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H. B. CARRINGTON, Gen'l Manager.

New York, April, 19th 1882

General,

I enclose outline of Circular of my new work, designed for Officers, Students & general scholars, and will furnish the Cadets, through any regular channel, the work for \$9.00 per dozen. It explains itself and gives a clear history of each battle from sources that are now accepted as standard.

With very best personal regards
 I am your obedient servant
 Henry Harrington

Maj Gen O. O. Howard, U.S.A.
 West Point - New York.

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New York City
April 19. 1882.

Enclosed by the
Post April 20/82.



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Washington D. C.
April 19th 1882.

Gen. O. O. Howard,
West Point N. Y.

Dear Sir

No doubt you
heard the bill passed the Senate, about two
weeks ago, and is now in the House, believing
you feel interest, thought you would like to
hear from us on the subject. We were unable to
find you when last in the city. I want to
ask you to give me a letter of introduction
to Mr Dingley from Maine, we need all
the force we can summon in the House,
Gen I will also trouble you to see if
Mr Riley could find employment on
the Railroad. That you spoke of, as
it will be some time before the bill
will be acted on, we are compelled to
find some means to live on.



Letter of introduction
to Mr Dingley sent
Apr 20/82

Washington
April 19 1882

we have tried everything here for
employment but it seems out of the
question for us. Thanking you for past
favors and hoping that I will hear
from you soon.

I remain respectfully

Your friend

Mrs. Thomas F. Riley

208 D. St N. W.

Wartoville Ind Apr 20th 1887

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Mr Howard

Dear Sir, I am much pleased
with the kind answer you re-
turned me in answer to my
letter. ~~Though~~ ^{NEVER} excepted.

I am aware of the heavy de-
mand of your time and ~~and~~

I was aware so at the time I
wrote the letter, but I was eager

to get correspondence with you
and that is the cause. I am also

very thankful for you giving
information concerning where

the answers to my questions
could be obtained. If Frank W.

Galbraith is in attendance at
the Academy tell him to write

to me. I want to see if he is
any relation to our family.

My father came from Penn.
His name is Joseph W. Gal-
braith. If he is in attendance

tell him to be sure and write
Mr Howard I am very very thank-
ful for your kindness in answer-
ing my questions and information.

Yours Respt Harry Galbraith

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Philadelphia
April 30. 1882.

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My dear General.

Thanks for the slip from the New York daily Tribune, the article was delayed for some time after the conversation was held with you and I began to fear would not be published, In my mind it vindicates your actions on the two fields of Chancellorsville and Gettysburg and to every unprejudiced mind will point to you as the one, who by concentrating your troops on Cemetery Hill, stopped the progress of the Rebels and thereby gave our Army time to arrive and defeat the villains, I cannot understand why Doubleday should so misrepresent you, he certainly could not expect to elevate himself by trying to defame you, even had you made errors in some of your movements, he if he were a generous man would make some apology for rather than belittle you, he certainly has sense enough to know that all Commanders have made mistakes and they would be infallable if they did not

You have done right, when you charged him with saying what was absolutely false, when he states that you remained in perfect indifference all day on the battle of Chancellorsville. It would please me and many of your friends if you would kick him a little harder. Time will vindicate you if it does come "little by little"

I was much pleased with your son James. He became quite a favorite with all my family and with the young ladies from Washington. Miss Gibson daughter of Doct Gibson M.D. and Mrs Pennington daughter of Col Pennington M.D. they remarked. How different he talks with us from most other young men. He talks sensibly and considers that we are sensible creatures, while most young men think that silly conversation is agreeable to us, in this they make a great mistake, for we laugh at their folly. James will make his mark in the world. I wish him success.

At this moment Baker laid on my desk a letter from you, I skimmed over it and see that you have tried to annihilate the theory of the twelve

Archaeologists as to their statement of the age of the Egyptian dynasties, Twelve against one is an overwhelming number. I have not time at present to discuss the subject, but let me assure you, that had there 12 learned men made the date of Moses 10,000 years anterior to Christ it would not destroy my confidence in the sacred word. With much love from all of us to you and yours

I am faithfully
Your friend
Caleb B. Noble

There came a letter to my house directed to Mr. C. B. Howard. I suppose it was intended for James, I send it to you

House of Representatives,

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Washington, D. C., Apr. 20, 1882.

Dear General:

The Military Academy bill has been referred to the House Committee on Appropriations with the amendments made thereto by the Senate. Mr. Blackburn informed me today that he would call it up in Committee in a day or two, and Mr. Hiscok assured me that he would see that it was acted on by Tuesday at the farthest. I understand that the Senate amendments have been agreed to by the Sub-Committee, and feel confident that the swimming bath and fountain train will be confirmed by the full Committee.

and passed by the House. I am
not certain about the fate of the
one thousand dollars for incidental
expenses, but think I can see fair
indications that it will be retained.
I have members of the Committee to
whom I have spoken about it and
the amount should be secured, and I
have hopes of that a sufficient
number of votes will be given in the
Committee to retain it. I will ad-
vise you as soon as definite ac-
tion is had.



Genl. O.O. Howard
West Point
N.Y.

Genl.
John M. Carson
March 20. 1882.
Washington, D.C.

Carson, John M.

No. 1196.

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NICHOLAS F. PALMER, President.
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Leather Manufacturers National Bank

29 WALL STREET.

NEW YORK April 21st 1882

To
Gen W. O. Howard Esq

Cashier.

Sir.

"Postud"
your letter of the 20th inst with enclosures as stated
& as requested, have mailed you check for
("Stamped") which we chge to you \$1 ⁶⁰

I am very respectfully
Yours obt^d Servt.

D. L. Holden Cashier.

Wm. B. Bant

New York, N. Y.
April 21. 1882.

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Mr. & Mrs. Thomas Chester
request the pleasure of your company,
Friday Evening, April 21st,
at 8 o'clock,
at their residence, No. 522 Delaware Ave.,
to attend a

→ Reception ←

given to Maj.-Gen. O. O. Howard, and
other gentlemen, in the interest of the

Young Men's Christian Association,

Plans and Elevations of the proposed new
building will be exhibited, but no
subscriptions solicited.

R. S. V. P.

1. Courage,

2. Be a Christian

4 Pm

3. God's Love in Christ

7.35

4. Forgiveness

7.55

5. Repentance

8.20

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International Committee of
Young Men's Christian Associations,
23rd Street, Cor. 4th Avenue,
New York.

COLLEGE DEPARTMENT.

L. O. Wishard, ⁶³
COLLEGE SECRETARY.

April 21 1882.

Gen. O. O. Howard,
My Dear Sir—

I have recently had an experience in which you will doubtless be interested. Some days ago I visited North Georgia Agricultural College, Dahlonega Ga. for the purpose of addressing the College Y. M. C. A. I was met and warmly greeted upon my arrival by Col. Hayle, Commander of the Cadets and one of the instructors in the College. During our conversation I learned that he had known you on the Pacific coast. He spoke of you affectionately and made frequent references to your Christian life which evidently had impressed him deeply.

He seemed very desirous of conversing upon religious subjects, and finally unburdened his feelings to me to an extent which I have not time now to relate in full. He has lately as I learned from others begun leading a very different life from that which formerly characterized him. He has as you know long been an avowed infidel.

but having been seriously shaken in his belief
and desiring to know the truth, he urged the
students to organize a Bible class of which
he might be a member & learner. This was soon
converted into a Y.M.C.A. and while Col Hoyle
still professes very grave doubt as to the truth
of revelation, he is one of its warmest support-
ers. I never found a man so wrought up as
he appears to be. He seems ready to clutch at
any thing which will lift him upon a firm founda-
tion. He wants help of prayer. I have seldom
become so deeply interested in a case as in his.
I will you telling these facts, thinking you
will be interested in praying for him and may
wish to write him. Your knowledge of him &
his high personal regard for you, will give you
a hold upon him which may draw him into the
light.

Very cordially yours,

L. D. Wishard

L. D. Wishard

His address is
Col. Hoyle
N. Gu. Agit. House
Dahlongga Gu.

APR 24 1892
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Friday ^{L.A.P. 3} 21. 1892

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I wish that you
saw it way clear to come - If
~~however~~ it should turn out so, you may
be sure of a most hearty welcome,
not only from me - but from all the
Churches. Yours with great respect

Edw. W. Kelly

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4 Winthrop Place, New York
April 22. 1882

Please send me the address of John
Forsyth, D.D., if you have it, and
oblige. Truly Yrs.

C. F. Deems

per C.



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THIS

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Genl

West Point.

N.Y.

L. W. SCOVILLE.
R. S. TERRY.

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Lynchburg, Virginia.



Atlanta, Ga. April 27, 1882

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Genl. O. O. Howard.
W. L. Military Academy.
Sir,

In the matter of leave of absence for Capt. W. P. Maury, I will state:—
His property was in the hands of a guardian for about fourteen years, the guardianship terminating a year ago when Maury came of age. The property was considerable, consisting mainly of city lots & contingent interests in valuable farm lands. No settlement with the guardian has yet been secured. The apparent dissipation of much of the property and heavy encumbrances on the rest have necessitated litigation. This litigation is more complicated from the fact of his having taken charge of affairs himself more than a year ago,

and having attempted, without ex-
cuse and proper legal advice, to
effect a settlement. I came into
case last May and found matters
a state of confusion. Before his
departure for West Point I fortified
myself with such affidavits as
I considered necessary. It was
only in the following September
that the line of defense was clearly
indicated. The affidavits already
taken proved entirely inadequate.
The entire fourteen years of guardianship
are involved in the suit. The
Court has ordered an account to
be taken for the whole period.
The larger part of the account
represents personal transactions
between the minor and his guardian
constituting matters of dispute, subject
to proof and counter-proof, to such
extent that I conscientiously
believe it will be impossible
to carry the case at all without
the oral testimony and refusal

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Lynchburg, Virginia.

Atlanta, Ga.

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presence. I am aware that affidavits can be taken at the ready; but I believe you will appreciate the extreme difficulty & impossibility of meeting the necessities of this case by means of affidavits, as well as the profound regret of being compelled to say that I consider his presence urgent and absolutely necessary.

With much respect
Your Obedt Servt
W E Pinford

466 West Garnett

Curford, N. E.

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Atlanta, Ga.

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April 22/82.

Answered by
the Genl April 24/82



Barrell, J. D.

Cambridgeport
April 22. 1882

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342 Broadway,
Cambridgeport, Mass.,
April 22, 1882.

Gen. O. T. Monson,
New Point,
N. Y.

Dr. Sir:

Your excellent
letter, to be read to
my pupils, was duly
received.

Permit me to

Thank you most
heartily for your cour-
tesy and kindness,
and to assure you
that you will
speak to my pupils
through your letter,
as often as we
study the history of
the Rebellion

Very respectfully Yrs.
Jas. S. Barwell,
Master Channaham Sch.

Lt. Guy Howard
I enclose Genl. Darnley's note.

Answered by
the Genl April 25/82



Hort Mowbray
22 April 1882.

Hort
Dear father

I have received your note of the 17th & the deeds. I had the impression that you held the land in trust for me. Otherwise I would not have troubled you. Though your joining does no harm; it was not absolutely necessary & put you to needless trouble. I am sorry to have raised any question as to the time months summer been as I have a plenty of here one & only applied in that way because it seemed the most simple. As Department Commander can you extend

my leave more than one
month? You speak of this
arrangement giving me three
which I don't see. That
would only take me to the
end of June. I want at least
two more months to the last
of August when you said
you would require my services.
I will be able to leave here
Thursday or Friday evening
getting home the next night.
I have shipped all my
freight. It started yesterday
I am at the Babbitts where
I have been since Tuesday.
Jamie wrote me he was
not going to Boston: so
I fancy he is at home.

I have one more Examination
Drill, that of Mechanical
Manoeuvres of Heavy Artillery
Wednesday Evening I believe
Certificates of Graduation
are to be presented with
some reading of Essays on
parts of Essays. I would
ask to go before but think
I had better remain to that.
I would like to have letters
of introduction to Mr. Levin
P. Morton & Mr. Lowell from
some friend of each if you
think of one by whom an
introduction would be probably
better than to introduce myself.
With much love to mother & all
Affectionately yours ever
Gey

Washington, D.C.

Hampton, Va.
April 22. 1882.

Answered by the
Genl. Apr 29/82.



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Hampton N. H. Inst.

Hampton Va.

Apr. 22, '82.

Dear Sir -

I enclose for your
perusal three circulars
that you may have an idea
of what we are doing.

Miss Davidson and myself
go north next week in the
interest of the school building
and any aid you can render
us either in the distribution
of these circulars or in get-
ting an opportunity for me
to put our cause before churches
or other public bodies will
be of great help to us.

I hope to be able to see you
before I return south in or-
der that you may fully
understand the
condition of the school.

Any Communication
sent here will always
reach me.

Yours Respectfully,
B. Washington