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HEADQUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF OREGON,

Grand Army of the Republic.

Portland, Or., Dec 28<sup>th</sup> 1886

Wm. A. C.

Frank O'Donnell  
San Francisco Cal

Dear Sir Comrade -

Mr Thos Welch asks me to write you - in regard to his discharge - he says that while in Oregon either during '79 or '80 Your Adj't wrote to Washington for a duplicate of his discharge - the original having been lost - since which time he has been to the ends of the earth - he wishes to know whether you obtained this duplicate or not - and if you did is it still in your hands - if so will you please send to him in care Sailors Home 3rd Adm'r Portland Mr Welch served in 3rd Me Infantry Co C - Col Lakeman - was discharged in 1864 to be transferred to the Navy - served in North Atlantic Squadron under Admiral Porter

I remain

Yours truly  
C. L. Fay

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December 29, 1886.

General O. O. Howard

40 Livingston Street  
Brooklyn, L. I.

San Francisco, Cal.

Dear Sir: We shall be glad to learn whether you would be willing to extend the article, "Atlanta to Savannah," so as to include the battle of Atlanta, for which we believe you suggested General Logan. In fact we should like to have the article devoted chiefly to events from Dalton to Atlanta, together with a general sketch of the remainder of the March to the Sea. We want this article to be of broad and general interest, full of picturesqueness and anecdote, and at the same time to make clear to the reader, in condensed form, the outlines of each of the important engagements, that of Atlanta occupying perhaps half the article. Moreover, we should like to have the MS. at as early a date as may be convenient for you to furnish it. Kindly inform us if you will undertake it, and when we may expect it.

We are indeed

Very sincerely yours,

R. U. Johnson.

Associate Editor.

N.B. Since writing above we have discovered your correct address and telegraph you ac. accordingly. Kindly avoid technicalities and excess of military details.

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Ward of S. P.  
with respect

Ms - July 1, 1887

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J. H. GOULDING,  
RUTLAND, VT.

Rutland Vt. July 30. 1887

Genl W. Howard  
San Francisco Cal.

General:

Will you kindly inform me as to whether or not the Headquarters Flags Corps. Division and Brigade in use in the 4<sup>th</sup> Army Corps in the southwest conformed in pattern and colors to those used in the Army of the Potomac and if not will you please indicate the shapes and colors of same as used? I wish to show these flags in a work that I am preparing and shall be greatly obliged for the information.

I am. General.

Very Respectfully,

Your very Servt

J. H. Goulding  
Lt. 6. U.S. Infy. Col. Vt. A.



Mr. W. H. Brewster  
Bentley's  
Birds of New England  
and Adjacent Islands  
in the Museum of  
the Boston Society of  
Natural History  
Boston  
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San Diego, Calif.  
Dec. 30<sup>th</sup> 1886.

My dear General Howard

How very  
kind it was of you  
to remember that I  
wanted "Donald's  
School-days," and to  
send it to me! Thank  
you very much for it.

I received a  
great many pretty  
Christmas presents; a-  
mongst which was a  
dear, little, silver watch,

and a complete set of  
"Dickins" works.

We went down  
to the Opera house,  
as we expected, to hear  
you speak, but it was  
so crowded that we  
did not stay.

I hope you  
had a "Merry Christmas"  
and will have a great  
many happy "New Years".

Please give my love  
to Bessie and Mrs.  
Howard,

Your aff. god-child

Florence Derby  
No. 1 Pierce Place.

San Diego, Cal.

P.S.

Mamma sends her  
kindest regards and  
love to all.  
F.

MEMORANDUM.

To Gen. O. O. Howard,

Phelan Building, City.

Dec. 31st., 1886/88

FROM

YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION,

Building, 232 Sutter Street,

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.

Dear General:

You will please not forget that you are to deliver the 34th. Anniversary address of our Association at Calvary Church Sunday evening, Jan. 30th., 1887. You and I are to do the talking; that is, similar to the Oakland service, you deliver the Anniversary address and I present the financial claim and take up the collection. We shall probably have a very large meeting as some four churches will unite with us.

Cordially and always yours,

H. M. C. W.

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For the

old trivies now entries made of hollow cast iron

and a small iron trivet with a hole in the center

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STATE OF CALIFORNIA.

Department of Public Instruction.

Sacramento, Dec 31, 1886

Genl O. D. Howard

Dear Sir:

I have just received your two letters and it is with deepest gratitude that I take up the pen to thank you. After receiving such letters as these and others which I have received I am satisfied that there is no foundation for the dole truis of the Cynics. It is needless to say that these letters will be of very great value to me. Again thanking you  
I am Most sincerely yours  
Adair Welcker

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Army Marks

Montgomery Goldsmith to Handbagall



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# San Francisco Chronicle.

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San Francisco, Dec 28 1886  
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Gent Howard  
Upon further inquiry I find that  
the 6 months subscription  
paid at the Presidio was  
for Long Kew. Sooper and  
not for the one served  
you will you kindly  
let me know if this is the  
case as this is the explanation  
I received from the carrier  
which if a fact he will have  
an account against you  
for the Chronicle from  
Mar 17" Respectfully yours  
W. H. de Young.

Durham  
T. P.

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GEO. F. ROBINSON,  
MAJOR PAY DEPARTMENT,  
U. S. ARMY.

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*Personal and private  
use only*

Pay Department U. S. Army.

El Paso Texas

December 31<sup>st</sup> 1886

To

Maj. Gen. O. O. Howard.

San Francisco.

Cal.

Dear General;

On going to the bank this morning to identify a discharged soldier I had just paid, I was called into the private office by the president (where I found the principal business men of the city who had come together to consult as to the best means to procure a revoking of the order for the Headquarters of the 10<sup>th</sup> Infy to go back to Fort Union N. M.) and called my attention to an article published in this morning's "Daily Times" of this city criticising your action <sup>a marked copy enclosed</sup>. I remember it is no new thing to you to be criticised, attacked and falsely accused and persecuted, and that this is but a small matter compared with some of the trials and troubles that were forced upon you heretofore; yet I feel that justice to you, as the leading business men and the better elements of society of this place required me to write you and say that the article referred to does not in any sense represent the sentiments or estimation of any of the leading

citizens. In fact, I have not been able to hear or learn  
of any one except the writer of the article and the  
Editor of the paper (A Jesuit by the way) who does not  
deplore, or strongly condemn it, and several in  
the meeting made strong remarks commendatory  
of you as a citizen, and a soldier, which were  
very gratifying (to me at least) citizen incidents  
within their personal knowledge to prove the  
unfairness of the uncollected article.

While every one is greatly disappointed at having  
Headqrs removed and will use every proper means  
to induce a revoking of the order there was no display  
of hostility or unpleasant feeling <sup>towards you</sup> by those present, while  
I was in the room, and as I have known the most of them  
intimately nearly four years. I think there will be no  
double dealing. I also enclose a marked copy of our  
daily evening paper the Inter-Republics, which more  
nearly represents public sentiment in the matter.

As to what course will be taken I do not know,  
but from what I have been told, I judge a petition to you,  
asking the reversal of the order, and giving their reasons  
for it, will be sent you, and possibly they may  
ask their Senators to ask the same, - But as I did not  
deem it a proper thing for me to be concerned in, I  
have not learned as much as I might have otherwise done.

I trust you have had "A Merry Christmas" and  
wishing you a happy new year, I remain  
Your true friend  
Geo. F. Robinson

Office of the Commissioners  
of Golden Gate Park,  
San Francisco.

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San Francisco.

Dec. 31. 1886

Gen. O. Howard.

My dear sir; I am instructed by  
the Board of Park Commissioners to state  
that your letter relative to employing Mr. Anger  
in the Park was unfortunately received at  
a time when the labor force is being decreased.  
Should an opportunity offer, the Board will  
gladly be of service to you in this matter.

I have the honor to remain,

Your obt. Servt.

Valence V. Stod.

City Board of Park  
Comis.

Mr  
Park Lodge

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