December 9.

Dear Sir:

May I presume upon your kindness by asking if you can inform me from whom I was led to believe that you have an autograph or an autograph note of the able and distinguished commander, General John Edmonds?

If you can give me any information that will lead me in pursuit of the same, I will be profoundly grateful to you indeed.

I need scarcely say that it would be peculiar to receive an autograph letter from yourself, nor that it would ever be carefully preserved and highly valued as a souvenir of...
one who was known to the nation and the world as one of the most brilliant and heroic of the great captains who wore the Blue in the greatest conflict of modern times.

Hoping you will pardon this interruption upon your valuable time,

Yours,

Very Respectfully,

Harry W. Hanne,
West Chester,
Penna.

Yours, Oliver O. Howard,
Governor's Island,
New York, N.Y.
Dear General

Exchange is no remedy, if it be made by two identical elements, material, equality & moral equality. We have had experience with changes which have proved unequal compatibility for us. The new clergy we certainly are forced into the same circle, brought in the same world. I did not know till last night that our heads & hearts were perfectly like yours. On coming out I looked in vain for my hat & saw one much newer, cut. I sent card: "That is not mine. Tell me of the reasons noticed in it. A card with your name. May we meet..."
again? Of so where? I should to enjoy a visit from you at 11 o'clock. Perhaps this is not to be expected. Let me again express my thanks to our Orono Master that he assisted our meeting. I always feel a quickening of that devotion which we may which made the Leader in the conversion from twelve years of many trials. Then Sabbath School Classes, then a Congregational Fair the present work only for our Master's sake. How he has blessed the work! Even Jesusess thanking me for possession of Moses' work, in the 9th Psalm. Many are coming to see the demands as missionaries. families. Yours ever, W. F. Lawson.
Consolidated Gas Company.

of New York.

Branch: 2084 Third Ave.

New York. Dec 9th 1889

Gen. Howard,

Dear Sir,

I was one of the many last night who listened to your remarks at the Lexington Ave. Baptist Church, and not only listened to, but was, I think, benefited thereby.

My object in writing, however, is this: I am not asking too much, I wish you would send me a short note, or an autograph to be placed in my autograph album, for which I would be very grateful.
Being a young man, I would suggest, General, that you kind a line or two, which may ever remain in my mind, and perhaps be of benefit to me through life.

Trusting I have not asked too much, & to be pardoned for the trouble I have given you, I remain, your sincerely, W.B. De Paey.

404 3117 St, N.Y. City.
Dear General Howard,

I am cordially requested by the Prince Fane late Club of Belfa to invite you as its guest to attend its annual dinner in this city on Thursday evening January 2. I trust I need not tell you what a cordial welcome our Maine people here will extend you. May we not have the pleasure of your presence.

The Club will pay its respects of your coming, and I trust you will do us the honor of an acceptance. It is a large rep- resentation Maine Club.

Wrs. to Christ Long
Guil O. O. Howard
N.Y. City N.Y.

Dear General:

Your favor received and read with pleasure as I find you were not fairly quoted. I am glad to know your address is to be printed by your society and if you will kindly send me a copy when ready for distribution or notify me as to where I can obtain the same, I shall be greatly obliged to you.

Nothing since the famous order of President Cleveland relative to the return of battle flags, has created a greater surprise or this way, than the exaggerated account of your depressions in your recent address. And you certainly owed it to yourself, to have a verbatim copy printed and generally distributed as proof of what was actually said.

I remain Very truly yours,

Laurence Wilson
Wash., D.C.
Dec. 10, 1859

Dear lady

We will come back Friday reaching Jersey City about half past three - no tomorrow, by the one or any other. If it is a good day can the children come to meet us in the evening?

I had a long talk with

the Secretary of War, and he has moved all papers pertaining

to the Apache business over to me

10. To make a joint report

Howard Bug.

with vigorous recommendation

to you and the Secretary

day he will forward it to

Congress and he desires

me to put everything over

to an Apache War in ultimate

form, and eventually to

help put it through Congress.

I have seen Senator Squire.

He is pledged to him, and although

he has heard of his misfortune

though he can't afford, even if

he wants to, to go back on

his recommendation now.

I have a talk with Mr. Paper.
and have telegraphed Captain Gray to learn statements of the man, looking business ability of his habits sent to Secretary Novel.

I gave Mr. Smith, the captain, Gray's name, and asked that you make sure decisions of opposing the state on certain points that if anything should interfere with his Starling candidates, you hoped he would take up the captain Gray, with certain complimentary remarks regarding his ability, politics, etc.

I think this is all that can be done. We are having a pleasant visit. 

Your affectionately ever,

[Signature]
Dec. 10th, 1859

General Olin O. Howard

Dear Sir,

We are glad to enclose our cheque for seventy-five dollars ($75.00) in payment for your very interesting paper, "A Phenomenal Scout." With thanks for the opportunity of publishing an article that our readers will enjoy so much.

Very truly yours,
Perry Mason & Co.
The Family's Deception

Dear [Recipient],

I hope this letter finds you well. I write to you with a heavy heart to inform you of a recent development.

[Redacted text]

Please consider this matter of utmost importance. I implore you to take this seriously and take appropriate action to correct the wrong.

Yours sincerely,

[Signature]
New York Dec 10 1889

My dear Commander,

This Post will here the meeting of its new Commander to other officers, a private one, at house by name, Monday at 3 1/2 for on January 3rd.

We desire your presence on that occasion. Invitations will be sent as far as ready for you as time and

Please, but in the meantime I desire to let you know our earnest desire, so that you will make no other en-

agement for that day.

My late Lt. Ville is over our

best, command. Friendship yours truly,

May 12, 1889.
Lafayette Post

Blackson Floyds

File
127 Park Place
Brooklyn
Dec. 1859

Sis. O. O. Normal,
My dear General,

You will remember that when the occasion of my visit to you at Boston Island last summer you asked me to write you by letter that you preferred to give a lecture on some other course. I am writing to ask you to consider the lecture course of the New York Academy of Anthropology. Have you time to give this lecture, or would you prefer to give or accept any other position? I am sure that all things that relate to man, his physical, mental, or historical standpoints will
I am going to publish an article in a new review which I shall call the "Quarterly Review of Literature," and I would like to ask you if you would be willing to contribute to it. I would be very grateful for any assistance you could provide.

Yours truly,

E. L. Brown

P.S. May I propose you as an Honorary Member of The Academy? This list contains most of the noted anthropologists of the world. The "Key to the Secret Society" is held by a few members.

E. L.
Corn Exchange Bank

Gen. O. O. Howard
Governor's Island
N.Y. Harbor

Dear Sir:

The reception committee of the Brooklyn Young Men's Christian Association are arranging to receive the Young men of the City on New Year's Day next in our building.

They feel that the success of their plan depends upon their ability to secure your services as a speaker for that occasion.

Knowing as we do your great interest in work for

[Signature]
Union Exchange Bank
New York 2

Young men, we have taken the liberty of asking you to render this service to us on that occasion.

The Committee are unanimous in their wish to have you come—and I can truly say that you will render us as well as the Young Men of Brooklyn a great service if you consent to be with us on Jan 1/90. Our program is arranged to occupy the time between 2-4 P.M. which we trust will suit your convenience—Waiting to receive a favorable reply.

Yours truly,

[Signature]

[Name]
Deputy at Law.
Pacific Gas Improvement Co.
Corner of Annie & Stevenson Streets.
Adjacent the Palace Hotel on the West.
San Francisco, Dec 10, 1887.

Major General O. O. Howard.
W. S. Army,
Governor Island,
New York Harbor.

Sir,

I have the honor to enclose herewith a Wells Fargo & Co. Bill of Exchange, of this date, on their New York Office for $16.00 in payment of dividend No. 57, upon your 40 shares of stock in this company.

Very respectfully yours,

O. G. Miller
Secretary.
Kansas City, Kansas
Dec., 10, 1889

Gen'l O.O. Howard,  
New York, N.Y.

Dear Sir:-

Will you kindly give us in confidence your opinion of "The Standard Investment Co. of America".

Mr. W. F. Bainbridge, #180 Prospect Place, Brooklyn, N.Y. has written to us about it, and being favorably impressed with its aim and objects, we would like to know of some of the quoted references, their opinion as to its stability, &c.

Truly yours,

Return postage enclosed. The Husted Investment Company.

O. R. Burnham
Secy.
Dear Mr. J. O. Knowlton,

New York, N.Y.

Dear Sirs:

Will you kindly give us in confidence your opinion of the Standard Investment Co. of America?

The Standard Investment Co. of America, No. 1, Broad Street, Brooklyn, N.Y., has written to me to the effect that it may possibly be interested in some of the shares recently purchased, and desires to know of some of the names of those interested.

They desire me to refer to you for further information.

Truly yours,

J. Knowlton

The Standard Investment Co.