

Private

Portland, Maine

August 14. 1866

Dear General -

I know you are much perplexed at this time by your personal affairs, to say nothing of the cares and worry of your official duties - but I trust to your wonderful good nature when I make the following request.

My brother Bt. Maj. W. W. Deane, who is now Asst. Adj. Gen. with Tillson wants a Captaincy in the Regular Army - He has many good recommendations in his behalf, your own in the number - These I have written a friend in the

P.S. I send you a copy of this
day's Press which makes a very kind
mention of its regrets over the current
rumor touching the Bazaar -
Ld.

Office
 Patent, to take from our
 safe and mail to you,
 as Tillson tells me he
 thinks they should be filed
 as soon as may be in
 the War Office.

Will you be so kind
 as to send them forward
 to their proper destina-
 tion -

I expect to return
 to W. by the 28th inst.
 and shall take an early
 opportunity to see you
 & explain more fully why
 I thus again ask favor
 at your hand.

Very truly yours
 L. Deane

May Gen O. O. Howard.

Washington,
 D.C.

Portland Maine
August 14th 1866

Dear L

Wishes Concerning
his brother's appointment to
a Captaincy in the Reg. Army.

Yours Truly
Wm. D. Howard

Recd Aug 18th 1866

Worcester Aug 14, 1866
 May, Gen. A. O. Howard

Dear Sir,

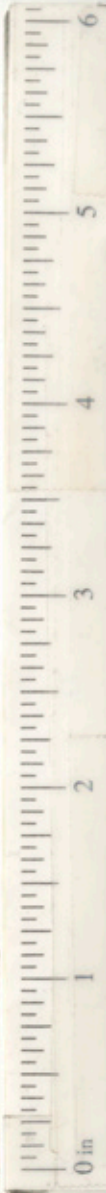
Our Young
 Men's Christian Association
 propose to have a course
 of lectures in this city the
 coming season, upon subjects
 of interest to the public,
 and appropriate to our Asso.

My object in writing
 you at this time, is to ask
 you if agreeable to you, to
 give one of the lectures, upon
 matters of public interest
 connected with your Freedom's
 Bureau. We think our people
 would be glad to hear you
 on such matters. Hoping to have
 a favorable reply I remain
 yours &c.

A. L. Burbank
 ch. Lecture Com.



My dear Mr. Garrison
 Dear Sir,
 I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 14th inst. in relation to the proposed publication of a new edition of the "Liberator." I am very glad to hear that you are so interested in the cause of the colored people, and I am sure that your efforts will be successful. I have no objection to your publishing the "Liberator" as often as you may think proper, and I am sure that it will be very useful to the cause. I am, Sir, very respectfully,
 Yours truly,
 Wm. Lloyd Garrison



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Baltimore -

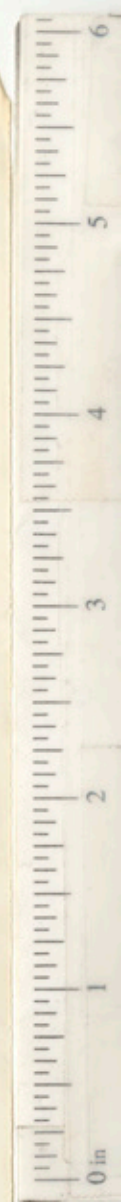
My dear General

These letters explain
themselves. I wish you
would write me such a
letter as will convince
what they fear North. & I
will send it & publish it
It won't do to let the con-
tributions fall off -

I had a long talk with
Mr Stanton. Happy am I
that one man at Washington

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May 11 1854

My dear General,
I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 10th inst. & in reply to inform you that the same has been forwarded to the proper authorities for their consideration. I am, Sir, very respectfully,
Yours, &c.



has not bowed the knee to
Baal, & with curse ⁷⁵ though
commanded by the King, the
"Bois cals". Yours truly
Hugh L. Hunt

Wm. G. Furl
C. & Howard.

Baltimore, Md.

Aug. 14th 1864

Sir -

Enclosed letter -

Enclosed letter from
Rev. Dr. Syman Abbott -

Yours truly

Rev. Dr. Syman Abbott

Head-Quarters, District of Alabama.

OFFICE INSPECTOR GENERAL.

Montgomery, Ala., Aug 14 1861

Captain

I have just received a letter from Gen Swayne who wishes me to say to you that he filed a strong recommendation for your appointment to a position in one of the V. R. C. regiments, while he was in Washington.

The order concerning the Court for the trial of O'Leary has just arrived and you are not on the Court. I have therefore forwarded your application with a recommendation that the leave be granted.

Yours truly
C. Cadogan

Apt J. H. Whitney
Mobile Ala

Madame de Sta

August 14th 1766.

Dear Sir,

Write concerning the
Expenditure of 2000 £. of the
Ac. for the year 1766.



Phila Aug 14/66

Dear Otis

I hand you
draft for \$702.⁸⁵ in full
for monies of yours in
my hands

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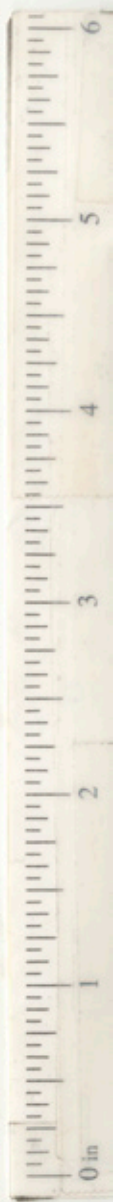
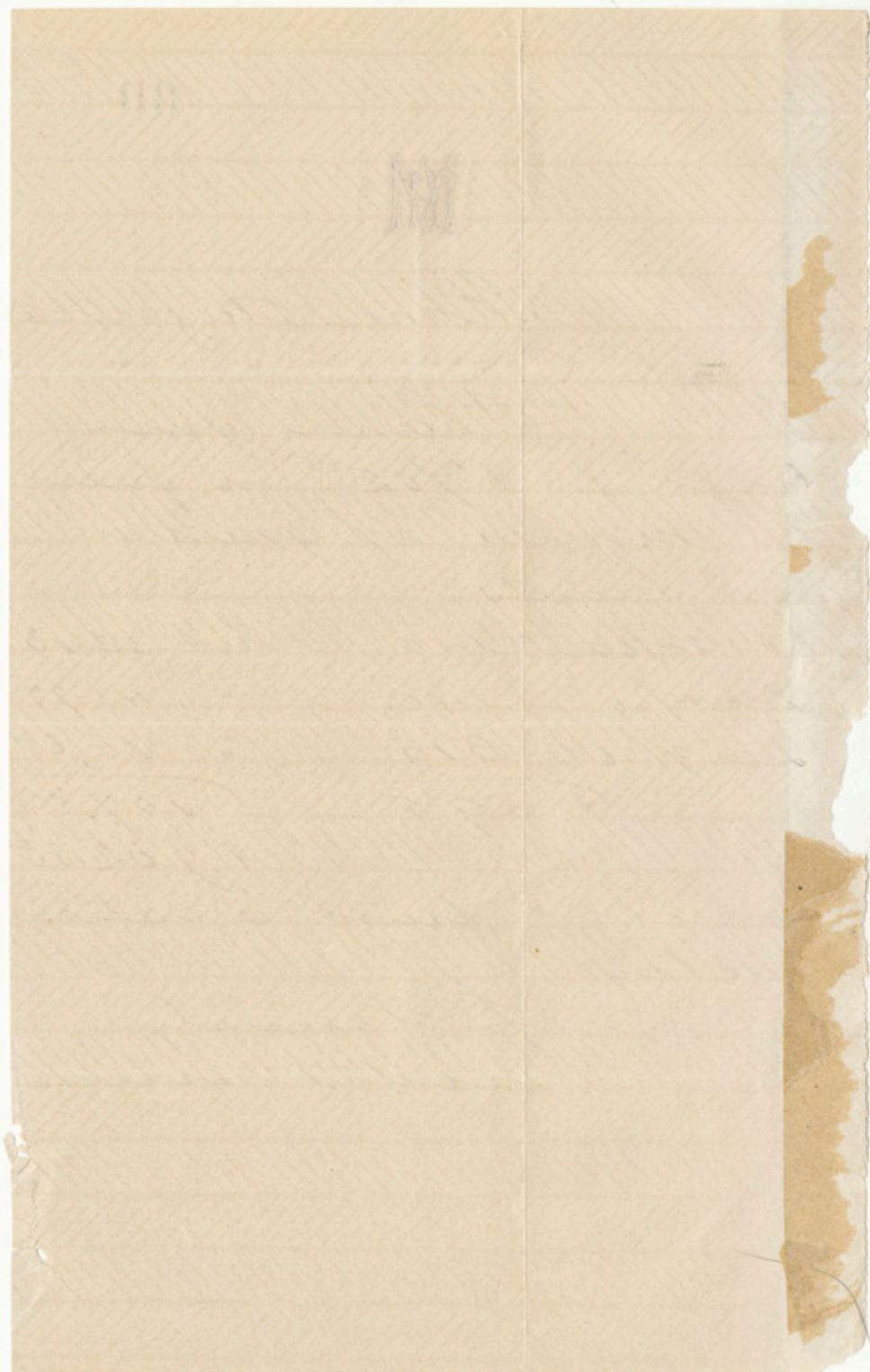
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factory

Yr Sincerely
W. S. Merrick



Jefferson Ashtatuta Co Ohio
 Aug 15th 1866
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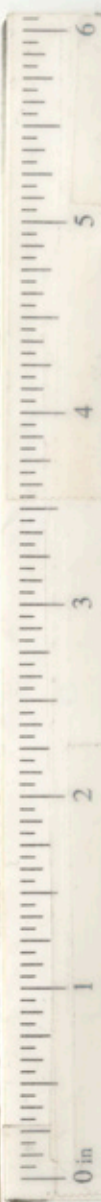
My Dear Genl

I write to
 ask if you obtained my
 detail in the Freedmans
 Bureau. At the time I
 left Washington you
 had not seen Genl Grant
 but expected to see him
 next day and have me
 detailed. I am ready
 at any time to report
 to you for duty and
 hope the necessary orders
 have been obtained.

I am here
 for a few day with
 General Wade who asks
 to be remembered to

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Jefferson
Aug 18 1800



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you. If you will
be so good as to write
me here at once I will
be able to get your
letter before leaving
hoping to hear from
you I am General
Very Respectfully
Yours
W. S. Bristin
1st Col U.S.A.

My dear
Ottawa

P.S. We are
having a good deal of political
excitement. The people are
jealous and anxious
their future is indeed
gloomy and uncertain

Jefferson, Ashland Co.

Ohio

Aug. 15th 1866

Birch. J. A.

Wishes to
be detailed in
this Bureau -

Recd. Aug. 17th 1866

Pay Dept. U.S.A.,
Washington, D.C.

Aug. 15th 1866

General:

Dear Sir and Brother

I learn that there are many soldiers of the 12th U.S.I., stationed in Barracks near the Capitol, who are anxious to join Howard Division, Sons of Temperance, but cannot do so, as they cannot obtain passes from their Commanding Officer to visit the City after nightfall.

Our Order has done much for the soldiers, and when the Hospitals were full and the Ports surrounding Washington were filled with them, we established Divisions among them and redeemed many of them; and when they went to their homes, they went better men

and carried with them the principles of Temperance. Many of them have started societies of their own, and thus the good seed, heretofore sown by us in this city, has spread and taken root in other places.

To no class is total abstinence more beneficial than to the soldier, - this you will know as I have no doubt, and my experience in the Army has convinced me of this truth. I think a soldier who is a son of Temperance may be trusted anywhere by his commanding officer, and especially so I think that he might be trusted to go from his Barracks to attend to his Division once a week.

A soldier is deprived of many social privileges, and of that

softening and ennobling influence
of which a true woman carries
with her in all good society.

In a Division, and especially
in our Division, he may have
all these privileges, and the benefit
of all this influence; and I think
any soldier who has the privilege
of coming to our Division once a
week, and after he has been
there once or twice, will be so pleased
with the Division, that he will be
careful not to abuse his privilege,
and will, I think, become a
better soldier, if not a better man.

General, cannot you, by virtue
of the high and honorable position
you hold, influence the com-
mander of the 12th to let such as
wish to join us, have passes to do
so? Say to him, "try them, and if
they abuse the privilege, then

we will not blame you if you
deprive them of the privilege."

By getting one soldier, we
may get them all, and perhaps
may save some.

It will do no harm to try.

I have the honor to be

Sincerely, yours—

For aternally,

H. A. Dobson. W. D.

Honored Division,

No. 11 Sons of Duty.

Maj Genl O. O. Howard

Comm Freedman's Bureau

Cor 19 + I.

Washington, D.C.

Wenham, Mass.
Aug. 13. 1866.

My dear Howard

News of the 18th July has been on hand some time. We are very much rejoiced at the prospect of a lecture fr. you - & of the visit too - fr. wh. I promise myself much pleasure.

I write now to ask if you can fix an evig for the lecture - as we want to get out our tickets, handbills &c - or at least get ready for them.

Ans. B. Gough lectures for us Friday evig, Jan'y 11th; & if you too can designate your evig. I shall be greatly obliged.

I hope you are enjoying good health - & a contented mind - in the midst of yr. hard work this hot weather -

Very truly yr friend & classmate

S S Sewall

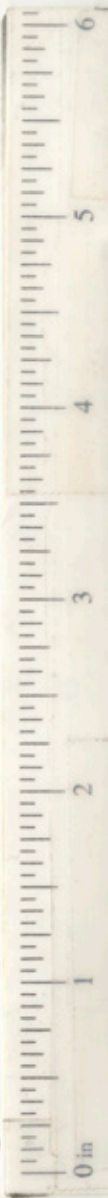
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Small, J. J.

Concerning
Debate.

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Petham N. H. Aug 15. 66

Maj. Gen. Howard

Enclosed find
\$33.00 the contribution of the
Cong. Ch. in this place for
the building of a Cong. Ch.
in Washington City. If you
can conveniently will you
inform us of the receipt
of this.

Yours &c
Augustus Berry
Pastor of Ch.

Pelham N. H.,
Aug. 15th 1866.

Bury. Augustus

Encloses contri-
bution for Cong.
Church.

Recd. Aug. 18th 1866