute the ground foot by foot, till the army behind it can be concentrated and prepared for effective resistance.

The part your Regiment bore in that first day's work, hard,
bloody, long-continued, but ever glorious, will not be forgotten.

You, yourself, participate in the sufferings and the honor, and I am glad that your work and that of the Regiment, is to be engraved upon granite.

As to my part, to which you kindly refer, General Meade did give me the credit and Congress confirmed it by a speedy vote of thanks.

In this unsolicited recognition of forethought and plan and execution, I take a just pride.

For yourself and other comrades who aided in the trying work of the first day of July, I always feel a grateful sense of obligation.

The Country owes you and them, more than I can express.

Very truly yours,

[Signature]

Major General, U.S. Army.
June 2nd.

Dear Sir,

I have had a brief acquaintance with Rev. Robert

Norton, having met him

when he was delivering lectures

before the Chautauqua Grand Assembly

at Ottawa, Kansas. His lectures

were entertaining and I think

will be acceptable to your

people.

Yours truly,

D. O. Howard

Major General U.S. Army.
John G. Horner

*J.B. Fulton et. Prof. A. U.

The letter which you desired
is on its way. Was mailed Friday.

O.O. Horner
June 4, 1894

Dear Mr. Hubbard:

I know nothing of the justice or injustice in the case of Captain Henry. Nothing short of an act of Congress can restore him to the Army and the National Bath.

It seems to me, the best thing that can be done is to get him employ, and among your friends, have him lead a good life and so fetch the confidence of other men.
June 5th.

Mr. & Mrs. Dodge,

New York City.

Dear Mr. Dodge:

Enclosed please find a communication from Sylvanus Lyman, Vice President of the Moderate Society. They ask for what Dr. Loganswell has generously offered. As to the covering ornament, he tells me this morning that he thinks the American Eagle an appropriate figure; that with the plate beneath it will suit nicely. The Society will doubtless do that kind.

Hoping that you are still well and that my request will cause you no extra trouble I remain

Very truly yours

O.O. Howard

Maj. Gen. U. S. A.

P.S. Don't have them put this fountain at Ford Point.

O.O. H.
June 6th.

J. P. Purdy Eng.
Tacoma, Wash. Iy.

'Dear Sir:

General Howard

wishes me to acknowledge
the receipt of your letter
of May 30th. Please
write to him a letter
in detail your services
and how & when &
where you were
June 7th 8

Ellis Farman Statt.

Send manuscript to me for necessary changes before printing. I format another day on Indians & return check.

O. P. Howard.

[Note: strike out]
June 7, 1862

Miss Ella homer Railroad.
Salt Lake City, W. A.

Dear Miss:

There are something in a manuscript entitled "A Potagui" which I do much to change her in publications. So I enclose your check just received. Today I send you the beginning of what you requested me to the number 10. of the Indians.

I will follow it up with something about specific tribes. I am sure that I at first mistook your reader, placing them for young. By reading the "Wide Awake" I find articles published to 114 and upward.

Sincerely yours,

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

P.S. Thank you ever so much for the "Wide Awake" and me. 0.00.00.
June 7

To Adjutant General State of California,
Sacramento, Cal.

Dear Sir:

Will you please furnish copy of discharge of John O’Mahony from Company G 1st Colo. Inf. Please forward in my own hand, that I may correct the same to give admission to Veterans Home at Yountville, Calif.

Very truly yours,

Ch. O’Farrell

1st Lieut. 4th Co.

Asst. C.
June 11

Rev. C. C. Stratton
Hills Seminary
East Oakland, Mich.

My dear friend:

I see that

Your note put into the programme
for a lecture, July 13, 1889.

The check goes out tomorrow.

Did somebody write me or someone about it? I forget.

Then I have made the

engagement. I will gladly do so on my usual terms.

Yours truly,

O.S.C. Stradford

June 12

To:

Miss L. S. Andrade
26, Arcade Court
Chicago, Ill.

Dear Miss Andrade,

Hopes Girl Howard 클럽 to enclose accompanying check
for $25 as payment for Mr. Hatchman's

Please acknowledge receipt.

Very truly yours,

Joshua Brooks

Clock
June 12

Sirs:

I must request a copy of the following, which are agreed.

To J. B. Lockman

88. Thorne St. New York City.

I shall be the only General officer on this Coast at time of mission. Almost

sincerely yours, my part.

O. O. Howard

Aby General

I am in receipt of your

June 14th

Sir: Jackson
312 Jackson St.

Dear Sir:

Yours received this
and very glad to hear from you. I desire to know if you can
arrange to have the patent in question transferred to the
name of the Trust. Please advise. The name of a person
in Corel, Delaware County, that was supposed to be
involved is no longer

Yours truly,

O. O. Howard
Headquarters Department of California,
San Francisco, California

June 10, 1850

Dear General M. Cumbes:

James H. Newton, who served for some time in the Army and is a member of the C.R. Surveying Staff, is known to me. He has a good reputation, I think, and I think would serve you faithfully on your quest. If you personally consider his case, his address is San Francisco, California.

I give him my special commendation.

Very truly yours,

O. O. Howard
Major General, U.S. Army
HEADQUARTERS DIVISION OF THE PACIFIC,
San Francisco, Cal., June 15th, 1888.

Major B. P. Runkle,
53, East 36th St.
New York City.

Dear Sir:

Your letter of May 29th, 1888 came duly to hand.

The courtesy of your Attorneys and yourself is noted.

My Official Accounts being closed, I have no suggestions to make.

Yours truly,

O. O. Howard

Major General U.S. Army.
June 18th, 1812

Mr. Rempent
718 Lumpkin

Yours, Sir:

Sam. Howard directs me to acknowledge the receipt of your note of the 1st of May that you have received an offer from some doubters of mine for your friends. I have been in daily at the house. - My very hearty,

W. S. Thomas
HEADQUARTERS DIVISION OF THE PACIFIC,
San Francisco, Cal., June 15th, 1888.

To,
Consul of the United States,
Hong Kong, China.

Dear Sir:

Mr. Woo-Kim-Yim, a Merchant of San Francisco, Cal., is favorably known to me, and I place reliance in his statements.

He is about to visit his home in China to bring his wife, Ah-Sue (to whom he has been married 8 years), to the United States.

If you can aid him in securing certificate for his wife, to enable her to land in the U.S. without trouble, I shall feel obliged.

Very truly yours,

[Signature]

Major General, U.S. Army
Communications from Thomas Urban, late
Private 1st. U. S. S. V. Harpers Ferry, C. S.
June 16, 88. Claiming that the 1st. Reger at
Harper's Ferry occupies a seat of honor as a
member, & keeps good company.

1st Indorsement

Head Quarters of California

Referred to Gen. C. C. Parrott, C. S. A.

Capt. Francis L. Tours.

To Commanding Dept. of Central Command

1st Indorsement - Capt. C. C. Parrott

1st Indorsement - Capt. C. C. Parrott.
June 19

My Dear Sir,

Allow me to recommend to your notice, for admission to the Veteran's Home at Yountville, the following

Freeman Hall, who holds a honorable discharge from the 1st N.J. Volunteer Infantry.

He was discharged with certificate of disability on account of injuries received in line of duty, and now at 53 years of age is perfectly unable to earn a living.

Praying for your favorable consideration of this case.

Very truly yours,

[Signature]

[Address]
July 19 a.

My dear Sir:

The book in question is entitled "My Rosa Joseph's published by the of Cheyenne Montana.

The War Record (same of my reports) for 1877 & 1878 contain my reports. I think there is a separate report for that year for the Remains of the Army. If you will drop a line to me, ask you others and who in writing off, if any, to send quietly through you will you extend. I am copies of the book and of the Records to send you. With which regards I am very truly yours,

John Mullen, Eng.
Washington, D.C.
June 19th.

To Mr. Howard:

The staff and I in the city and gladly participate in the celebration. I am afraid that the sending away of the troops so early renders it impracticable for any of them to form part of the procession this year.

Very truly yours,

E. D. C.
Headquarters Division of the Pacific,
San Francisco, California,

July 17, 1860

Commander Gen. E. D. Hitchcock

Commander Navig. M. S. S. Fontana
Main Island, Calif.

My Sir:

Alas one of our most valued men, Mr. W. P. Ryan, one of my dearest friends, R.P. Ryan, Engr., Mr. Ryan will be accompanying his son on his passage, and any courtesy you can show them will be appreciated by me.

Very truly yours,

O.O. Howard

Major General
U.S. Army
June 20th

Rpt. B. Adm.

Bellevue & Sargent St.
San Francisco, Cal.

Dear Sir,

Chasing runaway ships,

One day that the faster
game refused me long

since game other 200

I would suggest that game

with both long affairs P

the first soon enough

a paper game against

this. Very kind yours

[Signature]

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San Francisco, Cal., June 22nd, 1883.

Sylvanus Lyon Esq,
Rooms 21 & 22, No. 21 Park Row,
New York City.

My dear Sir:-

In answer to your letter of May 25th, 1883 to Dr. H. D. Cogswell, copy enclosed, the Dr. tenders to the City of New York through you a Drinking Fountain.

The fountain he offers cost about $8000, and is nearly a duplicate of one he gave to the city of Washington and which was accepted by Congress (see joint resolution of July 6th, 1883.)

He gave another of the same design to Boston that was well placed on Boston Common.

He has also given four fountains to San Francisco—two of which are set up.

These gifts are tendered by the Dr., as he avers, in the interest of humanity, and he cherishes a hope that they may in some measure prevent the formation of a taste for stronger drink, which yearly destroys so many of our young men.

The Doctor’s only imposed condition is, that the fountain may be well placed and kept in order, so that the poor may have ice-water to drink at all times.
The fountain offered will be an appropriate ornament to any spot and will require only the cost of transportation from Mason, New Hampshire (where it is now completed and stored), and the cost of setting it up.

Lamps, refrigerators &c., all go with the fountain.

Very truly yours,

Oliver O. Howard

P.S.

Any appropriate ornament may be put upon it, and not his statue, as the Dr. understands that it is not desired.

A tender has already been made to the City Authorities through Mr. Dodge—but as you seem to seek the same object as Dr. Cogswell, and write him for a contribution, I have concluded to write you this.

O.D.H.
Dear General,

accept my hearty congratulations. I believe that sometimes the great power of events controlled or influenced the minds of men to gain me your good name for Honfords. Reason. So may reason bless you and favor your election. Reason known you as a model holding an able senator and I strongly hope to long that you may to President. With your most sincere respect.
June 18.

Dear Mr. Dickinson:

Instead of sending you a copy of the address

I sent you, the address was made at

Old Bethany yesterday. They

sent the address. I cannot make

no to say to you what

he has me printed to.

The printed to

the address only make

more. We hopes the

endorse with the

Very truly yours,

Jefferson.
June 26th

My dear sir:

Gen. Howard desires me to enclose you a corrected copy of his memorial copy address.

Yours truly

E. S. G.

Henry A. McDowell, Eng.
2121 Cal. St.

[Signature]

June 26th

Dear sir,

Will you please send me the opinion of Dr. A. L. Perry, who you recommended for prints of musicians and books on music?

Yours truly,

[Signature]

[Signature]
June 26th.

The Secretary, Office
Albatross Island, Cal.

Sir:
The Dept. orders me to inform you that Lieutenant, Wednesday June 27th, two commissaries from the 6th Illinois Volt. will visit your Post. They will leave Washington.

The General desires you to detail an officer to accompany them about the Post to have their baggage whatever other may be of interest. They will be six in the party. They do not wish your Post officially & due & entitled its salutes.

Very respectfully,

[Signature]

E. H. F. [illegible]

[Date]
June 27th

Mr. W.E. Clarke

Lieutenant Colonel, Congress

San Francisco, Cal.

Dear Sir:

In reply to your letter of yesterday, I send you the honor roll of the 9th Infantry, which is the same, I recommend to Major Steward for appointment to the future 5th.

Very truly yours,

C.P. Cushing

Major General.

June 27th

Dear Sir:

Your letter is received. It is entirely new to me the local affairs that I do not think it best to meddle with.

Certainly I am glad if it has been seen.

Very truly yours,

C.P. Cushing

Major General.

A. J. Vacadie

North Pacific

Major General.
January 7th

Dear Commandant Bellamy,

The bearer, a member of your old regiment, N. 85 Virginia, wants a chance to work on ships; says he is a black cooper, can work from ten to fourteen hours a day, gain his living thereby.

Over both men can personally vouch for their worth.

Gone very truly,

[Signature]

Maj.-Gen.

[Signature]

[ initials ]

[ St. Lawrence ]

[ initials ]

Jan 7th

[ initials ]

[ signature ]

[ initials ]

[ signature ]
Headquarters Division of the Pacific,
San Francisco, California, June 01, 1860

James Horatio S. A. O. P. R. R. lct.

Sir: The bearer, Henry Whiting, is very desirous of obtaining a position under you in the employ of the S. R. R. He has some mechanical reputation and a wide experience to say he has been four years in the freight office of the O. & C. R. R. so that he understands the work of the station for which he will apply. I feel sure that if you can give him a position the Whiting will find it well to it with others. Yours truly,

O. O. Howard
Maj. Gen. U. S. A.
June 30th.

Dear Mr. Alling,

I am sorry to hear of your affliction, but I must tell you how much I miss you. I hope you will recover soon.

What can I say? We must deeply sympathize with you at this time. I have heard that you have been taken ill. I have been thinking of you a lot. The thought of you being ill is very distressing. I hope you will be well soon.

Sincerely yours,

O.O. Emerson.
Dear Commandant Birkbeck:

The steamer Mr. Farwell will go to Bemisia tomorrow and will remain there the next day to call on the king. Mr. Farwell will go up a branch of the river on the way up or back of calling at Mecca.

Sincerely,

Mr. Farwell's letter within to pay some brief visit.

We will lunch on board and wish to ask you to return me official salute or demonstration. There will be nothing formal.

Yours sincerely,

O.G. Brown

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Dear Sirs,

Searce of it including Bemisia. They will go after the steamer leaving me among the islands.

If she is not too ill we would like to call on Messrs. Birkbeck. I have seen you since your little deputation. Their good wishes affectionately yours.

O.G. Brown

Dover and the ladies.
July 3rd

To Mr. Mary Long

Your servant,

Sir,

Enclosed please find the check for $400, which will make to me the $50 you were charged for rent in the recent lawsuit.

The rest amount to

[Signature]
July 8th

To Hon. B. F. Robinson.

My dear sir:

The business of a discharged soldier who has been granted a small pension of $700, for which he wishes to establish a business which he will conduct himself. He is in need of money but owes his friends and relatives here in Kentucky.

Very truly yours,

O. F. Howard

Maj. Gen. McClellan

Ott. 4th, 86
July 4th.

Mr. W. J. Hayley
Henry 4th July Boston.

Sir,

I have the honor to say that the President has extended to him the invitation to be a member of his staff by your committee. I have understood that he has extended that invitation to his staff and that some members of it will side with him in the formation of his staff until he at the Patent Office at 9 a.m.

July 7th.

The council will be obliged if his council are renewed for the same.

Very respectfully,

E. A. B.
July 5

SIR,

Commissary of the Invalid Home,
Washington D.C.

I would earnestly ask your consideraton
of the application of Carl Neit Allen, late Private
Company C, 13th U.S. Infantry, for admission to the Invalid
Home under your charge.

He was discharged on surgeon's certificate of disability
at the exception of the W. allowed him by the Home.

is perfectly paralysed. He is躺在床上 in consumption and
needs medical attention. If admission is granted
transportation would have to be furnished by the Home.

Character on discharge, reads: "Excellent, a good and
faithful soldier in every respect."

Truly yours, 

[Signature]

[Signature]
To my B. K. Dear

Madame This.

Your favour:

I am sorry that you have been so ill.

I am sure in hope that the gout &c. which may follow is something but the delay in returning.

I also concur in encouraging your literary dream (2) and will send you something as my pay comes in.

Sincerely yours,

O. H. Ford

Mayor Groce

W. F. mo
July 6th

Capt. Rob.ansom
San Francisco, Cal.

Dear Sir:

Your letter of July 2nd is at hand. I set out to help you. You gave me fully to understand that you would not drink they drink — yet you came home within five days' hard work without the influence of drink.

Common sense requires

would prevent me from making any further efforts.
Am. M. & Sc. Rev. 1859

Your love is....

With you forever

The kind one

At this point, if you please, build after the cross which

Next year.

And the earth...stern

On the morning.

James King

O. O. Howard

Brigadier General
Aug 7th 1

U.S. to Washington
a. a. tempo u. s.
Angele home cal.

Dear Sonat:
The dear heart's case
was alarming to suppose free
consumption. He was discharged
on certificate of his ability and
drawn f ten years from the
consumption of becoming stone
at Washington.
He has been on a long
but cannot stand to work, he
lives pretty free now.
He has been occupying
on the sick list at present
has no money in his last
living on all gone.

General Howard wants you
to take him into your
hospital temporarily as a
'Citizen Patient' taking his
recommendation in connec-
tion.

If there is any question of
further money to be paid, the
General will see that it is paid
if your accounts are disapproved.
The General says only
the 20th. Conjunction asking
that this man be furnished.
Chère amie,

Votre lettre de guillet est reçue. Je sais comment il a été trouvé que vous avez eu une expérience comme

Elle n'était pas une chrétienne quand elle a reçu le sacre. Elle a été surmontée d'abord de choses de votre
ainsi que le prince. Mais une fois qu'elle a été remarquable, elle a été endurcie. Si je peux employer ce mot
il faut que nous fassions de Dieu pour elle, et pour nous-mêmes.

Orguez-vous lui pardonner ses offenses—n'est-ce pas ?—

Veuillez nous envoyer la grosse de traduction de lettre de madame et d'Éve en lui même sur le
papier de luxe. Je les veux en bonne version, même pour la version de parti.

Avec pitié—vous ce-ci ?

À
Madame de Balzac
538 Turst.
San Francisco. Cali.

Renvoyez les lettres demain à la classe.
July 8th

In care, Hon. Mr. O. H. Harman, Esq., Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir,

I have received the address of Mr. Dale in the war of the rebellion and the office of the Secretary of War, to be a commissioner for the redress of claims against the United States. As he seeks employment of any kind, you will be kind enough to send the address of Mr. Dale to whom I will feel gratified if you could find work for this man.

Very truly yours,

O. C. Howard

August 16th

Frank E. Oliver, Commissioner

Mr. Dale: Have you any proof of what you claim? I must have some proof to give it weight. I have made an offer of $500 for an unconfirmed claim and have been advised that it is best to make an unconfirmed claim against the government. I have been promised with a strong indication from me in this instance. I am not sure of your signature. Very truly yours,

O. C. Howard

Mr. Dale
Aug 21st

San Francisco

Dear Heskett,

I hear you are coming to town. I am in need of some eggs as you may know.

Yours sincerely,

O.C. Howard

Major Command

W.B. Averys
July 14th

Mr. B. Carpenter

Sir:

My losses amount to fifty (50) acres and expenses.

I think things in Kentucky can soon get a pass for me down and back.

If you can get one please let me know. I remain an obedient, etc.

Very truly,

O.O. Howard

Maj. Gen. U.S. Army
July 18th.

Mr. Miller:

Your kind letter is at hand. Give my kind regards to your wife. Say I have to come away without seeing you; and as he little ground daughter.

The party I am having put in lighter, much occupied for it. Mr. Burness went last some five weeks ago, gave an address at Somers. I cannot have every engagement for you, but the adventures can be then during the summer, everybody being out. I know I will let the matter clear before June. Burness to be there have retired. I do not want him any way in private business. I wish to get out of the City. He wants, which never has been a limitation of power. He cannot see in having business than this.

M. P. R. S. G. F. A.
J.M. Pomeroy
Norwich, Conn.

Dear Sir:

Some let you away
It is concluded upon for the
removal at Duke Run. I learn
General Sherman is usually in
good health. Such an
acquaintance as your bureau
with him is favourable. Think
sound to be a good thing.

But for one to decide
is quite another thing. I
sent many objections now

I was in command of
Morgan in Kentucky division.

General Franklin commanded
a division. His address is
Harford, Conn., as was the
last I knew.

Thanking you for your thoughtful courtesies.

Very truly yours,
O.O. Howard

Dover General

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Aug 7th

By order of the Secretary of War,

Commander in Chief

15th St. N.W. D.C.

Yours truly,

James King

Major General

U.S. Army
June 7th 1862

627 T.W. H. B.
Washington D.C.

My dear D——,

Thank
egyen. I had twice otin the
rooms of H. D. 

or house. Upon have
destroyer the old parish.

Gentle remembrances to
our brethren of the Church
and your family

Sincerely

gratefully your friend
O.O. Howard
Monsieur Bourdager
Paris, France.

Cher Général,

Permettez-moi de vous présenter Monsieur M. de
Mademoiselle mon ami personnel.

Monsieur de Mademoiselle est le
bon artiste qui peinturait ma
portrait que vous avez vu au
salon de Paris.

Vous le trouverez très intelligent
dans les offices de l'Amérique.

Il passait un temps considérable,
avec moi en Californie.

J'ai assisté votre arrivee avec
beaucoup d'intérêt et j'envoie
felicite de la capacité que vous
avez monté à trois étoiles.
Juillet 9

Mes amitiés, je vous prie, à Mad. la Marquise et aux deux fils de son jeune et le grand.

J'ai perdu une grande figure dans le temps, et me rappelle qu'elle m'a écrit une lettre, pour les souvenirs intéressants pour toujours présents à mes mémoires.

Avec affection sincère, je reste, cher Marquis, votre ami,

Chanoine Bovet,

ministre de la Divine Providence.
July 11th

Robert J. Burdale

Burlington Iowa,

My dear sir:

As the Latin say, "it was my wont upon the old road, by your 'grace of motion' touched my heart and brought a ray of sunshine into the year of my wife.

By the way, she has heard of your gentle patience to your own health, and as you have become, I think, dear...."
HEADQUARTERS DIVISION OF THE PACIFIC,
San Francisco, Cal., July 16th, 1883.

Hon. Irving M. Scott,
Union Iron Works,
San Francisco, Cal.

Dear Sir:-

I thank you for your kind invitation to witness the launch of the "Charleston" and represent the Army on that occasion.

I will arrive on our steamer the General McDowell, which will leave her wharf at 6:30 P.M.

It is thought that our people can, possibly, witness the event from the boat in the stream.

The Presidio Band, the only one now in the Harbor, will be placed at your disposal, and will come on our boat.

Very truly yours,

Oliver O. Howard

Major General, U.S. Army.

Would you designate the landing-place beforehand? O.H.
July 17th 1864

Mrs. R. H. Henry
Mr. Q. H. Henry

Supt. W. F. Lee

Helen Martin

J. Martin

Inquiry.

It seems that Private Henry
has the record of a good soldier
and an excellent man in every
aspect and from this and his
character, his statement regarding
his domestic relations would
seem to be entitled to some
weight.

He did not care to speak about
his house with his wife further
than to say that by her conduct
he considered her to have no claim
upon him, as she had left
any decency and had kept
abuse upon him, etc.

As for his children he had assisted
to their support, so I understand
it had sent no money to his wife
but she had some bad luck.
to acknowledge its receipt.
He intimated that although it was very late he could do
more for his children if he could. He seemed to
assume they would receive the full benefits of
what little he could
read.

I would suggest that you might communicate with his mother in the
interest of his children for a good result.

The Prime Minister me to
say that this is not a case
wherein he could interfere
however he might wish to.
As it seemed to do me good to
make no provision in law.
Dear Sir:

Edward

Dutton wants to be restored to the privileges of a citizen. This restoration is, he thinks, mental and what it was accidentally omitted by Sen. McCandless.

With you most respectful,

Your truly,

O. C. Howard
Jul. 19-8

Mrs. Peers,
6th Augt.
San Francisco, Cal.

Dear Madam:

Enclosed please find passport for 8 persons to take a trip on the 'Indi.'

This does not permit the party to land at any of the ports. If it is decided to land, application will be made to the Officer of the Day in the absence of a Judge or District Clerk.

Very truly yours,
Wm. Brooks, Clerk.
July 20th 183

Dear Sir,

Gen. Washington sends me two quite favorable recommendations of the appointment of the bearer, Mr. C.P. Chamberlain, for the position of Col. militia.

Mr. Chamberlain came strongly recommended by an officer of the army, and the General feels confident that he will give satisfaction in that position and office.

Very truly yours,

[Signature]

Northumberland
July 23 5

Aid. Adjutant General
Vancouver Barracks, Washington D.C.

Her telegraph operator is to remain from Astoria on Thursday, then steamer 'Columbia' goes up river. Send wagon to Portland for me accordingly.

[Signature]

Aid. Adjutant Gen.

Copy by mail.

L.S. (Acting A.G.)
July 24th 5.

Mr. J. E. Mannagh
232 Austin St.

Sirs:

General Howard directs me to say that he will send you a
definitive answer to your letter tomorrow morning.

Very truly yours,
E. W. Smith.
July 20th

Mr. J. L. Strange
Omaha, Neb.

Mr. J. L. Strange draws on you
for Fifty Dollars through me. Shall I
endorse draft.

C. C. Howard.

The attached receipt is for
Mr. Strange's supply & C. Howard
Perry's bill of exchange in Omaha.
Sure that the amount is paid.

E. C. Hyde
assistant.
Dear Sir:

Your letter of Feb. 21st is at hand. General Howard says that he by no means acquires your letter not only because he does not wish to be connected in any way with the dynamite men, but for reasons which you well understand. Howard believes everything I wish.
July 4th

To the Reader

I have not been able to
read your letter fully as
I am at the moment
greatly occupied with
other matters. I hope
you will excuse any
delay in my reply.
It is to be respected.
July 24th

Miss Katie O'Brien,
114 O'Farrell Street

Dear Miss O'Brien:

General Howard has made an important and positive engagement for the evening of July 26th; consequently, will be unable to attend the meeting of Monta Club.

 Yours truly,
G. M. Field
1858
JULY 18

To The Secretary of
Bowdoin College
Brunswick, Maine

Dear Sir,

The newspapers report
that the degree of D.Litt. was
conferred upon me by the
College. Will you kindly give
me the usual official notification.
I thought, perhaps, you would not
know my address.

Very truly yours,

O. D. Howard
Major General
U. S. Army
July 20th

[Address]

Dear [Name]:

I send you my "Table of the Comrades" and [other details].

I am a little mountain of the exact location of [name]. Will you kindly mark its line?

Also find enclosed a couple of sheets of tracing paper.

I hope you can work out a topographical sketch of the battle field for me upon your own.
July 26

To Revolutionary Officer,
Brigadier of P. Vota.

Dear Sir:

To facilitate action in the case of John J. Brown, the desire to enlist in the U.S. Service, will you please state, that this man lacks in physical development, and also your recommendation.

Very truly yours,
E. Dr. F. Enville.

1st signed 2nd July
A.D.C.
HEADQUARTERS DIVISION OF THE PACIFIC,
San Francisco, Cal., July 26th, 1888.

His Imperial Chinese Majesty's Commissioner,
Mr. H.K. Ku.
Secretary of Board of Punishments.

My dear Sir:-

Allow me to thank you for the excellent likeness of yourself you were good enough to send me.

It always gives me pleasure to extend any courtesy I can to your countrymen, and I trust that your visit to the United States may be pleasant and profitable.

Very truly yours,

Olivier O. Howard

Major General U. S. Army.
HEADQUARTERS DIVISION OF THE PACIFIC,
San Francisco, Cal., July 26th, 1888.

His Imperial Chinese Majesty's Commissioner,
Mr. Y. L. Fu.
Senior Secretary Board of War Etc.

My dear Sir:-

I am very much obliged to you for your photograph, which came to me sometime ago.

Permit me to wish you a pleasant trip through our Country.

Very truly yours,

[Signature]

Olivier O. Howard
Major General U.S. Army.
HEADQUARTERS DIVISION OF THE PACIFIC,
San Francisco, Cal., July 26th, 1883.

Hon. D. F. Thompson,
Portland Oregon.

My dear Sir:—

Captain Sladen at his own instance is about to leave the Active list. If you can in any way befri{}nd him, so that he can enter active business, I shall be very much pleased.

Army officers sometimes get lazy, but Captain Sladen is always industrious, and is as capable a business man as you can find.

As Secretary of a Trust Company of any sort, he could not be excelled.

You know something of his integrity and high Christian character. Perhaps less of his being a careful and systematic worker, which has made him a capital officer as Aide, as Adjutant, Quartermaster or Commissary.

He has my unqualified confidence and recommendation.

Very truly yours,

O. O. Howard

Major General U.S. Army.
HEADQUARTERS DIVISION OF THE PACIFIC,
San Francisco, Cal., July 27th, 1888.

Henry Failing Esq,
Portland Oregon.

My dear Sir:—

You know something of Captain Joseph A. Sladen. He is proposing to leave the Active service of the Army. He is a Christian gentleman, and always acceptable for his genial qualities in society, but perhaps you do not know, as I do, what a thorough, practical business man he is.

He is very industrious and puts in all his time conscientiously upon the work he has to perform.

He would in my judgement be the best sort of Secretary or Treasurer of any Company, however large its business.

I give him, without reserve, a recommendation to you after more than twenty years experience of his ability.

Very truly yours,

O.O. Howard

Major General U.S. Army.
San Francisco, Cal., July 24th, 1838.

General O.O. Howard.

Dear Sir:-

Please accept the best thanks of the Union Iron Works, for the interest taken in the launch, and for the band you so cheerfully furnished, and extend our thanks to all participating.

With respect,

Union Iron Works,

Per, Irving M. Scott,
Genl. Manager.

Headquarters Division of the Pacific,
San Francisco, Cal., July 27th, 1838.


By Command of Maj. Gen. Howard

C. D. Steele.
1st Lieutenant, 2nd Artillery.

Aide-de-Camp.
July 27 a

Dear General:

Mr. Sand, the notation brings in a bill for botanical fees, which I thought was paid long ago. You will remember how we kept him up at night to attend to it. There is no other way about it.

Very truly yours,

O.O. Howard

Major Gen. U.S.A.

To

John T. Loney
Attorney General
San Francisco

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HEADQUARTERS DIVISION OF THE PACIFIC,
San Francisco, Cal., July 27th, 1883.

Mr. Duncan.

Supdt. Met-la-kat-lah Indians,
At new station of Met-la-kat-lah Indians,
Alaska.
(Via Fort Simpson, British Columbia.)

Dear Mr. Duncan:

I have seen by several newspapers, statements that I believe must be false.

They represent that the Met-la-kat-lah Indians are engaging with others in warfare against the Citizens of British Columbia.

Now as the location of the difficulties seems to be a thousand miles from you, can there be the slightest foundation for such rumors?

Please tell me something of your new situation. I shall send this letter by the way of Fort Simpson, British Columbia, not knowing your address.

Faithfully your friend,

O. O. Howard

Major General U.S. Army,
Comdg Division of the Pacific.

Similar letter sent to Mr. Duncan via Fort Wrangle, Alaska.
San Francisco, Cal.

July 30, 1866

To:
The R. F. Miles
Chicago, Ill.
C. O. Mail. Delining

Dear Madame:

The conduct of your husband, according to your account of it, is doubtless praiseworthy. But R. F. Miles is the last man in this world to whom I should apply for further aid. The sum has not yet fully paid what R. F. Miles has damaged him. It comes in to monthly installment. Ten. In connection with R. F. Miles, either directly or indirectly, is closed.

Yours truly,

C. O. Mail. Delining

[Signature]
July 20th

Dear Brother,

I have a letter

perpetuating to come from the

Rev. I. Wilde, who says that

she and her husband are

going from Newmarket to Lens.

Wilde's father was a boy

of an Ohio Regiment, but his

son has been bad through

and through, having served one

term in the penitentiary. He

has been guilty of forgery,

adultery, theft, robbery, and

constant swindling. I once

made an effort to aid him

when he was in great timbre.
July 30th

Captain A.P. Macdonald,
12th Infantry, Fort Sully, Dakota Territory

A man who says he is your son Charles, wants money to tide him over a sick spell, about thirty dollars. Will you send it to him? He is ill.

Also send description of your son.

O.O. Howard

Major General.
July 31st,

Frank Jaynes Esq,
San Francisco, Cala.

Dear Sir:--

Will you be kind enough to renew
the frank of your Company for the personal mess-
ges of Major General Howard.

Very truly yours,

O. H. Tidd
1st Lieutenant 2nd Artillery.
Aide-de-Camp.
From Emma A. Jepson, No. 2/3 house of parents by a
child and in consideration, her pension.

She having had a feverous attack, she was
15/16/1861.
from the married young
and requring, a muticate
manifest conforming to decree
and action to keep.

His health, impaire by
his Expanded caused him
to move with his wife to
California. Since in 474 &
his Children at his left.

She is a woman of much
kindness & character &
appear to me to be a good
wife. I think you can
receive any desired object
and grant her petition.

Very truly yours,

O.C. Howard

Major General

1870
HEADQUARTERS DIVISION OF THE PACIFIC,
San Francisco, Cal., August 1st 1888.

Hon. George C. Perkins,
San Francisco, Cal.

Dear friend:

Could you kindly grant to Lieutenant G. N. Chase, my Aide-de-Camp, his wife and child a pass from Santa Barbara to San Diego and return, good for one month?

If this is not too much please send the same to me 4th floor, Phelan Building.

Very truly yours,

O. D. Howard
Major General U.S. Army.
August 25

Dear Mr. Bachelet:

Baron Rinnert, the man was a long time employed near me in Owosso. He is a blacksmith by trade, but more than that he is a captain of machinery. He has a genius for construction. He has good hands and a good character. Can you not get him at work, temporarily or permanently? As soon as I have an opening I shall look for some time. Don't wish to come north before him in a hurry.

Yours sincerely,
A. D. Hayward
Major Gen.
W. S. Army.
August 2nd

Mrs. Eliza J. Dawson
245 E. 1st St.
San Jose, Cal.
C. O. Sept 1st

Dear Mrs. Dawson:

Many thanks for the check of $100, the sum paid for the lecture.

Very truly yours,

O.O. Howard
Major Genl. U.S.A.
August 6

"To whom it may concern:"

O. S. Schicklen was in the

army of the Indians and is reputed a

good soldier. He was for some time a

solicitor at Ratonvaile. Since he was

left leg by a railroad accident.

he has been unfortunate enough to lose

have done so generously. He

has a large family to support which

he has done for accomplished by his

industry. Any kindness that may

be shown him by among men or Indians

of the U. S. A. will be appreciated

by him and by me.

Olivier O. Howard

Gen. Samuel H. Armstrong
August 18

Mr. Ella Farriar Pratt
Editor "Wide Awake"

Franklin H. Hubly

Dear Mr. Pratt:

I have prepared for you an account of what I regard as a typical Indian battle. Sketch "Friche & Tchats" has aided me in preparing maps of the country and immediate vicinity fields. I thought participating in the battle, I think with these aids (the maps) the battle will be easily comprehended by a boy of 12 or 13 years. I hope that the days of such engagements are now over. Still it is well to make a record of what the settlements in the North West have cost us, or, perhaps, better, have cost them, picturesque and picturesque Indians that Washington Irving so pleasantly describes.

Hoping that this article will suit you and that you will be able to publish it.

I remain

Very truly yours,

O.O. Howard

Maj. Gen. U.S.A.
Aug. 9

Rev. B. F. Berry
1037 Market St.
Cincinnati.

Dear Friend: I send back the recommendation of Mr. Bline.

I have already recommended a worthy clergyman who was a Chaplain during the war. I must not injure his chances by recommending another.

Very truly yours,

O.O. Howard

Maj. Gen. U. S. A.
Aug. 3

Charles P. Broom, Esq.

Editor, Central Library News

1, William St. New York City

Dear Sir,

Will you be kind enough to lend to Mr. Howard at once a copy of the Magazine which he desires article upon?

It is also requested that you return the same to him. The poem illustrated from you on April 4th, 1836.

Very truly yours,

[Signature]

Aug. 14

The Corp Lagnios

Angel Island, Cal.

Dear Sir,

Will you please advise

Capt. W. L. Bowman [legible: This has been left out of the letter.]

now in the hospital under your care, that the order for his admission to the Soldier's Home Washington D.C. and his transportation to come, is now here. It will be handed him on his arrival at these Head Quarters.

Very truly yours,

[Signature]
August 6th 6

Dear Dr. Fisher,

Send your report to the committee of the day. If it is in a case of doubt, we think the sooner you can present your case the better for the community.

The building in progress will be of permanent character. The building committee will continue their work in a few days.

Very truly,

O. Howard

San Francisco, Cal.,
August 6th 1885

Dear Sir,

I take pleasure in complying with your request.

Olivea O. Howard

[Signature]

E. C. Tarbell

San Quentin, Cal.
Aug 6 08

J. C. Hollenback

Martinsville, Ind.

Dear Sir,

I will urge kindly tell me if you know the whereabouts of this
Dr. Miss Amos. Also if he is sick or unable to obtain employment.

His father and friend are anxious about him.

Yours, etc.,

E. H. Tomlin

Please print his address in enclosed envelope.
August 7th

Dear Major:  

Owing to personal matters, I have decided not to visit you Saturday and Sunday next.  Pay my respects to Mrs. H. G. Ross.

Sincerely yours,

[Signature]

Maj. Geo. N. V. A.

To:

Maj. H. A. Harvick


Alding, Island

[Signature]
Dear Mr. Chase:

I am glad to hear such a good account of the first infantry. Very sorry that the men are not having so hard a time. The Lord help us bless them. I will heed your advice about the evening trains.

I do not think you have been quite as attentive as I did, or perhaps have not gone so far; for I have finished the book and now gone back to read his preface and introduction. You say I am inclined to agree with the majority of theologians in their ideas of spontaneous generation in spirit life. If you mean by that, that a soul can regenerate itself without God's help, or on Deumann's expression, the touch of spiritual life as manifested in Christ, you are wrong. And here at once comes the end of death and life (continues) and the three kingdoms. We now know by science beyond dispute that dead matter (the ruined or empty kingdom) has no life in itself.

I think my expression of the last thirty years goes to confirm the Scriptures. That the natural man has no spiritual life in himself and when you find it or traces of it as in yourself, it is undoubtedly come from the same source as all life that is from Christ. I think further that if you will by then conditions, i.e., seek the Lord with all your heart, that you will find life, words of life, kinds of life even in recognizant circumstance. The phenomena, the touch, the dance are evident. As such.
Dear Sir,

Allow me to commend to your kind consideration Mr. W. S. Harsh, the bearer of this note. Please introduce him to Chaplain Pearson. He wishes to find his brother, whom he believes to be a prisoner at your post. I have advised him to stay one day longer to enable him to see all the premises.

Yours truly yours,

O.O. Howard

Maj. General, U.S.A.
Wash., Oregon

6th of June

1st Inst. 2nd July 1869

Asst. Adjutant Gen.
Dept. of the Columbia
Vancouver, B.C.

Official duties prevent me going to Vancouver
rendezvous, 2d inst., 40. 30. 38. Dist. of Pacific.

E. D. F. G.

August 1st

Dear Sir:

The news of your arrival at Fort Walla Walla is a matter of great interest to us all. We have been expecting an official letter from you and are looking forward to its receipt.

With the best wishes of your old friend,

E. O. [Signature]

Hammond, Oreg.
Mr. Fanning,
Pacific Ave. 127, Fruct, San Francisco Co.

Copy of letter addressed to Mr. Fanning on page 350 of this book, sent to Mr. Fanning by Mr. Howard, August 10th, 1840.

O. O. Howard

P.S. Kinney is so good a man, that if you have no plan will you not send him to some place of appropriate work?

A.O. 18
Telegram.

August 6th.

The

Asst. Adjutant General
Dept. of the Columbia
Nauvoo, Ill., Sept. 9th.

Official duties prevent my going to Nauvoo
under Sec. 2, 20. 30 Div. of Pacific
1st. Expedition.

Adm. M. Prentiss.

Official copy respectfully forwarded by mail.

O. H. T. Wight

Adm. M. Prentiss.
Acquaintances,

Mr. Samuel S. Goodell, 167 Jackson St.

Sir: Samuel Goodell

This is to acquaint you that he has no objection to your fort being at present located near the garrison in the vicinity.

Very truly yours,

E. J. White

BLURRED TEXT
Aug 10

The land officers
Angel Island, cal.

The Dept. land officers
did you permit the party
on the rejects here to
land on Angel Island?

Very neat,
Your obedient Servant,

[Signature]
August 13th 8

J. W. Ballington,
 reprover, Mich. 8.

Dear Sir:

R. Miles has just notified me of an increase of Indian plants and may need a white man to superintend. Tell Zeke to apply to R. Miles but not through me. You could telegraph him in his behalf as editor of a paper. Be sure not to mention my name. Anybody in the Indian Dept. there they have an Indian place.

I have been in Washington since my Department went in his payroll to reach him.

As to Dept. Columbus, I think Godman has the inner track with the Indians and their responsible.

I cannot interfere in the matters of my own pets, if you frame your experience know.

Sincerely yours,

O.C. Howard

Maj. Gen. U.S.A.
Aug. 10 18__

To A.R. Smith

6th of September

Dear Mr. Smith,

Mother warns me not to sit down at any dinner or dinner guests but to get up at any dinner or dinner guests but to get up.

Will you kindly let me know proper when you have been sent for they want a neat.

Your truly,

[Handwritten text continues on the right side of the page]
Aug 11 0.

Dear Mr. Jayne,

Well upon your good enough to send me a renewal of subscription. No 2. Telegraph forces! The renewal will I hope appreciate the committee.

The subscription

July 01

Your truly,

E. St. F. S.

San Francisco

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220
August 8

Dear James, Esq.

Present.

My dear Sir:

Will you kindly give orders to your officer to send all telegrams on official business connected with this matter to Headquarters, Headquarters Building.
County Office, Fletcherry Island, Etc.

Sir:

May your kind favor direct me to introduce to your consideration the honors Mrs. Webster & Miss. Homers, their Missionaries.

They will inform you as to theirinside compliance with which is of course entirely left to your own discretion.

Very respectfully,

Your obedient servant,

Capt. 

1st inst. 2nd inst.

The General says he cannot take the responsibility of giving the permission requested, if he can't set aside to you.

Capt.
Aug 15th 8

50/
J. A. Standish Capt.
San Francisco Cal.

Dear Sir:

my young friend.

Mr. H. B. Standish Jr. desires
much to find employment
with you. He has a good re-

cord of the war of 1846.

of the war in which I have

known you greatly respects
for thirty-eight years. You

had better give him a

trial. Yours truly

O. O. Howard

Major 4th U.S. Army
August 19. 1.

General Howard will be glad to receive the Captain of the steamer "Abbie" tomorrow Aug. 16th at 11 o'clock a.m. in his office 15th floor Phelan Building.

Very respectfully,

E. D. Stahl

San Francisco, 1900.
of American interest, and it would be of serious advantage to bringing men in contact with the whole of the other nations represented, would you mind sending him a letter in my behalf?

Mr. Anderson is connected with the family of the late American minister to the Court of France, and personally a man of high character. He has spent many years in Paris and speaks French and English, which

You would enjoy knowing he is of great service to you. I should very much like him in the capacity suggested. Hoping this may find you in good health and in

incerely yours,

O.O. Howard

May, Ca. 1862

Mr. Anderson is at present in Paris. His address is Care of Mr. Daniel Harvey, No. 31, Boulevard Montmartre.
Aug 10th

Mr. Hunter, Esq.
607 Loc. St. Bost.

My dear sir: Your object is the reformation of both men and women. These women of whom you speak are not better, save in exceptional cases, than the men who visit them. Wishing to save the men you must deal with them as individuals. Should you report them by name, I could have them punished.

is restrained, according to the degree of their offense as conduct prejudicial to good order, but such a course would probably be unwise. You could publish them with the name of their Co. Reg. or Post, and do discourage them. You could do the same with the women, i.e. publish their conduct and their names but I think you see from my reasoning that a moral and spiritual revolution cannot be effected with a cudgel.

Very truly yours,

O.Raynard
August 20th

Mr. Doug.
Rear Adm. and Head Master
Hartford Acad.

Dear Sir,

The bearer of this note, Conrad Anthony, 1st Company, 1st Cape Fear Rifles, is seeking work. As he is not fully strong but can do certain kinds of work, he will tell you. Please post him on if you can.

Yours truly,

O.O. Howard

Major General

Aug. 20th

My dear friends,

My relations with the powers that be are so delayed just now that, as a soldier, I must at least postpone the letter which I promised you.

Give my kindest regards to your excellent wife and accept my unchanging affection.

Sincerely yours,

O.O. Howard
Aug 20

Capt. O. J. Young
26th U. S. Army
Fort Omaha, Neb.

My dear Sir:

I have read your first letter with interest. I am glad to see the excellent endorsements of your heart and book.

May your time be so absorbed that I cannot be depended on for contributions. I do heartily wish you may reach many truths and do them good and may the Lord bless your painstaking effort.

Sincerely yours,
C.O. Young

Maj. Gen. U.S.A.
Aug. 20

Dear [Name]:

Expect my leaving here Wednesday evening by train, at Santa Barbara, was one so I can reach you.
I shall probably come alone.
Thank you for your good letter.
With kind regards to all.
The Apache war is over!

Yours truly,
O.C. Knowles
Maj. En. U. S. A.

To D. C. H. C.,

Dr. Burrow, etc.
Aug 20th.

Dear Capt. Haden,

An old friend of mine, Mr. W. B. Stuart, whom Leslie married my uncle, has
just arrived in Portland, O., and asks me to write to various friends: will you
please talk with him and let me know your present condition.
He is at 700 Oak St., Portland,
Capt. J. E. Lombard, Marine
Surveyor.

Remember me to your
lone people. Love & the best,

When you see this,
I will write to know to
when I call on you.

Yours sincerely,

O. O. Woodward

Capt. Joseph A. Haden
414 E. 4th St.
Vancouver, Wash.

Nov 4th.
August 20, 18...

Dear Sir:

Mr. Howard found it impracticable to take the data you gave him to give a specific recommendation. He advises that you will find in your application a few specific, general acts, which are:

1. The幾個 of the Army that accompany your application.
Aug 20th

Mr. W. Keene, Esq.
70 Oak St.
Pittsford, O.

My dear old friend:

Your letter just received puzzles me not a little.

Capt. J. A. Kelsey, Tommima Barracks, was for some twenty years on my staff. Please let this note to him and have a talk with him and let him advise you to whom to write or to apply.

I have already written to him about you.
August 20 6.

Mr. A. A. Anderson
Casa Brocel. Angers An
Prence, France.

Dear Mr. Anderson:

Your nectbute
letter is at hand. I have im-
mediately written to my friend
when I know at Nant Point
and under whom I have served
in the army. I have met
him many times since he
was in charge of the fortify
at Hartford. I can and I
have regarded him as a pers-
onal friend. Please apply to
him with confidence et al.
writing on whether you should see
him, or perhaps better, the both.

I am sorry for Anderson's,
though they informed me to go to
moss and write to thank to
friend for a safe voyage. Some
the matter at one with regards
to the right or wrong of Moberly.

On that he seems to have
fallen and to have lost his
freedom. Though perhaps one
are judging him somewhat
from his enemies' standpoint.

The mistake of France is
in keeping the general from
in the hands of the general
assembly. She thus has no
charity and tolerance.
I am glad you are looking for some new Christian work, you will find it. There is no disgrace in my going back yet, but I may before you return. The Bible class and the home are just as when you left, full of interest and new subjects for consideration and new problems to solve.

Sincerely,

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

August 21, 0

Dear Mr. Jaynes:

I am honored to express to you the thanks for the removal of the annulment of your name which would enable me to stand him.

Yours very truly,

O. O. Howard

[Signature]

James Jaynes Esq.
Dr. U. Selma
1863.
Lieut. Guy Howard
Fort Yate, S.F.

Aug 21 8

Do not use the account which
I sent you till you receive a letter from
me of this date.

O. J. Howard
August 6.

Brig. Gen. Roger Jones
Inspector General U.S. Army
Washington, D.C.

My dear General:

As best you have reached the head of your Dept. I heartily congratulate you. I know of none, who through long, faithful and constitutional labor and as become he was completely now his position than yourself.

Best greet you good health to you ever.
Aug. 21

Dear Mr. Playground,

I am in the office now and only write you a few words amid interruptions.
I did not hear of Mrs. Playground's death till this letter of yours just received announced it. I do not make out your grief. If you mean to remain here for a week, the blow would be a shock even, but if she has gone before you will perform the vows in your mansion and will wait for her to expect you. Till you come in garments shining like her own, then for the first hundred years you will live in constant astonishment that you...
I think many support stories of God's missions for
the temporal salvation. When God sends you to
people's homes, you must speak the truth to
them. Remember, dear friend, that Christ:
转移 into humaneness. We offer this to you:
write a letter to your heart and the Nicene
symbol. I'm praying for you."

By Your Brother
F. H. M. E.
Aug. 20.

Maj. E. H. White

Washington, D.C.

Dear Doctor White,

Your note of Aug. 10: Your note I have just received.

The note of 1873, dated Oct. 22, was for one year with 7% interest. So the note in question will be payable the 22 of next month, and with the interest $52.29 will amount to $649.36.

I am glad you are having so pleasant a time on route, and hope you will reach your feet in good health on arrival. Permit me to express to you the great satisfaction I have had in your friendship and service with me.

Our Washington folks do not allow me anything excepting recommendations concerning the doctor, otherwise you might not have gotten East before me.

With kind remembrances from all at home I remain,

Very truly yours,

O.O. Howard

Maj. Gen. U.S.A.
August 29th 18

Rev. C. P. Price
Pastor 1st A. Church
Oakland, Cal.

My dear Sir,

In reply to your letter of 28th inst.
I have to advise you that General Grant is enroute to Santa Barbara, Cal. and will not return before next Wednesday.
It will therefore be impossible for him to comply with your request to attend the missionary service in honor of General Sherman to be held in the 1st A. Church, Oakland, Cal. on August 28th.

Very respectfully,

Your obedient servant,

St. Brigadier General
W. S. Arnold

Chaplain in Charge.
Dear friend:

Your check for $30 is for the lecture room all right. I think that the two sleazy men for whom I worked on Sunday ought to raise for you. No abise. I find that I left a pair of skippers at the hotel.

Put them and keep them in a corner for your own use or the use of strangers.
The maps came all right.
The return of Santa Fe...
Aug 30th

Mrs. Freeman E. Hoag
Melrose, Mass.

Dear Madam:

Your favor of the 21st instant reached me while hunting & an essay sublime I have at some instants
I received a Dr. Parke Letter through his Company towards short your affable
he kindness

Very truly yours
Yours truly

[Note: The signature appears at the bottom of the page, but it's not entirely legible.]
HEADQUARTERS DIVISION OF THE PACIFIC,
San Francisco, Cal., August 31st, 1888.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:-

Mr. J. E. BERG is a young man seeking employment.

By this letters and recommendations he is evidently efficient and
of good character.

I hope that anyone needing such a young man may give him a
trial.

O.O. Howard

Major General U.S. Army.
August 31st 6

Dear Mr. Cardoza:

There have just been informed that Chaplain Geo. W. Jackson would like to succeed Chaplain Knows (retired) at the Presidio.

Chaplain Jackson is an Episcopalian, a good man and in my judgment well fitted for the place.

There are several Chaplains who are using influence to get this assignment, but considering the moral and religious influence essential at that large post, I think the majority of Christians feel that this position should run:

Yours very respectfully,

O.O. Howard

Maj. General

U.S. Army

Gen. W. C. Cardoza

Supt. of War

Washingto, D.C.
Telegram

September 5th 8

Captain A. W. Greeck
Head Quartermaster Dept of Dakota
St. Paul Minn.

Have no objection to your proposed

use of my letter.

O.O. Howard
Major General.

L.O.S. 7
Sept 5th 8

J. B. Lincoln, Esq.
220 1/2 Mission St.

Dear Sir:
your letter of Aug 31.
is at hand. I find no
possible opening for you in
either the commissary
or Quartermaster Department.
at these Headquaters.

Yours Truly:
O. O. Howard

Maj. Gen. U.S.A.
Sept 41

Mrs. August Seger,

Vancouver B.C.

Pay your friend:

Come welcome this day: it is spring.
Thank you for your firm of St. Thomas's Book. It is a little reminder of St. Thomas's, and such a book in his armor. It shows how necessary it is to have one whole armor of at all times.

Wishing, eternally the now, this ever so much.
I enjoyed, dear friend,

 Brave envoys to the door, 

 to call, to answer. They are figures. They are helpful.

 To Christ, that is, our spiritual life, life beloved and enjoyed with the Father, to me the truest
civilization. That we may gain

Come in he becomes the true and true one the earth is not clear to me. The important thing is that he

comforting thought shall light

in every one of his children. In spiritual likeness, I feel

these children shall be

and in his hands which

place is sent in the household. By among all others to serve the glad keeping of great

joy in my heart.

Then the coming that you hope for will be like the old coming in Jerusalem, a glad anticipation to those who see it

and know it.

My hope however now lies in the physical exhibition that in the more actual present

life. For someone engaged

your letter.

With the kindest recollection and the best wishes for some

self and family. I remain in the rest of hands

George Lincoln

D.C. Norton
Sept 4th

To the President of the Medical Examining Board, U.S. Army.

Dear Sir:

Allow me to present to you my young friend, James L. Graham.

I have not seen much of him, hardly met him since his early childhood, but I have the best account of his conduct and conduct of good habits. His father is one of the most faithful and distinguished officers.

With much respect,

James L. Graham.

U.S. Army.
Feb. 9th. 1844. Portland Me.

Dear Sir,

Your kind notice is very much appreciated by me. As I am not in a position to make any arrangements to visit your city, I trust you will not be offended if I do not accept your kind invitation.

I regret very much that your health has been impaired by the severe cold weather. I wish you would consult a physician to ascertain the cause of your illness and obtain proper treatment.

I am sorry to hear of the death of your brother. I was deeply affected by the news and I can only express my sympathy in this trying time.

I have no news to bring at present except that the department commander has been notified of the circumstances of his case.

I am sorry for your trouble, but things do not seem to go very well at the present time.

I hope that you will be able to recover your health as soon as possible and return to your former state of activity.

Yours truly,

O. O. Howard

Maj. Gen.
O. O. Howard
Major General
U.S. Army

Mr. L. C. Allen
Columbia, Missouri

My Dear Sir:

I cannot recall the making of my head quarters at Joshua Allen's near Frederick City. I did move from Middleboro to some point on the Enniskillen road. I will look the matter up and if I find evidence, that will be of service to you.

You are welcome out.
Let 6th 1

Gen. D. Couch

Hardeeville, S.C.

My dear General:

Genl. Franklin writes me that you are very ill at your home in Hardeeville. I did not know where you were till this morning. I do hope, that as the work of the past is done, there will be some comfort in your heart from this source of the contemplation. To you, my dear, as your look into the annals of war, you may find in his words of commendation; "Thou hast done good and faithful service." If I am not necessary to pass through the valley, or the shadow in order to realize something of the meaning of the subsequent provisions, I will take it as a token of the joy of thy Lord. May God bless you and comfort you in your country so gallantly gone in these hours of pain. Thank God and command in your place in your heart arms. Sincerely,

O.C. Howard

Major General U.S. A.
Dear Sir,

I was very sorry

but an impossibility

for that day and evening.

Wednesday the 19th, wires

prevent me from accepting

your cordial invitation.

Very truly yours

C. Howard

Handwritten notes:

Dear重 dear,

my heart always

remained suddenly.

in case of

sudden strike. With these

my head and my hope can

dreadly sympathized it is a great

determination to depart to be with

blind. You have intimated joy

of peace that at first end.

So yourself accept co

better object is perfectly a

last three chief you.

E. Howard
Sept 7th

Mr. A. McCoy.
Y. M. A. Society.
S. O. S.

[Signature]

[Signature]

Sept 11th

Mr. J. Brown has left
21 Warner Pl.

Dear Sir:

Mr. Howard wishes
me to enclose the within
letter from Mr. Richards.

Very truly yours,
E. P. Smith

[Signature]
Dear Mr. C. Good,
San Francisco, Cal.

My dear friend:

The reverend Mr. H. M. Merritt proposes opening a class in English Literature not far from your Church. She is a teacher formerly from Brooklyns A. V. and will give very complete instruction in what she undertakes. She is, through untoward circumstances very much in need of help. She is a member of my Bible Class and I am greatly interested in her welfare as you may well judge. Could you or Mr. Bond facilitate her work or give her a kindly word of advice, I would appreciate it.

Sincerely your friend,

O. O. Howard
Capt. General, 1863
She had been known to him after he had
the family had taken great
I intended to have
communicated with Miss
McDowell about the
I will not mind
a dear benefactor and his
this boy. She claimed to
be his adopted daughter.
and while the
was called my
son much in her favor as a
much in her favor as a
Miss Helen McDowell
which promised her $50
for months as a charity.
lady but never had so favorable opportunity.

The McDonald family has gone East and we I understand are not to return. I cannot recall now what the bulky package came to me for but I think it was a sort of hope that I would write to you in some way. I felt my sympathy. Possibly this is not the same lady. That one was smaller, more weak in body and mind, one that should in my judgment be provided for in some hospital or asylum.

Very truly yours,

O.O. Howard

May 27th, 1864

Give our affectionate regards to each member of your family. 0.O. Howard

Rev. Jos. D. Wakefield

Jan 15th

Cola.
My dear sir,

I thank you for your information and enclosed letter just received. There are only two ways in which you can be employed as agent or ccent: one is by the Department border, Hon John Butter, and in this as letter from me would be of no help to you. And further, the number ofcent allotted by law to the Division is absorbed.

The other and proper way is to be an agent of the Indian Bureau, and as you have good strong Democratic forces in Congress with high officials at Washington, there is your place to bring your influence to bear. But if you can possibly get your living otherwise, if I knew you, I would remain independent. I have not allowed me one dollar that I can devote to the employment of a cent or extra Indian Agent. I had a small sum last year but it has been exhausted.

Hoping that this letter
will not discourage you from doing us an occasional kindness. I remain
Very truly yours,

O.C. Howard

May 24, U.S.A.

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Frank H. Stearns

Monarch 9d, Columbia Pk.

Mark Ty
E.M. Watthine, Esq.
Comes 6th Oct 1848
New York City

My dear Sir:

Duing its unmerciful call I have exhausted my contributing funds and cannot spare you $50 but I will see Mr. Lyle, Mr. McCoy & others in your behalf.

Very truly yours,

O.O. Howard

Maj. Gen. USA
Oct 22

Dear Mr. Smith,

I wish you to introduce to you Mrs. Smith and her son, Mr. John Norris, the son of Major Norris (late of the army). Would you be so kind as to assist him somehow in your work? The pay to start could be $150.

Yours faithfully,

[Signature]

San Francisco, Oct 22

Hallowell, Massachusetts
Dear General [Name]

Mrs. [Name]

The widow of [Name] late Capt. [Name] of [Company] who served in the San Francisco and I take pleasure in forwarding to you her claim to all the requirements of the law. She is a worthy woman and meets the pension to which by law she appears to be fully entitled. If you can address her through me it will gratify her and show her friends in her native place.

O.O. Howard

Major-General U.S.A.

Enclosed please find three other papers connected with Miss [Name]'s case.

O.O.H.

[Date]
Sept 24' 8

Dear Colonel:

There is an arrest
from my office tomorrow
having promised to go to
Santa Ana.

Will you kindly visit
me at my house at
about 12 o'clock this
afternoon & quietly leave

Yours truly,

O.O. Howard
Major General

G. C. Graham
Capt. 42nd U.S. Army
Cal.
Sct 24 a

J. H. Norfolk, Capt
Washing. Placing & Co
Hartford. Conn.

Sir:

Enclosed please find

Yours truly,

C. S. Smith
Sept. 22, 1809.

Best respects,

Mr. [name]

My dear [name],

By Dept. orders, [name] directed me to inform you that he has given me the honor to agree the information for your approbation, and further to request...[name].

[Address]

Oct. 6.
I remain,

[signature]

[Date]

[Address]

[Note:]

[Handwritten text]

[Signature]
sept. 25th

Dear John,

Your postcard was very welcome to me. When am anxious to hear news of your health.

I have only time at this office to welcome you for this morning. We are all well, and everyone will write you soon. Groundman seems to your mother.

Much love from the rest.

Not really very good conditions to your too soon. His former very

blessings.

Yours truly,

John
Sept 27, 0

Dear D. O. Kelley,

Rector St. James Church
Ferro, Cal.

My dear Sir:

Your first question, viz. "Do it in accordance with the general sentiment of the U. S. A. to make such a rule of the Lord's Day?" was a frequent practice, especially military festivals, etc., I am disposed to think it is not the custom and never has been. At a regular Garrison drills, reviews, long practice, and all ordinary work day work are suspended on Sunday.

Even the Sunday morning inspection was intended, like the inspection of a drain to be brief and to see that everything was in the appropriate order. I have never made objection to this inspection, but some commanders, careless of Sabbath observance, have sometimes introduced shows, parades accompanied by attractive music. When these are in the vicinity of a town or city, they are calculated...
to gather about them as
army council. On this ac-
count I have made an
effort to have such extra
performances done away with.

The last decision by the
Army of War and Air of the
Army was that, the Sunday
morning inspection was no
res absurd and that it would
be continued and that it
was all the parade that
was demanded. However,
the regulations still require
a permit on evening dress
parade for every day including
the Sabbath. I send you
a copy of the Cinchic Order

which was issued to the Army
and Navy in 1862. It speaks
for itself. Orders have
been issued by Army Orders in
keeping with it but it
has never been countenanced.

I regret exceedingly that
any decision of the Regular
Regulations should lead our Volun-
ters, Volunteers or Independent
Corps to a public demonstration
of the Lord's day. The intru-
sion of every Army Regulation
is simply to keep ourselves
in readiness and in order +
nothing beyond this is desired.

Very truly yours,

C. O. Howard

May 1st, 1862.

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HEADQUARTERS DIVISION OF THE PACIFIC,

San Francisco, Cala., Sept. 29th, 1888.

Dear Dr. Tilton:

Sergeant Newton has two discharges with "Excellent" character, and from what he tells me, he has had a rapid pulse from his earliest years, probably aggravated by the use of tobacco.

Will you not question him as to his history and perhaps you can give him the benefit of a doubt on re-enlistment.

He has been ten years in the service and desires greatly to remain. I like to keep such men, i.e. of good character, when it is possible. I send him back to you for re-examination.

Yours truly,

O. C. Howard.

Major General U.S. Army,
Commanding.

Sergt. Tilton.

Signed for.
Dec. 19

Mr. Dear Colton:

At General Hamburg request I introduce my Res. Mr. P. Reynolds, who came to the Senate with the highest opinion of recommendation from officers of the navy.

Any country you can visit to him will be unfavorable to him & gratifying to Mr. Hammond. The President will explain you can visit him.

St. L. P. Colton

[Signature]

[Handwritten note: U.S. Army
Quintals 35]
Oct 11th

The Compiy Office
Presidio, 8.7. 70.

Sir,

The Debl. Compl. directs, I shall upon receipt, a facing party of one.

reliably in a office and

sent private. to report

at 130 - 16th April near

Howard on Tuesday

Oct 14th 1871.
At 11000 o'clock

P.M. to attend the funeral

of Mr. Young, a Mexican

Vetman. and to give

the salute over his

grave.

Very Respectfully,

Your Obed. Servt.

C. O. Sheed

This day 1871.
Oct 18th 6

Mr. N. A. Bunnell.

12. Montgomery St.

San Francisco, Cal.

Dear Sir:

Very truly yours,

E. H. Willis.

Oct 18th 6

Please order for a Vienna family of 10.00 officials for

private to respect at 100.00

Oh. become the 37 Oct. at

12:00 0' Mir. to continue the

souvenir 0' fine over the

game of the year o
Dec 1st

Lobphine Mr. O'Born
Acting. Sec.

Dear Lobphine,

I will again

give note to the Secretary
who has returned with the
charge of the S. O. Office.
I shall

take pleasure in accepting
your command of Lobphine.

Washington. Dec 1st 1841

[Signature]
Oct 11.

L. A. P. [illegible]

In [illegible]

My own dear:

Can I do this:

Mr. J. B. Roberts of the

store here. He said he

would send his bill to [illegible]

to get it and send it back to [illegible]

of [illegible].

Encourage to write no answer

the same day as you.

Mr. Fagg at 2 will not

accept the bill in the

present condition. If you

take further care of it

remember what you do

for compensation.

[illegible] with the bill he has very [illegible]

after it. Again,

you for your kindness.

[illegible]

[Signature]
October 10th 1851

Of R. Roberts

Sir:
The law has now been made to
make you an assertion about
that you have given him the
right to be paid.

Yours truly,

[Signature]

[Note: The handwriting is difficult to decipher due to the blurred nature of the image.]
and as a matter of principle, feeling that it was if thee said gains

 gains, you as humble as to think in any other. If I do

 not get a reply from you, by Wednesday, I must

 place this matter in the hand of my lawyer. I

 have seen Mr. Virginia to

 I think I am worthy of

 to think him to have

 not much to say on

 it.
I will be in my office room 202 Phelan Building at 11 a.m. Saturday I will arrive till then upon your return. Very much your's.

E. O. [Signature]
Dear Mr. Swayne:

Permit me to introduce to you Capt. B. T. Steele of the Army - a worthy officer long stationed in this city. He wishes to see your

brush some matter connected with "Duncan Kings" in which

he is greatly interested.

Any favor you may show him will be gratefully received.

Yours very truly,

O.C. Howard

Gen. Manasseh C. W. Army

Oct. 3

James Agnew, Esq.

Chief Engineer, U.S. R. R.

Oct. 14

Dear Mr. Agnew,

I was introduced last night to a fine appearing young man from Edinburgh - his name is Robert Henderson. On the spot in acquaintance I could not give a strong recommendation, but think you would like to try him, as his in-

telligence, education, & the reputation he brings, he would be likely to carry you all.

Yours truly yours,

O.C. Howard

Oct. 14

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Nov. 28

One day

I have just learned

the news of the battle, so

sincerely for the

Gentleman and his

wife, and to the

other gentlemen.

I am enclosing the notice

of the War Department.

I did not think it

proper, but I am pleased

with the news of the

Battle, and to the

Gentleman and his

wife, and to the

other gentlemen.

P.S.

I have just received of

a good letter from

Mr. Adams. I am

very happy.

E.H.

April 4, 1828

Oakland.
Dear Mr. McKay:

I cannot be able to honor our association as a

Chinese or meeting of my

sheep away, including my subjects.

wish glue, come to me for help in getting

get it without no service to whom deceit, can happen by

have it without no oppio to any the lord before and please

present. My subject's cup, I

always come next.

—any time soon for.

Please express my most

sympathy with your Christian

work. What can be most

important than the long salvation

of young men?

Oh, that they could be kept

up from infamy on the Lord's side!

Your efforts at prevention

from effects of persecution

and destruction.

May 26th

C. H. Howard

May 26th

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Very truly yours,

O. O. Howard

Major General

[Signature]
HEADQUARTERS DIVISION OF THE PACIFIC,

San Francisco, Cal., October 5th, 1888.

The

Editor Century Magazine,

Union Square

New York City.

Dear Sir:

I have written a careful description of a specimen Indian battle. It occurred in the famous Nez Perce War of 1877, and is usually called the Battle of the Clearwater.

Chief Joseph commanded the Indians, and I myself led the U.S. Troops. It lasted two days.

With the manuscript I furnish two maps: one of the general vicinage, i.e. a kind of Campaign map, and the other a sketch of the battle-field.

Now I thought for a change you would like this, paying me what you thought it might be worth.

You know my style of writing and if you feel inclined to publish I will forward it to you as soon as you notify me by letter or telegram. There are a little over 5000 words in the manuscript.

With high respect,

Very truly yours,

[Signature]

[Stamp: Maj. Gen. R. S. Howe]
TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:—

This is to certify that James Waite Howard

is the son of Major General Oliver O. Howard U.S. Army and Elizabeth A. Howard.

He was born at West Point, New York (Military Reservation), December 1st, 1860.

Witnesses:

[Signatures]

Sworn and subscribed to before me this 5th day of October, 1888, at San Francisco, California.

______________________________
Notary Public.
My dear Nathan, I have just received
so with many thanks. They
do not write so encouragingly,
about your health as I wish they
will. I feel sometimes little ELAING
of your news, but I hope just that
they adjust themselves. We surely
ought to make it
as soon as he leaves her. It will not do for me
to leave my office at present. Nothing
to song the responsibility of my work. I
have chosen to belong, where I
have chosen to belong, he who said
the other night. "My grace is sufficient for
me," must be patient to his dear
another good portion of his grace.
Lester, the side with which he is a
man in the Church of his country. The Church
the right way over the open
and there on account of the open and
and there. A sudden change is
announced by him. The Church comes
we are in a sudden and sudden. Our
He is gone home. The Church is
so he is the one and alone
are good with her friends. She
has been here. The Church is
Adelbert left our home in the
Do I think of him with you? Have
been in talking church. Have
come the children good as always?
I go to college next year?
Also does not seem home like
Friday 1st or the next. Probably
Grace with cheerful hearts.
Always write carefully. As you can,
all the less will you have to do there.
Beguiled away with her charming eyes. May
with her as maids of her age - so quiet.
Gave not changeable mortals. Emanate
with her living ways and thrown a whistle
among sisters. There is always enough
in writing; with such a family as that.
She has moved into her new	honest is in - it is walk away
on present at - figgeries has
come to the office for me
and I wish your own thin
note. May the dead still
support bodies upon - in this
trying sickness. I felt your
heart with his good things.
Give much love to all -
affectionately yours,
O. Dwight
Oct 6th

Dear Mr. Moody,

Finding I could not see you this afternoon, I wrote

After the meeting tomorrow afternoon at our church, will you not come home with me (Mr. Richardson) and have dinner and take a quiet family dinner. I will have you back to the evening service.

Yours sincerely,

O. C. Thurman

Major, U.S. Army

To

Mr. D. Moody

Oberlin, Ohio
Oct 6th r

Dear Col. Brinton,

An old man
No Murphy wants work as a house laborer. He has worked at the foundry
accomplished. Can he is
Gen. Murphy, can do
all sorts of hewing work
except saddles. Letter.

Please answer to

Yours ever

Sincerely yours,
O. O. Howard
Maj. Gen. W.S. B.
October 8th

Professor N. & Mrs. Postlethwaite
West Point, N.Y.

My dear sir,

Will you do me the favor to examine the Chaplain's record of baptism and send me an
official certificate or a letter stating
the facts as recorded. His name is
James Martin Howard. He was
born Dec 1st 1860 and baptized
after I left for the Sound in the
summer of 1861. John Meine
stood sponsor for me & Rev. Mr.
Winston [illegible]. Chaplain & Professor
performed the ceremony. Hope

This will find you well

With this letter I am forwarding
in your hands. I remain

O. J. Howard
Major 3rd U.S.

James' Address

James Martin Howard Esq.
Ferry Island City - N.Y.
134 209

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OCTOBER 16

Dear Sir,

Dear Lady, May 20. I did not send you the one you asked for. I sent you a man who was sent by Mr. Whig of Kansas. He said yes, but he was sent to the mix to help Mr. Whig. I had a Beloved man. Well...

E. D. Scoble

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The hang

Very truly yours,

E. D. Scoble
My dear Sister, thank you.

I heard about mother. How is she today? Will you get a letter of her hair (the combings with cream) to send me. It may be troublesome here. But I ask for it. I will send it into a book mark, or maybe a ring for my every day Bible. I guess you can get me some.

Give much love to all from all. The Lord bless you.

Johnny is now doing finely — O.K.

What a good letter. Write me. I guess our boys are going to do well.

Mrs. B. H. Howard
Glencoe, Illinois

Dear Mother, I have her to bed as long as he can.

Sincerely & Kindly

Yours, O. H. Howard
HEADQUARTERS DIVISION OF THE PACIFIC,
San Francisco, Cal., Oct. 10th, 1888.

To Committee on Invitation,

The Grant Monument Association of Missouri,
St. Louis, Missouri.

Messrs:-

Many thanks for your thoughtful invitation.

Public duty and distance alone prevent me from being with you on an occasion of so much interest and importance as the unveiling of a proper monument to our late revered General. It is very proper for the people of St. Louis to put up this memorial, for the hard struggle in civil life which, more than any one thing fitted him for his special work, occurred right there in the neighborhood of your City.

It is a gratification to me to have served under General Grant and to have known him personally, so I rejoice at every fresh evidence of the people's appreciation of him.

Very truly yours,

O. O. Howard

Major General U.S. Army.
HEADQUARTERS DIVISION OF THE PACIFIC,
San Francisco, Cal., Oct. 10th, 1888.

Mrs. E. C. Van Valkenburg,
Walla Walla, W.T.

Dear Madam:

There are so many thousands of cases that are not so well off as to have $25 a month together with the $250 reserve, that I fear to make an appeal for you. It will require a special Act of Congress, and in my judgment a letter direct from yourself to the Congressman of your old District and to the Delegate of Washington Territory giving them insight into your husband's brilliant record and untimely death would do more for you than I possibly could.

Sincerely sympathizing with your suffering and hoping that God may be with you while you live to give you of His supreme comfort,

I remain,

Very truly yours,

[Signature]

Major General U.S. Army.
HEADQUARTERS DIVISION OF THE PACIFIC,

San Francisco, Cal., Oct.10th, 1888.

General Henry M. Cist,

Secretary, Society of the Army of the Cumberland,

Cincinnati, Ohio.

Dear General:-

I hardly know what to say to you; I long so much to join the Society of the Army of the Cumberland; but if you knew how many Societies I have been drawn into, and regularly pay my dues,--that of the Army of the Tenn., G.A.R., Loyal Legion, Good Templars, and what not, you would understand me, in my poverty, when I say, at present I dare not extend my field.

I loved and honored General Thomas, and he always trusted me.

I enjoyed my command of the 4th Corps, hard as its service was, during my administration.

Sincerely yours,

O. O. Howard

Major General U.S. Army.
HEADQUARTERS DIVISION OF THE PACIFIC,
San Francisco, Cal., Oct. 10th, 1883.

General Henry McCist,
Secretary, Society of the Army of the Cumberland,
Cincinnati, Ohio.

Dear General:

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Sincerely yours,

O. O. Howard

Major General U.S. Army.
HEADQUARTERS DIVISION OF THE PACIFIC,

Editor, American Magazine,
749, Broadway, New York.

Dear Sir:—

I have much work on hand, but will endeavor to send you an Article upon Christmas.

What length will suit you best?

Very truly yours,

[Signature]

Major General U.S. Army.
Oct. 12, 1844

The Hon. Office
President of San Francisco
Loc.

Sir:

The Department Commander directs me to enclose to you the within clipping from the Daily Examiner of October 1st, 1844.

Very Respectfully,

[Signature]

E. J. G. Wible
[Date]
Oct 10 6

L. H. Clement Eng.
202 Market St.
Room #2. Leisy.

Dear sir: Enclosed please
findraw. Howard's check
No. 97 on Bank of Ind.
for $10.00 to pay labor on
June 8th. 8th Corp. Indiana
A. F. from Oct 12th 1866 to

Jan 1st 1869.
Please return me
receipt for same & others.

Very truly yours
E. B. & T. G. Fields
March 24, 1869
a.d.
Oct. 1st

Mr. McClellan
Washington, D.C.

My dear friend,

I see by gang.

Read page 102.5. That

Mr. Seward's case was personal.

Consider, does not have the

advanced and claims of military service.

Dedicate work for the future and

for men. These were the real

reasons for my discretion. Lincoln

Edmonds does not dislike me personally does he? Sure to your

family.

 Yours truly,
October 18 a

My dear Sir,

My position as Director of the Military Order of lyck is such that I am obliged to avoid all political complications, so that I know you will excuse me from answering your last letter in detail. My religion, taught me from childhood and permeating my soul, reminds me that I have no right to limit the word "neighboring" to any race.

Sincerely yours,

J. R. Johnston, Eng.

Oakland, Cal.
October 15 0

Dear sir:

I am now sending my picture because I have no digital photograph on hand. Your liege lord has furnished me one that fairly represents my present stature and I send it to you for the Post as you have requested.

Waiting upon you for remembering me in this.

[Handwritten notes and signatures]
Oct 20th

My dear mother,

I have reached
my camp near Augusta, and I cannot
get answering from you. We have
remained with Major General when we
began orders to Washington. But
she was to return home, but he is
in a sick leave and will not join her
until the 15th of January next. An
officer like Major Rogers
was ordered to market while I was
leaving and have not found him. But the
major's officers' letters indicate
that we can expect to do so.
Their action is questioned by so many
soldiers that they remain in Augusta.

Again I cannot leave my Midland
Division without permission of
Gen. Schofield. He wrote me that
he would say my regiment to be
ordered back before the President. We
will not do so, I think, till
after the war of the Confederacy
ends. Again I do not feel that
I can leave Georgia before January
return. She is not really old, been
seriously so. She says that you have
been the mother almost as long as
you have been mine and she is
much depressed. Home going seems
while her mother goes to against evacuation. Upon, some
mother may not be strong enough
for all this detail; but Polly or
Charlotte will accept it to your
satisfaction. Rowland wrote me
a brief postcard about Laura.
death but nothing more only that he was going to die at once. I hope he is with you now. Commiserate pray for your thoughts and comfort. It is a great consolation to come friends to know that they have a Rock higher than ever a refuge in every storm, a light for every dark place, a source of hope beyond what any man can give. God is our Rock, our Refuge, our Light, our Hope. I was writing as my Town Office, else all would join in full love and sympathy and prayer.

May our Savior bless you & help you in comfort as you comforted me when a child.

No parting in belonging to His Beautiful Hebrew Kingdom. 
Sincerely, [Name], [Date]
Sept. Brother

Mr. M. La. Jackson

Barnum, M. T.

My dear Sir,

My daughter-in-law

Mrs. Scantlebury, cousin Howard, visited me

in a recent note from her, they in

have grown in the age of 30, then

Now Mr. Washworth, the

brother in george, wrote his

brother-in-law, Mr. J. H. Washworth, of

our dear friend, who had just arrived

So, dear sir, I write

to ask you if you still on board

your boat, for I cannot find

it here, and have not been

Very truly yours

O. O. Howard

Major-General

N. D. Army

received at Chicago
Oct 32

Dear Madame:

Your letter is
received and carefully read
by Mr. Howard. He wishes
me to say that the matter
will be carefully looked into
and in such way as not
to injure musician Schmidt.

You had better get good
work for your support and not
depend on him.

Yours truly,

C. J. P. Steele

May Catherine Schmidt
Nell Delin. O. 26
Oct 22, 18

To J. F. O. Marshall,
Room 7, No. 26 Beacon St.
Boston.

My dear friend:

Your letter with enclosures is at hand. I do not know what Sarah Winnemucca Hopkins has represented to Miss Peabody and her conditors. Sarah is an Indian woman of a remarkable history. I have known many things to her advantage and some things to her disadvantage, but I do not feel that I can take up a cry against her. I believe it impossible for Sarah to make much headway against Indian prejudices and superstitions, coupled with white men's hindrances; therefore if your society will inaugurate a good work at Lovelock and have a thorough, by reliable family in charge between whites and Sarah there is no doubt good feeling, also, as interpreter, as an energetic helper, will, in my judgment be of immense value.

Their schoolhouse is there and children enough around to make a beginning.

At Vancouver under my supervision, in a few months with a tribe not speaking her.
own language Sarah brought to pass astonishing results. Sarah and Hetchy are brother and sister. There resemblance is very striking. These two children have been in Winimucca's family from very early childhood. Whether he, Winimucca, was their adopted father or stepfather I have never been able fully to determine. I have always regarded Sarah's mother as one of Winimucca's wives.

In some way, though the testimony is conflicting, Sarah descended from Old Captain Tseetee, either through her father or her mother.

I cannot help sympathizing very deeply with Miss Peabody and hope still stand through her poor Sarah may be completely regenerated, for God aids such love and faith. For her sake I have already made careful examinations and have written her freely and frankly.

Sincerely yours,

O.O. Brown

May 8th, 1878.
HEADQUARTERS DIVISION OF THE PACIFIC,

San Francisco, Cala., October 23rd, 1838.

Hubbard Bros.


Messrs:—

I had already made a plan and partly executed it before your last letter reached me. It was this, to study the American Revolutionary War as much as possible from an English standpoint.

Each Campaign is a campaign of the British Ministry, or one approved of by them. The battles I made as brief as the space allotted me will admit of.

I think that you will allow the 6000 words that I submit you will have a fair picture of the Campaigns and Battles of the Revolution.

Very respectfully,

your obedient servant,

Major General U.S. Army.
Oct. 24th 18

Mr. Jefferson
F. Randall, Esq.
San Francisco, Cal.

Sir:

A letter referring to your case has been received from the Bureau of Pensions. If you will call at these Head Quarters (Room 2037), the same will be shown you.

Respectfully yours,

[Signature]

[Address]
Oct. 20

My dear Sir:

Will you have the kindness to send me a copy of your office registry of office & acts also a few copies of your acts in general, as I am about to send them containing such matters as are to the admittance of acts.

With the kindest remembrance to myself and my friend around you, I remain,

Quincy, Oct. 4, 1814.

O. Howard

West Point, N.Y.
Oct 31

Dear Capt. Hull,

6th Mrs. Anderson

gave you the wrong number
to her house, it is 2418

Olly Pratt

Very truly yours

O.H. Howard

Maj. Genl. U.S.A.

To Capt. G. A. Hull

Army Btl.

Capt.
Oct 24

Dr. P.H. Reckner, M.D.
Omaha, Neb.

My dear Doctor:

It is a come
down on stock that was
valued so recently above
par. I hope there has
not been mismanagement.
Such stock in Omaha
ought to pay a splendid
dividend. I will not
part with mine as long
as there is a prospect

of 6% for annuities for less
than par. Being grateful
to you for your kindness &
for past favors I remain
Very Sincerely Yours

O.D. Howard
Maj. Gen. U.S.A.
Oct 24th

Rt. Honorable
1st. Washington St.
Chicago, Ill.

Dear Sir:

General Howard directs me to acknowledge your note of the 22d inst. and to advise you to address Col. Silas Osgood, 1st Artillery, 3d Army Corps, Pincus, Cal. If he should pass physical examination, he is of good character so, he could enlist for Caribb, Artillery or Infantry. To secure position of a policeman in the large cities requires influence.

Very truly yours,

G. M. Smith

[Signature]
1st Artillery

Oct 24th
W. W.

Headquarters Div. of Florida

Gen. Beauregard, Oct. 26

Major General O. O. Howard

Adjutant General Washington, D.C.

Request authority to re-enlist Frances Stewart-nothing secert or slight defect of vision—after fifteen years service. He was a prisoner of war and member of Longstreet's Brigade, and request the commanding officer to re-enlist him. O. O. Howard, Major General.
Oct. 26

Dear Colonel Graham:

A Committee of Ladies being in some especial kindness to the poor, connected with our Church, have some request to make of you. It is probably connected with the Bank or a portion of it. I have already told them to apply to you directly for such terms as you may be able to afford. And that I may yet in some way interfere, therefore I send them with this letter of introduction to you.

Very truly yours,

O.O. Howard

Major General

Mrs. Mrs. Mrs. S. St. John

U.S.
Oct 27

Lt. M.

E. H. G.
1st July 2nd July 1862

Lieutenant Eybridge
Through Compt. Offner
Fort Wills, Iowa, U.S.

The Division Commander desires to know whether you received a request from one of the colonels of the 8th Iowa to turn over to them certain of his effects, if so, why you did not act upon that request in accordance with par. 231. A. H. Telegraph answer.

E. H. G.
1st July 1862
Act 87 8.

To The
[illegible]
$1,000.00

Orlando, Oct.

Sir:

[illegible]

$100.00

The bank of the $100 to pay the subscription upon receipt of $100.

Respectfully yours,

[illegible]
Oct 29

Dear Mrs. Thompson:

I have been following the events of the evening, but I was in a state of shock that I could not think or express myself. "What do you do? Who is everybody?" He looked well, and we were speaking against making political issues in the newspaper. I agreed with him to bring the courage of my convictions into action. Upon hearing written what we may do with this power, I wrote back to Seneca.

Our friend & I went to request how in Mrs. Van Alarcon, myoppelord mother in my ill health, I was going every day to offer a prayer. I could not believe I would come to her from your husband as well as from yourself. Life is so short at least that we cannot afford to lose our friends. Mrs. Thompson said, "Once I thought I could do without friends, but now I see that I cannot." It was during his great trial. I hope you & your mother the sooner she becomes one in a while. She writes cheerfully from her present for off season. (A little further in your case.)

Very truly yours, George M.}

O. O. Mowrer
Oct 20th

Dear A. B. Batchelder,

Dept 4th Army
San Francisco, Cal.

Sir:

General Howard desires me to send to you Captain Francisco, both a copy of the 1st Act with a letter of recommendation, the general believing him to be a good, reliable man. If in the improvements at

the Presidio you need overseer, the general thinks this man may be of service to you.

He is not out of employment & would come of any port.

Very respectfully,

Your obdt. Srvr.

E. C. Tubb
Feb 28th
Oct 30th 1801

Mr. M. M. Anderson
Hopkins' Academy
Oakland, Md.

Sir,

General Howard desires me to reply to your letter of the 29th that he will take pleasure in being with you Friday evening Nov. 9th 1801.

Be kind enough to write the General and direct me how to reach your Academy.

Very truly yours,

E. R. F. Wall

[Signature]

Feb. 24th
Oct 31

To Sam. P. Jones
Baltimore, Ga.

My dear friend:

I hear that you are coming to this city sometime in January next.

I renew my invitation for you to make your headquarters at my house and you will be most heartily welcomed by Mrs. Howard and myself.

Very truly yours,

C. O. Howard
May 29th, 1860

U.S.A.
Nov. 8

My dear Mr. Hulbert:

It gives me great pleasure to send you the routes, as requested in your note of Oct. 29th.

With kind regards, yours.

Very truly yours,

E. H. Smith

1st Lt., 9th Inf.

Adm'd.

Lt. A. J. Hulbert.

14th U. S. Inf.

Washington, D.C.
Nov. 12th, J. Alberty.

Nov. 12th, 1862.

Omaha, Neb.

To: The Adjutant-General of the Army of the United States.

In reply to your letter of Oct. 19th, I have forward a copy of your letter to my brother, Capt. Alberty, now assigned as a medical officer in the Army of the United States, and that the officer in command of the detachment received your letter regarding certain of Capt. Alberty's effects, but that he also received requests from the other women.
who claimed to be his wife. He was charged unable to decide again with even his legal representatives to himself in all efforts to a Council of Administration which voided these things to be said at present. This was done to the sum of $600 which they brought over handled into the Treasury by Dr. Lockthorpe. If you desire to get this money you would apply to the 1st Auditor of the Treasury.

Washington D.C.

You must establish the fact that you are dead. Your legal representatives, if there are several heirs, have all must be legally represented. Due to the removal of this body from America to England the cremating at Buenos Iberia by the United States of the Naval thirty and if you were at a hospital place Buenos Iberia and that you would not care to make the change. Please let them know of your wife's death, including his name.

Very truly yours,

E. O. F. Fessell

[Signature]

14th Oct. 1847

[Note]
Nov 2

Dear Brother:

The news of the Saturday meeting is not for me! There is no confi-

dence in the newspapers. The truth with

individuals, & individuals, requiring

economic capital. Princes of kings

with a great ability, spring from

the people. Their mutual power is

set in furtherance of God’s

kingdom. Yet they are ever ready

to the cunning intelligence of the

dreadful to all the world & corners of the

country. An almost simultaneous

knowledge of events, as they occur,

across the realm. Another

power, more direct of the prince,

multi-capital, equally self-seeking.

is rising to withstand & break up

the monopoles, e.g., that of

labour, this is against

and some fairly at work, with

each destruction in its track.

But hope coming from the exception

of the princes to keep them within

bounds, & from the laborers,

that they cannot be fully & long

sustained on this false principle of

supreme selfishness. Their

commsence is good, but their

hated is bad.

Political parties need also try

to show which bears a semblance

this power. This principle, others;

did not tend. I behold in all

the continued strife. Meaning of

climate, workers to a higher go

with them. Our faith led

prope de non, but I do not yet

propage for men, but I thought too
Mrs. Anna C. Bowers
330 Rue St. Fr.

Dear Madame:

Miss Jane King tells me the subject for which you seek information concerning South Carolina Island.

I am forbidden by statute, in order to furnish information from my records in certain contingencies.

Yours truly,

O. O. Howard

Nov 8th

I answer why George asks his discharges. If he now my name by law last noticed giving no other day of his death, I would write that he had done any wrong, ag) now, it was the part of

commanders to play his part, and so perform his life as to secure the highest because promotable.

Commanders at the sign of primes are even genuine repentance. Known if you will communicate with

Commander Balcom. Commanding more distant, he will be gone just what to do. I will be glad to see you here any day, AM,

Go to hear, if you do desire.
Mr. Ball says,
Hartford Life Ins. Co.
Hartford, Conn.

Dear Sir:

I notice that you keep account
Act. on my Quarterly Bills. I have been
here three years at my address in
San Francisco, Cal. 4th floor Palace
Building. Please correct address
accordingly.

I enclosed the
amt. of Quarterly Call, comprehend-
ing, due to March 1st, next yr. $4,522.20

Yours truly,

O. W. Howard
Major General U.S.A.
Nov. 12th

A. E. Olmstead Esq.  
San Francisco, Cal.  

Dear Sir:  

I have heard from Colonel de Mina, once in charge of the City of Mexico. Prof. Hambrauff has now been with him. De Mina's will is found at 927 Market St., in the office of Messrs. Apfelbach.  

He keeps up a correspondence with his father, and I think will have the latest information.  

Very truly yours,  
O. Ottenberg  
Maj. General  

[Signature]

Nov. 12

Mr. H. Appleby  
223 W. 26th Street, New York.  

Dear Madam:  

Your note of 6th just received. Claims for money payed from the U.S. to your husband, Joseph M. Conway, 2nd U.S. Bank, cancelled, receipt to be made to the Second Auditor of the U.S. Treasury, Washington, D.C.  

Largely evidence as to your relationship, which you are requested to act for all his relations, General of Federal Conveyance, permit a family of the Secretary of War, Washington, D.C. to whom you should apply, for aid in obtaining such a conveyance, as to pay his family money due him, from Consul, the folding, etc., brought to obtain, from the County Office, 223 W. 26th Street.  

The several offenses of soldiers are described by the Post. An advertisement in the Evening Post for your returns of Conway, might prevent the wrong. Yours, etc.,  
E. T. Harr. Greble
While I lay for a short time dead, I dreamed. Waking, according to my first and worst wish, the ghost of the man who killed me took shape in a form to render it impossible for people to believe that such a thing could happen. With a coming from a retired army officer, I was led to believe that the people of the people against whom the honourable lady to a woman of the present age,

Fable and of chivalry.

Can hardly be expected to bring reflection or concentration to a cause of good conduct.

Very truly yours,  

O.H.F. Jones  

May Vin. U. S. Army.
HEADQUARTERS DIVISION OF THE PACIFIC,
San Francisco, Cal., Nov. 13th, 1888.

Mrs. S. D. Clendenin,
Fort Ringgold, Texas.

Dear Madam:

Thank you for your kind letter. There is no possible way in which I could help you. After your husband gets here if he will write a letter to the Surgeon General I will forward it. They have taken away the management of the Medical officers from Dept. and Div. Commanders.

Hoping to see the Colonel and yourself on your arrival in San Francisco, I remain

Very truly yours,

[Signature]

Major General U.S. Army.
HEADQUARTERS DIVISION OF THE PACIFIC,
San Francisco, Cal., Nov. 13th, 1888.

Chaplain O J. Nave,
Fort Omaha, Neb.

Dear Sir:-

Enclosed please find a copy of my order.

I do not think it wise to attack customs which are of long standing even when sometimes of doubtful character, by articles in religious papers. Combative statements are calculated often to do more harm than good. In forbidding gambling, I did not in anyway mean to imply that many officers indulged in this vice. But I had reason to know that among the men a few leaders, sometimes in the army and sometimes outside, scooped up their pay and so left them and their families in destitution.

At times when pay has been long delayed in detachments, I have seen the most intense excitement, mutiny and desertion result from gambling.

It is better to have some regulation on the subject so that Courts Martial, Post Commanders and others can have something to guide them. I like articles that are cheerful, hearty, hopeful and happifying. Graphic descriptions and portraits of real life and the evolution of strong characters will be most read and do most good.

Sincerely yours,

O. O. Howard
Major General, Retired
HEADQUARTERS DIVISION OF THE PACIFIC,
San Francisco, Cal., Nov. 13th, 1883.

N. P. Chipman Esq.,
Red Bluff, Cal.

My dear Sir:—

I remember you very well and am always glad to see you. The application for the appointment of Chaplains should go through some political source and be presented directly to the Secretary of War or the President.

Congratulating you upon the happy result of this last political campaign, I remain

Sincerely your friend,

[Signature]

Major General U.S. Army.
HEADQUARTERS DIVISION OF THE PACIFIC,
San Francisco, Cal., Nov. 13th, 1888.

George W. Norris Esq,
Indian Agent, Nez Perce Agency,
Idaho T’y.

Dear Sir:-

I think the best way is for you to send Capt John’s claim to the Commissioner of Indian Affairs with a request that he present it to the proper tribunal for consideration.

It would have been settled at the time if it had been presented to my quartermaster, but who will attend to it now I cannot say.

For fear of accident I would have three or four copies made.

Very truly yours,

O. O. Howard

Major General U.S. Army,
Commanding.
HEADQUARTERS DIVISION OF THE PACIFIC,

San Francisco, Cal. Nov. 13th, 1898.

Hon. Thomas B. Reed,

San Francisco, Cal.

Dear Sirs-

Dear Mr. Reed:-

I do not think it wise to attempt customs which are of long standing and are on the same as those of General Baird, except that I received my tender of decoration from the President of the French Republic in 1884.

I wrote to Senator Frye when I saw that General Baird's case was pending and hoped that he would simply add my name to the bill but he did not.

Will you kindly have some one in the House introduce a personal bill for me modeled after that of General Baird's. I heard that Senator Edmunds had opposed my receiving the decoration and hence the matter was squelched in the Senate.

It was mortifying to me and my friends in France who had interested themselves to do our Country an honor and show their good will.

Sincerely your friend,

O. C. Howard,

Major General U.S. Army.

Sincerely yours,
HEADQUARTERS DIVISION OF THE PACIFIC,
San Francisco, Cal., Nov. 13th, 1888.

Colonel W. E. Smedberg,
No. 316, California St.
San Francisco, Cal.

Dear Colonel:

I shall be detained to night I fear beyond the hour when the ladies of the Women's Relief Corps wished me to put in an appearance at the Carnival. Will you kindly explain this detention, and that I exceedingly regret it on my own account as well as theirs, for it gives me pleasure and does me honor to be connected with their noble charities. It is a personal satisfaction to feel that the family of every worthy soldier can be so thoroughly looked after and provided for when old age or infirmity comes to render it impossible for him to give a reasonable support to those for whom he is responsible.

I am rejoiced to know that the Relief Corps has the land, and will soon have a home for the widows and the orphan children of soldiers who have not yet been properly provided for.

Accept my warm endorsement of the work they are doing and the grand work they propose to themselves.

Sincerely yours,

O. O. Howard

Major General, U. S. A.
November 14th

Surgm. E. J. Bailey
6th Medical Director
Division of the Pacific

My dear Sir,

The day has arrived for
your retirement according to law.

You cannot realize what a decided
satisfaction it has been to me in our
many years of service together to have beg
you for the Medical Director.

Honesty, justice, fidelity to duty and
loyalty to me as your Commander were
always your well known and undisputed
characteristics. If in the future it
shall fall in my power to add to your
life's pleasure you can rely upon me,
leaving God's blessing for you

I am faithfully your friend.

[Signature]

May 11th
November 15th,

Mrs. Ninetta Bames,
320 Pine St.
San Francisco, Cal.

Dear Madam—

General Howard directs me to acknowledge your note of the 14th inst., and to inform you that Captain B. West, 4th California Vol. Infantry, in command of Company "C" of his Regiment, took possession on behalf of the U.S. of Santa Catalina Island, Cala., under date of January 2nd, 1884. It is believed that no buildings were erected by the U.S. on the Island. The garrison as aforementioned, under Captain West, remained until September 1884, when it was withdrawn to Fort Barracks, Cala., and Santa Catalina Island abandoned by the Military Authorities.

Very truly yours,

1st Lieut. 2d Artillery.

O. T. Howard
Major General

Wm. M. Anderson. Hopkins Academy, Oakland, Cal.

On account of sudden orders elsewhere, do not expect me tonight.

O. T. Howard
Major General
HEADQUARTERS DIVISION OF THE PACIFIC,
San Francisco, Cala., November 16th, 1888.

1st Lieut. Gilbert A. Cotton,
1st U.S. Artillery,
Recruiting Officer Presidio SW.

Sir:-

The Division Commander directs me to call your attention to Par. 757, R.A.R. 1881, which seems to be authority enough for the enlistment of John M. Moran, who has thirteen years honorable service, if he can pass the necessary physical examination.

If further authority is required the same will be asked from the Adjutant General of the Army by telegraph on your application to these Headquarters.

Very respectfully your obdt. servant,

[Signature]
1st Lieutenant 2nd Artillery,
Aide-de-Camp.
Nov 16th

Mrs. B. L. Cof.

Ben. Franklin, Esq.

Dear Madam,

Said Marshall directs me to acknowledge your note. I say that in the hurry of his departure for the East it will be impossible to comply
with your request.

Yours truly,

D. W. Brooke
To whom it may concern:

This is to certify that the

[Signature]

[Name]

[Date]
Adjutant General
U.S. Army
Washington D.C.

General:

As Lieut. Frank J. Rice—
The 1st Artillery is about to leave the service by retirement, permit me to say a few words concerning his military career.

For nearly three years I have resided near him at Fort Mason. During that time he has been the Post Quartermaster & Post Commissary, and has also attended to all other duty required of him as a battery officer, until lately, when he was forced to give up the target practice in consequence of the trouble with his eyes. Lieut. Rice is
a man of succeeding capability, good to
plan, and prompt & thorough to execute. He
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in his regard as a duty officer
in personal character & habits he
is an exceptional, fully worthy
of the esteem which he enjoys among
his acquaintance. At Münster gain in
a special satisfaction to commend
his clear mind to you & to bespeak
for him most kindly favor.

Very respectfully yours

O. H. Hazard
Major General
Commanding General's Office.

Fort Mason, Black Point.
San Francisco, Cal. Nov. 17, 1880.

Adjutant General,
U. S. Army,
Washington, D. C.

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to execute. He justly has a high reputation.
as a duty officer in his regiment. In personal character & habits he is unexceptional, fully worthy of the esteem which he everywhere enjoys among his acquaintance. It therefore gives me a special satisfaction to commend his clear record to you, and to bespeak for him most kindly favor.

Very respectfully your obedient servant.

O.O. Howard
Major General
U.S. Army.
Dear Miss Harbin:

I enclose you the amount that I have got out owed toward the Pamulco fund, namely $60.50.

Meeting you and the Pamulco stores some more of the Duval's blessing.

I remain Very truly yours

O.O. Sherward

May 4th

San Francisco, Cal.

Nov 22 1861

To Miss Sarah D. Harbin
1606 Van Ness, Ind.
Nov 22

Dear General:

Thank you heartily for your appreciation letter. I have been much pleased with your complete and courageous administration at the Presidio.

With Sincerest regard. I remain Your truly,

O.O. Howard

To Gen. Geo. B. Thomas
Art. Presidio, Cal.
To Captain M. P. Starring
3rd Artillery
Transcontinental

Please give me by mail full list
of injuries to the pieces during the
bombing contest.

Duly
2d Col 12th
THE WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH COMPANY.

ALL MESSAGES TAKEN BY THIS COMPANY SUBJECT TO THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

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A. H. BREWER, Secretary.

FINANCIAL BUSINESS.

Jan 27th 88

Major John J. Ames
Benicia Arsenal, Cal.

Cannot finish today. Hope to get home Saturday night.

J. C. Ayres.