often speak of my pleasant visit upon you, and how much we miss you and Lissie. May you enjoy having your children and grandchildren about you, a little community like yourselves.

Malden, Jan 18th, 1890.

Dear Cousin Otis,

While I was at Richmond, I copied the family record from Grandfather Otis Bible, which Aunt Martha has, and thinking you might feel interested I enclose a copy thereof which was made for me on the typewriter, and have added the record of my own family.

Enclosed letters yesterday and again today from my sister Lissie, saying that Perry has been very ill for a few days, has frequent fainting spells, with failure of heart, and she is quite alarmed about him. Perry has not
drank anything since last June, and have no desire for it; and she writes they have been enjoying their stay in Washington very much, and she has not been so happy in years, that they find hosts of friends there, who are very kind, constantly sending delicious food for Barry, and offering to do for him. I do hope and pray he may recover.

Liissie wrote some days ago, that they "had been enjoying a perfect round of receptions, teas, and parties, and received at the Secretary of War's on New Years day." I fear the excitement was too much for him, as she wrote that she was very weak at that time.

We are having our first snowstorm, and are hoping it may clear the atmosphere, and destroy the

years which they say produce "la grippe." My husband and myself have not had it before. Family horse, that we valued very much, died of this disorder on Tuesday, and we shall miss her very much. Mr. Follett often said "she had not a fault." We drove over to Woodlands with her last week, found them all quite well and happy.

I trust yourself and family are well. Please give our love to your wife, I was very sorry not to see her while in Brooklyn. I suppose Bessie is now at school. You must miss her very much, she is a charming young lady, we admired her very much, you may tell her when you write, also to your sons and their wives. The
Lebanon O.
Jan. 10-90.

Major General O. O. Howard
New York.

Dear Sir,

Will you please send me your autograph. I have the autographs of several great men and I have sent for General Brooks. Would be very much obliged.

Very Respectfully,

A. H. Holbrook.
Holbrook A.K.

File
Pacific Gas Improvement Co.
Corner of Annie & Stevenson Streets.
San Francisco, January 10, 1881.

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

Sir,

I have the honor to inclose herewith two 100 of $13.70 Bills of Exchange of this date on their New York House for $16, in payment of dividends V001 due on your 170 shares of stock in this company.

Very respectfully yours,
J. M. Livingston
Secy.
Bloomfield, N. J.
Jan 11 190

Genl O. O. Howard
Lamman Island

My dear Sir:

Though not yet having had the pleasure of a personal interview, I still feel we are friends, being alike interested in the grand work of the Young Men's Christian Association, and servants of our Lord and Master.

It would afford me much
pleasure to have you drive
and spend the night with us
next Wednesday, 15th inst., when
you address our Association and
friends. I enclose time table
by which you will see the trains
are more numerous than when
you were here some years since.
Please let me know what train
you will take, as the carriage
will meet you at depot.
Send by same mail a copy of
our monthly publication.
You must suit your own con-
venience entirely, but I hope
we may have the pleasure of your
staying with us Saturday night.

Yours very sincerely,

Henry B. Sheldon, Jr.

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RAILWAY TIME TABLES.

DEl. LACK. & WESTERN RAILROAD.
Newark and Bloomfield Branch.
TO NEW YORK.

Leave Glen Ridge—6 15, 6 52, 7 14, 7 40, 7 54
8 30, 9 17, 10 33, 11 37 a.m.; 12 43, 1 43, 2 33,
3 33, 4 42, 5 22, 5 52, 6 30, 7 02, 8 18, 9 27, 10 18,
11 14, p.m.; 12 43 a.m.

Leave Bloomfield—6 17, 6 54, 7 16, 7 42, 7 56,
8 32, 9 19, 10 35, 11 39 a.m.; 12 46, 1 45, 2 35,
3 35, 4 44, 5 24, 5 54, 6 32, 7 04, 8 20, 9 29, 10 20,
11 16, p.m.; 12 45 a.m.

Leave Watsessing—6 19, 6 56, 7 18, 7 44, 7 58,
9 21, 10 38, 11 41 a.m.; 12 49, 1 48, 2 38, 3 38,
4 46, 5 27, 5 56, 6 34, 7 06, 8 23, 9 32, 10 22
11 18, p.m.; 12 47 a.m.

FROM NEW YORK.

Leave Barclay St.—6 30, 7 10, 8 10, 9 30, 10 30,
11 30, a.m.; 12 30, 1 20, 2 10, 3 40, 4 20, 4 49,
5 10, 5 30, 6 00, 6 20, 7 00, 8 00, 9 15, 10 15,
11 10, p.m.

Leave Newark—6 20, 6 45, 7 15, 7 44, 8 43, 10 03,
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12 08 a.m.
AS GIFTS.

In JEWELRY.
In SOLID SILVER.
In WATCHES.
In SILVER PLATE.
In CLOCKS.

Now Usual Prices.
Major General O. O. Howard
U. S. Army
Governor's Island, N. Y.

General:

I take pleasure in forwarding you, by mail this day, the "results" of my trip last Monday to Governor's Island which I was secured through your kind permission.

I have the honor to be,

with great respect,

Your obedient servant,

A. J. Zabriskie
THE EVANGELICAL ALLIANCE
FOR THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
117 BIBLE HOUSE.

New York, JAN 11 1890

Maj.-Gen. O. O. Howard, U.S.A.,

Dear Sir:

The twenty-second annual
meeting of the Evangelical Alliance for the United
States will be held in the Managers' Room of the
Bible House, New York, immediately after the meeting
of the Board of Managers which will convene at four
o'clock Friday P.M., January 17th.

In addition to the ordinary business, which regularly comes before the Board of Managers, the question of holding a meeting of the World's Alliances in the United States in connection with the proposed celebration of the discovery of America will be considered.

Yours faithfully,

[Signature]

General Secretary.
Brooklyn, January 9th 1890

To The American Society for
the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals

I wish to call your attention to a horse
owned or hired by the contractor who is finishing the sea wall
of Governor's Island, New York Harbor.

The stable is near Castle William.
The horse is stiff and can barely drag himself along, but the
contractor still keeps him at work.

Being a sympathizer with the Society's work, I felt it my
duty to report the matter as soon as possible. /\

(s) ------
(copy)

Brooklyn, January 8th 1880

To the American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals

I wish to call your attention to a horse

owned or hired by the corporation who is occupying the site near

of Governor's Island, New York Harbor.

The staple at near Castile Mill, the factor at that point that my

contractor still keeps him at work.

Please to sympathize with the Society's work I tell if my

wish to report the matter as soon as possible.

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To The Commandant

Governor's Island, N.Y.

Sir:

Enclosed herewith please find copy of a communication addressed to this Society, which explains itself.

If the complaint be true as stated, the working of the horse is a violation of the humane statutes of the State; and believing that you are in sympathy with the work in which the Society is engaged, I respectfully request that an investigation be made of the condition of the animal referred to, and if found as described, that you will take such action in the premises as your good judgement will suggest.

Yours truly,

[Signature]

[Address]
Portland, Oregon Jan 11, 1905

Major Gen. A.A. Howard
Governor's Island, N.Y.

My Dear General,

Your kind favor of Dec. 15 is at hand, and also the letter of J.M. Field, Washington City. Written to you. Please accept my many many thanks for your constant contribution as you call it, it is a regular "God Send" just at this time of year. I will tell my friend what that much money will purchase in Portland now.

100# Bacon $12.00 100# Potatoes $2.00 300#

$1.50 one pair shoes for Willie $12.00 one pair shoes for Helen $1.25 one pair for Georgia $2.50. It as always been a
I am truly glad to hear the Lord enabled to do so much good all the time. I say this because I think I know what your income is. Having been with you so long. How am I to think that so many men who being Millions at their command cannot do this? Surely the service is some thing to do with it. I see it is every thing to trust in the Lord, as you will begin to practice your conversion. I have ever been guided by Holy Spirit. He has changed me in every way it is possible to change a man, and at times poured out blessings upon me, through an extrovert as I am, that I would melt into tears with fear and joy. You say it. Your letter note you that the Lord will keep me unto the end. Now if your friendship to me is as good as ever it was (and you are only a human) than much more will my heavenly Father who gives me good gifts.

I still hope for the best about my pension as every thing works together for good to them that love God. I have every confidence that will come out alright too.

We are having a very busy month in Oregon. The family are all well, but George is still ill no more. May God bless, help, and keep on the road and his family unto the end is the prayer of my heart. I remain very respectfully your humble servant.

Edmond Chambers
Old Government Scout.
Remember me kindly
to all friends.

Your sincerely,

A. W. Dean

Chase, 6, 77
San Francisco
July 2, 1891
Jan. 11, 1891

File II

Dear Friend:

Your kind letter received with thanks. I will see that it is returned at first opportunity.

I reached here during an epidemic occasion.

I have to reach a very cold reticence in another attack of pneumonia which, although lighter than the other, has left me very reduced in strength. I am just able to write again.
Through some misunderstanding
no doubt, your order taking
me from duty on your
cliff has never been told
me, at least I have never received it. You will really
your promise to issue
such as were once as in
Mrs. Trubshaw case. Mrs.
Drane and the boy are suf-
ficient to join me. An
kind lord. If your doctor
My "carbon copying"
has assumed a particular
shape & is now in such
condition as to command
the attention of Captain.
Howard University.

WASHINGTON, D.C., Jan. 11, 1890.

Dear Sir:

The Executive Committee has directed that the January meeting of the Board of Trustees be held on Tuesday, the 21st inst., at 4 P.M., in the University; and that in order to give the members an opportunity to meet the President socially, a collation be served at about half past five or six o'clock.

Very respectfully,

J. B. Johnson,
Secretary.
Howard University

John J. B.

Filer

Washington, D.C., Jan 11, 1900

Dear Sir:

The Executive Committee have approved the following:

The temporary increase of the Board of Trustees for the University, and shall in order to give the University an opportunity to share in the financial support of the College, and to aid in its growth.

Very truly yours,

E. Johnson

Secretary.
Jan 11, 1910

Dear General Howard,

It gives me great pleasure to introduce my friend, Major William Cary Danger, N.G.S.W. an active Associate Member of the Institution, who takes great interest in military affairs.

Yours sincerely,

[Signature]

Governor Howard, N.Y.H.

[Signature]
Young Men’s Christian Association.

116 Newark Avenue.

Jersey City, N. J., Jan 12, 1889

Major General O. O. Howard,
Governors Island

T. Y.

Dear General,

I desire to see you on a matter concerning the Young Men’s Christian Association and wish to ask you if you would kindly appoint a time next week when I could come over and meet you either on the Island or any place you may wish. I will not take more than 15 or 20 minutes of your time should you give me the appointment.

Very sincerely yours,

Arthur Lucas
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Strong W. B.

File.

Dear Mr. Howard,

United States Army

Please find copy of your letter kindly furnished me this day.

Yours respectfully,

Keenan Strong

275 Y.R. 1005st. N.W.

13/1/90.
Dear Sir,

Winston B. Strong, Jr., is the son of Gen. Geo. C. Strong whom you will remember as he was from your neighborhood. He, the son, is a most worthy young man and greatly desires to get into the Army. We will state
his own care. I recommend that you give him a few minutes of your time.

Yours truly,
O. P. Howard
Very truly yours,

[Signature]

Maj., Gen., U.S. Army

My dear Sir,

Nelson R. Strong, Esq.,
is the son of Gen. Geo. G. Strong killed at Fort Wayne. He is a most worthy young man and can state to you his own claims.

W. T. Strong

[Signature]
Washington, D.C., Jan. 13th, 1890

My dear Sir:

If you said a plenty of men, who want to give $15,000 to build the President of A. & E. a new house, please ask some one of them. I will do as well as a dozen. I am going to ask permission to build it near that grove of pines, between the University and the Patton house, on the Ashby's house. Their land will be no expense for land, and it is a good place, every way.

My work opens beautifully. We are holding a second week of prayer, and I called for prayer, this week. I think the Lord is with us.

Take care, A. E. Me.

Yours truly, J. E. Shanholtz.
File.
Young Men's Christian Association

Bloomfield N. July 13, 1879

Gentlemen:

Dear Sir,

Enclosed find Table of Trains to quote your Journey here on Thursday night. A car will be in waiting at depot to take you to the Church. If the train or myself do not know to the contrary, you will arrive at the church here at 7:51 P.M. I am looking very much forward to seeing you here at 7:51.

Yours Very Truly,

[Signature]
S. R. Conwin, Eastern Manager

The Empire Loan and Trust Co.
Ben. Blanchard, President
No. 26 Court Street,
Brooklyn, N.Y.
May 13th, 1870

Gen'l O.O. Howard, U.S.A.

My dear General, I have the pleasure to inform you that I have been detailed to meet you tomorrow—Tuesday—Early at 7:30 on foot at Atlantic Ave. and escort you to the N.Y.O. N.Y. U.S. Grant Port. I.R. Please inform me if you will wish your staff—We should be glad to see Mrs. Howard and as many as you and Master of Judge officers.

Very Respectfully yours,
S. R. Conwin
for Committee

The letter is handwritten on a piece of paper with a header indicating the company and a note in the top right corner indicating the page number and possibly a file number.
Commandant's Office,
NAVY YARD, NEW YORK.

JAN 13 1890

Dear General Howard,

I take pleasure in sending you the cards of Captain B. I. Oshow, a gentleman who will be glad to tell you many incidents of the late war.

Captain Oshow was in the naval operations at Hatteras, Fort Royal, the taking of New Orleans, Vicksburg and other engagements on the Mississippi river, while a member of Farragut's staff, I believe.
Dear ...,

I am very sorry to hear of your father's passing. He was a fine man and will be greatly missed.

Your letter to be just the man you want, and if you will drop him a line he will be pleased to meet you any day you may appoint between the hours of 10.30 and 3 PM.

Sincerely yours,

[Signature]

Rear Admiral USN
January 13th, 1890

Major Gen. Oliver O. Howard,

Governors Island, N. Y.

Dear General:— I am very much pleased with your letter of January 7th, and I shall take occasion, within a day or two, to send you copies of bills which I have been putting in form during the holiday recess, with respect to the Army, and will ask your frank criticism of them, and especially of the one relating to the Sea-Coast Reserve, the organization of a Corps of Chaplains and the one for the prevention of desertion. Possibly I have undertaken too much, I think it is frequently our fault that we undertake too little. I find, from my experience in Congress, that it is much easier to pare down a large undertaking than it is to enlarge a small one.

Hoping that I may have the pleasure of seeing you here during the session, and to become personally acquainted, I am, General,

Very sincerely yours,

[Signature]

Chairman on Com. of Mil. Affairs.