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My dear General

I send you this
to let you know there
are troubles with the
people's houses besides
residents of Washington

I fear you and I are
in that list of "impracticables"

Heaven help us. This is
a belligerent world &
our sufferings are intolerable
Y. P. Wood.

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Baltimore

April

Dear Mr. L.

Enclosed newspaper
article showing that
there will be trouble in
other denominations
besides those of Method-
ist &c. &c.

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Executive Mansion.

Washington, D.C. April 1st - 1868

General -

The President directs
me to ascertain if you can
furnish transportation to Nashville
Tennessee - to Joseph E. Williams
father - wife and four
children - (colonel)

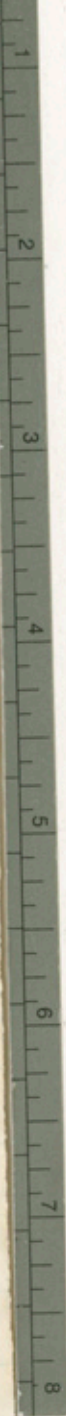
With Respects

Yours truly
Abraham Lincoln
At St. Louis

To

My Gen O O Howard

Section One Insurance Company
B. & T. TURNER
In the District of Columbia
Filed for Record
This 1st
of March 1880
I hereby certify that the above
is a true and correct copy of the
original as filed for record
in the office of the
Recorder of Deeds
for the District of Columbia
This 1st of March 1880
J. H. [Signature]
Recorder of Deeds



THE **EXCELSIOR LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY,**
NEW YORK. 84

SAMUEL T. HOWARD, PRES.
FRED'K A. PLATT, V. PRES.
SIDNEY WARD, SECRETARY.
CHAS N. MORGAN, ACTUARY.

PRATT & TURNER,
GENERAL AGENTS
FOR
MARYLAND, DELAWARE & DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.
WASHINGTON OFFICE. 167 FOURTEENTH ST.
(opposite) WILLARD'S HOTEL

Washington April 1st 1868

Maj Gen. O O Howard

Sir

I send a few copies of the
"Church Union" for distribution to your Bureau.
I can send you more if you can use them.
Are there subscription cards printed for Y M C
A. if so please send me some

Yours Very Truly
A S Pratt

Washington D.C.
April 1st 1868

Gratt, A. S.

Transmit copies of
"Church Unions" to be dis-
tributed among Burman
officers.

80. Requests some of the printed cards of Y. M. C. Assn

Attended to.



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Phila April 1st 1868
Maj. Gen. O. O. Howard
Dear Bro.

I will bring
your application before
our association at the
earliest opportunity
but I am fearful that
our condition is much
worse financially than yours
I would be most happy
to respond personally
to your appeal were
it not that I am over-
loaded at this time with
other matters I am carry-
ing nearly four thousand
dollars of the debt of
our association with but
little present prospect
of having it reduced
It was only last night

that I requested our
"mutual friend" Gen
E. M. Gregory to give my
love to you when he
saw you. We were
present at the or-
ganization of a Young
Men's Christian Assn-
in Camden N. J.

With my earnest
prayer for Gods blessing
upon you, and your
association,

I remain your
fraternally

Peter J. Linson

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Charleston S.C. W.C.
April 1. 1868

Maj. Genl. D.O. Howard:

My dear Sir:

In re-
gard to the time for holding
our Council & recognizing our
Church - we have been unable yet
definitely to decide - But as
I previously wrote we hope the
School building - which you are
building for the Am. Miss. Assn.
here - will be completed so we can
have both the Dedication & Council
on the 18 of Sept - inst.

We are all very anxious for
you to be present - & hope you can
make it convenient to do so -

Yours truly, B. J. Jackson
Act. Pastor

J. 2. O. C. 4. Vol 1, 1868.

Charleston, S. C.

April 1st 1868.

Jackson Bay I

Acty Pastors Bay ch

Hope to be ready to hold
their council for organizing
the church on the 15th inst.
at which time a building of
the A. M. Assn. will be ded-
icated.

All are anxious that
the Commissioner be present
etc, etc.



Charleston S.C. Apr. 1/88

Maj. Genl O. O. Howard
Tras. 1st Congl. Church -
Washington - D.C.

My Dear Sir.

Please find
enclosed a draft for Ten dol-
lars (\$10.) - the gift of our Sab-
bath School to your Church to be
used toward the completion of
your House of Worship.

Our Church & S. S. greatly re-
joice in the Christian sympa-
thy and fellowship which evidently
binds the two Churches together, al-
tho' separated at so great a distance
from each other, and sincerely hope
these happy and blessed relations

may never be interrupted.

We remember with much gratitude the letter of encouragement and sympathy received from your S.S. thro' Mr. L. Dean, last July - and with to return our thanks for the same -

It is the prayer of our S. School that your Church & S.S. may be abundantly prospered and blessed, not only with a great increase of numbers, but also in all those gifts and graces which the Lord shall be pleased to make you a tower of strength for truth, righteousness, liberty - and justice in the National Capitol.

(Yours in Christian Fellowship
Bry. D. Jackson) - acting Pastor.
Wm. L. Brodie } Cons.
Peter Magyar }

Washington April 2. 1868
 Maj. Genl O. O. Howard

Dr. Brother

In the hope that it may tend to
 harmonize our views in regard
 to one of the questions at issue, I
 send for your consideration the
 accompanying statement. Will
 you be good enough to inform
 me whether it meets your appro-
 bation, or if not, will you point
 out what appears objectionable?

I propose to send a copy to
 the Committee.

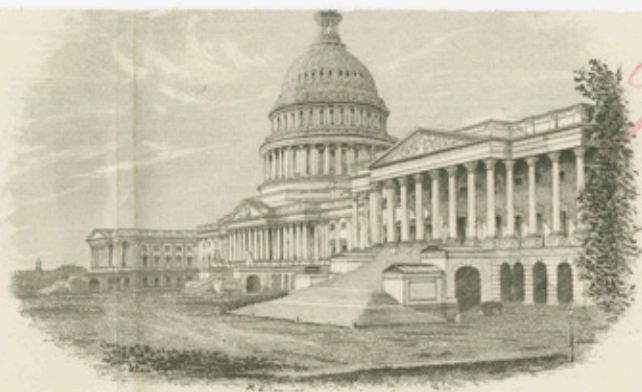
Very Respectfully

Yours

Charles P. Ryan



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UNITED STATES SENATE CHAMBER

Washington Apr 2^d 1868

Genl. Howard

My dear Sir

There is a worthy
lady - poor & dressing
who can do writing or
copying well - She says
you are employing some
ladies in your Bureau -

If so can you make
a place for another?

Please drop me a line
and - Best &c
S. L. Pomeroy



UNITED STATES SENATE CHAMBER

Washington Apr 25 1862

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Providence Apr. 9th 1868
Gen. O. C. Howard
Dear Sir,

I enclose the sum
of seventeen dollars and fifty five cents,
a donation from the Spragueville Union
S. School. Please use the same as you
may deem proper in aid of the freed
men.

Please acknowledge the receipt of the
and Oblige Yours &c.

Wm. P. Holden
46 Orange St
Providence R.I.

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Providence R. I.

April 2^d 1868

Holden Robt S.

Encloses \$17.⁵⁵/₁₀₀ a donation from Spragueville N. H. to be used as the Commissioner may see fit, in aid of the Freedmen



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Washington D.C.
2^d April 1868Gen. O. Howard
Dear Brother,

I have received a communication from A. K. Browne Esq. which expresses much interest in the Y. M. C. A. and in which he declines to accept the appointment of Chairman of the Committee on "Benevolence and Employment", for reasons that his own affairs will not permit his serving. I will present the communication to the Board at its next meeting.

Yours Truly
W. D. Johnson
Rec Secy. Y. M. C. A.

For Lt. Shaden.

OFFICE OF
National Freedmen's Savings and Trust Company,

Corner 19th Street and Pennsylvania Avenue,

Washington, D. C., *Apr. 2nd* 1868

Gen. O. O. Howard:

I sold according to
your order, at best market
price, on the 19th ult.

One \$1000. 10-40 bond \$1010.00
and on the first inst.

as per your order

One \$1000 10-40. 1.005.00

Total

\$2015.00

which amount has been
passed to your credit
on the books of this Bank.

Yrs. truly,

D. L. La Touche

Acty.

S. J. C. C. H. Vol. 1, 1868

Washington D.C.

April 9th 1868.

Eaton D. S.

State that he sold on the
19th inst. one \$1000 10-40

bonds - - - \$1010.00

And on the 1st inst.
one \$1000 10-40 bond
for - - - \$1005.00

Above amounts credited
to Commrs on Bank
books



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April 3rd 1868

Gen Howard

Dear Sir

to repair your carriage
with the following repairs
that is to paint
new curtains new set
of tires & other necessary
repairs will cost
about one hundred dollars
I have a carriage on
platform springs to carry
six persons and will
be very nice when
it is in order which
I can give a good trade
on if you want to make
an exchange

Yours Respt

John F. Bridges

Washington D.C.
April 3^d 1868

Bridget J. F.

Will repair the General's
carriage for \$100.
etc, etc,

U. S. MILITARY TELEGRAPH.

4:10 pm

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April 23 1862

By Telegraph from

Omaha Neb 28628

To

May Gen. J. O. Howard

Just received your
dispatch Can't
come now - lack
necessary funds

J Griffith Hunt MD.

10 Dr 445 collect

Omaha Neb.
April 3^d 1868

Genl. J. Griffith

8700 16. 20. 10/10

8700 16. 20. 10/10

Telegraphs that I can't come, etc.

may be some other
that I have not
seen - I have
seen some of
them

Genl. J. Griffith

8700 16. 20. 10/10

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

Head-Qrs. Assistant Commissioner, District of Virginia.

Private
May 1st
Richmond, Va., April 3rd 1868.
Genl O. Howard,
Dear General

If possible will
you allow me to select
such additional Bureau Agents
as may be required in Virginia.

I will have no trouble
in finding proper persons
and it is desirable that
the new appointees should
be citizens of Virginia - I
do not think the number
^{required} will exceed three or four.

May White informs me
that many of the Bureau
Officers in Virginia are
~~often~~ reported by Senator
Morton to be Copperheads.

I do not know of but
one in the state unless

among the Officers of
the Regular Army. The
one referred to has been
ordered when he can
do no harm — Will
you if possible please
obtain from the Senator
the names of the Coffee
— head Officers and
oblige

Yours Truly
O. Brown

Office Asst Commr
Richmond Va. April 3rd 1868.

Proctor O.

Asst Commr,

Respectfully requests the
privilege of selecting
such additional Bu-
reau agents as may
be needed in his district.

He is informed that
Senator Morton knows that

Copperhead officers are
employed in the Bureau in
Va. but he (Proctor) thinks the
Senator is mistaken.

Can the names of such of-
ficers be furnished.
etc, etc,

