San Francisco.
Feb. 10/87. Cal.
No. 113. Mason Stret.

General. O. Howard!

hoping 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 Angelos either as, day 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 ~~kind~~ sort.
I do not like yet, to go to
the Soldiers Home, if I possibly
can do something else yet,
in the hopes, that I may hear
from my appeal soon,

I remain your obedient
Servant
Henry Pond.
No. 113. Mason Street.
City.

the Presidio as Gatekeeper
for over two years, since the
Reduction of the Civilian Employes
there, I did put in an
Application to the Chief
Quartermaster in your Department
for such a position as Wagoneer, which is
still on file I presume, at
his Office, also a letter
from the Quartermaster General
at the instant of General Sherman
which I enclosed in the application
also would refere you as to my
Character to General Morgan
and Capt. Wheeler, at your
Headquarters —

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Maj Gen O. O. Howard

My Dear Sir

Your letter of the 7th to hand with check for $2500 thanks.

We are having meetings here now. & we hope & pray that many find the Saviour we need in the Ch a great awakening.

Mrs Bray joins with me in kind regards to you as ever

T. M. Bray

Dear Sir & Wife
May God Almighty
bless you & see fit to
give you peace & comfort
in your bereavement & to
bestow upon your husband
the rewards of a faithful
Christian life & may the Savior
receive his soul into Heaven
& grant consolation unto
you in this hour of sorrow
May God grant it Amen

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[CD-Feb 14, 1887]

Young Men's Building, 232, Sutter St.

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 to-day Monday, February 14th, at 3 o'clock.

Yours,
Henry J. McCoy,
Gen'l. Secy.

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GEO. W. KEYES, L. Col.
R. Z. CASE, Major.

S. M. WILKINS, Surg.

E. N. SELLECK, Chap.
T. E. POTTER, Q. M.

☆HEADQUARTERS☆ 158.

EATON COUNTY BATTALION.

LAFAYETTE ROWLEY,
Adjutant, Charlotte.

CHARLES S. SNELL,
Colonel.

file Ans July 24/87

Vermontville, Mich., Feb. 14 - 1887

Genl. Howard

Dear Sir

John York - Co. D. 48 Ind. who was detailed as forage master by Genl. McPherson at his headquarters and who remained in same capacity - while you were in command came to see me to day and says that he cannot get a pension because he can find no one who remembers of his being injured otherwise his claim is complete.

He states that while in S. Carolina while on the march to Columbia his horse fell throwing him and breaking his ankle - that the surgeon was away at the time and that a stranger (Dr.) set the fractured one whom he did not know and has never seen to his knowledge since. That you knew about the injury and often came to his tent and kindly enquired about how he was getting along. And at one time on the road you with Genl. Logan were passing while he was

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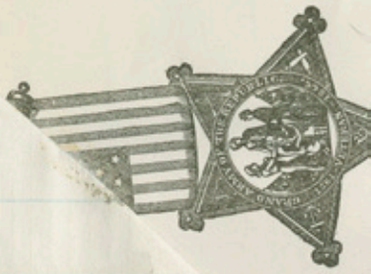

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bathing and ~~bandaging~~ bandaging his limb. That you stopped and spoke to him. and Genl. Logan enquired what the trouble was and that you told him about it

I write thus minutely that I may refresh your memory as it is a long time for you in your active life to remember incidents connected with the boys injured and whom you as I hear, so kindly cared for.

If you can call the incident to mind and will furnish a statement of the facts you will aid a crippled comrade in your circumstances.

Most respectfully Yours
Chas S. Snell
Vermontville Mich.

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

J. Geiks address
Kalamo Mich.

121 Haight St S.F.
Le 15 février 1889

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Bien cher Monsieur le Général,

Je regrette d'autant plus de n'avoir pu vous voir hier qu'il m'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 Unterstuetzung 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 quelquechose pour Mr Zimmermann? Cette société est riche et, avec quelques mots de vous, il me semble que Mr Z. serait secouru de suite

Je serais disposé à prêter encore cinq dollars à M. Zimmermann; à répondre pour dix même, pourvu 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 Kearny.

J'ai vu 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. H. Briol

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520 - 13th St. Oakland.
Feb. 15. 1887

Maj. Gen. Howard.
My Dear Sir and Bro.

I send in mail with this my anticipated announcements. I have invited the two posts of G.A.R. in our city to attend in a body - and they accept. Will turn out 100 to 120 men. They will also each appoint a guard of honor of 4, 8 in all, to attend you, and sit upon the platform - if you do not object.

The members of the G.A.R. also ask the privilege of being your invited guests, in the church pews

at the conclusion of the lecture.

Mr. McLean is taking quite a stir in the matter; and, although a great deal depends on that day and evening, if the evening be pleasant I think we shall have a good turn out.

Mrs. McLean sends her compliments and wants with me in the desire that you will bring Mrs. Howard and sister, and dine with us that evening, at six o'clock. And also spend the night at our house. This will afford us great pleasure.

Sincerely yours

J. C. McLean.

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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,

H. Buckley

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San Francisco, Cal. 15 February 1887

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Cher Général,

Je venais de trouver une chambre cet après-midi et comptais déménager 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 méchanceté dans notre misère ne connait pas de bornes et nous ne savons comment nous tirer de notre difficile position. Cher Général ayez pitié de notre Martyre et je vous en supplie aidez-nous, donnez nous du scandale dans la presse. Adieu mille remerciments

Yours truly
J. M. Innemann

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San Francisco

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Feby 15/87

My dear Gen Stewart -

I called on Mr Reddington 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 no one in the wholesale Drugg business would recommend him, therefore I prefer not to make any further efforts which I see you - I am

Very Truly Yrs L. B. Benchley

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Autograph card
July 23 '87.

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Lambertville N.J.
Feb 16th 1887

General Oliver H. Howard
Hon. Sir

Would you please send me your autograph and greatly oblige

Respectfully yours
Frank A. Phillips

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Fayetteville N.C.
February 1 1863

Lieut Colonel Thos. Thomas
Thomas, Miss

Provide your Men
and use your influence
and speak strong
Respectfully yours
Francis M. Whitfield

File. telegram sent. Feb 18/87.

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HEADQUARTERS

John A. Dix Post, No. 42. G. A. R.

DEPARTMENT OF CALIFORNIA.

San Jose, Cal. Feby 16th 1887

Maj Genl O. O. Howard
Comdg Dept of the Pacific:

Comrade:

A verified copy of the famous representation of the Immorable Battle of Gettysburg on exhibition at Chicago Ills. 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 19th inst — at any time of the day or evening you are pleased to designate

Please reply by Telegraph at our expense

Yours in F. C. & L.

T. V. Purdy. W. J. Walcott. W. J. Faucher. I. N. Vandorn (over) A. G. Bennett Committee. Post Commander

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Branch OFFICE OF

The Rome Weekly Republican,

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JAMES J. GUERNSEY, PUBLISHER,

Third Floor of the New Kingsley Block,
Cor. James and Dominick Sts.,

Rome N. Y., 17th Feb. 1887.

Dear General:

As one of your "Old Campaigners" I am very anxious to add your photograph to my 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,
Darwin C. Parry,
No. 326 West 30th St.,
New York City.

To
General O. O. Howard.

Young Men's Christian Association.
Second Street, near San Fernando.

H. N. Bevier, - - - Gen. Secretary.

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San Jose, Cal. Feb 17 1887

General O. O. Howard.

Dear Friend.

Dr. Freyfogle tells me he has written you. So I suppose you will be nicely entertained. I sent you one of the programmes yesterday. The prospects are good for a nice Convention. 35 Delegates have reported so far. and several yet to hear from.

The Evening Meeting Sunday will have to be in the "Baptist Tabernacle" after all. as our "Citrus Fair" will not close until Saturday night and Horticultural Hall cannot be gotten ready in time. I hope that the dear 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. N. Bevier.

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HEADQUARTERS SECOND BRIGADE,

National Guard of California.

Dictated

San Francisco, Feb. 17th 1887.

Lieut. E. St. J. Greble,
A. D. C. et. U. S. A.

Sir,

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.

Be 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 now am senior officer, I desire to express our high appreciation of his friendly & courteous action.

I would respectfully request that you change the hour of formation from 1 to 2 o'clock, as it will be impossible

Head-Quarters,

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GENERAL ORDERS, No. 3.

The troops of the Second

Tuesday, Fe

I. On Tuesday, the

will parade on

Head-Quarters Second Brigade, N. G. C.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., February 12, 1887.

GENERAL ORDERS, 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 masses, 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.

H. S. CROCKER & CO. S. F.

San Francisco, _____ 188__

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to assemble the brigade earlier without the loss of an entire day's pay to the greater portion of same.

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

I remain,

Very respectfully yours,

W. H. Dimond

Brig. Gen'l. Com'dg. Division N. G. C.

Ans. Gen July 18/87.

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Dear General

As you are to deliver a Lecture in our Church, Mrs Van Marcom 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 agreable to you to do so and oblige

Yours Sincerely

A Sines Van Marcom

To Genl O. O. Howard
San Francisco.

Feby 17th 1887

McFem.
214 Sansome St.

LYMAN STEWART, PRESIDENT. W. H MEAD. GENL. SECRETARY A. H. VOIGT, TREASURER.

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File Ans. to Mr. Stewart July 23/87.

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Young Men's Christian Association,

212 WEST SECOND STREET.

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Los Angeles, Feb. 17, 1887.

Dear Sir:

You are invited to meet Herr F. 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 Nadeau 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.