Boston June 1, 1873

My dear Sir,

An international Peace jubilee under the auspices of the Am. Peace Society will be held in the Boston Music Hall June 8th. Hon. E. St. Obye, the president, will provide. Addressed by distinguished speakers, interspersed with appropriate music. You are cordially invited to attend and occupy a seat upon the plan form.

Very truly yours,

David R. Hitchcock

Gen. A. O. Howard
Washington, June 2nd, 1873

Dear Sir:

I am greatly obliged to you for your contribution to the Maine State Fair paper, and am sure it will be gratefully received and highly valued by the editor. I shall forward it with some other communications tomorrow.

Very respectfully,

R. C. Whitman

Maj. Gen. A. A. Howard
Washington, D.C.
June 19

Whiteman & Co.

Thanks for his contribution to the Maine State
Austin, Texas,  
June 2, 1873.  

Brig. Gen. C. C. Howard,  
Late Commissioner U. S.  
Washington, D. C.

Sir,  

Your favor of April 10th was duly received, and would have been answered before had it not been thought it best to delay the matter a short time in order to correspond with some of the late agents of the Southern's Bureau relative to the records kept by them.  

No letters received and endorsement books for 1865, and January, and February, 1866, are kept by the assistant commissioner.  

On the first day of February, 1867, Gen. Griffin took possession, and commander of the District of Texas, ordered that the military
officers in command at all military posts throughout the state, where no agents had been appointed, assume and perform the duties of sub-agent commanders. All of the persons mentioned in your letter will be on duty in accordance with this order except C. J. Nelly, Thos. H. Browning, Mr. R. Peck, D. W. Brown, B. and John F. P. Nearly all of these post commanders will stationed on the frontier where there were no freemen, and they were officers of the Bureau as flame only. I presume they never had any special importance before them; if they did their records were blended with those of post commanders. Mr. Nelly informs me that he turned over to his successor, B. J. Clark, all records he kept while an agent. He states that he transacted very little business during the time he was on duty,
and had nothing of importance to read
I know nothing of Mr. Browning.
My recollection is that he rendered
little or no service.
Mr. Cooperhall writes one that he
had no regular records and kept
only a sort of docket book which
he has mislaid.
There should be some records
of the official acts of Mr. Brown,
as he transacted a considerable amount
of business, but I do not know
this when about now. When last heard
from he was a member of the Loui-
siana Legislature.
I have been unable to hear
from Mr. Dix who resides at Ken-
ner, Louisiana. It is probable that he
kept no records. There were few freedmen
in his locality.
No agents were appointed in Texas
to pay bounties. At least I never
heard of any. I saw discharged
soldiers received bounties, but--
In each case the necessary papers were forwarded to Washington and drafts for the amounts sent from there. The above information is as near correct as I can give from memory, and learn from other sources.

I am, Very respectfully,

[Signature]

[Date]

[Address]
June 9th, 1878

Mr. Maj. Gen. O. O. Howard, U. S. A.
Washington, D.C.

Dear General,

Your letter of the 24th ult. postmarked the 26th inst. is at hand, asking if I could tell what became of Maj. 3rd Indorsement Book of the Left Com. Office of Ta.

In reply, would say, that when I was relieved from duty in the Bureau, April 1st, 1869, all of the records of the office of Ta. were complete to date, were all in the office, as I had a day or two previously inspected the office to see that everything was complete. Dr. M. B. Burton of the 9th U.S. Gen. succeeded me as A. Asst. Gen. and perhaps he, or Col. E. S. Beman, who was Quartermaster here to the end, can give you the necessary information.

I trust that you are enjoying good health and fortune.

Yours very truly,

[Signature]

[Manuscript end]
Philadelphia, June 7, 1873

Gen. O.O. Howard

Dear Sir:

Your dispatch rec'd. Leave if you can in the morning of Saturday so as not get to the office at 3 oclock and we can go out in the B.o.c. train. Very glad to see Mrs.O. Howard & the children with you. Let me know if you bring them.

Yours truly,

[Signature]
1545 N. 20th St, Philadelphia, June 4, 1873.

Gen. C. O. Howard,
President of Howard University,
Washington, D.C.,

Dear Sir:

Led by the interest which my father always manifested in the freedmen, and by the affection which he ever entertained toward yourself, Mother desires to present, through you, a part of his library to the Theological Department of Howard University, hoping thereby to do good, as Father during his lifetime endeavored to do.

With high regard for yourself,

I am yours respectfully,

D. C. Stoever
June 5, 1873

Dear O.O. Howard,

Washington D.C.

I send you by mail a few of the "memorial" of my father. I will mail you one more. Photop is familiar. Will you be kind enough to give to both of Trustees of Howard Union as desired. Send a copy of article and my research. I will send more. Yours truly, H.H. Burdick.
O. O. Howard, S.S.B.

Sir:

You are respectfully informed that your resignation as President of Howard University, has been accepted by the Board of Trustees, to take effect June 30, 1873; and re-elected President of Howard University, from and after date, with the salary of $2500.00 per year, on condition that it be raised either by special endowment or specific contributions.

Yours truly,

A. H. Barber
Sec'y
New York
7th June 1873

My dear General,

How glad

I should have come in 5 pm on the day for reasons and for a month past I have been engaged for that evening here to deliver an address to the graduating class of a ladies' school so I could not come to you. When I wish the a short to give me a little time for notice that I may come to stay here which if you I wrote as there was much rather say than no.

We are all well at home.
In an air house.

With kind regards to Mrs. L.

To the family in which my wife lives:—

Believe me,

Yours always,

Mr. W. Taylor
Santa Fe, N.M., June 7th, 1873.

Gen. O.O. Howard

Sir:

I enclose herewith an application to the Sec'y of War for the appointment of Port Trader at Port St. Antonio, N.M. Please also find enclosed a note to you from the Sub-Treasurer here, Mr. Little, in my favor.

Will you kindly bring my case to the Secretary's notice that he may judge of my fitness - If appointed I will comply with the conditions faithfully.

Very truly yours,

F.W. Hartell
Gettysburg, Pa., June 10th, 1879
Mr. G. O. Howard,

My dear Sir,

I have not yet been as fortunate as to receive the copy of your official report (separate Wurtzmeister reports) of the operations of your Eleventh Corps in the Battle of Gettysburg, which, as you well recall, you promised me some time since.

The importance of it to us becomes greater as our progress into our work of dedication.

The Association has been stored the earth, fædans, thrown up by the Artillery, on Cemetery Ridge— and had them...
carefully dodged. We are putting up guide boards and in doing so desire to proceed with great caution. We need the accurate information which your reports would supply. From Geo's Hancock plans as we have seen their reports. We have also procured designs for permanent indications commemorating the right and are pressing our effort for the location of a Battle Monument as a Memorial Dedicated to the Army of the Potomac - its Chief.

Can you procure me now the Report of your Chief of Artillery of all that you know of his death? It is not possible for me to hearn with his address?

Yours Most Truly,

O. H. Logan
Vice President.
Harvard University
June 10th, 1878

Dear Sir,

In view of my urgent necessity and the promise to meet all my debts contracted in the line of study, I am constrained, if within the rules of governing the Club, to ask them to receive this application as a further loan from Flinton (Flt), either as an amendment to my application now on the file, or as a distinct request.

The sum is twenty (20) dollars. The amount of my previous application is not sufficient to cover all my expenses; the books bought "Smith's Contracts and Corner's Dictionary" being of which you were so kind as to send for this past two weeks, 13. 25.

This sum deducted from twenty (20) dollars leaves nothing to pay my expenses for board during the remainder of the session, washman, and a small sum due, which leaving myself. These will be paid and I wish debts and...
ought to paid when due on mine. If this I took an additional loan to be paid back to the loan, as soon as I am able. Your obedient servant, Matthew W. Haynes.
East Tennessee University,

KNOXVILLE, TENN.

June 10, 1873.

Brig. Genl. O. Q. Howard,

Dear Sir:

The place of Prof. of Military Science and Tactics in this institution will be vacant after the 19th inst. I take the liberty of requesting that if you can recommend to us, any U. S. Officers, of the Army, on the retired list, who would probably accept such a chair, upon the payment to him by us of $500 per annum, and any 1st Lieut. of Artillery, on the Active list, who can perhaps be had by us on the same condition, you will please to furnish me with their names and P. O. addresses.

Your recommendations will be valuable to us as indicating men whose moral and religious influence upon the cadets would be wholesome, who combine in their characters for the administration of government both firmness and gentleness. With these qualities, the loss of a limb would be no objection. 

Yours, truly and respectfully, Wm. N. Hughes.

Pres.
Of the most blessed grace in my ministry. Our prayer and weekly offerings are nothing but and have been of the tithes from which praise flows. May the be with you always.

Your affectionate

[Signature]

And I don't think anybody ever

I mean seriously when she remembered them most of us. Why don't you and she

chance become Christians I join the church. We had a nice large prayer meeting 10 to the 4th they came one.
First few sentences and captured by me in Formington.
I knew her thoroughly and loved her dearly, and thus reason to think that she is not indisposed. The period is coming out inexperienced with me.
We have yet no time, but probably we will be married in the early Autumn some where very quietly.
I have a vacation of 3 days. Commencing next Monday we will go to Maine, taking Dallie and leaving him at Brunswick. We will stay at Clinton Hill and, as her vacation begins then my take Miss E along.
The packets, Mother seem pleased with my choice. The letter will make her home with us after the
change in before and will only be too happy to be relieved from her nervous cares for which her age shone to quite
suit her.

Frances May Bartlett has been with us two weeks in her new from Cal. to
Missouri. Mother she go to Charles tomorrow I suppose
with Will go to Richmond
 Ind. Mother expects to return to Charles & stay till
I came home July 11th.
Give much love to Hoppie & the children. With I expect
see you all. Possibly, I can return via Washington. My
old address will be Brunswick.
With all my usual troubles
+2 lines. I have had one
Washington, D.C. June 11, 1873.

Mr. General,

I send you my copy from the records of the dispositions of bounty, for bounty of Colored Soldiers received by me, as Agent of the Freedmen Bureau, while stationed at Athens, and Huntsville, Alabama, from October 1868 to January 1872 inclusive, also letters received during that time. Hoping they may be of use to you. When done with them please return to me at Huntsville, Alabama.

And please acknowledge receipt of same.

Very truly yours,

Washington, D.C.

John W. Wager
Brooklyn June 16, 1873

To Mr. D. Howard
My Dear Sir,

Will you allow me the pleasure of introducing to you, my kind acquaintance, my friend Mr. Moore, who brings special letters from particular friends in London Eng.

Mr. Moore will be much pleased in visiting your University and becoming acquainted with the progress and standing of the students. Your Manual Containing will be grateful.
Appreciated by

Your friend and

A. J. Barnes
Washington June 11/78

Gen & O Howard

Will you please call.

I wish to confer with you on business.

I would call on if able, I am an invalid from rheumatism.

By complying with the above you will confer a favor.

And Oblige

Rebecca W. Young

610 7th St

North West
Danville Va 1843
Wednesday June 11

Mr. O. O. Howard

Dear Sirs,

As a poor orphaned boy desirous of studying for a Doctor's profession and not being able it is that compellment forces me to beg of the kind Sirs to assist me in my effort providing you think it a good one and if not please let me know also please write me word under what terms I can enter school to study.
for a profession.

Hand over

obediency

Julius, H. Rayne

Dannville

9/2
Philadelphia, June 11th, 1873

Dear Friend,

I have just returned from New York, having been absent from the city for near three weeks. I received the $100—please use it for our purpose. This sum was to be the maximum. To collect more in this city is out of the question; nearly all I have thus far received is from our private purse. I think there will be much gratitude to hear that a daughter to Dakota

Epping has made her appearance in your city. She is the daughter of one of our friends, and

Friend
is a member herself.

Her name is Lydia Smith. All friends are to be furnished for the sick and aged. I am glad that will be rehoused from so great a charge. She is the wife of one of the young men of the Christian Association. These will no doubt soon become acquainted with her. With kindest regards to thy wife and believe me sincerely thy friend

A. W. Townsend

Enclosed is Geo. Booths' check for $100 dollars to thy order.
Sons of Temperance.

Office of Deputy Most Worthy Patriarch.
(N. E. Corner Mass Ave. and 13th Street, N. W.)

Washington, D. C., June 11th, 1878.


Dear Sir and Bro.

You have doubtless learned that the Grand Division of the will be instituted on Monday next, June 16th, at 4:30 o'clock, P.M. in the Circuit Court Room, City Hall. In the evening a public meeting will be held at Wall's Opera House. May I ask you to give us a few encouraging words on that occasion?

We expect addresses from O. T. Wetmore, M.W. Patriarch of National Div. and also from Hon. R. M. Forest of Dennis. Please be with us and speak to us.

Fraternally Yours,

F. M. Bradley, Deputy M. W. P.
Washington, D.C.
June 12th, 1875

Gen'l O. O. Howard,
U.S.A.
Washington, D.C.

General,

In view of your numerous benevolent and humane efforts in so many directions I venture to make bold enough to state, with all sincerity, the object of my visit:

It is my intention to avail myself of the lectures at one of the Colleges here for the purpose of studying Medicine; and, in order to turn my spare time to good account and to defray my expenses, I am anxious to obtain a place in a respectable family, either in lieu of board, I might instruct the children in my native language—German.

Many people would, no doubt, gladly embrace such an offer, and aware of your extensive acquaintance I would respectfully ask you to be so kind as to make mention of this to those of your many friends most likely to be desirous of procuring my services.
With testimonials and references ready for inspection

and begging leave for this intrusion upon your valuable

time

I have the honor to remain, General,

Very Respectfully,

Your obedient servant,

Aug'Benning

Staff A. G. O.

Room 55

War Dept.
New York, June 12, 1873.

Gen. O. O. Howard—

Dear Sir— I am engaged on the revision of the American Cyclopaedia for the new edition of which the first volume is just published. The enclosed notice of yourself is of course very unsatisfactory. I only send it that you may see the style of notice which we publish.

Our biographies must be very brief—mere skeletons, but as exact and full in date as possible, so that the largest amount of real information may be given.

Will you have the kindness...
To correct any errors which you see in the enclosed, and make such additions as you see fit.

I have written nothing about the University, simply because I had no exact data. Of course, we will send an account of your work there, and any other work or writing done to the latest date.

With sincere respect and regard. I am in behalf of the Editors - very truly,

Franklin Noble