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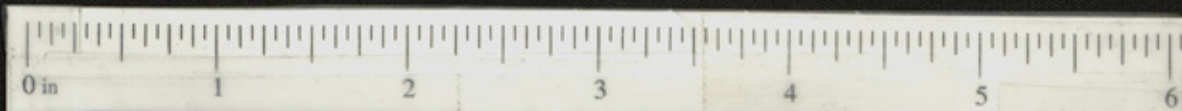
THOS. T. ECKERT, General Manager.

1.00 P.M.
NORVIN GREEN, President.

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Received at Moore Landing N O La April 4th 1887
Dated Governors Island N Y April 4th 1887
To General Howard

Care Commanding Officer Jackson BKS N O La.
 Colonel Dutherland Medical Director Asks an
 Order to proceed to Atlanta on public business
 Shall it be given?
 Whipple.
 Asst Adjutant General



—LAW OFFICE OF—
ALLAN RUTHERFORD,

(LATE THIRD AUDITOR U. S. TREASURY.)

ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW,

Atlantic Building, 928 and 930 F Street, N. W., Room 123.

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., April 4th, 1889.

Major Genl O. O. Howard, U.S.A.,

Dear General:

I have succeeded in getting
an offer on your lot 12 in Square 773.

The party offers 35 cents a foot to be
paid as follows: two three-story brick
houses in Northwest part of Baltimore
City at \$1000 each, the balance in cash;
the title to the property is said to be per-
fect, and taxes to be paid to date. These
houses rent for \$16 per month each or
annual rent on both \$384. The fixed
charges are: Annual ground rent two
houses \$130, annual taxes and water
rent \$52⁸², insurance \$5: total \$187⁸².
Net income \$196¹⁸.

I am told the houses are always
rented and are represented to be in first class
condition.

I am of the opinion that the offer
is a good one. If you authorize me
to accept I will of course go over to



Baltimore and inspect the property.

The offer is made me through real estate broker and of course you will have to pay the usual commissions.

There is this thing to be considered about it. You will be getting an annual fixed income from these houses and we have the balance in cash which you can invest. At present your investment pay you nothing.

Please let me hear from you as soon as possible. I would like to hear by Saturday as I may not be able to hold the people to their offer long.

Very truly yours,
Allan Rushmore

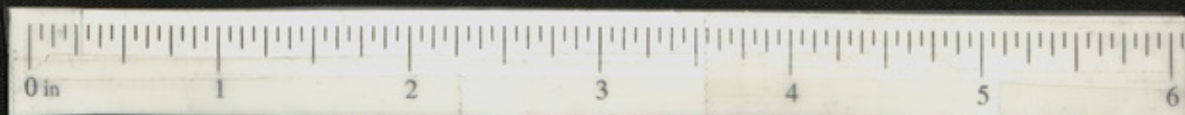
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Answer that this had
been for 53 am.
That passing a telegram
might reach you tomorrow
at Jackson Bks-
GNC.

Rushmore Allan

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Ans April 18th 1889



Quincy, Ill.
April 4 - '89

Am. G. O. Howard
Granite Island
New York City.

Dear Sir:

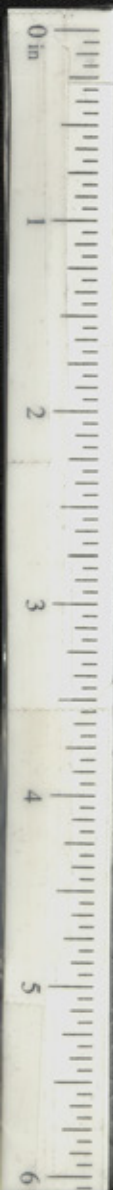
I am collecting the
autographs of all the
distinguished persons of the
time: will you please
to write yours on the
accompanying card:

And Othige

Respectfully Yours
Harry M. Cook.

Book Harry m

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146 West 13th St.
New York. Apr 4/89

Genl O. O. Howard

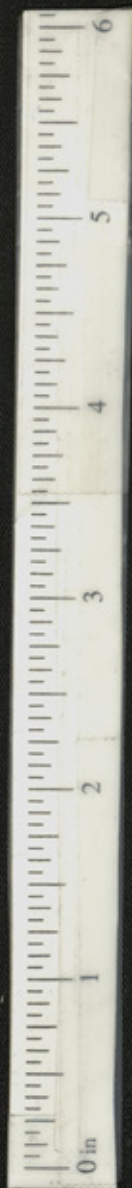
My Dear Sir

Through Col:
Shepherd and my son
Mr W. R. Morrell of the
Mail & Express I hope
to have this note
introduced to you.

The 13th Street Parish
Church of this City of
which I am Pastor,
holds the Anniversary
of its Sunday School
Missionary Society on
the morning of the third
Sabbath of April, the 21st
at 8 o'clock. With myself
our people are very
desirous to have you
address the audience

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ad.

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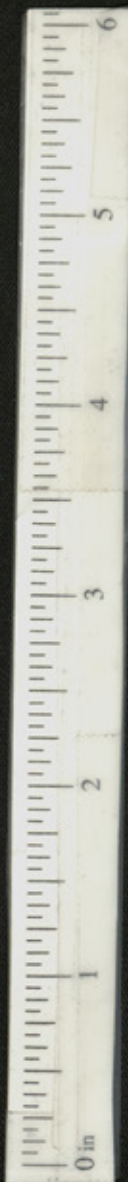
on that occasion. We
will, besides our annual
reports, and Song Services,
have two addresses of
20 or 30 minutes. Our
young people do their
mission work among
the Freedmen of the South;
by the Colporteurs of the
West; among the Indians
of India; and in our
own City.

I hope you will
find it convenient to
gratify our wishes,
and do us that good
service on that occas-
ion and greatly
oblige

Yours very truly
J. M. Morrill

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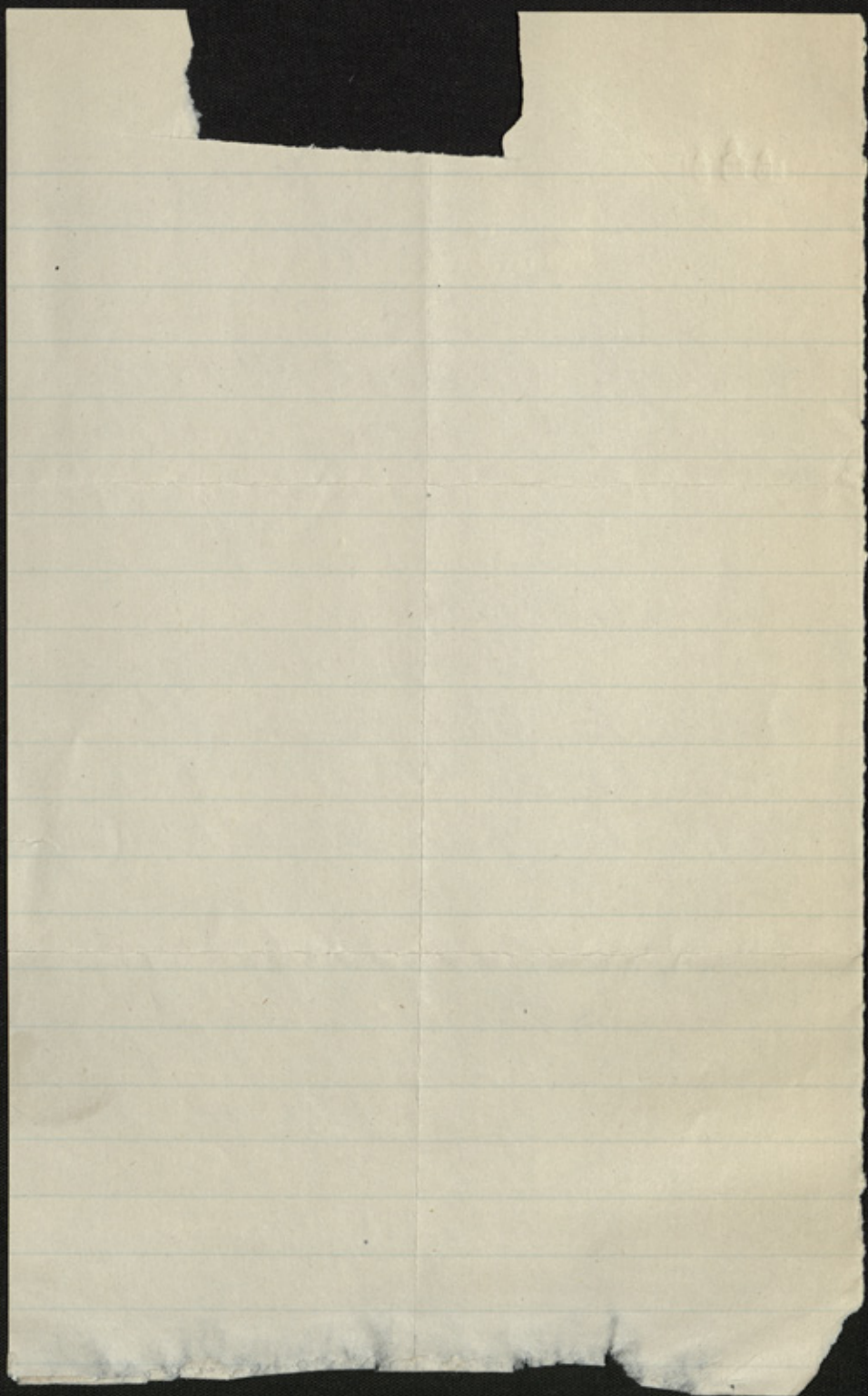
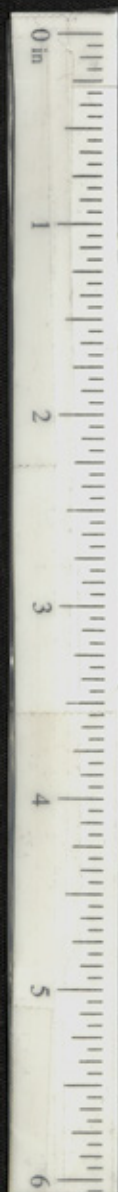
Bomdlee Dakota
April 6th 1889.

To Major General Howard
Governors Island
New York.

Dear General-

We are anxious to
build a Church in this
Town before Winter, but our
people are poor and have
met with many reverses and
on Tuesday last several
of the people lost their Homes
by Prairie Fires in the Storm.

Can you help us in
our extremity we want to
raise at least \$500. \$200 of
which we have in hand



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Harrington James F.

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I am doing frontier Work
here this is a Pioneer Statue

I am dear General
Yours - very respectfully
James F Harrington
Pastor M E Church
Bouddle -

Dakotae

We meet in the School House
for worship

I have 2 Charges and
my salary is only \$450 per -
Annum. Having food and
raiment I am content. I -
am richly blessed in my

upon the receipt of \$500 the
Church Estentual Fund will
donate us \$250- and loan
us \$250 so our Church will
cost \$1 000

I have been a Soldier
in the U S Army - 19th Regt
and saw you last when
you was at Fort Leavenworth
about 4 years ago I think you
passed through -

I feel confident
you will aid us with a little
Orders payable at the -
Bonalde Bank - or - it may
be sent to the Presiding Elder -
Rev W Fielder M E Church
Aberdeen D.K.

Send it General
have you like but send
us something for the Master
Wagon.

6-
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Wilson L.P.

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Coupton Calif.

April 6th 1889.

Major-General

O. O. Howard,

Commander Atlantic Department
of the U.S. Army

My dear Sir:

You will perhaps
call me to mind as pastor
of the M-E Church at Tulare
Calif - when you was down
from San Francisco to lecture
in behalf of the Y.M.C.A. of
Tulare. I called on you
at your room with Rev
Mr. Pauley of the Campblite
Church.

I served my country as
an enlisted man in

the 3 mos service - enlisting
from Marietta College
April 1861 - I re-enlisted
in the 49th O.V. I for 3 yrs -
I was with Genl Burnside
during the siege of Knox-
ville - I was appointed
by him Adjutant of the
2nd U.S. C. M^{ts} Inf & when I
returned home - I was
appointed 2nd Lieut 1st Vet
Corps - I have been
13 yrs in the Ministry
of the M. & E Church - I
am now stationed at
Compton 10 miles south
of Los Angeles.

I am an applicant for
position of Chaplain in
the Army - My papers were

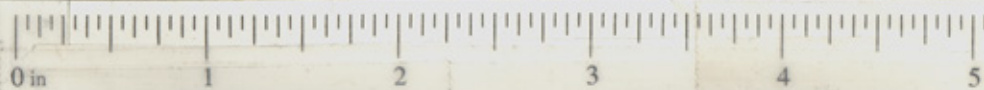
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for

placed on file by Senator
Stanford Mch 9th

I am recommended for the
position by Bishop Bowman
& Bowman of our Church -
My G. A. R. Post at Niles -
My Old Captain 79th M. I. now
President Union Bank N.Y.
by My Presiding Elder &
Associate Pastors in the
Dist - My friends deem
me specially adapted to
the position.

Upon these representations
General - Can you write
a letter to the Sec of War
in my behalf? It is asking
much - but then if we
don't ask - we don't gen-
erally receive.

I am not a pensioner,



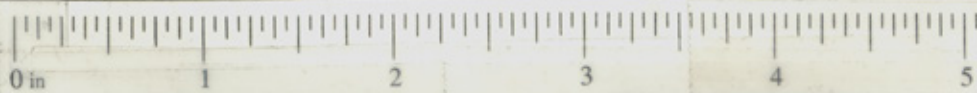
but am not older, hoping
to provide for the future &
at the same time doing
the Master's work.

I am doing good work
where I am & therefore
believe I can do good
work for the boys in
the Army.

Capt J. W. Kilbeth President
of Union Bank & Co. My
Can inform you as to my
status - My papers on file
are first class -

If you can see your way
clear to serve me OK
if not OK -

Yours paternally
C. J. Wilson
Pastor Compton
M-E Church
Compton
Calif.



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Grant Post Wf

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Head Quarters
U. S. Grant Post
No. 327, Department of U. S. G. A. R.
Johnston Building, Fulton and Flatbush Aves.

Brooklyn April 6th 1889
Gen. O. C. Howard & Staff,

Dear Sir:

You are respectfully invited to be
present at a Reception to be given to

HON. BENJAMIN F. TRACY,
SECRETARY OF THE NAVY.

HON. JAMES TANNER,
COMMISSIONER OF PENSIONS.

at U. S. Grant Post Rooms, Saturday Evening,
April 13th, 1889, at 8 o'clock, p. m.

GEO. J. COLLINS, Chairman.

B. R. CORWIN, Secretary.

JOS. F. KNAPP,

T. B. GATES,

WM. H. LYON,

H. W. KNIGHT,

S. L. WOODFORD,

J. P. HOWATT,

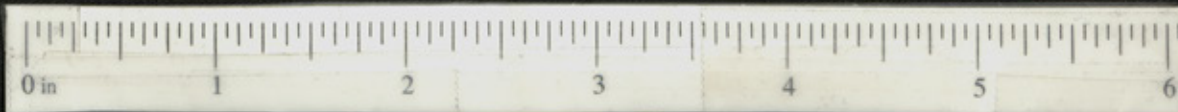
J. H. JOHNSON,

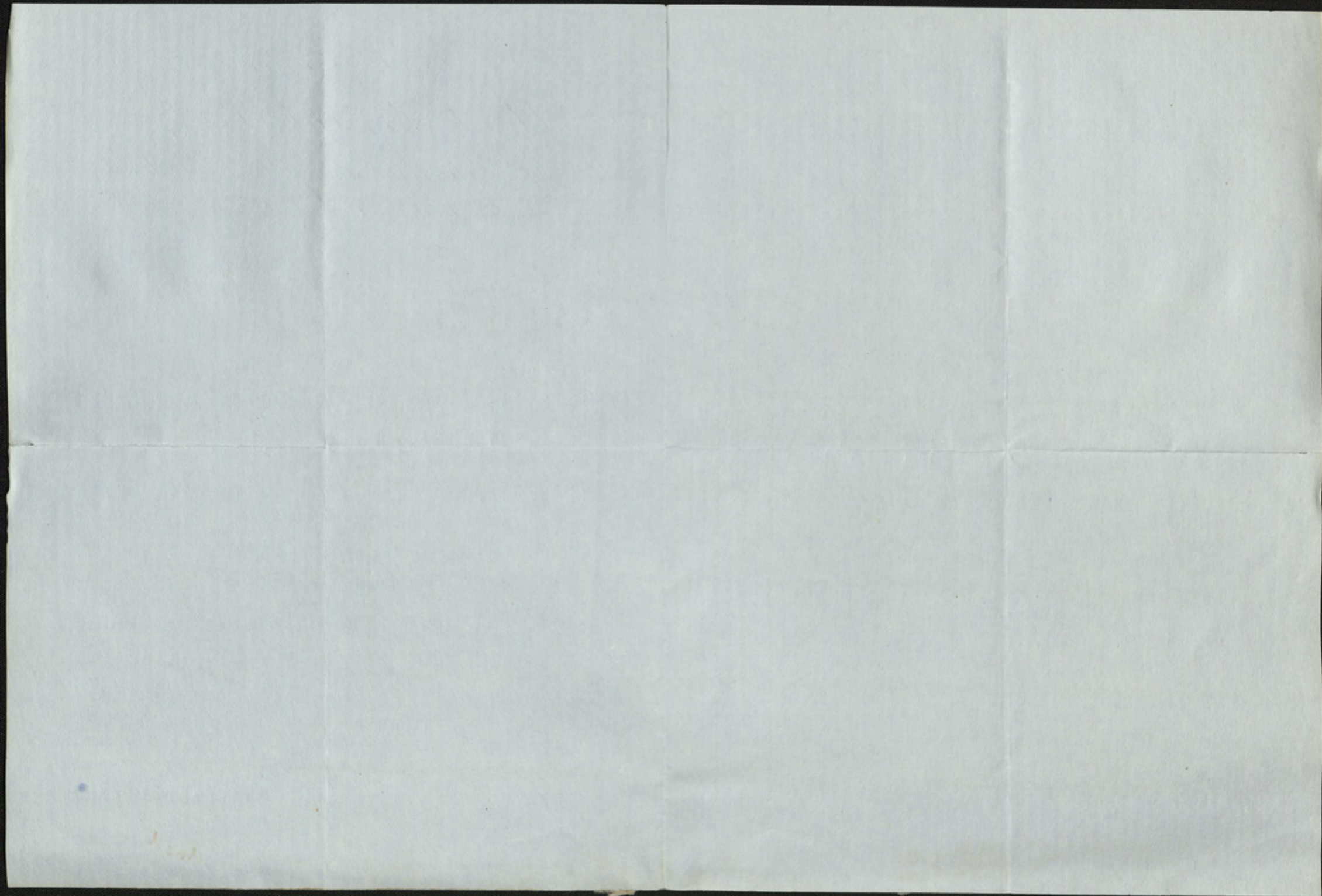
WM. H. WARING.

"R. S. V. P."

UNIFORM OR EVENING DRESS.

Ans'd -





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United States Senate,

WASHINGTON, D. C., April ⁷ 4, 1889.

My Dear General:

I am in receipt of yours of the 22nd
from St. Augustine, Fla.
ult. [^] in regard to detailing an officer for the Indian school
at Carson City, Nev. I had a conversation with Gen. Scho-
field in regard to the matter, and he told me that if he knew
a proper officer who would like the assignment, and who
would be adapted to the service, he would join with me in an
effort to have him assigned. He advised me to communicate
with you and ascertain whether you knew of any person whom you
would recommend and who would be willing to be assigned to
that duty.

Please write me if you know of such a person.

Yours, very truly,

Wm. Stewart

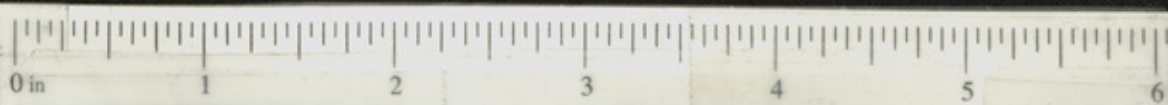
Gen. O. O. Howard,

U. S. Army,

Governor's Island,
~~Hotel Ponce de Leon,~~
New York.
~~St. Augustine, Fla.~~

And.

See Ltr. April 5th 89.
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Answers





Company "B,"
Twenty-Third Regiment,
N. G., S. N. Y.

103.

Brooklyn, April 8th 1889

Major General O. B. Howard
Comdg. Division of the Atlantic
Governors Island.
General:

I have the honor of sending
to you herewith some tickets for the Reception
and Closing Drill of this Company.
We are hoping to have the pleasure of
the presence of yourself and friends.

Very Respectfully,
Your obt. Servt
Willard L. Canine
Captain

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23d. Regiment

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One April 10th. 1889.



102,

Chas. H. H. H.

THE MAIL AND EXPRESS,
NEW YORK.

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April 9, 1889

Lieut G. V. Chase.

D. J. F.

Will you kindly let
Mr Elliott G. Shepard know
what day you expect Genl
Howard to return, or where a
letter will reach him?

If you can do so you will
greatly oblige us

Very truly, Yours

Wm R. Morrell
Secy

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Worrall Wm R.

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203-Apr. 9, 1889

104.

Memorial services by the Legislature of
the State of New York for the late
General Philip H. Sheridan,
at the Academy of Music, Albany,
Tuesday evening, April 9th 1889, at 8 o'clock.
Address by Genl. Wager Swayne.
You are respectfully invited to attend.

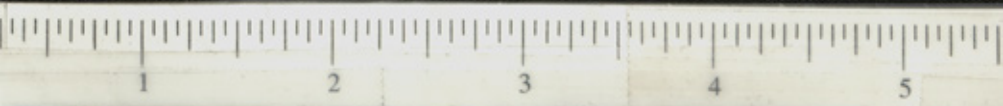
Eugene F. O'Connor,
Secretary Joint Committee

N. M. Curtis,
Chairman Joint Committee

Sheridan F. V.

Memorial Service

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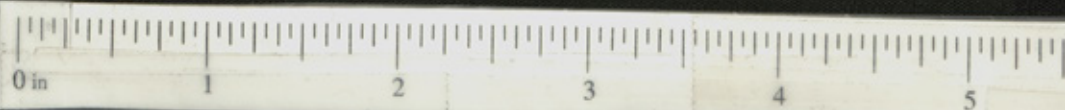
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Phoenix, A. T. April 9, 1889.

My Dear General:

I got a letter from
Frage yesterday of date April 3rd '89
saying he had just received my
letters of recommendation &c. from
Jewett (to whom I had mailed 'em)
and went immediately to the City
Genl. with them and argued with
him with all the earnestness in-
spired by our friendship.

I had a letter, a strong letter of com-
mendation from Frage and I sent that
with others and my recommendations from
my old benefactors and the bar here
& others to Jewett to take to Washington
or to be sent to whom he thought
best. It seems he sent them to
Frage. Perhaps he was the best one
to send them to. Payson wrote me to





He saw
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It is to Senator Cullom and advise him when I did so but they had already gone to Faye. Faye is near to Bloine, I think.

Your letter to me saying you would write to the President for me when he got to be Pres was among those I sent to Jewett and among those sent forward by him to Faye I suppose.

I wrote you some time ago and asked you if you could write for me outgo to Washington for me. Parker, our friend in Chicago, writes me to day that Jewett did not think he could do any good by going personally to Washington for me.

He knows best and you do about that. I wrote Cullom the same time I did you and got an answer from him. I wrote him back to see you and Chamberlain.

It seems to me, Howard, you can do very much for me, if you will, and I want you to do it.

Yours as ever
P. S. Bailey

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Perley P. S.

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I'll not bother you with my
wife's letter.

San. Apr. 9-89
You undoubtedly have all
use but all your money
Gen.

Meaj. Gen. O. Q. Howard

My Friend

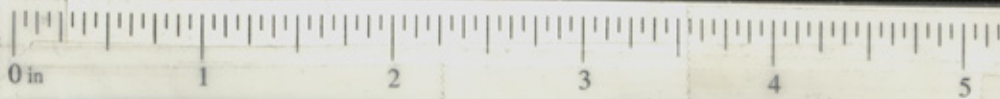
I've been cutting logs
all winter in an old
slashing. I've worked
every day rain or shine.
When it rained I used
a rubber coat which I
Bt. at that store where
you got your clothes in
S. F. As you will see
by this clipping from
the paper my money ran
away. It gives him a bad
name & ~~to~~ she was not
to blame. I tied her
with a rope halter & being
a 5-yr Colt she rubbed it
off over the top walked
off & snaph

You can hardly imagine how good
a horse & farm of my own looks to me.
I am boys

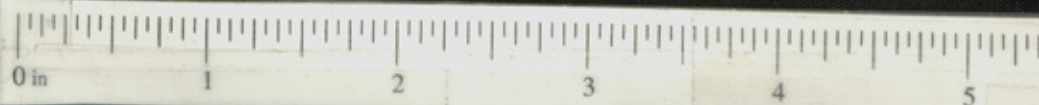
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tree which struck her
She is a fine disposition
& gentle as a kitten. When
I get excited she does & she
will do anything for me
if I don't whip her. I roll
up & draw off logs with
her as handy as with oxen.
The jockeys down town can
see that she is a strong
noble animal & they want
to trade me some old
plug of a horse. I won't
give her away or myself
either because I happened
to be crazy once I'm
thankful that I live in
this age - when civilization
gives me a chance - potatoes
will grow for me &
I'm bound to come
to the surface. I invited
the minister up to
our school house
to preach & another

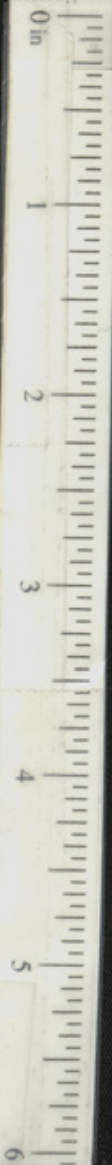


man to organize ²
Sabbath School & they
elected me assistant
Supt. So you see I'm
all right where I'm
well known. If you
are hard up now
Gen. I can't assist you
but I'll make you
a fair proposition if
you will loan me
\$50. now, when I get
to be a Maj. Gen. & the
involvement of time &
circumstances makes
you a poor old farmer,
I'll reciprocate. I owe
\$300. ~~in~~ due in 5 yrs.
I paid \$50. on my
horse & owe \$75. ^{due} next
fall - then some small
debts. I find my
plowing too hard for
one horse so I



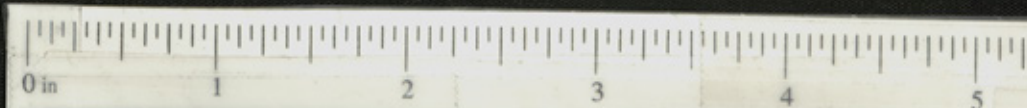
want to hire plowing done
& buy seed. I've raised
my house & got it planked
16 X 24 ft. My place cost
me \$1600. & is worth it
I could have borrowed
money on another mortgage
but if I should die I'd not
want to leave the debt to my
wife. She is taking care of an
invalid sister in Buffalo. I
could pay you Gen. in one
year with 2 ^{quarters} of pen side
ie. I get \$8 per Mo \$24. every
3 months. & I think my
crop of potatoes would more
than pay you next fall.
Gen. why don't you help
a man that is trying to
help himself? When I was
in Cal. they had deeded
a village house to my
wife & I had not

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Bar
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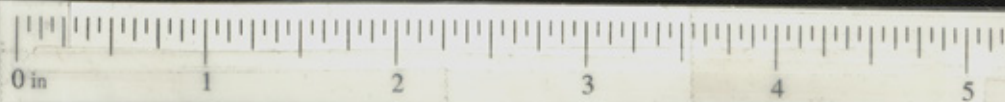


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responsibility + I left-
for Cal. without telling
her where I was going.
Now the farm is deeded
to her + myself jointly
which is the right way.
You always found me
intelligent Gen. + you
never caught me lying.
I caught you in the mistake
of telling the boys at
a thanksgiving Church
meeting that there are
12 Supreme judges when
there are 9 I'd not mention
it but you asked me
why I did not rise in
meeting + correct you.
A man that I used
to work for trusted
me 1 yr. for shingles
Oh I'm all right Gen.
I only ask you to help



me⁹ because I know that
Torrance Geo. S. has no
calls on him + gets no letters
File (a ~~trick~~ joke) You nearly
ruined me over on the
Coast. You handed me
\$5. about the first time
you saw me + had you
made me promised to leave
gone into the Country I'd
been all right. It was something
that rarely happens to a man
to have money offered without
asking for it. God helps those
who help themselves + I'm
all right. I've got a Mason
& Hamlin Organ - cost me
\$100. it is new + in good
order - had it 5 yrs but not
used. Can you dispose of
it in any of your mission
schools? You will see
by inclosed letter that I'm
a grand Christian wife. Don't
bother your clerk to answer
this unless you want to help
me. I just write it to give
you a little chance. I never
saw you. Yours truly Geo. S.
Torrance & Wanda Cott. Co. N.Y.



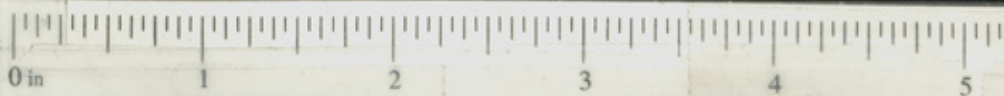
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N.Y. April 9th / 89

Major Gen Howard

Dear Sir

Will the Government
allow visitors on the
Island on the 29th
inst If so might
I ask if myself & Daughter
could have a place where
we could see the
Naval procession
on that day, we could
bring Camp chairs &
sit upon the Green —
If so what way do you
get to & from the Island
Yours Very Truly
J. S. Boyd



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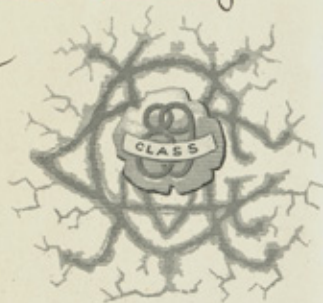
Boyd. F. S.

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Gross Medical College.

Feb-Apr 9, 1889



The honor of your presence
is requested at the
Commencement Exercises,
of the
Gross Medical College,
of Denver,
Tuesday evening, April ninth, 1889,
at eight o'clock,
First Congregational Church,
Denver, Colorado.



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Chase G. M.

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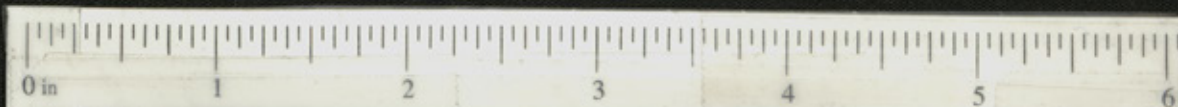
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HEADQUARTERS DIVISION OF THE ATLANTIC.

Governor's Island, N. Y., Apr. 8th, 1888

Dear General:

I forwarded yesterday an invitation for you to attend the various Inauguration Memorial exercises I will answer it in person today. No mention is made of your staff. I shall in a modest way suggest that if you attend you most likely would wish to be accompanied by your staff as befits the dignity of your high rank. I wrote a letter but did not send it. And think a personal answer better. We are all in the dark regarding the programme, and I shall make some inquiries in order to see in what way that we need some



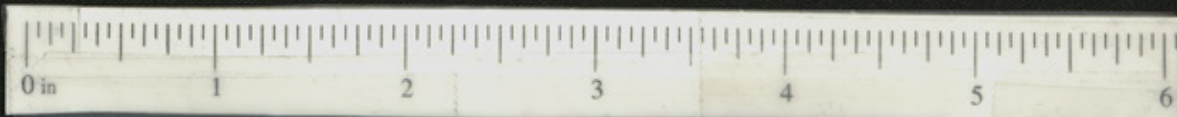
little intimation beforehand of the
part the hoops are expected to take that
we may be prepared.

The enclosed invitation was sent
around and several Staff Officers
indicated that they would like to go
so it has been responded to, to
that effect & that it is doubtful
if you return in time.

I shall not forward anything else
that can wait for it will be
as apt to miss as reach you

I saw Jamie yesterday - they are
well - and lost in the big house.
He is working pretty hard. It is
not very warm yet & today is
the first bright day for a long
time. As ever Yours

G. H. Brown
A. M. E.



GENERAL AGENCY

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New England Mutual Life Insurance Co.

OF BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS.

WILLIAM G. OBERTEUFFER, GENERAL AGENT,

ROOM 1, GLOVER BUILDING, (1419 F STREET,)

IN REPLY TO YOURS OF

File
Washington, D. C., *Apr. 10th* 1889.

Mr. O. C. Howard:

Dear Sir:-

Enclosed
I hand you check, for the amount of \$50.⁴⁵/₁₀₀ on account of 27th distribution.

Yours respect.
W. G. Obersteuffer
per *asc.*

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IN ANSWER TO THE

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Adam Emil,
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Fort Stanton N. Mex
April 10. 1889

Lt. Geo. M. Chase,
A.D.C.

New York.

Sir:

Charles Toll who has been a soldier in my troop in the 6th Cal., and upon being discharged retained by me as my private servant is now in New York, and desires to obtain a position on the elevated Railroad there, but, as he says that he will have to have a recommendation from some one known in New York, he requested me to send him a certificate of character herewith enclosed with the request that if General Howard knowing me personally, and probably recognizing my signature would be kind enough to endorse said certificate to the effect that he knows me, and believes that if the man did not deserve the recommendation I would not have given it.

If you would send him a note to call and receive the enclosed, either with, or without the requested endorsement, I shall consider it a favor to me.

His address is: Charles Toll

232 East 56th Street, first floor
N. York.



I am

sincerely yours,

Smith May
Major & Capt.



Albert Miller, President.

C. C. G. Miller, Treasurer.

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J. M. Livingston, Secy.

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Pacific Gas Improvement Co.
Corner of Annie & Stevenson Streets.
Adjoining the Palace Hotel on the West.

San Francisco, April 10, 1889

Major General, O. O. Howard
U. S. Army,
Governors Island,
New York Harbor.

Sir,

I have the honor to herewith
enclosed Messrs Wells Fargo & Co's Bill of Exchange N^o of this
date on their New York Branch for \$16.⁰⁰ in payment of Dividend N^o 49,
upon your 40. shares of stock in this company.

Very Respectfully, your

Obt Serv^t

J. M. Livingston
Secy.

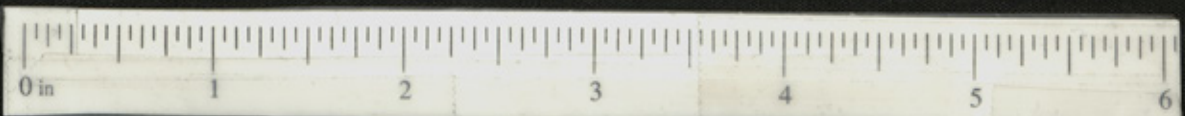
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Called on person
upstairs

SAMUEL D. DAVIS & CO.
BANKERS,

SAMUEL D. DAVIS,
MEMBER N. Y. STOCK EXCHANGE.
CHARLES B. VAN NOSTRAND.

NO. 42 WALL STREET,
NEW YORK,

April 10th 1889

Genl Howard

Dear Sir

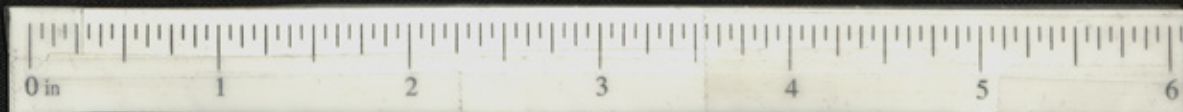
By advice of Mr Alexander
we have sold for your \$6000 Hocking Valley 5^{ts}
as per enclosed statement -

Kindly send us the \$3000 Bonds you now
hold, that we may deliver them to purchasers
tomorrow

Yours very truly

Saml D Davis & Co

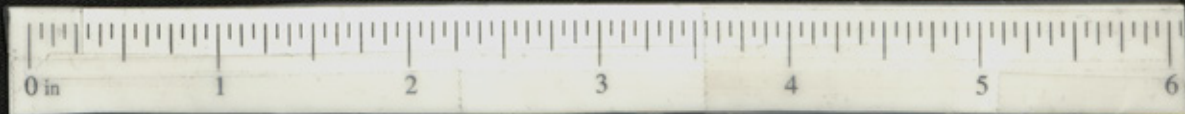
The price this afternoon is 81 1/2



Davis, Samuel R + Co.

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SAMUEL D. DAVIS & CO.
BANKERS,
AND DEALERS IN INVESTMENT SECURITIES,
No. 42 WALL STREET,

SAMUEL D. DAVIS,
MEMBER N. Y. STOCK EXCHANGE.
CHARLES B. VAN NOSTRAND.

NEW YORK, *Apr. 10th* 188*9*.

M *Gen. Q. Q. Howard*

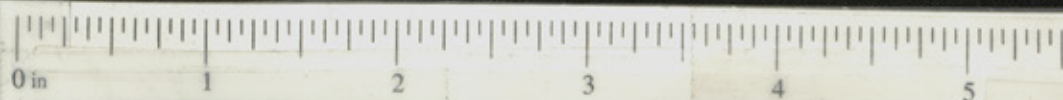
We have *sold* for your
account and risk.

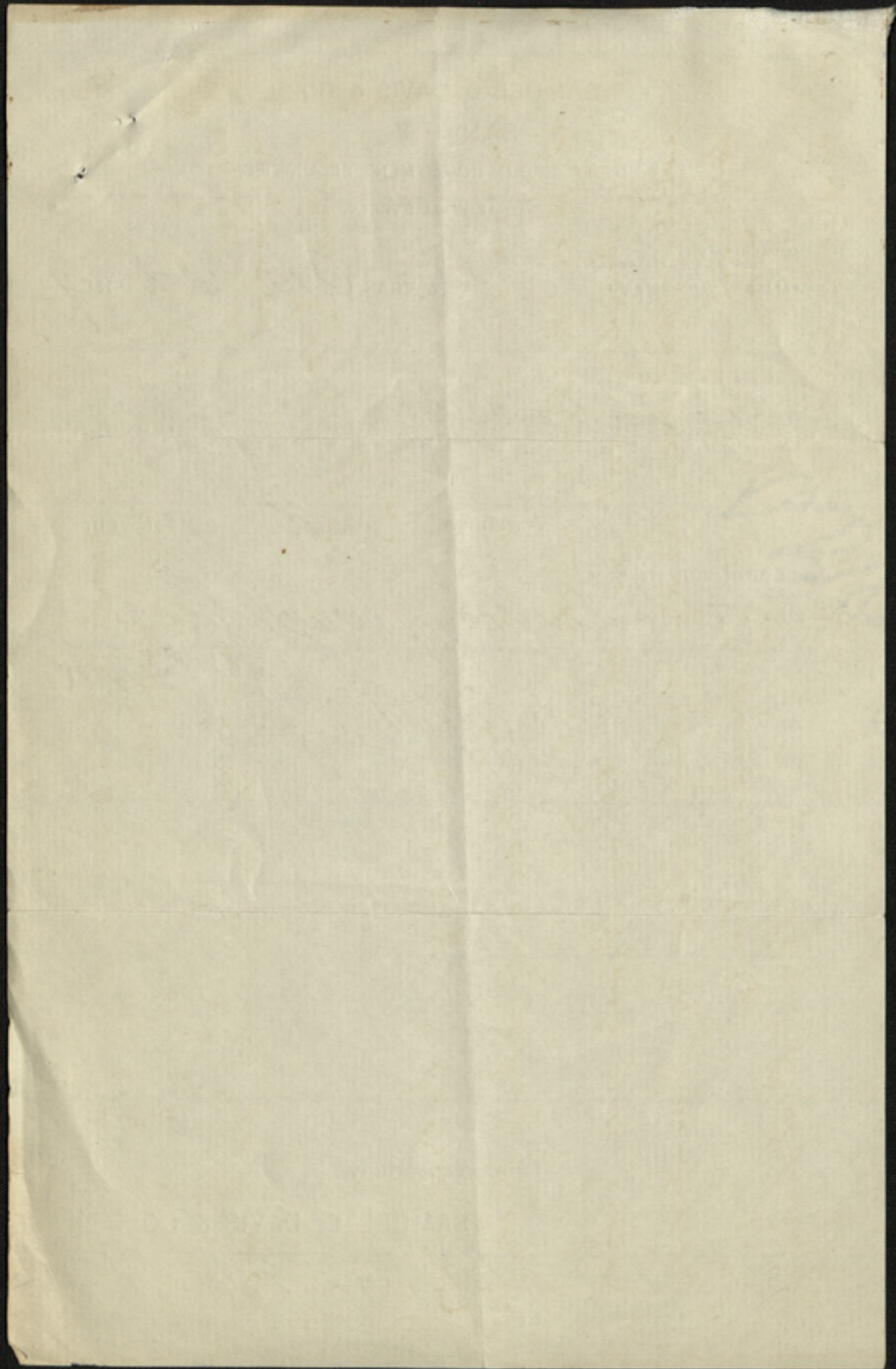
*\$6,000 Columbus, Hickory Valley Toledo ss
@ 82 3/4 R.
to Arents & Young.*

Yours respectfully,

SAMUEL D. DAVIS & CO.

per *L. F. O.*





Armstrong S. C.

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Hampton Normal and Agricultural Institute.

Personal Hampton, Va., April 11th 1889

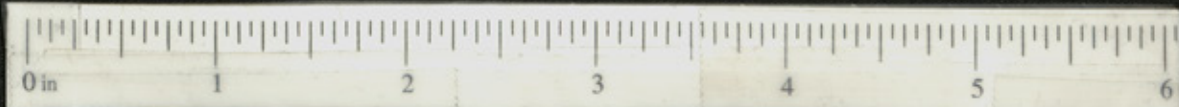
Genl C. C. Morand:

Dear Sir:

Telegraphs
you today to know
whether you would
consent to address the
students of this Institute
on Sunday evening May
19th.

The anniversary
exercises take place
on Monday the 23rd.

We should be



Very glad to entertain
you and Mrs. Howard
as our guests, tho' we
would be expected to
share the pleasing
entertaining you with
Col. Bird, Quartermaster
and others at Fort
Monroe who have
spoken most kindly
of you.

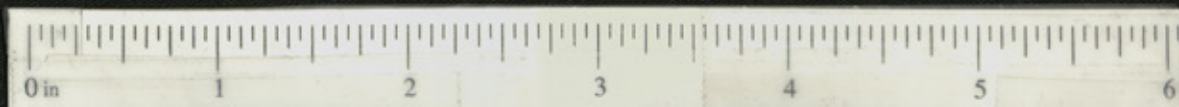
I deem it a great
opportunity for our
students to hear you,
and wish that you could
make them realize, as
you, better than anyone
else can, what has

been done for them. Could
you not demonstrate the
Signal Instructional guidance
that thus far has led
them. You know the
need and keep
make it.

Hoping that you
will consent to come
and speak on Sunday
evening the 19th of May.

I am, with cordial regards
to yours & Mr. Corwin.

Yours very respectfully,
H. C. Munroe



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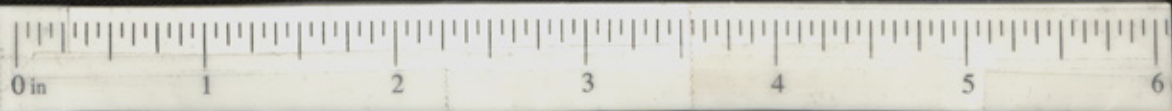
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Apr 11 1889

Dated Hampton Va 11

To Maj Gen O O Howard
Louis Island

Will you address students
of Hampton School Sunday
evening May ninth
S. C. Armstrong.



Amstrong. S. L.
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Office message
sent. S. L.

