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~~United States Sanitary Commission.~~

American Freedmans Union Commission,

No. 76 John Street.— P. O. Box 5,733.

LYMAN ABBOTT, Gen. Sec.

J. M. McKIM, Cor. Sec.

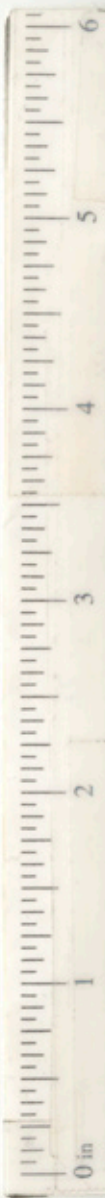
New York, Oct 4th 1864

Major Gen. O. O. Howard
 Bureau of Freedmen &
 My dear sir

This Commission
 has received £ 150 from Eng:
 land at present about \$1,000
 in our currency to be expended
 in the purchase of homesteads
 for Freedmen, under the
 Homestead Law.

At our meeting
 next week in Baltimore our
 Board will determine in
 what way or through what
 channel they will apply this
 money to its purpose; mean
 while allow me to ask

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for counsel in the matter.
 Perhaps the Bureau through
 Mr. Alvord and the Trust
 Company could make a
 judicious expenditure of
 it.

a line in reply will
 oblige

Yours truly

J. M. McKim

Cor. Sec. A. T. N. C.

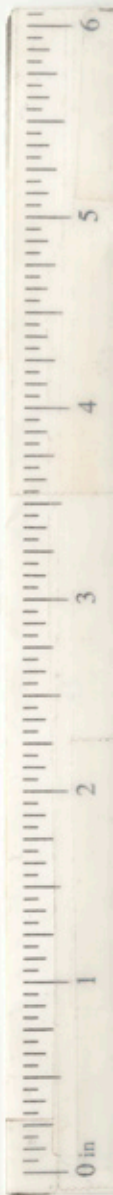
New York Oct. 4th. 1866

McKim, Esq.

Asks for counsel as
to how money shall be
disposed of that has been
contributed in Eng. for
the purchase of home-
steads for freed men.

Delegated from the
for the - other out in
settle under homestead
laws - hold as fund
for defraying -
Asks - launch held -
attained more land - ex-
good will assist in
defraying homesteads - Bank
in good -

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Memorandum. Oct 14. 1882

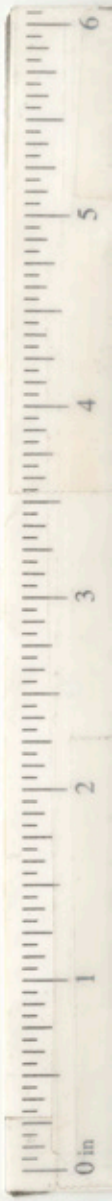
John. Marshall

Persons known of
land. Howard will believe.

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(Unofficial.)

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Headquarters, District of Alabama,

Montgomery, Ala., Oct. 4. 1866.

Major General O. O. Howard
Commissioner of
Washington D. C.

General

Yesterday Col. Beecher received a note from Col. Balloch, saying that hereafter express permission from yourself would be required in each instance where an officer is retained in service after muster out.

There is but one agent in this State who is amenable to this ruling, Bot. Capt. J. F. McGee. He was an officer in a Colored Regiment, and came with me from Mobile to Montgomery. He has been with me ever since, and having been uniformly

honest, Energetic, Sensible and good tempered
I regard him with affection and reliance, and
would be glad to keep him. I send you herewith
a formal application for endorsement. He is
now Superintendent at Greenville. I am
General,

Very respectfully
Your obedient servant
Wager Swayne
Maj: Gen. &
Asst. Commr.

Beloit Wis.

Oct 4 1866

Dear Cousin

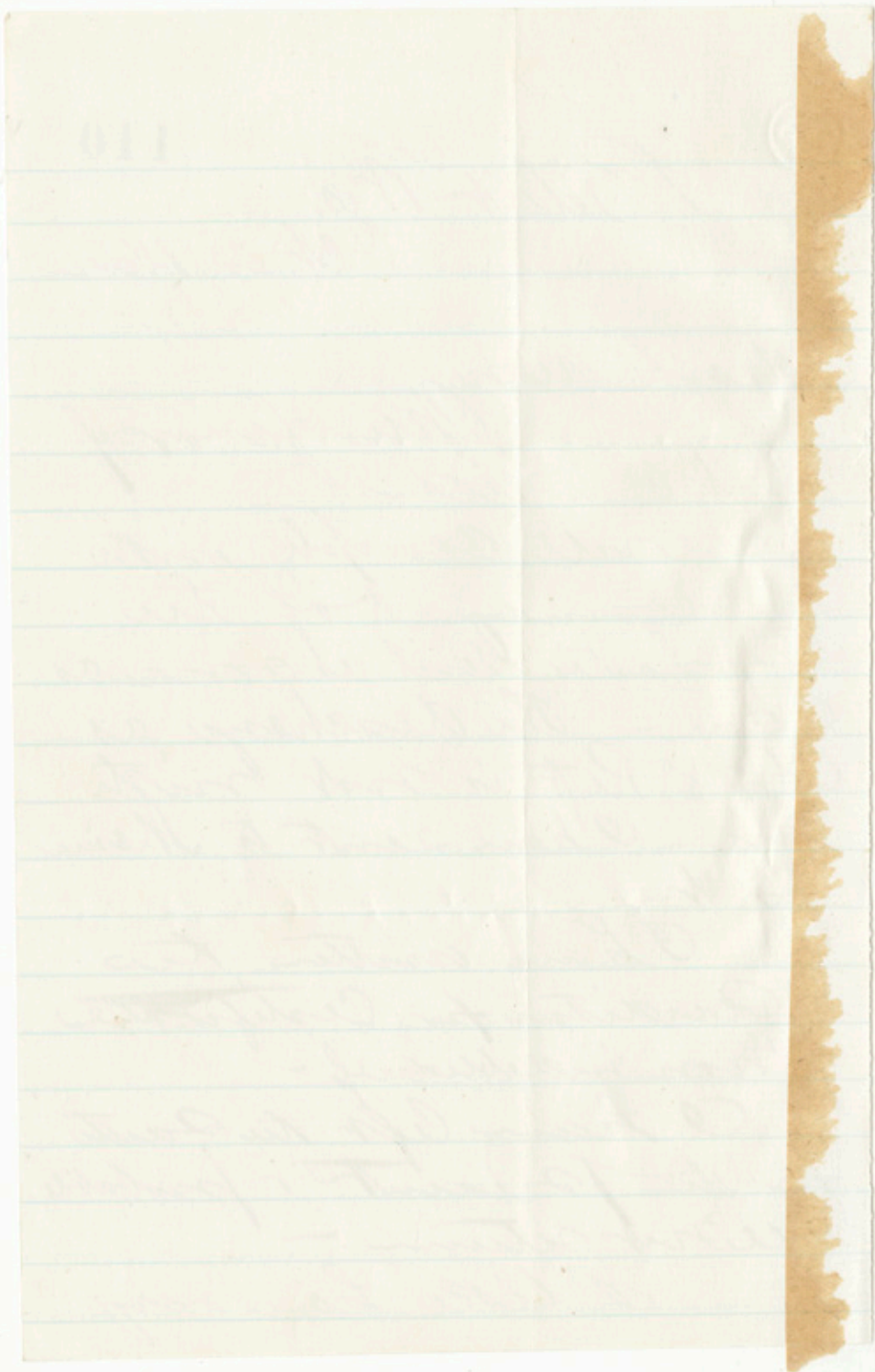
Your favor of
Sept 6th is recd -

I will comply with
the requirement of the
Paymaster Genl as soon as
I can - The discharge as
Cd 28th Regt is not with
me - I have sent to Maine
for it -

I have written the
2^d Auditor for Certificate
of non indebtedness -

I have left the South
for the present & probably
will not return -

I like her very



well -

The State of Society
at the South did not suit
me - & I got tired of having
my stock stolen & being
obliged to guard such property
rights -

I wish a not little way are
quite well -

Hope you & family are
well.

The people seem to fear
you may be removed

I sincerely hope the Johnson
Age will not reach you

Your Affectionate Cousin
S. W. Woodman

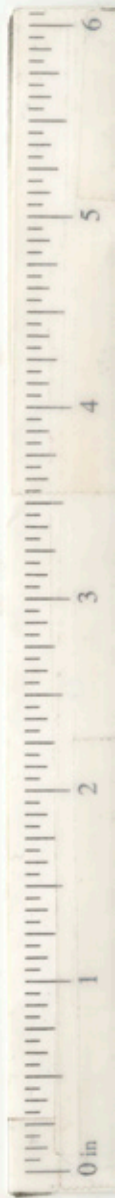
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Woodman. Esq.,

Friendly letter -

Recd. Oct 9^d. 1866



"He that Winneth souls is wise."

YOUNG MEN'S **112**
Christian Association,
OF WORCESTER,
Room, No. 7 Mechanics Hall Building.

Young men coming to the city will find a pleasant Reading Room, open day and evening, and may obtain reliable information and assistance concerning places of business, boarding houses, etc.

This Association earnestly invite the co-operation of all persons interested in its objects.

Prayer Meeting every Tuesday Evening at 8 o'clock.

Young Brother, come with us and we will do you good.

If your official

President—A. L. BURBANK, 205 Main Street.
Vice-President—H. M. WHEELER, 100 Main Street.
Secretary—J. Q. ADAMS, at I. Washburn & Moen's, Grove St.
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D. F. Houghton, <i>M. St. Bap.</i> “	

Troy, N.Y. Oct 5 1866

Major Gene Howard
Washington D C

Dear Sir

If your official
duties will allow you to make
any lecture engagements this winter
I should be pleased to have you
name subject terms & time most
convenient — We prefer Tuesday
eve & our season is Dec Jan'y
& Feby. An early answer respectfully
requested

Yours truly

James W Greene Secy

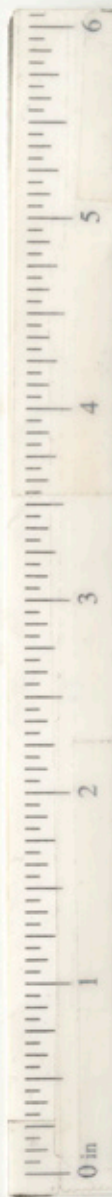
Troy Young Men's Literary Association

Long, N.Y. Oct 5th 1844.

Greene, James H.

Visits Mr. Sheward
to lecture.

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Oct. 5th '66
Gettysville, Pa.

O. O. Howard, Esq.,

Dear Sir,

\$1.00 I feel pretty poor
this season but want one
brick in the new Congrega-
tional Church at
Washington & trust this
one dollar will reach
you safely - Yours very
truly for the sight

H. B. Balch

Box 20

Gettysville
Crawf. Co
Pa.

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- bricks
- of Wash^{ton}

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Washington D C
Oct 5th 1866

Gen O O Howard
Washington DC

Dear General

I am now a resident of this city I am Chief Clerk of the Patent Office where I may be found daily from 9 A M to 3 P M, - My residence at no 590 7th Street on the Island where if you would call you would find some old friends in Mrs Stone little Emma and myself I have been very busy during business hours and could not call upon you then, and after that time did not know where to find you

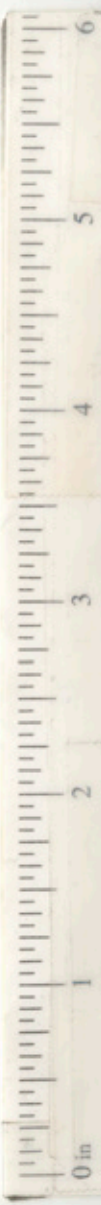
We must see you - we can't wait much longer

Yours D D A. M. Stout
Capt of the 4th A C

Mr. J. C. ...
Oct 14/00

Dear Sir,
I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 10th inst.

and in reply to inform you that the same has been forwarded to the proper authorities for their consideration. I am, Sir, very respectfully,
Yours very truly,
J. C. ...



Youngstown O. Oct 6th 1866
Genl. O O Howard.
Washington D.C.

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Dear Sir

Your communication of 13th Sept recd. We have fixed your time in accordance with your letter for 14th February 1867. Will you please inform us of your Subject in time to announce it. We understand your terms to be \$100 & expenses from last place of lecture.

Yours Truly

Wm Leslie

Cor Secy J. B. L. A.

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Headquarters, District of Alabama,

Montgomery, Ala., Oct. 6 - 1866.

My dear General

I am glad you did not let a mistaken delicacy keep back your note of 30th ult. It was received last night, and seemed a welcome opportunity, for I think that church will be at least a memorial of you. Enclosed I send you Josiah Morris & Co's Check on New York for two hundred dollars, as a free will offering.

Affectionately and respectfully yours
Wager Swayne

Maj. Gen. O. O. Howard

Washington D.C.

Headquarters, District of Alabama.

Montgomery, Ala. Oct. 6. 1860

My dear General

I am glad you did not
miss the meeting last night and
got the letter received last night and
arrived in Alabama yesterday. I think that
church will be at least a number of you. I
also I am glad to hear of the
work for the church. I am very
sincerely yours

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Very respectfully,
Wm. A. Brown
Atty. Gen. D. C. Howard
Washington D. C.

Boxes of Clothing should be marked "NORTHWESTERN FREEDMEN'S AID COMMISSION, 109 Monroe St., Chicago, Ills." The name of the place from which each box comes, should be plainly marked upon it. Duplicate invoices of contents should be made—one copy to be placed in the box, and the other to be sent by mail to "Rev. J. R. SHEPHERD, Cor. Sec., P. O. Box, 2747, Chicago, Ill." All Moneys and ALL Correspondence should be addressed to the Corresponding Secretary as above.

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Northwestern Freedmen's Aid Commission,

Rev. R. W. PATTERSON, D. D. President.)
Rev. J. R. SHEPHERD, Cor. Sec'y.)
R. B. MASON, Esq., Treasurer.)

Rooms, 109 Monroe Street,

Chicago, Oct 6th 1865.

General:

Rev J. E. Roy, Agent of the Am. Home Missⁿ Socy, has been directed by Dr. Badger to make a thorough exploration of the Southern States, Eastward & Westward.

An endorsement from your office would be of service to him in a general way. He does not ask more than a simple credential.

If it is directed to the care of Gen. Fisk at Nashville, he will find it there about two days hence.

Very truly

J. R. Shepherd.

Bluecap, Oct. 1864

Richard, Jr.

Advised letter of
introduction to officers
of the Bureau of
Gen. S. P. Ray, Capt.
of Am. Home Miss. Socy.

C. B. A. 258.

