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Burlington, Iowa, Sept 23 1867

Maj Gen Howard

Chairman Building Committee Conf Ch
Washington D.C.

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Dear

In pursuance
of your request of June 10 to our Pastor, Dr Latta a coll.
was taken up in the Conf Ch here for your New Ch Building
about \$150 which I herewith send you in P.O. order

Yrs Respectfully
Thos Hedge Jr.

Sept 23-1867

Wedge No. 2

Enclosed \$15- from Capt.
Col. Burlington, Va. Wm. Henry Bell.
Washington D.C.

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Rockville Conn.

September 23^d 1867

Maj Genl O. O. Howard, 36

Sir:

Enclosed

find my Chk for Fifteen Doll.
(\$15⁰⁰) being amt collected
in Ind Cong Society of this
place in behalf of Cong
Church at Washington D.C.

Please acknowledge

Truly Yours

P. M. Guffer

Secty & Treas.

Rockville Conn.

Sept. 23^d 1867

Durfee J. M.

Encloses check for
15⁰⁰ from the 2^d Cong. Society
to 4th Cong. Church Wash.
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Dedham, ^{Mass} Sept. 23. 1867.

Gen Howard.

Sir.

Enclosed I send you \$15.25 Fifteen dollars and twenty five cents being the amount collected by the Cong. S. School of this place towards building a Cong. Church in the city of Washington.

Will you please accept this small sum for that purpose and send me a receipt for the same.

Yours respectfully,
John H. Nichols,
Treasurer Cong. S. School.

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William, Sept 23, 1877

Dear Mother

Dear

Enclosed please find

the 25 dollars which our bank has

sent you the amount collected

at the church school of the place

where we have a very good

in the city of Philadelphia.

Will you please write me

and send me a receipt for

the same.

Yours affectionately,

John R. Wilson

Business Dept 22

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Atchison, Kansas Sept. 23-1867

O. O. Howard

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My dear Sir

When I left Boston I arranged with a man owing me to send you 1000 \$ for the Church Erecton in Washington. I learn to day for the first time on my return here - That he has not done it. But say he will send 500 - \$ this month -

So I here with in close you my check of 500 - which will make the 1000 \$ I promised you - I shall leave for Washington - Oct. 8th

Hoping soon to see you I am
Very Yc Yc

A. J. Downey

W. F. DOWNE
No. 211
Washington D.C.

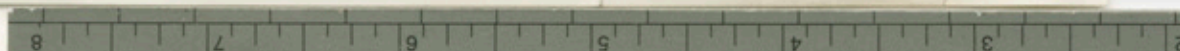
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Dear Gen. D. D.

Enclosed \$500.00 in the
subscribing of \$1000
for the 1st West of the
Washington D.C.

LAND DEPARTMENT
Central Branch, Union Station, W. D. C.

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Please acknowledge receipt & oblige
Boston Mass Sept 23/77

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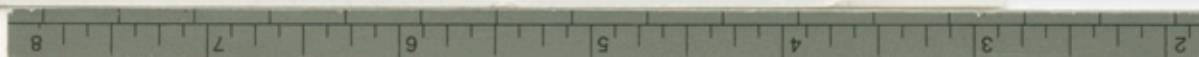
May Geo C. O. Howard,
Chairman of Building Comm
Cong Church Washington D. C.
Dear Sir.

We took up a collection in our Sabbath School yesterday in behalf of yr Church & I take pleasure in enclosing you the amt. Thirteen Dolls. in a Post Office money order. We would do more! But last fall, one year ago our beautiful Church was burned to the ground & we are now straining very hard to finish a new one without debt. I trust your call has met with a liberal response. In behalf of the Sabbath School I remain
Ms July Edward S. Pickard Supt. ^{Mass}
Central Congregational School Lynn

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Dear Sir

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Prof Geo. C. Howard
University of Kentucky
Campus Lexington Ky

The first of a series
of lectures in the
Department of Geology
will be given in the
auditorium of the
University on the
23rd of the month
at 8 o'clock. The
subject is "The
Geology of the
State of Kentucky".
The lecturer is
Prof. Geo. C. Howard,
of the University
of Kentucky.



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Millbury, (Mass.) Sept. 23^d 1867.

My Dear General,

Please find enclosed, a check for the sum of Twenty dollars, to be appropriated towards the expense of the Congl. Church edifice, which is now under your care. Ten dollars of the above sum is from the 2^d Congl. Church in Millbury, & Ten from the Sabbath School of that Church, of which I am Supt.

Please allow me to add that the work in which you have been engaged in establishing a Congl. Church at Washington, has been one of great interest to me, as I had the pleasure of being connected with the Pioneers in

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That enterprise, having ^{been} the
Clerk of the little Church
there, in 1854, at which time
I was a Reporter on Saffron's
Corps, & issued the call for a
Council to act with reference to
organizing us as a Church. You
know how that Council failed,
to see that the time had come
for such a Church. But I
rejoice to know that you &
your associates have suc-
ceeded, that some of those
who then labored with me are
still there to enjoy the benefits
of your labors. Laus Deo.

Yours very truly
A. E. Rockwell

Maj. Genl. A. B. Howard, U.S.A.

Millbury Mass.
Sept. 23^d. 1867

Rockwell H. C.

Encloses Twenty dollars
\$ 20, donated by the
2nd Cong. Ch., and S.

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Bridgport Conn
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Maj. Gen O. O. Howard

Genl,

Can we
arrange with you to deliver a Lecture
at this place during the coming winter.
Our object is to raise funds for the
purchase of a Library for our ^{Missio} School
which is organized on the Union plan.
that is a union of all religious
denominations. We feel at liberty to
write you on this subject knowing that
you are interested in work of this kind
and believing that the name of Howard
would fill our public hall with an
intelligent and patriotic audience when
many of our leading lectures would
fail so to do. If you should favorably

of this will you please state in your
reply, your price for Lecturing, your
subject and the Term when it would
be convenient for you to lecture. Hoping
for an early and favorable reply

I am

Respy Yours

J. M. South

Box 259 P.O.

for

Pittsboro, N. C.

fast-track school

Washington, Sep. 23. 1867
Monday Morning.

Genl. O. O. Howard,

Dear Sir:

Dr. & Mrs. Post who are stopping with us, 390 I St. bet. 12 & 13, would like very much to visit Arlington and the National Cemetery this afternoon. Can you furnish them a conveyance for this purpose? They would like to start at 1 o'clock so as to return by 4. My son who takes this note will bring back your reply. Dr. P. is one of the good men and true - a faithful witness for the truth as it is in Jesus, and a man of ability & learning.

Yours truly,

P. D. Gurley.

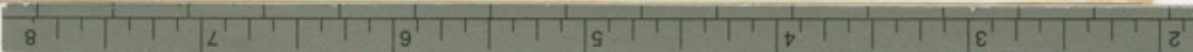
Ms. A. 1. 1. 1.

Sept. 23rd 1867

Friday P.M.

states that several men had
arr. stopping at his house,
and would like very much
to visit Washington and take
country this afternoon, and
request the use of a conveyance
for their benefit.

MS. A. 1. 1. 1.
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Dear Genl,

I am requested by one of the Committees of a Soldiers fair to be held in this city in Nov. to solicit of you One hundred Autographs (100). The fair is for the purpose of aiding the Destitute Widows & Children of Deceased Soldiers & I thought you would be happy to contribute in this way for so worthy an object,

If you can find time to sign your name 100 times, please do so on small blank cards, or smooth clean paper. We mail the same to Col. J. A. Whittlesay #49 La Salle Street Chicago.

My wife Mr. & Mrs. Cyden Mr. William B. Cyden & all the family desire to be remembered.

Love to Mrs. Howard & all the
Children

Yours Affectionately

M. Strong

23. Oct. 1867.

Lockport, N.Y. Sept 24th 1867.

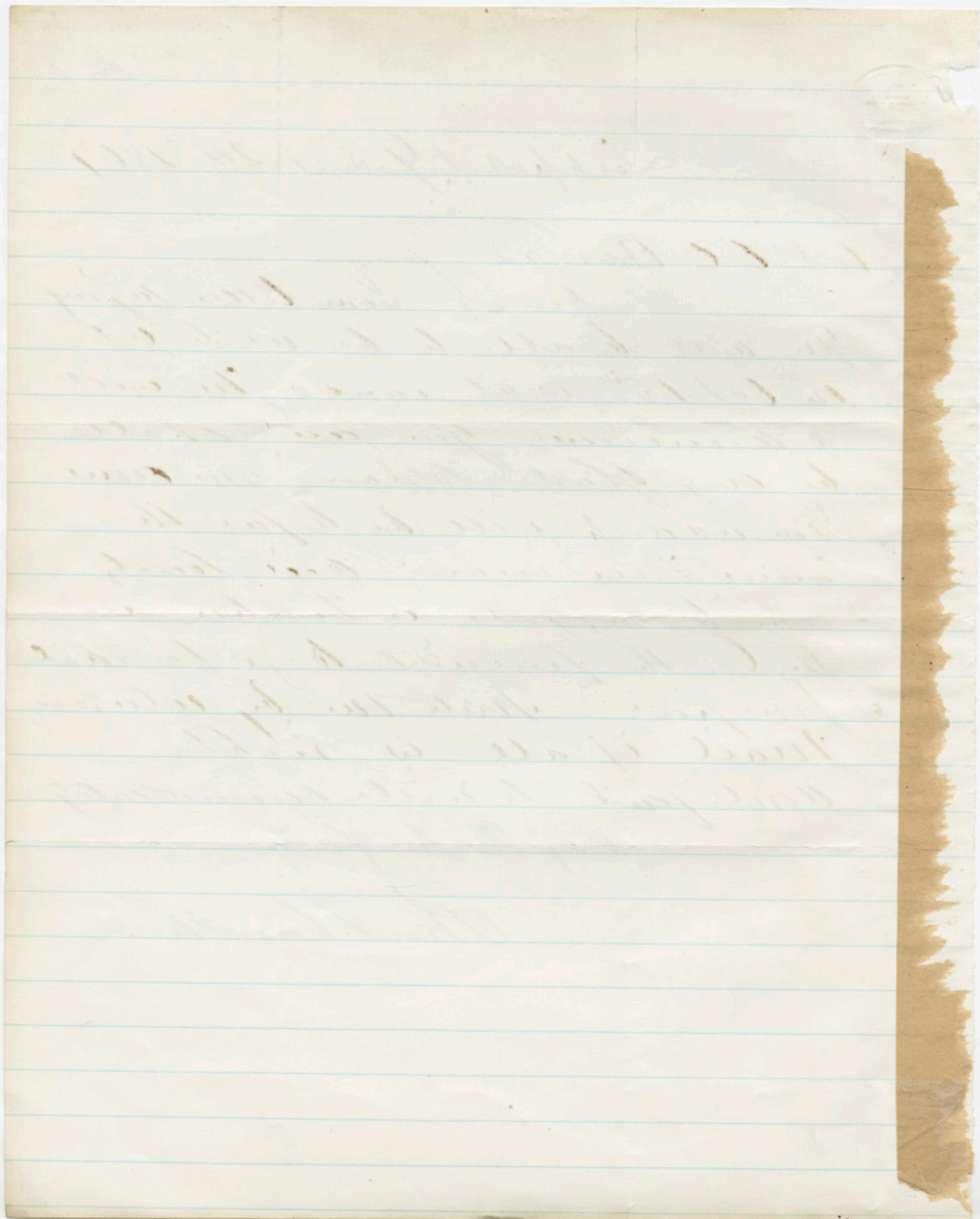
My dear O. O. Howard

Dear Sir. Your letter saying you will be able to be with us on Oct 15th is at hand. We will be very glad to have you come. Your address will be before the Ladies Friendman's Aid Society which supports a Teacher in D.C. We proceed to go for that purpose. Write me by return mail if all is right.

Don't fail to write immediately.

Very Respectfully

Perthland



I. NEWTON PEIRCE,
THOMAS STILLMAN.

I. NEWTON PEIRCE & CO.
MANUFACTURERS OF
Peirce's Patent Slates and Slate Surface,
No. 427 North Eleventh St.

Philadelphia, Sep 24. 1867.

Gen O. O. Howard.

Dear Brother.

At a large meeting
of Good Templars held last
eve, I learned the fact that
"Purity Lodge No 12 of Washington
had lost its charter because
it had accepted two bro-
thers whose crime was a
skin a little darker hue
than our own. I wish
to make two requests.

Can you have sent
to me some of the partic-
ulars of the case?

Will you please appeal
to the R. W. G. T. Samuel
S. Hastings. Madison
Wis. ?

I could not help last
eve, in speaking my senti-
ments upon such a course
of a Grand Lodge. And the
h^urt^y, and spontaneous
applause of the Audience
argued well of the feeling
upon this subject. I read
to them the decisions
of the R. W. G. S. upon
the subject and it again
was greeted with rounds
of applause. Here and
there was a sneaky hiss
but like reptiles in the
fall of the year, were
very rare.

Kentucky sent its
Rep. to the last R. W. G. S.
to have the noble decision
of our head reversed, but
found so strong a
sentiment in their favor

that not a word was
said about it. We
cannot. We dare not
have so foul a blot
remain upon our escutcheon.
No retrograde movement
in our cause.

Bro Howard, I hope
I may have misunderstood
the matter, and will await
your reply.

Yours fraternally and
in the cause of humanity
A. Newton Pierce.

Philadelphia Penna,
Sept. 24th 1867

Pierce, J Newton

States that he has learned
that Purity Lodge No 12 of
Washington had lost its
charter because it had accep-
ted two colored members.

He desires Gen. Howard to send
him the particulars of the
case, and also to appeal to
the R. W. G. J. Samuel D.
Hastings Madison Wis.

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Rec^d "R. F. of A. S. for Chief Co Ark.
Lake Village Arkansas
Sept^r 24th 1867-

Major Gen^l O. O. Howard:
Commissioner Bu. R. F. & C.
Washington D. C.

General:

I have the honor to
acknowledge the receipt of a letter
written by Jerome Wise Esq^r addressed
to You and transmitted by You through
the Ass^t Com^r for this State to me:

In reply I had the honor to state
that my reason for not cancelling
the note on July 1st was owing to
my not having the money to
do so. I have only received my
pay for "June" which was only for twenty
day^s my appointment dating 15th June
I was obliged to pay my fair share

Memphis Tenn to Little Rock Arkansas
The Captain of the Steamer refusing to
take my transportation, I intend to
pay Mr. Wise at my very earliest
convenience:

I would most respectfully
request General that my salary as
Agent of the Bureau be increased. I
cannot live and support my family on
the compensation at present allowed
me. Be assured that should my
request be favorably considered it would
be fully appreciated by:

General

Very Respectfully,

Your Obedt. Humble Servt
G. W. Benson

Ag^t for Choct & Chick

National Deaf-Mute College.

Sept. 24th. 1867.

Dear General:-

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I find on looking over my subscription paper that I neglected this afternoon to read you the name of Miss Anna A. Pratt, who contributed to the sum made up in this College. Will you have the goodness to send me a letter of acknowledgment for her?

Respectfully and sincerely yours,
Edward A. Fay.

Major Genl. Howard,
Chairman Congl. Ch. Buildg. Fund.

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[Faint, illegible handwriting on lined paper]

