

File, Ans. March 27/16.

303. Island Park Assembly.

A. H. GILLET, SUPERINTENDENT.

Wyoming, Ohio, March 23 1886.

Gen. O. O. Howard.
Omaha Neb.

My Dear Sir.

I have arranged
work for you at the assemblies
as follows.

Waseca Minn. July 3 to 5.

Address Grand Army Day July 3.

Island Park. Rome City Ind. July 27 & 28.

Grand Army Day July 27.

Lakeside O. July 29 to 31.

Minona Lake Aug. 9 to 11.

The fee for each place will be
125 and expenses except at
Lakeside Ohio where it will
be 125. The net price to you being
one hundred dollars and the
balance after paying expenses

balance after paying expenses
on hundred dollars and the
at 125. The out-price before paid
Subscribed Ohio when it was
125 and expenses except at
the for for each place was 25
Minnesota Lake Aug 2 & 11

Subscribed O. July 29 & 31
Minnesota Lake July 27
Subscribed Port. June 25 July 27 & 28
Subscribed Port. July 27
Minnesota Lake July 27

as follows:
work for the summer
to pay the balance
to the

March 28 1882

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March 23 1888

Wyoming, Ohio,

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to go to the Bureau. He may make other engagements, will do so if possible. Would you be willing to go anywhere for less for if en route?

Please send me specific topics for your addresses and state where you will start from for Musca. I will then write you giving routes and providing passes where possible. Hoping that this plan will be acceptable to you I am

Sincerely Yours
A. H. Gillet

March 23 1888

Gen. Wash. D.C.

Wyanburg, O.

March 23:86

Gillet, A. H.

States states of Genl.
H's. lectures during the
coming summer.

Ans. Mich. 27:86.

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CAMBRIDGE BLOCK,
PORTLAND, OR.
and
VANCOUVER, W. T.

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STENOGRAPHER, — 305.
NOTARY PUBLIC,
COMMISSIONER FOR OREGON

File. Aug. May 1. 1886.

JOHN W. COCHRAN,
ATTORNEY AT LAW.

Vancouver B.C. March ²³ 1886

My Genl. V. Howard

Dear Old friend

Thanks be to God
you have triumphed over
your selfish rival enemies
and a true K. C. S. has been
made Commander of the
Div of Pacific - Whistly
ships &c are now in your old
Garrison grounds and
the good people pray you to
clean them out. Catholics
Healy talk of starting one
up there. We feel that
your influence will again
be felt to rid this dept of
infidel - bad men
in clerical positions here
who respect neither God
nor man - When

are you coming up
to see the people.

We want to know
so we can let it be
known and turn out,
to meet you at the
wharf - and I have a
long story
to tell you of some
matters here which
you can set right
as between myself and

Again we thank God
for your triumph
I am

Yours truly
John W. Cochran

Vancouver B.C.
March 23. 1886

Cochran, W.

Congratulations

Private

Mrs. May 11. 1886

File. Ans March 27 1866

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Fort Mackinac, Mich.
March 23d. 1866.

Dear General Howard.

I am a stranger, but I hope you will permit me to congratulate you most heartily upon your appointment as Major General. I wish it had come earlier. I know both of your brothers. Rev. R. B. I met a couple of months ago at the Cong. Club, in Washington. Charles when in the Seminary in 1860-61, was my sister's S. S. teacher, and married a school mate, and very dear friend of many's.

I have long wished for the pleasure of meeting you, but the chances of the Service have not rendered it possible.

I never saw you but once. That was as my Corps (6th) took up the pursuit after Gettysburg. Yourself and staff were drawn up beside the road, under a tree, as we passed.

I have "messed" all Winter with a
relative of yours Dr. J. R. Bailey our
post Surgeon.

I have been very anxious of late,
fearing your eminent services, and
great sacrifices might not be recog-
nized. Hope your new station may
prove a pleasant one, and wish it
might be Div. Atlantic, though I
presume it will not, from what the
papers say. Pardon this intrusion

General, but I wanted to express my
gratification at your promotion.

Very Respectfully,

G. A. Goodale

Captain 23d Regt
Cavalry

Major Genl.

G. A. Howard

U. S. A.

Omaha Neb.

Fort Mackinac, Mich.

Mich. 23^d 1886.

Goodale, Capt. G. A.

Regrated to this.

Acc. Mich. 23^d 1886.

File Ans. March 29/86.

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Washington Mo.
3. 23. 86

Major. Gen. O. O. Howard
Omaha Neb.

Dr. General.

Accept the Congratulations
of a late Private under
your Command from
Chattanooga to Atlanta on
your ascend promotion
none watches with greater
interest the promotions of
Gallant officers than the
old Soldiers.

May Honor and happiness be
yours through life.

I am Dr General.

Resp. Yours. J. H. Green MD
Late 84' ~~Inf.~~ 2nd Brig 1st. Div. H. A. C.

Washington, Kans.
March 23: 86.
Greene, Dr., J. H.
Congratulations.

Acc. Mich. 29: 86.

Leichberg, Minn.
March 23rd '86.

Berglund, Mrs.,
L.M.

Congratulations.

File. Ans. Mar. 27/86.

Leichberg

308.

March 23-86

Dear General

It has been so many years
since we were stationed to-
gether at Fort Point that
possibly so I become an
individual may have pass-
ed out of your recollection.
But-I at least-I am pleasant
memories of those times & of
your kindness to Mr. Berglund
& myself. As it gives me

Ans. Mar. 27th '86.

J. J. M. Bayland is many thanks to you
with love in congratulations & good wishes.

Much pleasure to be among
the foremost of your friends
to congratulate you upon
your recent well merited
promotion. We hope you &
yours are in the enjoyment
of good health. Mamma
is with me & wishes to be
most kindly remembered -
She th very sincerely congratulates
you upon your good fortune.
With best wishes for your
continued prosperity & kindest
regards to Mrs. Howard

Yours

Very sincerely yr friend
L. M. Bayland

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Lancaster, Pa.,

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Mar 23

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My Dear General

Allow me to join your many other friends and admirers in my hearty congratulations upon your so well earned and richly deserved promotion to your present high rank in the service. The only fly in the ointment to us being that in giving it to you one act of injustice was done to you. But you are not alone in this, other heroes like Meade & Thomas had injustice done to them while they lived.

Unlike some of your civilian friends and admirers I have one privilege in being more able than they to know what Gen. Howard really is and not what some of his few enemies try to say ^{that} he is, as my winter spent at your headquarters in Letchum Valley gave me that privilege. Thus I can be the more pleased at your promotion and ~~very~~ understood



more clearly the injustice also
done to you, and I can also
appreciate more fully than they
how ~~see~~ very much the country
and our army have gained by
your promotion.

Hoping this will find you
enjoying good health, although
the year must commence to weigh
heavily upon you, for youth as I
was when I knew you find gray
hairs are even commencing to sprinkle
my head. I beg to remain

Yours, very truly
G. A. Reynolds

I,
Maj Gen O. O. Howard

Omaha, Neb
AUSA

What a pity Maj Stinson could not
have lived to see ~~you~~ and be proud
of your new rank. Poor Harry!
Cut off in the flower of his youth, so brave
and so noble.

Lancaster, Pa.
Mch. 23^d 1886.

Reynolds, G. W.
Congratulations.

Ans. Mch. 26th '86.

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Washington, D. C. Feb. 23. 1886.

Major-General C. C. Howard, U. S. A.,
Omaha, Nebr.

Dear Sir:

I have to acknowledge your kind
letter of recent date regarding my request
for a favorable letter from you to the Hon.
Secretary of War, relative to securing a dis-
charge from the Army for Private R. Gordon
Loeg, 7th U. S. Inftry. (Co. "B"), and to return
you my thanks therefor.

I am, very respectfully,

Allan Rutherford

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Washington, D. C. Feb. 23. 1884.

C. C. Weaver, Esq.,
U. S. District Court,
Washington, D. C.

I have a pleasure in acknowledging your letter of the 18th inst. and in reply to inform you that the same has been forwarded to the proper authorities for their consideration. I am, Sir, very respectfully,
Allan Rutherford

File

Rutherford, Allan.
See referred to last
J. Van Allen Esq.,
U. S. District Court,
Washington, D. C.

Washington, D. C.
Mar. 20. 1884.

Madison Barracks N. Y.
March 23. 1886.

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Dear General,

I take the privilege of one of your old campaigners to send you a few words of congratulation on your promotion about which I, in common with many of your friends in the army, have been very anxious since Genl. Terry's nomination was announced. As you are reported to be going to the Presidio I fear I shall not soon again be under your command but if Fate decides otherwise it will be a great satisfaction to me.

Permit me to wish you many years of prosperity and happiness in your new position.

Yours most sincerely,
Harry C. Egbert.

Accd

Madison, N.Y.

March 10, 1876.

Esq. Kent, Capt. A. C.
Augustations.

Dec. 1876. 26: 86.

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Philadelphia Nov 23 1886

Gen O O Howard
Omaha Neb.

Dear Sir:

Your favor of the 17th is received and we are greatly obliged for your promptness in sending article on "Mexican War".

We beg to offer our Congratulations upon your recent advance in rank and position.

Will you not kindly favor us with the dates of your several changes and the work to which you have been assigned since the war, for use in a sketch of yourself in our forthcoming volume, including the last one (change) of a few days ago.

Yours very truly,
A. H. H.

Hubbard Bros
Sibbald

Mr. Lincoln, Dr.
Feb. 29, 1866

Dear General Davis,
and please sketch of
Genl. A. A. Leno.

Dec. 26, 86.

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Edgar, Neb., Mch 22 1886
May Gen. O. O. Howard
Omaha Neb.
General

In common with
the old soldiers accept
my congratulations on your
promotion and hope that
you may be yet spared
to be Commander in Chief
of the armies

I feel and it is I might
say the general feeling among
the old soldiers around
here that you were
entitled to the first
place vice Gen Hancock
Yours in F C & L
Genl Howard

Edgemoor, N.H.,
March 13: '86.

Harwood, E. E.
Congratulations.

Ans. March 25: '86,

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Dear General:-

I received your photograph some time ago and am waiting for the President to promote you for its introduction in our paper.

About the 1st. of May, the Graphic will begin the publication of a series of military articles by Union and Confederate Generals, to be contributed by suchmen as Gen. ~~N.~~ P. Banks, Gen. John Pope, Gen. Fitzhugh Lee, Gen. Buckner, Gen. Fremont, Simon Cameron, Gen. Early, Gen. Schofield and Gen. McCook. These articles will be profusely illustrated, giving views of scenes described, together with portraits of prominent persons mentioned, also ~~portrait~~ of the contributor. These articles will appear each week.

We would like to have an article from you on any of your military campaigns during the war or since, such as the pursuit of Chief Joseph and his band. We will make the very best illustrations, maps &c., which will, no doubt, add interest to the article.

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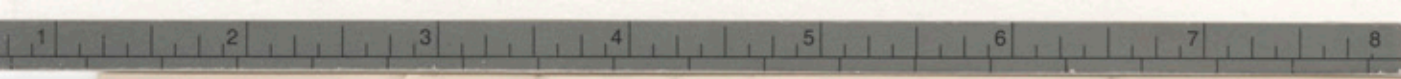
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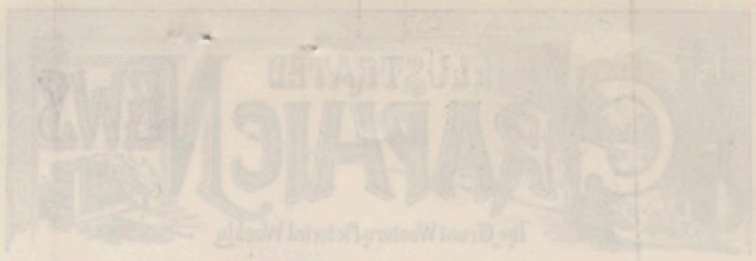
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Yours truly,

W. H. Woodbury

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To Genl O O Howard

File. Ans. March 25/86.

Dear General Please accept my
congratulation upon your promotion
H V Plummer

A Chaplain

9th Cavalry

St. Mo. & Quincy, Wyo.
Mich. Apr. 86.

Hummer, St. V.,
Alphonsus U.S.A.

Congruentia laticornis.

Qua. Mich. 25th 86.

File. Card sent by Gen.

309.

Chicago 3/25/16
Gen. O. O. Howard
Omaha
Neb

Dear Sir

Please be so kind as
to aid me in completing
a collection of autographs
by writing some sentiment
and date over your sig-
nature in the enclosed
card, kindly returning
same by the addressed
envelope and obliging

Yours Respectfully
D. G. L. Jma

Chicago, Ill.
March 29. 86.

Young, Dr., G. R.
Desires Genl. H's.
autograph.

Acc. Mch. 27. 86.

File. Ans. March 31 /86.

3/17,

Fort Tatum D.T.

March 25 1886-

Major General O O Howard
U.S. Army.

Omaha Mo

My Dear General

I most heartily
congratulate you on your promotion
to the full rank of Major General in
the U S Army, and I send to you my
very best wishes for your welfare
and happiness, and that of your family.
Success to you equal to your most
 sanguine expectations And may you
in the future journey of life live in
the sun light of happiness. All of this
Bennett family hurrah for General
O O Howard - Major General U.S.A.
Success to you, and happiness in
all the relations of life
Truly Your friend

Clarence E. Bennett
Captain 17th Infantry USA
Post col USA

Bennett, C. E.
Capt. 17th Infy.
Congratulatory.

Mar. 20: '86.

Dec. 31: '86.

Port Niagara, N.Y.
March 25th '86.
Howard, Mrs. Lucy
Congratulations.

File Fort Niagara, March 25th 1886.

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My dear General,

I feel very much ashamed
to think that I have let to
my own lapse since the
award of the desired promo-
tion, and sending you my
heartiest congratulations.

I was greatly grieved and
disappointed that Gen-
tery had the first vacancy.
But felt confident that you
would have the second one.

We are waiting as patiently
as we can, & find out just
where you are going -

I hope mother and Bessie
will soon come to see us.
I wish you would connect.
Guy feels quite blue over
Lincoln's affairs. It would
be a bad thing for us to
have him leave the farm.
Especially just now as my
tenant leaves the Howard
Street house April 15th - and
he had made all our plans
to visit friends in New
York in April. The pay-
ment of the note at the Bank
has taken all our savings
of this winter - But there
if we can pay our debts -

We hope to hear from you soon to give up -
I had a nice long letter from Susan saying
that they had married the baby James. I feel
my much pleasure indeed.

John keeps well. He is nothing - and
just the way subsiding and breathes. April
you could all be here.

My father and Mary join me in best
wishes. Affectionately from daughter
Lavinia.

Sate Virginia

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Morley Jones Co Iowa
March 25th / 1886,

Dear General

Please allow me to
congratulate you on your not only
well deserved But also well earned
Promotion to the Rank of Major
General U. S. A. and I hope you may
Enjoy a Sent. General's Rank in the near
future Are the Wishes of

William Seeger

Capt Private Co F 12 Ill 77. Inf
2nd Bzde 4th Div 15th Ar. Army of the Tennessee

Ans -

Morley, Isaac,
Mich. 25: 1886.

Seeger, William.
Congratulations.

Ans. Mich. 26: '86

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John J. McCafferty,

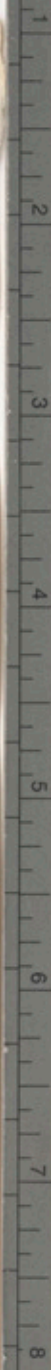
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Wm J. Howard Esq. ^{Wm J. Howard Esq.} Mar 25 1886

Dear General

I am just in receipt of a letter from
St Miller of Maha, enclosing a letter from
you to take in regard to the building of a bridge
across the Nebraska River. This matter originated
with the officers at Fort Randall they
are conversant with all the essential points in
this matter they know that this town offers super-
ior advantages in the way of good roads
and shorter distance to any other R.R. town
so our County Commissioners met some of the
officers of the fort and the result was a petition
to our member of Congress Mr Dorsey who is
now pushing this bill through Congress and he says
it would facilitate matters very much if he had
your recommendation of this matter. I therefore asked
my friend Dr Miller to speak of this matter to you
and our County Commissioners have made
out some papers and forwarded them to you



My Dear Sir

DEAR SIR

YOUR LETTER OF THE 10TH INST.

RECEIVED AND I AM GLAD TO HEAR

THAT YOU ARE WELL

AND HOPE TO SEE YOU SOON

AND TO TALK OVER WITH YOU

THE MATTER OF THE

RECENTLY

AND I AM SURE

THAT YOU WILL

BE GLAD TO

SEE ME

VERY TRULY

YOURS

J. H. [Signature]

W John J. McCafferty,

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O'Neill, Neb.,

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Through the post commander at
Fort Randall. I hope you'll give
me the required help — your approval

allow me to compliment you
on your merited promotion. May the
stars of your Major Genl. ship shine
with the same lustre as did your honest
and virtuous manhood in your post career.

And this is the wish of an old and
old friend

Yours respectfully
John J. McCafferty

Wm. H. H. H. H.
Wm. H. H. H.

Wm. H. H. H. H.
About bridge across
Michigan River &
congratulations.

Dec. 29: 88.

Washington, D.C.

March 25. '86.

M^r Millan, Hon.,

S. J. R.,

Introducing his son
J. B. M^r Millan.

File Ans March 29/86.

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Washington, D.C.

March 25. 1886

Major General O. O. Howard U.S.A.

Omaha

Sir.

General

This

will introduce to you my son
J. B. M^r Millan who will
present the note. He also
bears a communication from
the War Department which
he will hand to you. I beg

Ans. Mch. 29. '86.

also to congratulate you
on your promotion, which
is well deserved.

Very respectfully
Yours
S. J. Richardson

Fort Niagara, N.Y.
Mar. 25 '86.

Shaward, Lt., Gen.

About Simpson
being in trouble.

File.

322.
Fort Niagara N.Y.
25 March 1886

Dear father.

I have received today a letter from Simpson, who is evidently in great trouble. His wife is trying to make him give up the farm to come in town & stay with her. She is so sick that she cannot see what is for the best. I have written to him to talk the matter over with you & to show you my letter to him. Please advise him and show

him that it is his duty to
me, to his wife and to himself
to go ahead on the farm & make
a good living doing what
he can for his wife. Her
family might go with her
out there for the summer.
She has Bright's disease &
I don't think her mistaken
actions should be allowed
to ruin her husband and
break up our arrangements.

We were disappointed in
Harvey not getting his letter
today from home.

I hope mother may come on

soon. I would like the
chance too to talk to you
about the still vacant Judge
Advocate's position if you
should come East before
going to California which
I imagine will be your station.

We had company to lunch today
from the Canada side for the
first time, Mrs. Montmorency
of Omaha who is visiting in Niagara
and Archdeacon & Mrs. MacMurray.
All are very well & send love
home. Affectionately yours son
Henry

File Ans. March 29 1886.

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James Bannock La

Mar 20 1886

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May 1m O.O. Howard

U.S. Army

Omaha Neb

My dear General.

Permit me

to add my congratulations
to those of your many friends
upon your well earned
promotion and to hope
that it will bring you
increased health & happiness
but be less riches of
myself and family I
remain

Very Respectfully

Your friend

J. Bannock La

London, Ohio, Pa.
Mch. 25. 1886.
Throckmorton, Maj.,
Q. D.
Congratulations.

Acc. Mch. 29. '86.

File Ans. Mar 29/86. by Gen.

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Morgantown, W. Va.,

March 25. 1886.

My dear Gen. Howard:

I learn through the papers, that your well merited promotion has come, and I sincerely rejoice with you in this hour of prosperity and triumph.

I know so well how my husband would!

is quite well.

We all remember

you and yours with the warmest affection.

Love and congratulations

to Mrs. Howard

and believe me al

ways,

Truly,

Margaret E. Pierce.

Morgantown, W. Va.
Mar. 26. '86.
Dear Mrs. M. E.
Congratulations.

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I am delighted that
I feel almost as tho.
I were writing for him.

With all my heart I
congratulate you
and pray for your
increased usefulness
in your new field
of labor.

I should so much
enjoy meeting you
and Mrs. Howard
once more in life
but fear the good
fortune may never

come to me.

I have settled in this
little College town, made
hallowed by the asso-
ciation of my early
married life; and
where my husband
was sincerely loved
and respected.

The children are
with me: Kate, two in-
ches taller than I,
and Warren not
far behind.

Dear little Phoe

File. Ans. March 27/86.

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Hyde Park
Cook Co Ills
March 25 1886

Major Genl O. O. Howard Genl
Quaker St
Dear Genl:

I have just
learned with pleasure
through the news papers,
that you have received
your promotion as Major
General, and as a
private citizen hasten
to offer my congratulations.
I hope my dear friend
see you reach the top
round of the Military
ladder.

Dec. 27: 86.

Very truly and sincerely
John A. Blake
Treasurer of Vancouver B.C.

Congratulations.

Blake, J. A.

Nov. 25: 86.

Blake, J. A.

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Ashland Mch 20: 86.

Gen O O Howard

our Rev Mr Liavitt
is to be away next Sunday
and it is the earnest prayerfull
wish of the church that you
come and fill his place in
the Pulpit. I am to be in
Omaha Friday of this week &
will call & see you

Very Respectfully
M. M. Davison.

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Ashland, N.H.
Mch. 20, 1886.

Davison, M. M.
Desires Genl. H.
to fill pulpit Sunday
next.

Ans. by L. G. personally by letter.
file.

NEBRASKA COMMANDERY, M. O. L. L. U. S.

FORT OMAHA, NEBRASKA, MARCH 25, 1886.

Mr. S. ~~L~~ SMITH, presents his compliments to the members of the Commandery and requests that they will accompany him to Lincoln, and return on the occasion of next meeting. April 7th. Train leaves Union Depot, at 2:40, P. M. arriving at Lincoln, at 6:20, P. M. Returning, leaves Lincoln at 9:58, A. M. the 8th, arriving at Omaha, at 1:45, P. M.

Please advise me by 5th prox. of your acceptance.

J. MORRIS BROWN,

Recorder.

