Dear [Name],

I write on a subject in which I am sure you are interested to ask some help.

The enclosed pointed slip, fully details forth. I am in correspondence with the head of the department and understand that the majority of the committee will advance this plan perhaps whole. They are however some backing from the officers of the army who know what is needed to, effectively bring...
it seems to look out toward
in Washington. If you can
I wish you would endorse one of the recent slips some
thing like this.

This paper sets forth a want of the Army which it seems should
be only to mention. It is appreciated
and I believe the adoption of this
is practicable. The profound study that should be
be given us an ex-
cellent corps of Chaplains.

Your known word difficult
it is to interest anybody in
the Chaplains, would you put
this in the hands of Mr. [illegible]

one to get the recent independent
of officers, like McCaffy, of the
more general type or the one
professed above.

With kind regards, yours truly

Ann Driscoll

Maj. Gen. Howard

I will add that it is my belief
that don't need only want to be sure
that they can get good Chaplains
to give us see that are needed,
this for the worse that they
themselves believe it regular
public opinion will back
them up.
"We ask only obedience to Law."

THE CITIZENS'

LAW AND ORDER LEAGUE

OF THE

UNITED STATES.

No. 28 SCHOOL STREET,

BOSTON, MASS.
January 25th, 1887.

Dear Sir:—

The fifth annual convention of this League will be held at Albany, New York, on the 20th, 21st and 22d days of February, proximo.

Many distinguished speakers from different states have already signified their purpose of attending this convention. On behalf of the Executive Committee, I urge you to make an effort to have the friends of law and order in your section represented at the meeting.

The membership in the National League consists of persons who approve its objects and pay not less than five dollars annually for its support. I shall be greatly obliged if you will interest yourself in the cause, and become a member yourself and make an effort to induce others to do the same.

I shall be glad to furnish you further information at any time.

Very respectfully yours,

L. Edwin Dudley, Sec'y.
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CONSTITUTION.

ARTICLE I.
NAME.
This association shall be called the Citizens' Law and Order League of the United States.

ARTICLE II.
OBJECT.
The object of this League shall be to maintain the principle that the enforcement of law is essential to the perpetuity of good government, and by promoting the formation of state and local Leagues, having the same object in view, between which it shall be a bond of union and means of communication, to secure in all proper ways the enforcement of existing laws relating to the liquor traffic, and all offences against morals and the peace and good order of society, and to encourage and assist the authorities in maintaining the same.

ARTICLE III.
MEMBERSHIP.
Those persons shall be members of the League who are approved by the Executive
Committee, and being in sympathy with its object, contribute the sum of five dollars annually for support.

ARTICLE IV.
OFFICERS.
The officers of the League shall consist of a President, as many Vice-Presidents as the League may, from year to year direct, a Secretary, who shall be general manager, a Treasurer and a General Agent; which officers shall be chosen at the annual meeting, and shall hold their respective offices until the close of the annual meeting succeeding that of their election, and until their successors are elected and qualified.

ARTICLE V.
MEETINGS.
The annual meeting of the League, in the proceedings of which delegates from state and local Leagues shall be admitted to participate, shall be held on the day celebrated as "Washington's Birthday" each year, unless otherwise ordered by the Executive Committee, and at such place as may be determined by it.

Special meetings may be called by the Executive Committee from time to time.

ARTICLE VI.
EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.
Sect. 1. The officers of the League and twelve members (to be annually elected) shall
constitute its Executive Committee, five of whom shall constitute a quorum for the trans-
action of business, provided the records of the committee are present. The officers of the League shall be ex-officiis, the officers of this committee.

SECT. 2. It shall be the duty of the Executive Committee to fill all vacancies in the board of officers, however caused, and generally to employ such means, agencies and agents as shall seem necessary to promote the interests of the League, and advance the object of its organization.

SECT. 3. The Executive Committee shall have full power to make By-Laws and to declare the duties and powers of the respective officers not herein defined; but the Vice-President, with such other members of the Executive Committee as reside in their respective states, shall have charge of the organization of state and local Leagues therein.

ARTICLE VII.

AMENDMENTS.

This Constitution may be altered or amended by a two-thirds vote of the members present and voting at any annual meeting.
THE CALL FOR THE FIFTH ANNUAL MEETING.

The fifth annual convention of the Citizens' Law and Order League of the United States, will be held at Albany, N. Y., on the 20th, 21st and 22nd days of February, 1887.

The details of the local arrangements will be in charge of a committee of the Albany League, consisting of Wm. Barnes, David A. Thompson, John W. McNamara, Albert N. Huestead and J. Townsend Lansing.

All state and local leagues and kindred societies in the United States are requested to send delegates, and all persons interested are invited to attend the meetings.

State and local leagues are requested, where convenient, to hold meetings on one of the days named, and interchange telegrams with the National Meeting at Albany.

Clergymen throughout the country are invited to set apart one service on Sunday the 20th, to the consideration of the subject of the enforcement of laws intended to promote the morality and welfare of the people.

The broad and all important principle of the League is the enforcement of laws. Its specific work, to maintain the doctrine that the enforce-
ment of law is essential to the perpetuity of good government, and by promoting the formation of state and local leagues having the same object in view, to secure in all proper ways the enforcement of existing laws relating to liquor traffic, and all offenses against morals and the peace and good order of society, and to encourage and assist the authorities in maintaining and enforcing the same.

All good citizens who realize the dangers which threaten our country through lawlessness, are urgently invited to unite, in such manner as they best can, and assist us in making the 22nd of February, Law and Order day throughout the country.

All persons desiring information about the work of the League, or in regard to the National Meeting, are requested to address the Secretary, 28 School Street, Boston, Mass.

By order of the Executive Committee,

C. C. Bonney, President.

L. Edwin Dudley, Secretary.
Dear Sir:

The CITIZENS' LAW AND ORDER LEAGUE of the United States was formed on the 22nd. of February, 1883, and has since that time held annual meetings in different cities of the country. This organization is important as a means of communication between the friends of law enforcement in different sections. The annual meetings usually occupy three days, and they have been productive of most excellent results, especially in the cities where they have been held. This work has been carried on by the voluntary labor of the officers of the association, but the money collected has been so limited that a few of us have been obliged to contribute more than a fair proportion of the expense of a work for the benefit of the public.

The terms of membership in the National LEAGUE are, approval by the Executive Committee and the payment of a fee of $5.00 annually.

It is the desire of the Executive Committee to secure at least a thousand annual members of the National organization, to the end that the necessary expense may be defrayed without burddening a few individuals. The Executive Committee has directed me to invite you to become a member of the National organization. I send you herewith a copy of the constitution and other literature which will give you information as to the work which is being done by the various Leagues in the country, and trusting that the cause will commend itself to your judgment and sympathy, and that you will consent to unite yourself with our membership, I am,

Yours very truly,

[Signature]

L. Edwin Dudley
Secretary
San Francisco Oct 1 st 1887

Gen. Howard 908

Dr. Bea

Mr. J. I.

W. C. G. inform me that the J. W. C. A. Convention is to be held at Woodland Oct 13-16. We have concluded to have our Sunday Del. Meeting one week later - Sunday 11th at 11 Oct 23rd - hope this date will be quite as convenient for your Kind Answer.

Yours trus.

[Signature]

[Handwritten signature]
October
San Francisco, Oct 1, 1892

Said O. B. Howard,

my dear Sir,

The 25 shares I find had to be transferred out of a 100 share certificate and the seller brought it in too late to get it transferred today. You may depend on my having it ready at 12 o'clock Monday. Meanwhile I receipt the cheque.

Yours truly,

R. G. Brown

Freeman
Dear [Name],

I hope this letter finds you well. I wanted to write to you about the new development in our town. As you know, the old factory has been shut down for some time now, and the town has been struggling to find a new use for it. However, recently, there have been talks of converting the factory into a new community center.

The proposal is quite exciting, and it seems like the town council is seriously considering it. They have invited a group of experts to come in and assess the feasibility of the project. I think it's a great opportunity for our town to have a new hub for the community. The factory has a lot of potential, and with some renovation, it could be a fantastic space for all sorts of activities.

I understand that there might be some concerns about the financial aspect of the project. However, I think the town council is prepared to handle that. They have already started discussing ways to fund the project, and I believe they will be able to find a solution.

I hope you are as excited about this as I am. I believe it could be a great turning point for our town. Let's keep our fingers crossed that this project will come to fruition.

Best regards,

[Your Name]
W. J. GUNN,
Real Estate Agent,
410 MONTGOMERY ST.,

San Francisco, Oct. 1st

Dear Sir:

My father wrote to me a few days ago asking me to go to the Chief Loeber's office and get his pay. I went there today and Mr. Bliss told me that they had not received his signed vouchers, so he could not let me have any money, I amounted to $150. My mother wants to know if you could help her and if it will be all right when the vouchers come.

I remain very respectfully,
your obedient servant,

Edward M. Atha.
C. H. Borden

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[Handwritten text not legible]
Major Gen. O. O. Howard,

Dear Sir:

We take the liberty of placing your name in a Register of Pacific Coast Book Buyers, opened in our office, and which is being published in our Quarterly Book List, a copy of which we mail to your address. The object is therein fully set forth, and we trust will meet with your approval.

We are now fully settled in our new building, where we shall be greatly pleased to see or hear from you at all times, and hope always so to conduct our business as to merit and retain your warmest friendship.

Very Respectfully,

The Bancroft Company.

By

David Marnell
S.F. Postoffice, Oct. 4th, 1863

My dear Gen. O. Howe:

We take the liberty of presenting your name in a Register of Prettily Covered Book Plates.

Owing to our illness and want of funds, our Quarterly Book List is a copy of which we send to your address. The officer to whom we sent it销 on receipt of your letter, and we trust will meet with your approval.

We are now settling matters to our new establishment, where we shall do business please to see the post town, you at any time, and hope some so to confer on our pleasure as to meet and secure your warmest friendship.

With respectful salutations,

The Benedict Company.

[Signature]
Dear Brother,

You have been appointed a delegate to the Seventh Annual State Convention of the Young Men's Christian Association to be held at Woodland Oct. 12th to 16th. Round trip ticket $4.15. You will be entertained free at the Convention. We leave here Wednesday, Oct. 12th at 3 o'clock by the regular overland train. Please let us know at once without fail if we may expect you to attend.

Very cordially yours,

H. J. McCoy
Gen'l. Secy.
Dear P [illegible],

October 15, 1882.

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NOON-DAY

PRAYER MEETINGS

YOUNG MEN'S

Christian Association Hall

232 Sutter Street,

EVERY DAY, EXCEPT SUNDAY

At 12 o'clock.

COME IN TO-DAY.

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.

SUBJECTS AND LEADERS FOR OCTOBER, 1887.

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NOON-DAY TOPICS
For OCTOBER, 1887.

October 7, Friday.—Absolute Purity required.—Rev. xxii: 27; Matt. v: 8; I John i: 7, last clause. Noel H. Jacks.

October 8, Saturday.—Sabbath School Lesson.—The Tempest Stilled.—Matt. viii: 18-27. Dr. N. W. Lane.

October 10, Monday.—Christ the door of the Fold and the Shepherd.—John x: 9-18. Gen. O. O. Howard.

October 11, Tuesday.—Am I a Watcher or a Scoffer.—I Thess. v: 1-11; II Peter iii: 3, 4. Rev. J. C. Eastman.


October 13, Thursday.—All distinctions subordinated in Christ.—Gal. iii: 26-29; I Cor. xii: 13. Dr. J. W. Thomas.

October 14, Friday.—Worldly Success not always a Blessing.—Dan. iv: 28-37. Dr. J. W. Thomas.

October 15, Saturday.—Sabbath School Lesson.—Power to Forgive Sins.—Matt. 9: 1-8. Dr. N. W. Lane.


October 18, Tuesday.—Unto Life or Death—Which.—John v: 24-29; Dan. xii: 2. C. S. Mason.


October 20, Thursday.—Opposition by some Men did not quench Christ's Love for others.—Matt. xii: 14-22. Rev. R. Harcourt, D. D.

October 22, Saturday.—Sabbath School Lesson.—Three Miracles.—Matt. ix: 18-31. Dr. N. W. Lane.


October 28, Friday.—A Backslider brings others into Danger also.—Jonah i: 1-10. Rev. W. W. Case, D. D.


October 31, Monday.—The Promise that He hath Promised us.—I John ii: 24, 25; v: 11, 12. Rev. N. L. Rowell, D. D.

November 1, Tuesday.—A Dying Soul’s Glimpse of Heaven.—Acts vii: 54-60. Rev. W. M. Kincaid.


November 4, Friday.—A Broken Spirit not Despised.—Dan. x: 2-12. Chas. Montgomery.
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Lighted by Electric Light.

CALL AND INSPECT THE WORK.

YOUNG MEN WILL BE WELCOME.
My dear Sir,

I am about to leave tomorrow at 8 A.M. and I have no reasonable doubt that I shall be unable to open my course lecturing till Oct 24th.

I must change the date then. It will not be possible for 17th or 24th. I hope it will not disconcert you. Please notify me.

Yours sincerely,

[Signature]
Dear Brother,

By the accompanying slip you will see that you have been appointed to lead the noon-meeting in our hall (232 Sutter St.) on the 10th inst.

A postal card will be sent you a few days before the appointed time.

If you cannot possibly be present, will you kindly notify me so that a substitute may be obtained.

Very sincerely yours,

H. J. W. Coe
Genl. Sec'y.
Dear Professor,

I am sending the requested sample with this letter. The sample is from our recent experiment and is expected to be representative of our research.

As per our previous discussion, the results will be finalized within the next two weeks. A detailed report will be sent to you upon completion.

Thank you for your continued support.

Sincerely,

[Signature]

[Note: The handwriting is difficult to read.]
Filer Oct 11

Ans. Sent No. 1

New Britain, Conn.
Oct 9, 1881

San Francisco, Cal.

Dear Sir:

Will you please favor me with your autograph.

And greatly obliged,

Yours respectfully,

O. O. Field.
Sacramento, Calif. Oct. 3, 1877

My Dear Sir: Howard,

I did not understand that your coming was conditional and so have advertised you liberally from 9 o'clock + present as the leading speaker for home missions in that way. I was under misapprehension for you for that night only. I trust we can work out some way for you for that night only. I trust in your remarks about the trip for any evening service.

Yours truly,

W.C. Merrill
Law Office of Allan Rutherford, 917
Corcoran Building, Fifteenth and F Streets, Rooms Nos. 98, 99, and 102.
Practices before the Supreme Court of the United States, Court of Claims, Claims Commissions, and the different Committees of Congress, and all Departments of the Government.

Washington, D.C., October 4, 1887.

Gen. O. O. Howard, USA,
Dear General:

I have your note of the 26th ultimo in reference to Mrs. Simpsoon. I succeeded in straightening the matter out after some little trouble and Capt. Simpsoon's pay for July has been sent to Mrs. Simpsoon, and it has no doubt been received by her ere this. If she will forward the pay accounts for August and September payment will also be made upon them.

Very truly yours,

Allan Rutherford

[Signature]

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thereof from him, of which the enclosed is one.
The "Impromptu" was printed by direction of the Committee. Capt. Seal also directed me to close the slip from the "Call" Sept 22d as being more full than any newspaper report of the Banquet.
The Committee will report at the next monthly meeting of the Association and I will endeavor to send you a copy of that report.
No "Minutes" as such, are kept of the Banquet, i.e. none made at the time.
I am, dear sir,
Yours ourtr.
W. B. Burnett.
John Com. on Banquet.
Waltham Mass. Oct 6 1887

General O. O. Howard.

Dear Sir

For about half a year I have been reading with much interest the war articles in the Century as contributed by the soldiers of both armies, and I am saving those pages of the magazine to bind in to a book for a little library that I am getting together. And I hope you will pardon me if I am doing anything that is too bold in writing to you as I am doing. I am trying to get autograph letters of all the contributors of those articles and of the officers who are engaged in the battles described as far as I can. And for that rea
son, I address you. I would like to ask you if you would please write me a letter, just a little one, about a battle, and about how Gen. John A. Logan appeared in action. My oldest brother W.J. Christie was dispatch bearer for Gen. Sherman at one time and he says that Gen. Logan looked more like what he imagined the ancient gods gods to be.

If it were not too much trouble and you would be pleased to do it I would be greatly obliged to have the names and addresses of any of the officers you may know who were in the “Struggle for Atlanta.”

If I have asked more than would suit your convenience, please to pardon me, but hoping that I have not and that you may see fit to kindly favor me. I am dear sir,

Very sincerely yours,

259 Moody St., Waltham, Mass.
Department of the Interior,
Office of Indian Affairs,
Washington, Oct. 8, 1887.

General O.O. Howard, U.S.A.,
San Francisco,
California.

SIR:-

In compliance with your request of 24th ultimo,
I enclose a roster, corrected to date, of all Indian
Agencies, giving the names of the Agents and the cor-
rect post office and telegraphic address of each,
from which you can obtain those in the Division of
the Pacific.

Respectfully,

A. T. Meacham
Acting Commissioner.

W.S.S.
In consequence with your kind offer of help, I propose a minor alteration of the plan to utilise the space of the area and the cover for both utilising the preferable place of scene.

Upon which I am addressing a position to the Director of the Department.
Washington, D.C.
October 6, 1887.

Sir:

I have a nephew, Samoe Davis, who is a private in Company I, 1st Infantry, whose physical condition makes it impossible for him to march and perform the usual and ordinary duties of the Infantry corps. About a year since, while in the Service, he was obliged to undergo a surgical operation, which has materially affected his hip joint and prevents, as above stated, performing a regular Soldier's duties. He purposes submitting
a request for a transfer the Light Battery of the 1st Artillery if found physically qualified (and if not in gauge of course he will be discharged), where he could be assigned the care of horses, etc., connected with that corps.

My wife, whom you will probably remember as Mrs. Emma of Mt. Pleasant, whom you met while you were President of Howard University, joins me in the earnest hope that you will officially hasten the transfer or discharge the young man has applied for. I have been informed
that the officers of his Company and regiment favor his disc.

mission from the service but that the Surgeon at the Post

testifies because he has been

obliged, so frequently to dis-

charge soldiers for disa-

bility.

With high regard,

Yours respectfully,

Thomas J. Laslier

Journalist

1818-1845-5-7 St. NW.

Major General

O. O. Howard, U. S. A.

Commanding Dept. of California

San Francisco, Cal.