Agency at Washington Aug 12th 1879

Gen. O. C. Howard
Dear Gen.

I enclose a slip cut from my New-York daily paper. I think Major Breckinridge was a classmate of yours and you may like to see this tribute to your friend.

Yours Truly

G. M. Field
Olympia, Aug 12th 1879

My dear General,

5. I have the honor to submit to you a report of the condition of the 5th Inf. in the field on the 20th inst., and another claim on the 31st. I wish to point out that the 5th Inf. is not able to execute orders as rapidly as they should, and that the regiment is in a state of insubordination.

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Indictment being found by the Grand Jury, the case should be continued until the next term. And that no moment of time be spared for the arrest.

This will afford ample time for the Department of Justice, under the able direction of Mr. Graham, to investigate the facts.

In the meantime, I am informed by Captain Moore and Mr. Farwell, that the case is a very clear one, and that you had ample cause to arrest him.

Or if not arrested by any means customary, that you had no information of the

I will be most pleased to hear from you, and ascertain the facts, if it be desired.

In the mean time, I am confident that you had been notified of the
Washington, D.C., Aug 16, 1879

Mr. O. D. Howard

My Dear Sir,

Enclosed please find P.O. Order for $2.00 to cover the amount of reference for deed of land. I am very glad you had it executed at the whole matter was adjusted before the Admiral's death.

Very truly yours,

Wm. Ballantyne
Marysville, Cal. August 16, 1879

Gen. O. O. Howard:

Dear Friend,

I have arrived at home all safe. I left Dr. Bakers son at Sacramento. got on the Marysville train. got in to Marysville at six o'clock. met my brother there. My brother was not expecting me so soon. My brother sends his kind regards and thanks you for your kindness towards me. enclosed you will find the three dollars wish I hope is right with kind regards to you and your son. I am very respectfully.

Your Friend

Addie Shepard
Due to the handwriting, the content of the document is not legible.
Portland Aug. 18, 1879

Gen. O. C. Howard

Dear Brother —

The Ex-Cow of the Sab. S. Conv. wish you speak on Tuesday eve. 7th upon the topic — Needs — Items — More Fidelity as noted in the enclosed programme.

If you cannot attend to do this service, will you engage Mr. J. Judy, or some other S.B. worker at Vancouver or vicinity to do this service and notify us thus assuring it.

Yours truly,

G. H. Atkinson

Cor. Sec. for Ex.Con.
To O. O. Howard

My Dear Sir,

I have the honor to address you. At the request of an intimate friend, I wish to inquire if you of the standing and character of one S. Goodwin who represents himself as being in your employ, and who refers to you as to who he is. He has made proposals of marriage to a highly respectable young lady. Whose brother requests me to make them to you. I am not asking too much of you.

I remain your
Old Servant

Thos. O. Page
Preside.
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Gentleman, Howard,

Dear General,

The D. I. order to be consistent with his views in relation to giving orders to officers, and to be consistent with the action recently taken by him upon an application of the Army of the Pacific, Mr. Wright, the order to withdraw his conscript to the nearest of his order in your care.
The "S" is authorized to come to San Francisco.

Hoping that authority it is convenient for you to come the journey in your own time, so you don't have visiting plans in your own city or so.

I think that is just what I want about this.

The C.O. kept anyone who cannot have journey here in the way.

Hoping you have had a pleasant week and expecting that we did not find you
W.O. H. Hancock, Capt.
At Sea Off Cape N. Verde, Indies
August 22, 1879

Gent. O. C. Howard

Dear Sir,

I hope you will forgive this extra copy of your favor to wards line, especially as I am about to report to you to-day. You can best judge of your mind, the fact that the Navy has ever had your head. Quakers in my youth, Mrs. Virginia Cook, house at Sackville, near Alexandria, Virginia, when I was there but a boy, and everyone in my circle, to write letters to you to go and have great service to me. There is seen to be a vacancy in the 11th of my corps, and I am very anxious if possible to obtain the appointment.
My Mother as you are probably aware lost very little during the war and I was stationed in the Virginia Corps in 1873 that I might contribute to the support of you and my sisters. And for that reason I don't think that I may be better able to help them. Than taking the liberty of writing you, to ask of the circumstances are clear in my mind that you would be kind enough to send one or two letters that now know my mother during those long days and can only to do it all that I can. I have your letters that you will have to send me and I think that you will write and send them. I thank you for the letter from you and hope to hear from you.

Yours very respectfully,

[Signature]

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Portland Aug. 22 - 1879

Sir: O.O. Howard U.S.A.

Dear Sir,

Your name has been mentioned for President or Professor in Pacific University.

It was a grateful surprise to me to learn that you had expressed a favorable view of the proposition.

Allow me to ask if I may be authorized to present your name to the Trustees for either of these positions, and if so, which one?

We are in correspondence, as you may know, with friends east on the choice of a President. We are not sure with what results, as yet.

Yours very cordially,

A.H. Ackerman
Sec., T.A. P.W.
Dallas, 25th August 1879

Dear Sir,

I send you by locomotive's boat (Tuesday) a box of our Reaches which I trust safe to hand and in good order. I am sorry our fruit is so small this year but I hope you will find them of good balance.

Please accept our regards and believe us as ever,

Yours Very Truly,

[Signature]

[Signature]
My dear Godfather,

I received your letter about Gracie's engagement, and do congratulate her with all my heart. Aunt Emma is also to be married in October and like all the French's is to marry in the army. A lieutenant Curtis of the 2nd Artillery. I hope to stand as bridesmaid for her. Her prospects are not very bright as she is going to San Antonio and expects to camp out for the winter. Dear Gent, I am ever so much obliged to you for your lovely Christmas present, and do hope you will.
Forgive my tardiness in acknowledge it. I read it with great pleasure and when I finished it, I said, "If I could be only half as good as the dear man who wrote it, I would be as happy girl."

I have spent almost every moment of Edith's visit with him, and the summer has been an unspeakably pleasant one. Two weeks of it we spent with Grandma and my aunts at East Hampton on Long Island. Another hopes to write soon to Grace. All from 182 So. 17th St.

My dear friend,

Chava has just given me a pretty letter but 'for you. I cannot let it be mailed without adding a line of love for you all. be think & speak of you very often, if we do not write. I appreciated the dear letter from Grace & will write as soon as possible. Edith leave us tomorrow. She has had a very happy vacation, and it would give me great pleasure to see the glad welcomed back to the camp. Chava wants to go to the 26th Ball but I am well it cannot be done. Elia & I spent two Sundays at Paumanok Beach with Edith.

I am all enjoyed the fishing in the gulf, the fishing re. Edith & looking through & better than

Love,

Cora F. Grebel
Vancouver Fr. O. August 27th 1879

Gen. O. Howard U.S.A.
Headquarters Vancouver Barracks

Dear Sir,

I am directed to send you the enclosed documents concerning the St. James Mission Claim at Vancouver, which the Rt. Rev. Bishop A.M.B. Blanchet promised to forward to you, when he had the honor to meet you few weeks since, going to Walla Walla. The Bishop entertains no doubt, that, by reading them attentively, you will be convinced that the Catholic Mission is entitled to the section of land it claims, and that the Government is doing a great wrong and causing an immense damage to our Church, in delaying the just acknowledgment of its title.

I have the honor, General, to be

Your devoted Servant

General O. Howard U.S.A.  Segidius Junger F.G.
Headquarters Vancouver Barracks. Fr. P.
Gen. O. B. Howard:

Dear Sir:

We propose to hold in this city, on the 1st and 2nd of October, a reunion of the survivors of Andersonville and other Southern prisons, and we confidently expect an attendance of between 2,000 and 3,000 such. If you could make it convenient to be present at the meeting it would delight us all, very much.

Yours truly,

John H. Elroy.
able to your approval and receive your unequivocal approval. I shall
reach by the middle of September to
be in receipt of your order to report to
you in person. Please remember to
accept my resignation.

Sincerely yours,

Dr. Taylord.


Farmington, Maine.
August 29, 1879.

My dear Taylord:

I arrived in New York on the 4th of July. The attention of my
leave of absence expired the 30th instant. Some weeks ago General
Sherman wrote me, it was not
expected I should return at Fort
Vancouver at the expiration of
my leave, but to report to the
Adjutant General of the Army, and
apply for orders, which I have
done, and I am authorized to
await orders here after the 30th
instant. I think I am fully
instructed, and am at any
color for duty as a Capt. man
can be economically be. For various
reasons I cannot be assigned to
fully as Adjutant General at the Headquartes which I prefer and
in your case, even if it were permitted me, I do not wish to in-
clude with O'Conor, and as I am sure I can have I do not want.

However, finding a permanent assignment, I have good reason
for expecting that if you will allow for me, by telegram to
the Adjutant General, to be assigned to duty at your Head-
quartes as Assistant Inspector General (which I am sure you
will do, I presume), and Judge Advocate, either or both. The assignment
will probably be made. Of

course I prefer the duty which can be
my own position, e.g. that of
Inspector. If Aarons is now
in that position, if he has
strong objections, I do not wish
to interfere with him. Perhaps he

would like as well the duties of Judge
advocate. In any event as to an
warm personal friend, I know
Aarons would like to have me
came back to Vancouver, and I
should not permanently displace
him as Inspector. On the other hand,
quality as Inspector, I suppose
I could take him at Portcullis,

if that would be agreeable to me
for while as I shall bring my
own going to Vancouver as often
as necessary. I then dispose of
officer. All my property and
personal effects are at Vancouver.

I also have considerable mailing
interests in Alaska. For these reasons,
avo all my personal acquaintance
and friends in the Dept. B.C.
and more officially your own, I

refer this detail. I write of you,
Churchill's resigned. If my De-
call as Inspector is perfectly agree.
Sœur d’Alene I.T.
Aug., 30th, 1879

Sfr. Q. O. Howard,
Vancouver I.T.

Dear Sir:

Enclosed please find passes for yourself and one from Council Bluffs to Chicago, and return. I am very sorry that Pa could not do better for you. It is on account of the B. & O. having shut down on giving passes. Pa wishes to be kindly remembered, and says he would be much pleased to see you, and serve you at any time, when in his power. I hope that the enclosed will be of some service to you.

My regards to the Madams and Miss Grace.

Very respectfully,

P. T. Hancock