[Aug. 1888?]

General O. O. Howard

General

Will you kindly pardon me for recalling myself to your memory as the engrosser of the Imperial Resolutions I very much regret to hear that some politician has ~~pro~~ succeeded to get the promise of Gen. Salomon to be awarded the order for the address to the family of Gen. Sheridan.

Nevertheless permit me to solicit your kind patronage should the U.S.A. Officers desire something elaborate in my line, and would feel greatly honored by serving you.

I remain

General

Respectfully Yours

Carl Eisenschimel

230 Kearny St

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Carl Eisenschmiel

[Aug., 1888?]

OFFICE OF THE

NORTHERN PACIFIC RAILROAD COMPANY,

No. 17 BROAD STREET, NEW YORK.

SIR:

The Board of Directors, at their Meeting held on the 21st of June unan[illegible]usly adopted the following resolution:

"*Resolved*, That Robert Harris, Frederick Billings, Charles B. "Wright, John U. Brookman and Colgate Hoyt, be and they are "hereby appointed a Committee to issue to the stockholders of [illegible] Company a circular requesting the designation by them [illegible]e said Committee, or a majority of them, as proxies, to [illegible] at the next Annual Meeting of the Stockholders, on the [illegible]h day of September next, and at any adjournment thereof, [illegible] the election of Directors of this Company, and on all ques-[illegible]ons and business lawfully coming before the meeting"

I [illegible]mpliance with the resolution we send you the enclosed proxy [illegible] request you to date and sign the same, and return it by mail [illegible] the enclosed envelope, without delay.

ROBERT HARRIS,
FREDERICK BILLINGS,
CHARLES B. WRIGHT,
JOHN U. BROOKMAN,
COLGATE HOYT.

N.P.R.R.Co.

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Commissioner
Geo.

answered
O.O.H.

15 Gold Street,

New York, August, 1888.

Dear Sir:

Believing that you take an interest in all questions relating to the development and manufacture of Steel Ordnance, whether at home or abroad, we ask your acceptance of the accompanying Volume entitled

"KRUPP AND DE BANGE."

Please sign and mail the enclosed Postal Card, acknowledging receipt, and oblige,

Yours Respectfully,

THOMAS PROSSER & SON.

HOLTON HOUSE

FOURTH AND ALDER STREETS.

R. S. Perkins, Propr.

Portland, Or., Aug. 1 188

Gen'l. If this Gov't of ours would pay the my honest claim. Instead of squabbling over how to use up the surplus - I would not be here today separated from my family a pauper -

But I never expect to get anything in that direction after all these years of begging of Congress to take action on it -

N. S. G.

Mr. S. Grant

August. '88

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Post Office Address: SAN QUENTIN PRISON, Marin Co., Cal.,

Reg. No. 7726 Cell Room "C" August 1st, 1888.

Gen. O. O. Howard.

My Dear Friend

I was very much pleased and encouraged on receiving the information from Sacramento that my case would receive prompt attention and carefull consideration &c - I am indeed indebted to you more than I can express for taking so much trouble on my account, and I am aware that your time has innumerable calls upon it and that it is not all yours to do as you would - were you to follow the impulses of your noble heart. May "God Bless You" as you deserve is the prayer of your unfortunate friend the writer.

My health is not improving - my leg gives me much pain and I am afraid that unless there is a change for the better soon that it will be a most serious matter with me. Capt Smith is most kind and considerate, he has been a kind and

J. M. Warner.

good friend to me for which, I am very grateful to him. His last act of kindness was yesterday when he had me transferred from the position I formerly occupied, and was totally incapacitated physically-in feeling - and had me installed in the old hospital to look after the wants of its inmates &c., It is the most desirable position he could have gave me, I have heard nothing from Washington relative to my application for pension since seeing you. I hope soon too,

Rev Hill continues to give me words of comfort and good advice which I trust are not entirely without the effect desired he is another friend that I take pleasure in eulogizing - I hope that you are in enjoying good health and I know you are as always doing good - With kind regards and the hope of seeing you soon, I am

Your True Friend
J. M. Warner,

Mrs Chase

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Fort Point
August 1, 1888

Dear General

Through your kindness, we leave today for Santa Barbara where we anticipate a delightful time.

How considerate you always are for other peoples comfort and pleasure and what a pleasure it must be to you to

be able to make as many people happy as you are constantly doing.
That is one of the blessings of reaching the high position you have attained.
May "the peace that passeth understanding abide with thee always, — is the wish of Your sincere friend

J. Lucile Chase.

P.S. I have done the best possible with the inclined, but the spirit of the theme is far better than its expression

Lieut. Chase.

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GEORGE N. CHASE,
Lieut. and Aide-de-Camp.

HEADQUARTERS DIVISION OF THE PACIFIC,

San Francisco, Cal., Aug. 1st, *188* 8

Gen General:

I found the papers on my desk, from Gov. Perkins. Many thanks to you. I enclose letter from Maj. Kent which explains itself.

Hurriedly

G N Chase
Aide

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GEORGE K. CHASE
Lieut. and Aide-de-Camp.

HEADQUARTERS DIVISION OF THE PACIFIC,

San Francisco, Cal., Aug. 1, 1888

Dear General:

I have the honor to say that, from Mr. Gatchin, Army stocks & Tops have been taken from that vessel. Just what will be done with them I do not know.

Respectfully

Yours

G. K. Chase

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Brunswick, Maine, Aug 2nd 1888

Gen. Oliver O. Howard LL.D.
San Francisco, Cal.

Dear Sir,

Your favor directed to the Secretary of Bowdoin College was placed in my box and opened by me. I have forwarded it to Col. F. M. Drew of Lewiston who is the Secretary of the Board of Trustees and whose duty it is to report the Acts of the two Boards.

I venture to say that the College Treasurer is always ready to send a diploma in case of honorary degrees but generally waits for an intimation that one is desired. I am

With great respect
Geo. T. Little
Secy of the Faculty.

Bowdoin College.
Pres of Faculty

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Yankton, D. T.
Aug. 3rd 1888.

Gen. O. Howard,
San Francisco Cal.

Dear Sir;

Rev. D. B. Nichols having told me of your kindness to him I take the liberty to write you in our and his behalf.
Father Nichols has organized a little church here at La. Grange. there are sixteen members, and we have nearly completed a house of worship costing twelve hundred dollars.

Now we find there is no other way for us to do but build a parsonage. Mr. Nichols spoke of you and as your brother Gen. Chas. Howard met him

in Chicago and helped us on our church building. I thought perhaps you would like to give us a little lift on the parsonage. If you can help us we will be very gratefull indeed. Please send something if only a little to Father Nichols and he will give it to the building com.

Very truly.

Mrs. F. P. Hardin.

Yankton,

D. T.

We do not think it safe for our pastor to face the severe storms as he did last winter in order to meet his appointments. He is living in Y. now a distance of seven miles.

FORT MASON, SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.,

Aug 3rd, 188 8.

Mr. Franklin Clement Robinson,
or Secy Phi. Beta, Kappa.
Bowdoin, Me.

Dear Sir:

Under my name page 45, I would insert in historic sketch the L.L.D. of Bowdoin; and also after Col. 3rd Me. Vols. Brig. Gen. of Vols.; then after 1861: put in Brig. Gen. U. S. A. Again after author put in "Donald's School Days" & Biographical sketch of Gasparin. I enclose the stamps as requested.

Very truly Yours
O. O. Howard
Maj. Gen. U. S. A.

Mount 1850.
Howard

LAW OFFICE OF ALLAN RUTHERFORD,
(LATE THIRD AUDITOR U. S. TREASURY,)
Corcoran Building, Fifteenth and F Streets, Rooms Nos. 98, 99, and 102. (Opposite Treasury Department.)
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. August 4, 1888.

Gen. O. O. Howard, U.S.A.,
Dear General:

I have your letter of 26th ult. inclosing power of attorney in the matter of your stock in the Young Men's Christian Association. I find that they are progressing very slowly but hope that the proposed sale to syndicate will be consumated as they have paid an installment of $10,000 and are to pay an installment of $10,000 more in January next, the balance being on deed of trust on long time. I am informed that propositions to the stockholders are not likely to be made for some months yet. I will keep a close watch of the matter and when any offer is made will investigate it and if I think it for your interests to accept will advise you at once.

I should be pleased if you

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would suggest to the other stock-holders that you mention that I could look after their interests also.

I can assure you that I will give to the matter my thorough and careful attention and will make the charge for services reasonable.

I called on Messr. Fitch and Fox in reference to the matter about which you write. Mr. Fitch informed me that they have made peated efforts to get Mr. Lincoln to do something but had failed to bring him to time, and he said that he doubted if anything would be done.

Mr. Fitch asked me if I would request you to furnish me with the present address of Gen. Charles Howard. He wishes to write him in reference to some property that he owns in this city.

Very truly yours,

Allan Rutherford

Allan Rutherford

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American Board of Commissioners for Foreign Missions.

FOR CORPORATE MEMBERS.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING.

THE Seventy-Ninth Annual Meeting of the American Board will be held at CLEVELAND, OHIO, in the Music Hall, commencing on TUESDAY, October 2, at 3 P. M., and continuing until Friday forenoon.

The hospitalities of friends in Cleveland are cordially extended to the Corporate Members and their wives during the meeting. Those who expect to accept this offer of hospitality are requested to notify Mr. JUSTIN SNOW, 1884 Euclid Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio, *before September 7*. As soon as possible after that date cards of introduction will be forwarded to those applying.

Corporate Members who are unable to be present at an Annual Meeting are expected to send letters to the Recording Secretary of the Board, giving the reasons for their absence.

Yours respectfully,

E. K. ALDEN,
Home Secretary.

1 SOMERSET STREET, BOSTON,
AUGUST 4, 1888.

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is very kind to them yet it is very hard to have a sick child in a hotel where it is so difficult to get things for its comfort. I feel so sorry for them.

Col. Shafter has just made a change in his Quartermaster. Mr. Stow takes Mr. Stother's place.

We are enjoying ourselves here very much. There is only one drawback it is very dusty and driving is scarcely pleasant in consequence.

We wandered into a Presbyterian Church today and listened to a very able sermon. I am reading the book you so kindly gave me. It is of deep interest and while I cannot agree with the author in some of his reasoning there is much that is new and clever in it. However, I have not yet gotten far enough into it to judge whether this be the ordinary jugglery of words and vagueness of ideas usually found in books of that character or not. The author is evidently a scientific man & promises to apply

GEORGE N. CHASE,
Lieut. and Aide-de-Camp.

ans Aug 6. 1887

HEADQUARTERS DIVISION OF THE PACIFIC,
~~San Francisco~~ Santa Barbara, Cal., August 4th, 1887

Dear General:

We arrived here without accident Thursday evening at about 9 P.M. The journey by rail was far more pleasant than I had anticipated. Starting at night, we passed through the San Joaquin Valley by night and so escaped the terrible heat and dust, for the most part. When you come I would advise you to take the evening train on that account.

Arriving here we found our friends of the 1st Inf. enjoying their Camp very much and all express a decided preference to Santa Barbara over Santa Cruz. I was surprised

at this, because I had somehow gotten the impression (from Mr. Brant) that they were dissatisfied.

The people of Santa Barbara have done every thing in their power to render their stay pleasant, and have shown them many courtesies social and otherwise, an experience quite in opposition to that of last year.

There are very many pleasant people here and they seem to enjoy having our people among them.

The Camp is well ordered and the discipline is good. There is, I am told very little drinking among the men - or at least few cases of drunkenness - and so far as my observation goes for the short time I have been here there is none among the officers.

I am sure such an example is not without effect on the men.

The health of the camp is good. There has been one death from heart disease and another man lies almost hopelessly sick of typhoid fever. With reveille at 6 o'clock the forenoons are completely taken up by drills when after dinner and until retreat the officers and men are free to come & go as they please. This freedom is not abused by the men except in rare cases, when their privileges are abridged as punishment.

All officers sleep in camp every night. Their families all are quite at the "Arlington" and are exceedingly happy. Mr. Cowley (2nd Lt.) has been unfortunate in that his baby has been very ill and is hardly expected to survive, and to add to their trouble their nurse has just left and poor Mrs. Cowley is nearly distracted - Every one is

the methods of the exact sciences to his deductions of a Natural Law for a Theology. If I mistake not he will evolve one for different from that generally accepted and preached from our pulpits. I must confess that I can hardly recognize his analogy between Natural Life which is separated by that impassable gulf from the organic, and Spiritual Life, which is always inseperable from the former, is never seen apart from organized matter. The question which is as yet unsolved for me is, whether the Soul-Spirit Life, is caused by the "dance of atoms" in the brain, or is the cause of that Terpsichorean performance on their part. While that is made plain to me I can then go ahead feeling that I have firm ground under my feet. I am inclined to agree

Lieut. Chase.

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with the majority of religionists in their idea of Spontaneous Generation in Spirit life, and fail to see what clear notion there can be for analogy, the law of Biogenesis of Animal Life which can be demonstrated because it has to do with material objects which we can manipulate with our hands and sight, and his inferred law of Biogenesis of Spiritual Life – a law which is as intangible as s[illegible] if so be it, it exists separate [illegible] Natural Life. Our Author mu[illegible] be essentially Pythagorean in h[illegible] of Spirit.

I have no intention of critic[illegible] his learned authors work. Only to [illegible] you how earnest I have been [illegible] my effort to understand the great problem. It is ground over and over a hundred times & the path always comes back to the starting-point.

With affectionate regard

Believe me dear General

Ever faithfully Yours

G. W. Kane

PALACE HOTEL.

C. H. LIVINGSTON,
Manager.

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San Francisco, Aug 5 1888

Dear General:

Until this evening I had supposed you still your heat & mate Carlos — so chance has spared my ignorance of army affairs.

Mrs. Hubbard and our two little girls are here with me and business will probably hold me in California several weeks, during which time I hope to have the pleasure of seeing you and paying my respects to your family.

Very truly Yrs
Wm H. Hubbard

Major General O. O. Howard

Thos. St. Hubbard.

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San Francisco, Cal^a.,
Aug 6th, 1888.

Gen. O. O. Howard,
Dear Sir & Br.,—
Brother Ten-
ney has paid me the $5.00
as from returns for tickets for
"Donkey Party".

G. B. Thompson,
Treasurer
"International, 291".

B. P. FLINT, PRESIDENT

S. W. LEVY, TREASURER

· · OFFICE OF · ·

Associated Charities of San Francisco

No. 509 Kearny Street, (3d Floor)

San Francisco, Cal., August 6th, 1888.

Gen. O. O. Howard,
Delegate "First Cong'l Ch."
Dear Sir:

The next regular meeting of the Central Council of this Association will be held at Union Square Hall, Post Street, above Powell, on Tuesday, August 14th, 1888, at 8 P. M.

The report of the Executive Committe for past six months will be submitted, and important business transacted.

Yourself and friends of the Association are respectfully invited to attend.

B. P. FLINT, President

MRS. J. S. SPEAR, Jr., Sec'y

906 Leavenworth Street

1121 Hyde Street

Associated Charities

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JOHN T. CAREY,
United States Attorney,
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA.

San Francisco, Aug 6th 1888.

Major General O. O. Howard
Commanding Division of the
Pacific.
San Francisco, Cal

Sir:

I will forward Mr Fords account to the Department together with my own when I make up my account in the cases of Handy et al vs O. O. Howard et al. As I have heretofore advised you, I have no funds out of which to make payment & have no way of getting funds but by sending on a stated account for expenses in such suits.

Very Respectfully
John T. Carey
United States Attorney

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Fred. Gary.

(Complied with Aug. 7. 1888.)

Los Gatos, Cal. Aug 6. 1888

Gen. O. O. Howard
San Francisco, Cal

Dear Sir:

Please favor me with your autograph and you will oblige

Yours Very Truly
Ebenezer Farley

E. C. Farley.

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Denver, Colo., Aug 6th 1888

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

Dear Uncle Oliver:—

Hearing of Gen. Sheridan's sudden death this morning I surmised that you may be going east soon, and if you pass through Denver I should be pleased to see you at the train, and if you should be able to stop over here both myself and Helen would be pleased to have you stay with us. We have a room which is at your disposal. If not too much trouble I wish you could let me know when you go east, and if you pass through Denver at what time, so that I could meet you at the train. Love to Aunt Lizzie and the rest. Your affy Nephew O. O. Howard

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O. T. Howard