Feb 1877 Cal.
No 113 5th avenue Sta.

General O. Howard!

I hope you will excuse my appeal to you; but as I claim myself to be a Christian and an old soldier (52 years of age) who has served all during our Civil War.

To be brief, I would ask you as the General of this Department to procure for me employment at your Head Quarters or perhaps at the Head Quarters at Los Angeles either as dry or night watchman. I have been employed in
now General I would kindly ask you whether there is any prospect for me of getting some position of any sort.

I do not like it to go to the Soldiers Home, if I possibly can do something else yet.

In the hope that I may hear from my agent soon,

I remain your obedient

Servant

Henry Pond.
No 143 Beacon Street.

City.
Pensacola Dec. 2/14/87

Maj. Gen. O.O. Howard

My dear sir,

In your letter of the 7th to hand me the check for $2500 thanks,

We are having meetings here now, we hope many find the Sanitarium great awakening.

This Boyd joins with me in kind regards to you as ever,

J. N. Boyd.
Dear Brother,

You will please remember that you have a special and important meeting of the Board of Directors of the Young Men's Christian Association today, Monday, February 14th at 3 o'clock.

Henry J. McCoy
Gen'l, Sec'y.
Vermontville, Mich., Feb. 17, 1867

Genl. Howard

Dear Sir:

I am detailed as forage master by Genl. McPherson at his headquarters and who remained in some capacity while you were in command. Came to see you one day and says that he cannot get a pension because he can find no one who knows of his being injured otherwise his claim is complete.

He stated that whilst in S.C. at the battle of Columbus his horse fell throwing him and breaking his ankle. That the surgeon was away at the time and that a stranger set the fracture on whom he did not know and his own case is his knowledge since. That before knew about the injury and after came to his tent and kindly inquired about how he was getting along. And at one time on the road went with Genl. Logan over passing while he was
HEADQUARTERS
Eaton County Battalion.

LAFAYETTE ROWLEY,
Adjutant, Charlotte.

CHARLES S. SNELL,
Colonel.

Vermontville, Mich.

Sething and bandaging his hand. The
gun stopped and asked him and said, "Lager,
asked what the trouble was and that you told
him about it.

I write this hurriedly that I may refresh
your memory as it is a long time for you
in your active life to remember incident
connected with the boys injured and when you
are I know so kindly cared for.

If you can call the incident to
mind and will furnish a statement of the facts,
you will aid a grateful Comrade in your
considerations.

Most respectfully yours,

Capt. S. Snell

Vermontville, Mich.

Address me for any further information
desired, "C.S.S.

J. Guite, Address
Kalamazoo, Mich.
127 Haight St. S.F.
Le 15 février 1884

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Bien cher Monsieur le Général,

Je regrette d'autant plus de n'avoir pas voulu voir hier qu'il n'est impossible de sortir aujourd'hui avant 4 h. P.M. Et le cas est pressant.

Hier, un Allemand m'a dit que la société allemande "Deutscher Unterstützung Gesellschaft" procure de l'ouvrage et occasionnellement accorde des secours à des personnes non membres, mais parlant la langue allemande. Ne serait-ce pas là quelque chose pour Mr. Limmernann ? Cette société est riche et avec quelques mots de voix, il me semblerait que Mr. L. serait secouru de telle façon.
Je serais disposé à prêter encore cinq dollars à M.
Zimmermann, mais pour dix mème pour ne que cela finisse. Mais je suis trop pauvre pour les avancer sitôt après ce que j'ai déjà avancé.
Le bureau de cette Société Allemande de Bienfaisance est dans la rue California, près Kearney.
J'ai encore votre portrait, j'aimerais bien le voir quand il sera achevé.
Je regrette beaucoup de ne pouvoir aller moi-même chez vous pour terminer cette affaire si possible aujourd'hui.
D.V. Dimanche, mon sujet sera "Le livre de Ruth".
Je suis, cher Monsieur le Général, avec beaucoup d'affection et de respect,
Votre humble jeune frère en Jésus-Christ,
P. F. Briot.
May 20-13th, Mr. Cleveland.
Feb 15, 1867

My Gen. Howard,
My Dear Sir and Co.

Read in mail
must the very unfortunate announce
ments. I have written the
Attends in a hurry and they are
Capt.akt team at 100 & 20
men. They will also each
appoint a party to honor 4
miles of the town and the city.

The members of the G.A.R.
also sent the families of the teams
invited to Mr. Z. in the church.
Wishing you...

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MEMORANDUM.

From
YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION,
Building, 232 Sutter Street;
SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.

To Gen. O. O. Howard,
Phelan B'ld'g, City.

Feb. 15th., 1887. 188

Dear General:

Please remember that you are to go with us to San Jose next Saturday, the 19th, on the 10:30 a.m. train, sure. Be at the 4th. & Townsend St. depot at that hour. I will secure your ticket for you.

Cordially yours,

[Signature]

[Red ink highlighting]
Cher Général,

Je venais de trouver une chambre et j'ai fait mes emplettes pour demain matin (mercredi) et voilà que ce soir on envoie deux agents de police pour arrêter non seulement moi, mais aussi ma femme et mon enfant, nous accusant de troubler la paix.

La médiocrité dans notre misère ne connaît pas de bornes et nous ne savons comment nous tirer de notre difficile situation. Chère Général, j'ai prié de votre Markion et je vous supplie aïe à nous donner sans le scandale

Bonheur habite pourquoi. Amour

J. M. Zimmermann
May 16th 1877

My dear Sir Howard:

I called on Mr. Redington in behalf of Mr. Zimmerman. He knew him, or of him, and from the knowledge he had of him, said he could not recommend him for a position in any retail Drug Store, and thought it was in the wholesale Drug business would recommend him, therefore I prefer not to make any further efforts until I see you. I am

Very truly yours,

L. B. Bennett
Sambertville N.J.
Feb 16th 1887

General Oliver H. Howard

Nun. Sir

Would you please send me your autograph and greatly oblige.

Respectfully yours,

Frank A. Phillips
HEADQUARTERS
John A. Dix Post, No. 42, G. A. R.

DEPARTMENT OF CALIFORNIA

San Jose, Cal., Feb'y 16th, 1887

Maj. Gen'l O.O. Howard

Command Dept. of the Pacific.

A verified copy of the famous representation of the Memorable Battle of Gettysburg on exhibition at Chicago, is now being exhibited in our City under the management and auspices of John A. Dix Post No. 42, G. A. R. for the benefit of its Relief Fund.

The undersigned Committee will esteem it a great privilege and favor if permitted to announce to the public, that you will honor us with your presence at the Pavilion together with your party who will visit our City Saturday the 16th inst. at any hour of the day or evening you are pleased to designate.

Please reply by Telegraph at our expense.

Yours in F. C. O.

P. V. Purdy
W. J. Faudel
W. J. Heald
J. W. Vandome

Post Commanders

(over)
Address dispatch to J. H. Vaudorne,
58 & 60 Mont. 1st St. New York
Dear General:

As one of your "old campaigners" I am very anxious to add your photograph to the noted "Empire Portrait Gallery" of representative soldiers and civilians, past and present, and trust that at your earliest opportunity you will thus favor me.

Very Respectfully yours,
Dr. [Illegible]
No. 326 West 30th St.
New York City.

To General O. O. Howard.
San Jose, Cal. Feb 19, 1887

Gentleman O.O. Howard,

Dear Sir:

Dr. Payson tells me he has written you. I do not know where you are now, but suppose you will be nicely entertained. I sent you one of the programs yesterday. The prospects are good for a nice Convention. As delegates have reported 200 from San Francisco and 120 to head from.

The evening meeting Sunday will have to be in the Baptist Tabernacle after all, as our city Hall will not close until Saturday night, and Horticultural Hall cannot be gotten ready in time. I hope that the Lord may give you strength and power to do for us as you did for the brethren in Oakland. I feel the future of our work depends very largely upon the results of this Convention.

Very truly yours,

H. D. Levin.
Decided

Lieut. C. H. J. Grebel,
Or. D. C. 24, U. S. A.

Oct.

I have the honor to own receipt of your communication of the 16th inst., conveying an invitation from Major-General Howard to command the review and drill to take place at the Presidio on the 22nd inst.

I am kind enough to say to the General that I accept the honor with many thanks, and in behalf of the National Guard of California, of which I am now and senior officer, I desire to express our high appreciation of his friendly and courteous action.

I would respectfully request that you change the hour of formation from 1 to 2 o'clock, as it will be impossible
[Handwritten text not legible due to quality of the image]
Head-Quarters Second Brigade, N. G. C.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., February 12, 1887.

GENERAL ORDERS, 1
No. 3.

I. The troops of the Second Brigade, except the Fifth Infantry Regiment, will parade on Tuesday, February 22d, 1887, in observance of Washington’s Birthday.

II. The Commanding Officers of the First and Third Infantry, with their regiments, and the Commanding Officer of the Second Artillery, with the foot companies of his regiment, will report to the Assistant Adjutant-General at the Presidio, on the main drill-ground, at 2 o’clock, p. m., each regiment being previously equalized in eight commands of twelve files, double rank. The Commanding Officer of Light Battery A, Second Artillery, will report at the same place and hour, with battery mounted, to Captain W. L. Haskin, Brevet Major U. S. Army, commanding Light Battery K, First U. S. Artillery. The Commanding Officer of the San Francisco Hussars will report with his troop at Brigade Headquarters at 1 o’clock, p. m., for escort duty. After performance of this duty, he will report to Major Frank T. Bennett, commanding Troops A and K, Second U. S. Cavalry.

III. For review by Major-General O. O. Howard, United States Army, the troops of the Second Brigade above designated will be united with such troops of the United States Army as may be present, and will form on their left in each arm of the service. The review will be followed by a drill of the foot troops, which will close with a dress parade in line of masse, after which the Brigade will be dismissed.

By command of Brigadier-General W. H. DIMOND:

Z. P. CLARK,
Major and Assistant Adjutant-General.
HEADQUARTERS SECOND BRIGADE
National Guard of California
San Francisco

To assemble the brigade earlier without the loss of an entire day is pay to the greatest portion of damage.

Trusting that this may not seriously inconvenience you and again thanking you for your kindness.

I remain,

Very respectfully yours,

W. H. Dimond

Dear General

As you are to deliver a lecture in our Church, Mr. Van Buren desires me to invite you to spend that night at our house, so as not to come over here at night. I hope it will be agreeable to you to do so and oblige yours sincerely,

Asines Reubin Marcom

To: Rev. D. C. Howard
San Francisco

Feb 17th 1877
Los Angeles, Feb. 17, 1887.

Dear Sir:

You are invited to meet Herr J. Von Schluembach, Ex-Secretary of the International Committee of Young Men's Christian Associations, and some of our leading citizens, at the Parlors of the Hadeau Hotel at 5:30 o'clock, Tuesday, Feb. 22d. Dinner will be served in private dining room. A seat at the table will be reserved for you. Please send your acceptance to

Lyman Stewart,

212 West Second St.

President Y. M. C. A.