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Private.

2^d. Aug. '67

My dear General:

Have you determined, in regard to the duty for my brother, (Bvt. Lt. Col A. D. Vincent 2^d. U. S. Artillery) of which we have spoken?

He does not want disturbing duty, & for the reasons I gave you, I want him, for a time, in this City, so that I can have him under my eye.

I wish to have his mind occupied, & in case you do not want him, to arrange elsewhere. He is very capable for

Private.

23. Aug. '67

Washington D.C. 21

My dear General:

You are not without disbursements
for the season & have
I want to have his account
of what
have spoken?

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office duty, as shown by
important services rendered
in Arkansas during war
& in disbanded Army - all
under my branch of the
A. G. O. —

Yours very truly
Thomas Vincent

Mr. Gen O O Howard
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Washington D.C.

August 2, 1864

Vincent Thomas

Desires to know whether Gen,
Howard has determined with
regard to the duty for his
brother

For O. O. Howard

No. Aug 2-1867.

Maj. Gen. O.O. Howard.

My Dear General.

I cannot believe for a moment that you permitted my private ^{letter} to be seen by others. The kindness of your letter of July 27- is all that I can ask. It is sufficient. Naturally there is a breach between Gen. Howe & myself; but time will teach him that I am his friend; & that Col De Gress is neither his friend, nor yours, nor mine. Where the matter may rest, The Lord reigns & all things will come to pass according to his will.

Col Hetchum is an admirable gentleman. All who met him, love him. He has done one good man to the Bureau - Capt Armstrong. He asked me once, "Is the Bureau sufficiently radical?" The question startled me. There is much

in it. General, but few of the pariaagents
are with the Republican party.

Command my services general, at any
time. God bless you!

Yours truly,
J. P. Newman

New Orleans La
Aug. 2nd 1867

Newman J. P.

States that he cannot
believe for a moment
that General Howard
permitted his private
letter to be seen of others.
States also that the Standard
of Genl. Howard's letter of
July 27th is all that he
can see. Speaks in high
terms of Col. Hitchum—

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August 2nd 1867

Genl. O. O. Howard

Sir

you are respectfully invited to address the Lincoln Radical Republican Laboring Mens association on Wednesday evening August 7th at the Union Bethel Church on M St bet 13 & 16th St

By Request of the Executive Committee

J H Jackson

Chair Man

W L Swanson

Corresponding Secretary

Washington D.C.

Aug. 3rd 1867

Jackson D.D.

Friend Gen. Howard

to address the Lincoln
Radical Reforming Men's
Association, Wednesday
Eve. Aug. 7th 1867 at
Union Bethel Church in
W. M. Col. 15th & 16th Sts.

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Worcester, Vermont.

Aug. 2 - 1864.

Yrs. C. C. Howard, 21

Dear Sir, I received your circular recently, requesting two dollars from each Cong. chh. and Sab. sch. To aid in finishing the Cong. chh. at Washington.

We are a very small Mission, my chh. among the hills of Vt. But the Sab. sch. voted two dollars, and the rest is made up by two or three individuals. I enclose your two dollars, with the earnest hope that others will contribute according to their ability, that your house may be completed.

Yours very truly,

David Perry, pastor.

Worcester, Vermont
 Aug. 2, 1847.
 Mr. G. S. Johnson
 Danville, Vt.
 I have the honor to acknowledge
 the receipt of your letter of the
 28th inst. in relation to the
 purchase of a lot of land
 in the town of Danville, Vt.
 and in reply to inform you
 that the same has been
 purchased for the sum of
 \$1000.00 and the deed
 is now in the hands of
 the proper authorities
 for recording. I am,
 Sir, very respectfully,
 Yours,
 G. S. Johnson



Wellfleet Mass. Aug 2. 1867
O. O. Howard Maj. Gen. - U.S.A.
Dear Sir

I am in receipt
of your's dated June 10.th and
will do what I can to secure
a contribution for your enter-
prise, from the church and
Sabbath School here. Permit
me to express my personal
interest in the matter by
enclosing five dollars out of
a minister's income to help
on the good cause. If I
should ever be permitted to
visit Washington, again, it
will be pleasant for me to
think that I have given my

mite towards the building
of a temple, which I believe
will be the center of a religious
influence that will bless the
country and the world.

Permit me also to
express my personal regard
towards yourself; because of
your devotion to the cause
of our country in the hour
of her peril, and because
you did not hesitate when
sacrifice was needed to de-
fend her from her enemies.

That God may bless you
in the enterprise in which
you are engaged, and reward
you abundantly, with full
measures of his own love -
is the sincere prayer of

Yours respectfully
Geo. F. Walker -

Oberlin O Aug 2 1867.

Maj Gen O.C. Howard

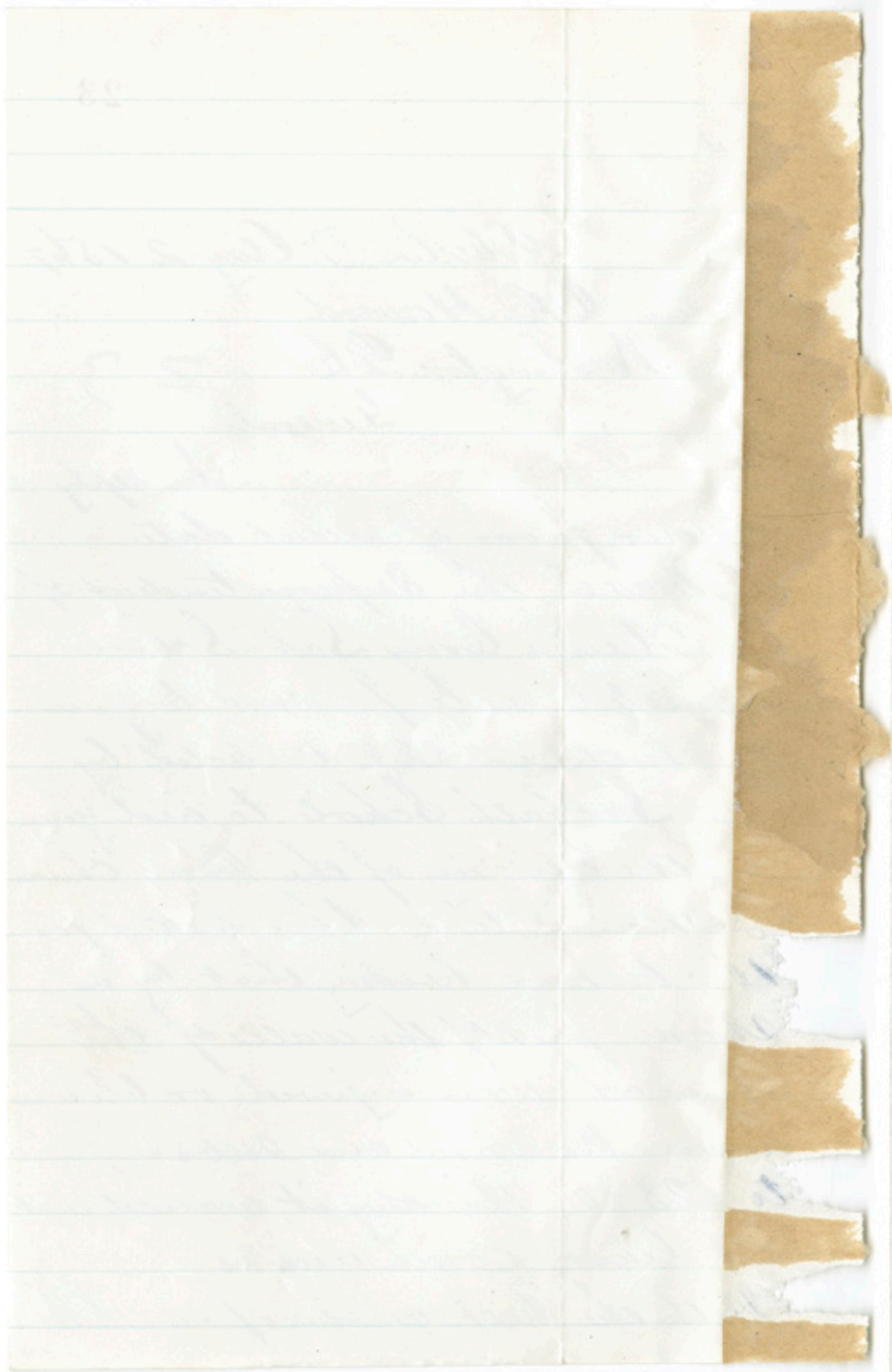
Washington D.C.

General.

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In reply
to your favor of recent date -
Mr Marsh the Superintendent of
the Oberlin Cong Sat School
requested me to forward to you
the enclosed \$25. Collected by
our Sabbath School to aid you
in the building of the Cong Church
in Washington. You asked for
10. but we hearing that by a
storm part of the walls of the
Church were injured or blown
down We raised our subscription
to \$25.00, thinking it would not
at least come amiss.

With the best wishes of our S S



for your success in the glorious
our work.

I have the honor to be
Most respectfully
Yours Obedt Servt
A. B. Titels.

Oberlin Ohio
Aug. 2nd 1867

Fitch A.B.

Encloses \$25,00
donated by the Oberlin
Cong. S. School to the
Cong. Church Wash. D.C.

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North Wilmington Mass. Aug. 3^d

Dear Sir,

Your letter was duly received by the Superintendent of our Sabbath School, and the School have voted to contribute ten dollars (\$10.00) to aid in building the Church at Washington.

Enclosed please find the money and hoping you may succeed in your undertaking, I remain,

Yours Truly,

Sylvester Carter Jr.

Secy & Treas. of Wilmington S. School,

Maj. Gen. C. C. Howard.

Chairman of Building Committee.

Washington.

D. C.

North Wilmington, Mass.
Aug. 3rd 1867

Carter, Sylvester

Encloses \$10.
donated by their
Sabbath School to
the 1st Cong. Ch.
Wash. D.C.

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Durham N.H.

Aug. 3. 1867

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Maj. Gen. O. O. Howard,
Dear Sir, 24

I enclose
ten dollars for the
Congregational Church
in Washington, D.C.

It is from our Sabbath
School and two individu-
als.

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One of the individu-
als suggested that there is
a common expenditure
in Church building. Is
that, in your case, your
article in the Congregational Re-
corder of this week replies.

May I suggest that,

Whenever it is practi-
cable, our Houses of
worship ought to be built
so that the seats shall
be free alike to all.

This, I think, is a great
reform needed in the ar-
rangements for the public
worship of God. The rich
and poor should meet to-
gether before the great Fa-
ther of all on equal grounds
of privilege.

Yours very truly,
Alvan Sobey

Julian Mich Aug 27
 Maj Genl W. Howard
 Ch. Surg Com. 27

Dear Genl

Enclosed herewith
 find draft W. H. Stone & Co on
 the Peoples Bank N.Y. for
 Ten Dollars, which is the sub-
 -scription of Plymouth S. School
 of this city in compliance with
 your request of June 10th

God bless you in your work
 and will be our earnest prayer

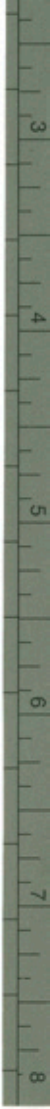
Yours in Christ

James H. Cole
 Asst. Surg. P. S. S.

and late Maj 4th Mich. V. Infy

P. S.
 Please ack receipts, as it will
 afford me great pleasure to add your
 signature to my collection of Army Autographs

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No Weymouth Mass. Aug 3/67

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Gen O. O. Howard

Dear Sir

Enclosed please
find Seventeen dollars eighty five cts
(\$17.85) the amount contributed by the
First Church & Sabbath School of
Weymouth Mass, for your new
Church at Washington,

Please acknowledge

receipt, & oblige

yours truly

J. D. Wildes.

Treas^r & Sec^y of Sabbath School

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North Weymouth, Mass

Wilder J. D.

Encloses \$17,85
Contributed by the
Cong. Church and
S. School, to the Cong
Church Wash. D.C.

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Campton N. H. Aug. 3, 1867.

Gen. O. O. Howard Dear Sir,

Enclosed send
you ten dollars, contributed by the Congrega-
tional Sab. school in Campton, for the erection
of the Congregational Church in Washington.
Please send a receipt.

C. M. Bartlett Treas.

Campton N. H.
75 Aug. 3^d 1867

Bartlett Co. N.

Encloses \$10. donated
by the Cong. S. School
of Campton, to the
Cong. Bureau Wash. D.C.

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First Division,
Quartermaster General's Office,

Washington, D. C., August 3, 1867.

Maj. Genl. O. O. Howard,
Washington, D. C.
General:

I am in receipt of your note by Mr. Scala. I was fearing lest some of the gentlemen we are yet indebted to would become impatient and trouble you with their cases.

We are collecting funds as rapidly as possible and hope to be able to settle all bills before many days.

Should any others call please refer them to me, and I will explain.

I am, General,

Very respectfully,
Your obedt servt,
J. C. Dougherty.

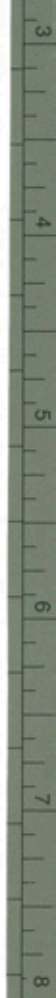
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First Division
Government Secretariat's Office

Washington, D.C., August 1, 1917

Mr. [Name],
Washington, D.C.

I am in receipt of your letter of the 28th and in reply to advise you that the matter has been referred to the proper authorities for their consideration and that you will be kept advised of the progress of the same. The authorities are at present unable to give you any definite answer in your case and the matter will be kept before the committee for some time longer. I am, sir, very respectfully,
Yours very truly,
J. C. [Name]



Macouzas Aug, 3, 1864

Hon. Henry Wilson

Sir I enclose

this present opportunity of informing you that I fear great trouble in this part of the country among the Rebels they are organizing secretly and plotting to do great mischief here in this place and the surrounding vicinity there has already been some trouble not far from this place the colored people is threaten war on all sides if they vote the Radical ticket there are any quantity of the Rebels trying to get colored people to vote the Demisral ticket but I change my own I talk to & tell them the Rebels is trying to deceive them. I hope your hon. will excuse me for taken the liberty to address you but I heard your speech in Augusta, Ga and I knew you was a friend to every loyal man and this induce me to write you

This is the first letter I have ever
written upon this occasion and it, I can
do any good or be of any service to the
Country. I am willing and glad and do
I can. I am well known in Jones,
& Jasper Co. and have some influence
& I shall use it when ever it is of
any use. nothing more only I remain
your humble servant.

A. E. Lightfoot

Freedman

Henry Wilson
Washington City D. C.



AGENCY

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North American
FIRE Insurance Company

OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

CASH CAPITAL \$500,000.

Washington Aug 3 1867

Gen O. O. Woodward

Dear Sir

Mr Kent

The Board is engaged in insurance using our Companies. The two kinds which he wishes to call your attention to Perpetual and Participating are probably among the best yet devised and well worthy your attention

Yours truly
J. L. Lewis

Washington

Aug. 3 1867

Dear, J. P. G.
Bro. Agents

Call's Bank towards
attention to the kind of
insurance or perpetual
and participating which
he recommends.

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Hawington Aug. 3, 1867

Dear Brother

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I am very happy to enclose
our ten dollars to help build a
Memorial Cong Church at the Capital
of Our Sacred Country. I do it more
cheerfully even than I would contri-
bute to the Washington Monument.
Be any mere patriotic Enterprise:

Patriotism is as James says of
Faith without works - without Religion
is dead - Patriotism consecrated to
God - like filial or conjugal love
is a living beneficent force always:

The reception of this little sum
has been to me a most pleasant
work. One of our deacons spoke in
our little conference of the desira-
bleness of helping build the Church,
a few words, and since then the
gifts have come in - I value them
more for the spirit that seemed
to dictate them than for the amount:

One Brother said, I once declined
giving to a Church at Moosehead
Lake because my family were sick
and my means small, but I after

Washington Dec 8. 1867
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I am very happy to receive
your letter of the 2nd inst.
and in answer to inform you
that the same has been forwarded
to the Washington Movement
and they are of patriotic interest.
I am very glad to hear of
the success of the Washington
Movement and without doubt
it will be a great blessing
to our country. I am very
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and thought better of it & gave
nothing. And when I heard of
great revival there I was very happy
to have a "Share" in it, and now I
at a "Share" in this Church at
Washington. Another said, "I feel as
I would like to give him (Gen. H.)
a half a days work, at least - The
sisters, who came with their families
all they have, helped swell the amount
and I send it to you with
gratitude & prayer - I know 10%
seems like a small gift for so
long a sermon - but I know Jesus
is over against our Treasary and
I want to honor him -

Our S. S. Dept thinks the children
will appropriate at least 10% more
our other Contributions -

The demolition of your "Wall" has
engaged our sympathies, and I trust
it will double your Contributions -

Yours Mother

Rowland B. Howard

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August 18, 1861

My Dear Mother

I received your kind letter of the 17th and was glad to hear from you.

I am well and hope these few lines will find you the same.

I have not much news to write at present. The weather is very warm here now.

Fanning for Maine / Cong. Church

\$10.00

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