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*A K John Md*

Received at Brooklyn my 29  
Dated 8 pm 1890

To Mr O'Howard

I am pleased  
Sandus Street M. E. Sunday School  
of which Moses F. O'Dell was long  
Superintendent is to be presented  
with a flag by Post bearing his  
name next Sunday evening. Will you



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To \_\_\_\_\_

Kindly address us on the  
occasion answer

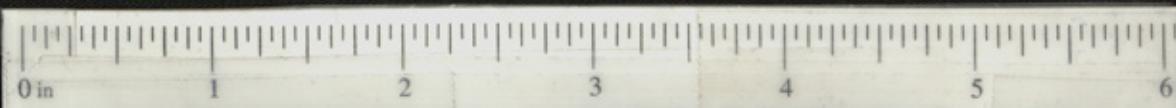
A. B. Thorne

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~~Thorpe A.R.~~ 29  
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and May 29<sup>th</sup>/90  
Language beyond  
useful for Sherry  
etc.



II.

## Headquarters Division of the Pacific,

San Francisco, California, May 29th, 1890. ~~1890~~.

My dear General:-

I have recently been offered a transfer to Chicago, but have no desire to make such change without it shall give me the exceeding pleasure of being again your personal clerk.

Remembering your parting words to me, I take the liberty of asking (for my own personal information), if in event of your being assigned to the command of the Division of the Missouri, it will be agreeable to you to have me make the transfer with the purpose indicated. The clerk who wishes to come to California, will bear all expense and accomplish the matter of transfer.

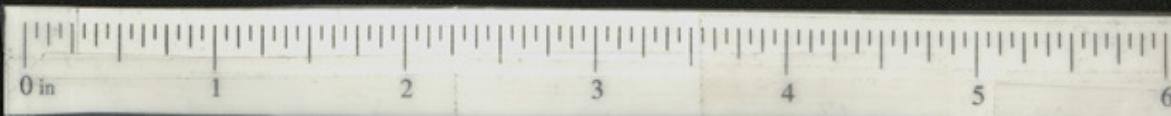
Hoping that you continue in good health, I am with the highest respect,

Your obedient & grateful servant,

*Simon Orwicks.*

Major General Howard, U.S. Army,

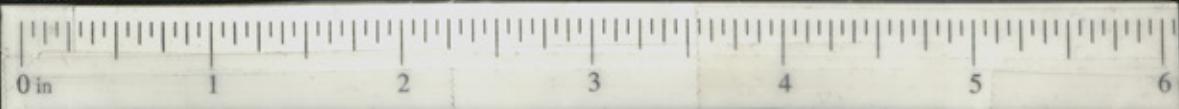
Governor's Island, N.Y.



Charles C. Pinel

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Title.



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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

OFFICE OF Superintendent Yellowstone National Park,

Mammoth Hot Springs, Wyo., May 29, 1890.

Major Genl. P. O. Norton. A.S.A.

Dear Sir:

I am about to apply  
for an appointment in either the  
Inspection or Adjustment Compt.  
Crops & will thank you very much  
for any testimony you can  
give me for file with my  
papers.

Very respectfully  
Your Obedt Servt.

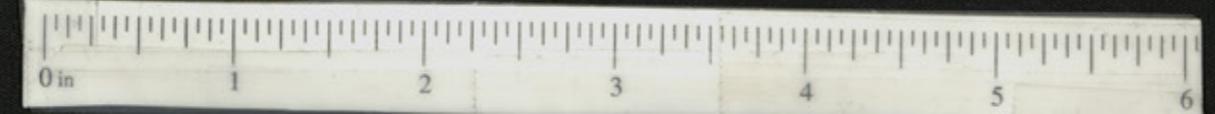
J. M. Boutelle

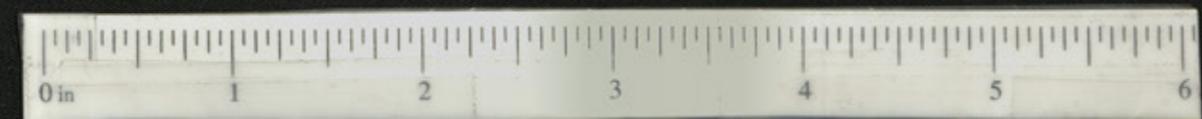
Capt 1 Cavalry  
Superintendent Natl. Park.

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Boutelle J. A.

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42 Terrence St.

Springfield, Mass., le 29 mai 1890

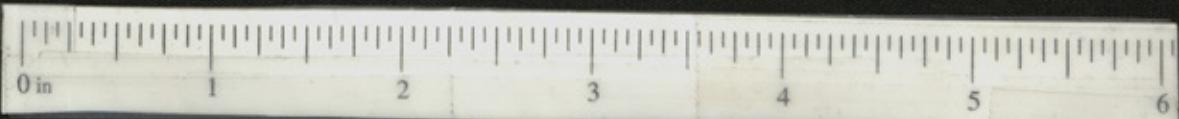
A Monsieur le Major général O.O. Howard

Bien cher Monsieur,

Je suis bien arrivé chez moi de New-York, il y a eu samedi huit jours. Il m'eût été bien agréable d'avoir eu de bonnes nouvelles à rapporter de mon voyage. Malgré ce désappointement, ma femme était si contente de me voir de retour !

Je lui ai raconté la bonté que vous aviez eue envers moi, et la peine que vous vous êtes donné, par trois fois de me présenter personnellement à vos amis, dans l'espoir de m'aider efficacement dans ma charge difficile. Elle me prie de vous en remercier vivement de sa part, — et moi, je ne vous oublierai jamais.

Depuis mon retour à Springfield, je suis allé à Pittsfield, Mass., où il y a une mission prospère, sous la direction habile d'un instituteur suisse, homme plein de talent, de zèle et de tact. Il y a là 7.000 Franco-canadiens, Belges et François. — J'ai aussi passé quelques heures à



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Cohoes, N.Y., où il y a une dizaine de familles françaises, protestantes. Certains s'assidant "Missionnaires" y ont fait un mal que le temps aura de la peine à effacer.

Cependant il y aurait une très belle œuvre à faire là par un pasteur intelligent, sincère et dévoué. J'ai appris plusieurs choses encourageantes à propos de ce qui pourrait être accompli dans d'autres endroits.

J'ai l'intention de me rendre à Saratoga, le 2 juillet pour y rencontrer les Secrétaires des différentes Sociétés Missionnaires, représentées à la Conférence Générale. — Si je pouvais me faire engager comme Missionnaire français pour l'Etat de New York, où il y a tant à faire, tant d'avenir et rien d'organisé, je suis persuadé que je serais à ma place, que l'argent consacré à mon salaire et aux dépenses de voyage que cela exigerait serait bien employé, et que les résultats, même de la première année, seraient très encourageants.

J'aurai une lettre de recommandation, de la part des membres de notre Société, pour présenter à Mr le Dr Joseph B. Clark, à qui vous m'avez présenté.

S'il vous était possible de le voir Vendredi, (demain), ou de lui écrire quelques lignes pour appuyer ma demande, je vous en serais bien reconnaissant.

Je joins, ci-incluses, deux lettres comme suggestions de celles que j'aimerais que vous vouliez bien écrire à ces messieurs.

On m'a offert un poste dans l'Etat de Washington, à 1.000<sup>00</sup> d'appointement et les dépenses de voyage payées pour moi même et ma famille. Mais c'est dans l'œuvre anglaise et je crois que je suis plus utile à l'œuvre française.

Veuillez, s'il vous plaît, cher Monsieur le Général, m'excuser pour la nouvelle demande que je vous fais, et accepter, pour vous même et votre famille les meilleurs voeux chrétiens de  
Votre Respectueux et bien dévoué serv.

P. Ph. Briol

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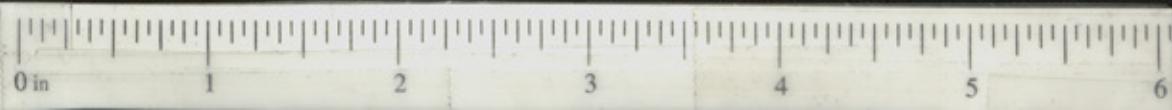
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P.S., My salary in Spencer, Mass., was \$1,000. If I were to engage in general work in one of the states mentioned, especially if my home had to be in a large city, or where rents are high, I should need about as much and my traveling expenses besides. I would have expenses to the Society but should be enabled to make them when necessary.

The Missionary among Roman Catholics needs more ~~state~~ salary than a country English pastor or pastor of an old established congregation, because the Missionary among R. C. must very often give, and receives no extra whatever.

P. Ph. Briol

I can tell this again, however though I dislike very much to talk of money. But the Miss. Society should know the facts.

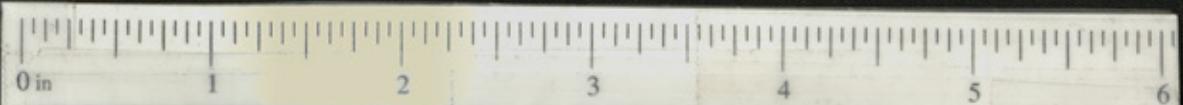


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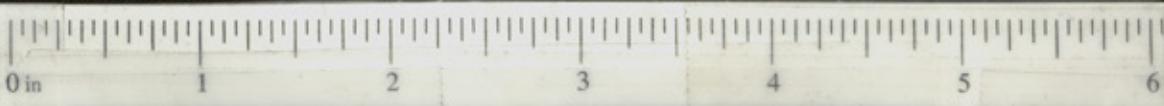
Rev. Jos. B. Clark, D.D.

Rev Sir and Dear Friend,

Allow me to say that the Rev. P. Ph. Briol, the French minister whom I introduced to you, recently, as the Financial agent of the newspaper "Le Citoyen Franco-Américain" has, since, resigned his position, and is desirous of obtaining a pastoral charge again, or the work of French Missionary for general work, to both of which I believe him to be well qualified. The field is wide and needs active men at work. Would not the state of New York be a very promising field in which to push on similar work to that which is done in Massachusetts? Maine and New Jersey, and New Hampshire,



and Vermont, offer great opportunities. Locate Mr. Briol somewhere, give him your confidence and support, and I believe that the results will encourage the brethren in pushing the French work of Evangelization



Governor's Island, N.Y.

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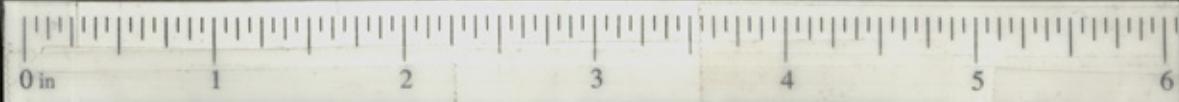
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Rev. J. E. Adams, D.D.

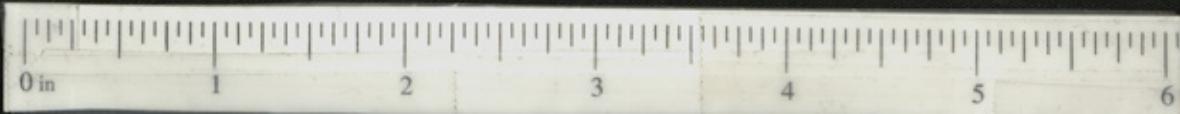
Rev & Dear Sir,

I am personally acquainted with the Rev. P. Ph. Briol, with whom I understand that you have had some correspondance. It would afford me much pleasure to hear that he is engaged by your Society for French Missionary work in my native State, should he be yet free to go there by the time these lines reach you?

Yours, etc.



Suggestion for a  
letter to be sent  
to Rev. J. E. Adams, D.D.  
Saratoga N.Y.  
on June 2<sup>nd</sup> or 3<sup>rd</sup>



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OFFICE OF  
DR. FRED. WOOSTER OWEN,  
SOUTH STREET, MORRISTOWN, N.J.

OFFICE HOURS: 8 TO 9 A.M.; 2 TO 3 AND 6 1/2 TO 7 1/2 P.M.

May 29<sup>th</sup> - 1890

Major General O. O. Howard

A. S. A.

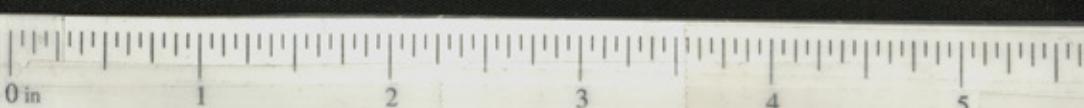
My dear General

Returning from Virginia (where I have been delayed) I find yours of the 22<sup>nd</sup> awaiting me - I have just telegraphed how very glad I shall be to meet your party at 11.53 to morrow -

We will give you a short drive about our Streets and avenues and have dinner with Commander Pierson at a quarter before One -

Doctor and Mrs Pierson (very close friends of ours) will join my own family in making yours and your party's stay as agreeable as possible.

To morrow evening, should you feel equal to saying a few words at the "Market Street Mission", it will greatly strengthen the hands



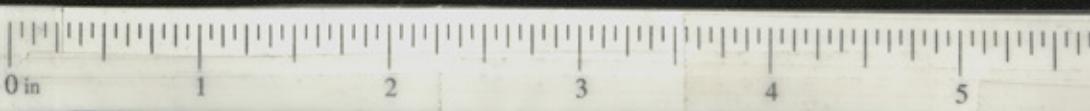
of our laborious laboring  
for and among the drunkards of the  
place -

Mrs Owen joins me in happy an-  
ticipations of again meeting you <sup>and yours.</sup>

I am dear General

Yours most affectionately and respectfully  
Frederick Owen

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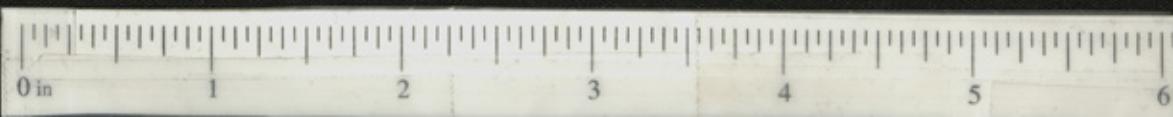
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 Received at 11 AM      May 29 1890  
 Dated Morristown N J 29  
 To May Gnd O D Howard left A.  
 S. J.      Tonis Island May  
 Letter just recd. Have been  
 away will be delighted to  
 meet your party at  
 11.53 tomorrow  
 F. W. Owen



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The Independent,  
251 Broadway,  
New York.

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May 29, 1890.

My dear Sir:-

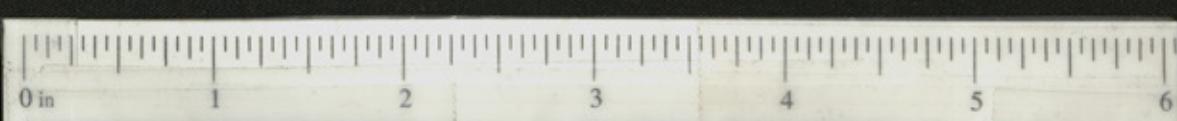
It is our desire to publish in the issue of THE INDEPENDENT for June 26th articles from some twenty-five or thirty American citizens distinguished in various walks of life, which shall anticipate the celebration of Independence Day, and suggest through our columns how it should be observed, or in what way our country can be made more worthy of its founders and more eminent for its free and equal institutions. We ask you to be one of those that shall write on a subject suggested by the occasion. We do not ask for a long article—one from five to eight hundred words would be enough, altho we would not limit you to this space, nor would we ask you to say more than a few words, if you should prefer to express your thoughts more briefly. You might, if you please, speak of any matter connected with the way the day should be celebrated, or the spirit and character of the celebration; or, if you see any public evil or question that ought to be considered on that day, or any reform to be achieved, or any higher ambition or ideal to be encouraged, we would have you speak with the utmost freedom the conviction which is most on your mind. The article should reach this office as early as June 18th. Please use the enclosed envelope for an early reply.

Hoping that you may be able thus to favor us, and still more our readers, I am

Yours very respectfully,

*Wm. Henry Ward*

Superintending Editor



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# \* Memorial Committee \*

OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC.

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N. W. DAY, Treasurer.

WM. P. WALTON, Grand Marshal.



HEADQUARTERS, 4 CITY HALL,

New York, 1890

Dear Sir:

The Memorial Committee of the Grand Army of the Republic of the City of New York respectfully request the honor of your presence on the occasion of the

ANNUAL CELEBRATION OF DECORATION DAY,

MAY 30TH, 1890.

The observances will consist of the usual Parade in the morning, and of Commemorative Services at the Metropolitan Opera House in the evening.

The Committee would be pleased to know, at as early a date as possible, that they will have the honor of your presence, and will communicate further with you as to the arrangements for the day and evening.

We have the honor to be

Very respectfully,

Your obedient servants,

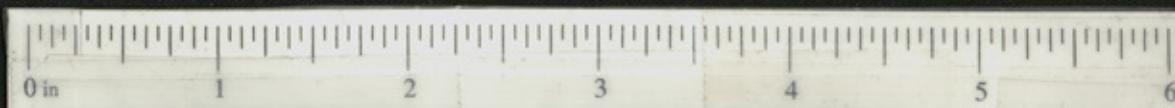
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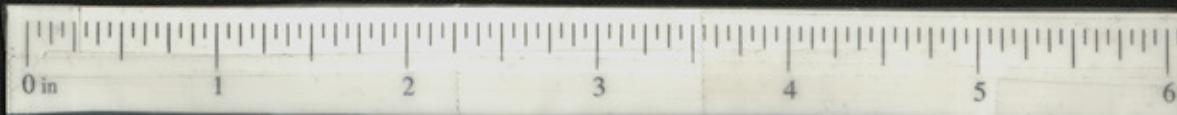
May Gene O. Howard  
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Decoration Day -

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Depot, General Recruiting Service,  
DAVID'S ISLAND, N. Y. H.

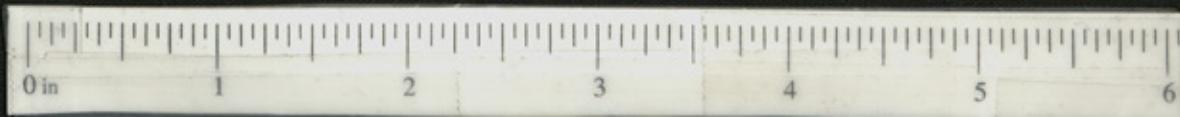
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May 30<sup>th</sup> 1890

Dear Sir,

Please say to  
General Howard with  
my regards that Mrs.  
Mears address in N. Y.  
City is No. 11 East  
22<sup>d</sup> St.

Mr. Butler rec'd  
your note expressing the  
Genl's acknowledgments  
for the use of the band  
this morning. I am very  
happy to have been of  
any service to him or



*W.P.*  
to yourself.

Please present my regards  
to Mrs. Treat.

Very truly yours.

Dangerfield Parker

Lient. Chas. S. Treat

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West. C. B. visiting with his wife  
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What you want  
West. C. B. (will)

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→ RUTGERS FEMALE COLLEGE, ←  
54 & 56 West 55th Street,

New York, May 31, 1880.

Maj. Gen. O. O. Howard:—

Dear Sir:—

Enclosed you will find a note from our President, Dr. Dawson, whom I asked to request of you a visit to Governor's Island, as my girls here, are most desirous of visiting that beautiful place.

It has been my great pleasure to see it when Lieut. (now Capt.) Hodges, whom I know personally, was Librarian, and so I am sure that my girls would enjoy it as much as they anticipate doing. Would Saturday, the eleventh day of June be a convenient date for you, and would you object to

Rutgers Female College,  
at 46 West Pitt Street.

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~~18 July 1970~~ 18 July 1970

their bringing luncheon, and  
eating it there? A week  
ago, last Sunday, I had the  
pleasure of hearing you in  
our beautiful new church, Mr.  
Attibury's; - Mr. Van Rensselaer  
is my Sunday School Super-  
intendent, and his wife a  
dear friend of mine. Trust-  
ing that I am not asking too  
much.

'Believe me

Yours very truly,  
Miss) Cornelia B. West.

CONNECTICUT VALLEY

Sunday School and Chautauqua

Assembly.

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Northampton, Mass. May 31<sup>st</sup> 1890

Gen O. O. Howard

Dear Sir

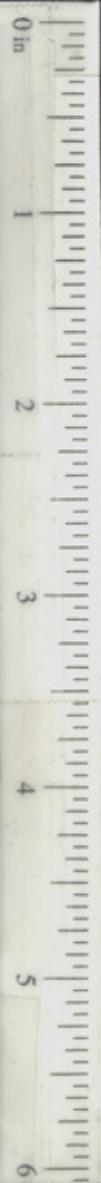
Can we secure you  
to deliver an address on Nation-  
al day of our Assembly and  
at what price. Please reply  
at once on receipt of this

Yours truly  
J. H. Pillsbury

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May 8<sup>th</sup> 1890.

Gen Howard,

This is to ask you if you will please discharge, Charles H. Carey from the U.S. Army. He is now at Fort Columbia Cpl. of Battery G, 1<sup>st</sup> Artillery.

He did not ask me to write to you, neither does he know I write.

I am his promised life. He is not in good health at all. His throat troubles him a great deal and I fear he will never get well while in the Army. I am very anxious for him to get discharged. He has

spoken several times about  
getting discharged and I  
feel so anxious for him  
that I could not help  
writing to you.

I hope I have  
not asked a favor that  
cannot be possibly granted.

Will you please  
let me know what you  
can or will do when  
Mr. Carr asks for his  
discharge and greatly  
obliged,

Mrs. A. E. Perley,  
West Boylston,  
Mass.

John Davidson,  
Counselor at Law:  
90, Nassau St.

420.

New York. 189

Elizabeth N. J.

May 31<sup>st</sup> 1890

Maj' Gen'l. Howard

My dear General

This letter will be presented to you by Francis Jordan Esq. one of the teachers in our. S. School. He will accompany you to Elizabeth, and you will remain over night with Mr. Jordans family. on North Broad Street.

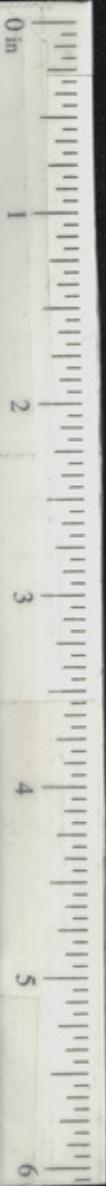
I will meet you before we begin the anniversary proceeding.  
With kindest regards I am Your very Obedt

John Davidson

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John Davidson,  
Counselor at Law.  
90 Nassau St.

421.

New York, May 31<sup>st</sup> 1890

My dear Genl. Howard

I herewith send you  
one of our S. S. Programmes for the  
Anniversary tomorrow evening.

Mt. Francis Jordan - one of our teachers -  
will call for you - at Camp Clonch - in  
Elizabeth Street, tomorrow afternoon about  
3-o'clock & accompany you to Elizabeth.  
The School by a vote last Sabbath requested  
me to ask you to speak to them from the  
text "Begin the good fight" so that you  
could bring in a lot of your army remembrances  
also especially the Indians. Many members  
of the G. A. R. will there & they will want  
to hear about the rebellion. Indeed our clack

the largest in Elizabeth, will not be able  
to hold the people, who will crowd to hear

Jm.

With Kindest regards

Yours very truly

John Davidson

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