May your Howard N. S. C.

My dear General

Mr. Cyrus W. Field

is inclined to look favorably
on my project respecting the

Beine, but would like to see

Arnold himself examine

him. Will you, dear sir,
give Mr. Arnold a letter of

recommendation either to

Mr. Field directly or as a general
endorsement of him as a man
of probity and capacity. He should
also get all the papers that
he can get thereby with

him. The more the better.

He may succeed in obtaining
recommendation from some
official men at Washington.

I hope, my dear General,
That your health is improving.
You must really be more moderate in your labors. The world cannot afford to lose you. God bless you & prolong your useful life.

With kindest regards to Mrs Howard & the children.
I remain

Very sincerely yours,

Richard Temple
Plymouth, June 8, 1871.

DEAR SIR:

I would hereby notify you that at the Annual Meeting of the Pilgrim Society you were chosen to the position below mentioned:

President—Hon. E. S. TOBEY, of Boston.
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WM. EVERETT, Esq., Cambridge.
Hon. T. S. HUNT, Montreal, Canada.
WM. CLAFLIN, Governor of Massachusetts.

Truly Yours,

WM. S. DANFORTH, Sec’y.
20 Cooper Union, New York, June 8th, 1871

Genl. O. O. Howard
Dear Genl.,

I would respectfully ask the favor of you to send me the latest "Official Army Register".

I will take pleasure in reciprocating in any way in my power with sentiments of respect.

E. Hazardt Swinney Manager.
Office of the Commissioner,
Bureau of Refugees, Freedmen, and Abandoned Lands,
Washington, D.C. January 12, 1875.

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I have the honor to request that Mr. Happer's, late of the 16th U.S. Infantry, and formerly of the 5th U.S. Infantry, be enlisted into the Signal Service, and for a few months detailed for duty with me as a messenger. He has been on duty with me in that capacity for nearly five years, and has been employed and trusted as an employee of this Bureau.

An account of the reduction of my appropriation, some of which has been charged against the payrolls of my force, and must now be borne unless it can be retained in the same form. I have herewith...
a faithful soldier in the regular army and continuously served his enlistment in 1862 until he was discharged on account of the consolidation in 1869. He is thoroughly reliable, sober and trustworthy, sober, neat and orderly in his appearance and habits, and, when deemed entitled to such, will give satisfaction in the performance of any duty to which he may be assigned, at this camp, Watertown, Oct. 20, 1869. I believe my kindness to help him will be appreciated and shall be very much gratified if this request can be granted.

Very respectfully,

[Signature]

[Name]
Philad. June 1871

Gen. O.O. Howard

My dear General,

The importance of these

bip's as National Asylums

is felt by our Christian

Christians as possible at

our Agents, compels me to

write personally to urge

you not to allow anything

to keep you from us in this

June of 1869 next.

With sincere and

best wishes of all,

Delmar

Reg. Newman (in charge)

We lodge & yourself seem

well. The capital will be

under pronounced in the case

of Unity - Inequality of Beneficiaries

but appreciated more.

Pleasure at all.

The best wishes of Friede.

States are likely to be well represented.


Dear [Name],

I hope this letter finds you well. I have been meaning to write for some time, but today I felt compelled to share my thoughts with you.

As you know, we have been through many challenges together, and I am grateful for your support during these trying times. I want you to know that I value our friendship and look forward to more adventures together.

Life has been busy lately, but I have not lost sight of what truly matters. I remain committed to [insert personal or professional goal here].

I hope to see you soon, and perhaps we can plan a little get-together to relax and catch up on each other's lives.

Yours sincerely,

[Your Name]
Chicago, June 15, 1871

Mr. O.G. Howard,

My dear Sir,

I am just come into my office. This is half
wild. The terrible delay in the previous office to
her is almost dictate. I assure you friends
may trouble you to
the folks at the
war not absolutely ex-
stitute. Have just heard
her $5 to kill her and
end from her trials.
I am sure the mayor will commend the effort to your credit.
By the way, she tells me that the Black Horse would give her his assistance.

Very truly,

E. Schuyler

General Howard

Please assist me in this letter as soon as you can.

Mary Rose Taylor
Lincoln University

June 10 1871

Gen. O. O. Howard

Dear Sir,

The Annual Meeting of the Board of Trustees of
Lincoln University will be held at the University
on Tues., the 20th inst., at 4 1/2 O'Clock P.M.

Your truly,

E. R. Bowen
Sec. of the Board.
New York June 10, 1871

Dear General,

In the twilight I bought away your flippers instead of mine and I will express them to you. I also made the mistake of having my little books on the top of your well-bookcase. May I beg my young friend Gay to put up the books in one parcel and the flippers in another and express them to me? I will enclose $1, which I suppose will cover the fees. I felt sorry I had gone to Washington, thinking our friends there will grow out of patience with my examinations & postponements. But I was surprised to day by a note from Witherspoon so kind and encouraging that I begin to hope the Famine Cane will help us in our troubles. We must as just men, an affair upon a high level, and we must have all heaven and all earth without security (as fisherman) and we must have no friendships with the bank but only the hard rules of business - the inflexible adherence to them under all circumstances.

I have written to Witherspoon and if you should stop in time and should think of it just ask him to them.

You the letter. Otherwise I would write some things here like what are in that letter. Glad that you & your family are all well and happy. I am

Your friend most sincerely, Edgar Weld.
As one of the Advisory Committee of the Mechanics' Institute, my attention has been called to the fact that the C. W. Wood and has been acting also as Director of the Mechanics' Institute, without compensation to himself, a credit to the bank. The Wood has been industriously building up his bank for five years, with scarcely any support in this work he has given.
Washington, D.C., June 12, 1871

My dear Guil,

This will introduce to you my friend J.N. Henry, of Decoia, a further man well known to me for years. He is an upright Christian man, and any representation he may make to you may be implicitly relied on.

Yours ever,

[Signature]
American Bible Society,
Bible House, Astor Place,
New York, June 12, 1871.

Gen. O. C. Howard,
Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir,

The request for a grant of Bibles contained in a letter forwarded to us by you, on behalf of the Rev. James Lewis of Valharnoo Springs, Ala., will be referred to our Distribution Committee at the first opportunity and some books will probably be forwarded with it in July.

Hymn books are out of our line and I accordingly pass the papers over to the Tract Society in New York, with the request that they will return them to you.

Respectfully and truly yours,

Edward W. Gilman
Corresp. Secretary.
Dear General,

I visited your Bureau this morning, but finding several others annoying you I felt that I could not say a word. I went to the window to pray over the matter, and while I was asking God's direction your office closed. I left feeling that it was not the Master will for me to see you then. Now I write to tell you what I wanted, knowing that "Our Father" will give it, if it is best.

In the place I now occupy, I cannot make a living, for God has given me a wife and two dear little ones to care for. Duty to them demands that I should seek a better place. At the request of Mr. Arneil Mr. Delano tendered
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me a Clerkship in the Census Bureau, that I do not want, but would like a place in any other Bureau of the Interior, preferring the Pension. Genl. Bowes, the Acting Secretary is very well acquainted with me. And Dr. Good has promised to use his efforts in my behalf. Can you not further my aims by saying all the good you can of me in a letter to Genl. Bowes?

If you will favor my request I shall try to reciprocate your kindness by manifesting your confidence.

If you have a report of the Canfield Colored Orphan Asylum of Memphis, Tennessee you will find that I gave my services to that Institution
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for a long time. The enclosed papers tell their own story. I shall feel obliged if you will return them immediately after looking them over.

Hoping that you will do what you can for me, I am yours in the bonds of the service.

[Signature]

[Note: The signature is not legible.]

Library of Congress, Washington, D.C.
Washington DC,
June 1878.

Carson to John B. Critt.
Librarian.

Here by Lr.,
June 14, 1878.
DEAR SIR:

The Annual Public Examinations of the Colored Schools of Washington and Georgetown are to take place as follows:

Friday, June 16.—Four Schools at N. E. Friends' Mission; also, one School at Carall Hall, C street, between Twelfth and Thirteenth northwest.

Monday, June 19.—Lincoln Chapel, corner of Twelfth and D streets northeast, three Schools.

Tuesday, June 20.—Delaware Avenue, corner of H street south, five Schools; also, G street south, between Third and Four-and-a-half, one School; and Rehoboth Chapel, First street, below N, two Schools.

Wednesday, June 21.—Ninth and E streets, Island, nine Schools.

Thursday, June 22.—O street, between Fourth and Fifth northwest, eight Schools.

Friday, June 23.—Georgetown, seven Schools.

Monday, June 26.—M street, near Seventeenth, first floor, four Schools.

Tuesday, June 27.—M street, near Seventeenth, second floor, four Schools.

Thursday, June 29.—Stevens Building, Twenty-first street, twelve Schools.

Friday, June 30.—High School, Basement of Fifteenth-street Church.

These examinations will commence, in all cases, at nine, a.m., and be in progress at the same time in all the rooms at the localities named, and will be conducted by the teachers.

You are respectfully invited to attend.

A. E. NEWTON,
Superintendent.
Dear General,

Yours of this date is received. Gen. Beurlin is now here and has given us a subscription of Five hundred dollars. He would like to meet you here at noon tomorrow and go out with you to dinner.

Yours truly,

[Signature]

To:

Maj. Gen. O. O. Howard
Dear General

I saw Col. Bacon (P.L.) last evening and have made an engagement with him to meet you at my office at 3 o'clock today. He wants to help all he can. He says he will devote the rest of the week to working with you. Thank to you can get a likely subscription out of him.

Early yours
A.S. [Signature]

Geo. O. Hill
Res. S.
With these new ideas, we can move forward and make progress. It's important to keep an open mind and be curious about new possibilities. Let's work together to achieve our goals.
Washington, D.C., June 14, 1871.

Genl. O. O. Howard,

Dear General,

Enclosed please find my letter of application to Post Master General Crewe as requested in a letter from you of the 13th.

Please accept my most sincere thanks for your kind remembrance of me, amid your other innumerable duties, and believe me ever yours, most grateful

Carrie E. Rosecrans.
M 110—M. 2. 1871

Washington, 6 June 1871

Sir, Please excuse the liberty I have taken of addressing these few lines to you.

When I called on you some time ago as you remember I was in great distress on account of my husband being away. He has returned to me again and is quiet drinking and promises to do better in the future which I hope he will. Mr. Webster, Father died and left the business unsettled after his business was sold up we are now all in debt in debt. My husband has been trying for two years to get out of debt but have
not yet cleared up yet

As I have not the means of procuring a proper wardrobe to go to Church in. I am well aware of the frequency of such applications and nothing but the most pressing necessity would induce me to solicit such a favor. I do most earnestly solicit your favorable intercession in my behalf for a situation in the Patent office or in the Treasury, some clerical work by which I can earn a livelihood, live, and keep myself out of Debt.

Entreaty your favorable consideration of my letter. I remain Sir, With respect your

MRS. MARY C. WEBSTER

My address
441 1st St. N. C.
No. 1203
Washington
D. C.