

Buffalo, N. Y. Nov 25 1878

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Genl. J. O. Raymond  
Swarth

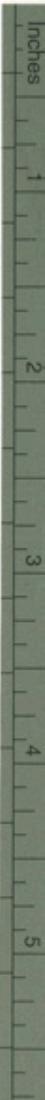
Yours of the 11<sup>th</sup> is  
rec<sup>d</sup> and the enclosed an  
Statement of the Assessment  
on your Lots. which is the  
highest they could be sold  
for. say within one year  
and on time - My land  
been worth over \$6,000 but  
not now. We will be pleased  
to take charge of these lots.  
Our Taxes would be about  
2 per cent per year.

Yours Truly,

James F. Sanford.

Real Estate & Ins. Agents. 16 West Swan St. Cor. Bank.

*[Faint, illegible cursive handwriting on aged, yellowed paper. The text is mirrored across a vertical fold line.]*



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Dalles Oregon Nov <sup>28</sup> 35<sup>th</sup>

Dear O.O. Howard Sir

I did not expect

I would have anything to write

So. <sup>soon</sup> I meet Cornoyer U. R.

agent and I had a long talk  
with him, that bad warming  
Indian Chief qua-pa-ma

you have got him at the W. S.

R. <sup>but he as oly been there a short time</sup> Cornoyer agreed with me  
that he was bad. Cornoyer

he likes you very much &

say you are persuing the  
right Corre. this, that every

time an Indian leaves a Reserve

is to arrest <sup>them</sup> & send <sup>them</sup>

away. he says these last Prisoners

will have a good effect with the  
indians & whets

Crossing the morning expect to  
be at Father Wilber's soon.

out of 25 Rangers only one had a  
clear head on the Indians. <sup>question</sup> 24  
very much down on the Indians,  
and incline to give them no show  
no more at present.

I remain your humble  
Servant Ned Chamberlain

Palace Hotel

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Genl. San Francisco. Nov. 27 1878.

Your attention is  
most respectfully called  
to the enclosed Slip.

Very Respectfully  
Yours O. S. S. S.

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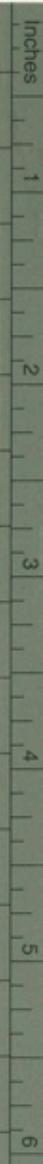
Palace Hotel

San Francisco, Mr. ...

Your attention is  
sincerely called

to the fact that  
I am ...

Very respectfully,  
J. M. ...



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Portland, Nov. 27 1878.

Gen O. Howard.

My Dear Sir: I thank you  
for your complimentary note  
that my remarks on  
the subject referred to  
have your approval is  
a circumstance which  
I can not but value.

It seems to me there  
is every reason to  
fear that we shall  
have yet greater diffi-  
culties. Surely it is  
not good policy on the  
part of Govt to send the  
captured Barracks  
and Walkers & Yakima  
Every circumstance

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seems to tend con-  
stantly to inflame  
whites and Indians  
more and more against  
each other - A greater  
number of boats  
massed in the upper  
country I fear a  
bloody reckoning -

Yours truly

J. W. Scott,

"Howard's Campaign Against the Nez Perce  
Indians."

A pamphlet with the above title, written by Mr. Thos. A. Sutherland, who was a volunteer Aid-de-Camp on Gen. Howard's staff during the campaign, has just reached us. The author is a young gentleman of good abilities, who accompanied Gen. Howard and remained with him, sharing all the dangers and fatigues of the long pursuit of Joseph through Idaho and Montana.

The work is well written, and gives a truthful account of what happened. Like all those who knew whereof they were writing, the author, in his appreciations of Gen. Howard, differs widely from the stay-at-home critics and fault-finders who were so ready to judge and condemn without proper knowledge. The work has a peculiar interest for Idaho readers at this time, who will find it both interesting and instructive.

From the  
"Idaho Statesman"  
June 15 1878

811, 21<sup>st</sup> St.  
Washington D.C.  
Nov. 28<sup>th</sup> 1878.

Gen. C. O. Howard

Dear Sir;

I would like very much to add the above mentioned pamphlet to my Indian library, and will be obliged if you will, if convenient, have a copy sent me. Also copies of any other publications touching our Indian matters, which may be at your disposal for distribution.

Very respectfully

W. B. Lewis

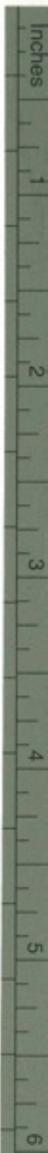
Lewis S. Hayden

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From the  
Miss M. M.  
Jan 12 1877

My dear Miss M.  
I have just received  
your letter of the 10th  
and am glad to hear  
from you. I am well  
and hope these few  
lines will find you  
the same. I have not  
time to write you  
more at present but  
will do so again  
soon. Give my love  
to your mother and  
father. I am  
Dear Miss M.  
Your affectionate  
friend  
Miss M. M.



answered  
but with  
Chamberlain

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Takma City N. J.

Gen O. O. Howard

Nov 30 1878

Dear Sir

The Klickitat Valley is filling with settlers very fast. but there is room for thousands yet. fall wheat looks well. Oats 1.00 Per Bushel wheat 70 ct Per Bushel Hay 15 to 20 Per ton. I was told by Doc Ashitt whom rides around considerable that the community had organized into a vigilance committee to rid themselves of cattle & horse thieves.

Nov 26 Started across the mountains with Indian George. we meet several Indians & he told them that I had meet them Prisoners. and he told them not to stay long on the Columbia. I think this will have a good <sup>effect</sup> with the whites & Indians. I stayed with him that night at his camp on Canyon Creek. it was something new to be a white man in his camp & that night his wigwom

was full I met several that I knew. I learned from the old men that that there was a good many who did not like Rev Wilber. I meet an Indian here. that had been to Moses Camp & he was on his way to the warsprings. I know the Indian but I could not find out his business early in the morning the "Fetish man" or the "Dremer" give them a "Sermon" to which they listen very attentively. it froze ice over an inch thick on the mountain snowed a little. Indians traveling around & seem friendly Yakama City is a good point to gather information see white men & Indians here from all parts of the country. I heard Mr Wilber had a row with an Indian & the Indian got him by the neck. I will give you this in detail when I come home. very fine country & very fine wether. Flour 4.50 Per Bushel wheat 75 Per Bushel oats 45 to 55 Per Bushel Hay 4.00 to 7.00 Per Tonne

Mr Wilber as not gone yet to see Moses but I think he will soon. there is not any of the Indians anxious to go with him. I found there was a letter being circulated for signatures to send to you for troops but I have not seen it. as no one knows my business I hear a great deal I find all along the people are incline to be prejudiced against the army officers. My horse stumbles very much he fell with me twice he hurt my leg. I am not feeling very well just now I will write soon again.

I remain  
Your Humble Servant  
Ned Chamberlain  
N.B.  
Think of me in  
your Prayers - Ned

Recd Dec 17 1876 C.M.

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Van Ettenville... N. York.  
Nov. 30/86

General Howard.

Dear Sir,

Will you be  
so kind, to inform me when this General  
Barnum is in your company I recd  
a notice in the paper the other day  
it was a dispatch from San Francisco  
how this company had captured a  
tribe of Indians and in this company  
was a man by the name of Common

and would you be so kind as to  
find out who he is and where he is  
now, and what his first name is  
I will send you his Photo and see  
if it is the same one I think it is. My  
Husband went away about 100 years  
ago and have never heard from him  
since and I think this is him you  
will do me a great favor by writing  
and letting me know about this man  
if this is him tell him to write me  
for I am very anxious to hear from  
him. Direct.

Carmie Corner.

Van Ettenville Cherry Co.  
N. Y.

Boston City on Nov 30, 1878  
 Genl O. O. Howard  
 U.S.A. Fort-Franco, W.F.

Dear Sir

Will you please do me the favor  
 to suggest to Sr Obsterin the pay-  
 ment of my ranches which he  
 has held for a long time and that  
 are properly audited

Navigation will soon be closed  
 on the "Columbia" necessarily delay-  
 ing of my getting checks cashed by  
 sending to Bank after their receipt.

Wanting rate of legal interest  
 my advance on Grain &c for which  
 these ranches were drawn, I am at a  
 loss for I had every arrangement  
 that payment would be made  
 in August last, otherwise I should  
 have let grain contracts fall into hands  
 of speculators, rather than to have invested

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London 11th Nov 1818  
Dear Sir  
I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 10th inst. in relation to the above mentioned subject.

I have the honor to inform you that the same has been forwarded to the proper authorities for their consideration. I am, Sir, very respectfully,  
Your obedient servant,  
J. G. ...

many as I have. Even rent of buildings  
here pay by Genl. Whelan & Maj. Cushing.  
I have paid in coin long since the  
full amount for which the vouchers  
are drawn. The delay has been  
rather embarrassing. I expect the  
money before now to meet obligations  
I have made.

With kind regards, hoping you  
have recovered from the hardships of  
last summer's campaign which indeed  
so successfully to whose energy the  
people of this section accord you  
many premiums,  
Yours truly,  
H. Craig

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*John ...*  
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