

Hoopston, Vermilion Co. Ills. Apr. 6th 1891

Gen O. O. Howard,

Governors Island. N. Y.

Dear Sir:

I am engaged in selling the Gen. Sherman's Memoirs, published by, Chas L. Webster & Co of New York, and having the "Memoirs" published several years ago, and also the edition published by Messrs, Webster & Co. I find them identical -

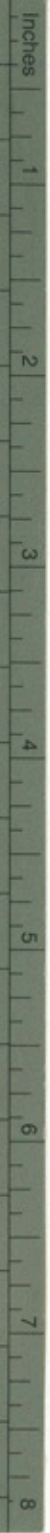
There is a firm in Chicago Ill, that are publishing a "Life of Gen. Sherman" said to be edited by you - Will you kindly inform me whether such is the fact?

In common with all the Soldiers who were under Sherman I honor his memory, and am doing what I can in my humble way to perpetuate it, and leave to my children and comrades a true history of his life and labors -

Knowing full well the intimate relations you sustained to the General and your friendship for his family, if the work mentioned is authentic I should take pleasure in helping its circulation, but if not would feel it my duty to warn the "Boys" to beware - Awaiting Your reply - I remain

Very Truly Yours -

J. M. Sabier.



Sabin Jm.

6-17-16

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McLeod M.L.

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Plymouth Apr 6th 1891.

General Howard:-

Dear Sir.

I have been canvassing
for the "Life of Gen Sherman"
claiming to be written by
Fletcher Johnson assisted by
yourself as associate author.

I have taken thirty-eight orders
for a Philadelphia firm - Thayer,
Burrian & Co.

Will you please inform
me in what way you are connected
with the authorship of this book? as
I would not deceive the public?
I have now the agency of the
"Memoirs"

I enclose stamp, and
trust I shall have your
immediate reply.

I remain,

Yours Respectfully,

(address) Wm M L. McLeod.

(Box 437.) Plymouth,
N. H.

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The Irving Club
50 McDougal St.

B'klyn, April 6, 91.

Major General O.O. Howard,
Governors Island, N.Y.

My dear General,

It gives me great pleasure to thank you for the Club for the important part you filled in our programme of March 25th - We thoroughly appreciated your kindness in speaking under the Club auspices - Not only has the Club been benefited, but love of Country, and Christianity too has been strengthened by the thoughts expressed and the way in which the subject was presented. A great general's Character is looked at by, and influences many a young man -

We regret that the check enclosed should not be for a larger a -

My dear Mr. Garrison
I have just received your letter of the 11th inst. and am
glad to hear that you are still so active in the
cause of the oppressed. I am sure that your
efforts will be successful in the end. I am
very truly yours
Wm. Lloyd Garrison



not, especially as it ^{is} for such
worthy object -

Thanking you again and
trusting you suffered no great in-
convenience on our account, we
are

Very truly yours,

The Irving Club -

per Chas. Ruston Jr -
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New York April 6th 1891.

My Dear Sir:-

CHARLES H. FREEMAN, Department Commander of the G. A. R. N. Y. State, has accepted the invitation of the Grant Monument Association, to take charge of the ceremonies of breaking ground for the Memorial to General GRANT on the 27th April, 1891.

He will meet with the committee on Wednesday next, April 8th 1891 to perfect the arrangement.

The Chairman of the Executive Committee requests that, you will meet with him at this office, on the above date at 10 o'clock a. m.

Very respectfully,

R. T. Greener,

Secretary.

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United States Indian Service,

Fort Hall Agency, Idaho

Ross Fork Apr 6th, 1821

General O. O. Howard.

Commanding Division of the Atlantic,
Governors Island N. B.

Dear General.

Your letter to the Hon.
Director Gen. of the Worlds Fair, duly
received, for which accept my sincere
thanks.

I will most certainly endeavor
to so conduct myself that you may
never have cause to change your good
opinion of me, and if possible never
give you occasion to regret the many
favours you have so kindly shown.

Most respectfully
B. Fisher

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Triller S. G.
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New York Central & Hudson River Railroad Co.
Grand Central Depot.

Chauncey M. Depew,
Pres.

New York April 6 1891

Maj. Gen. O. O. Howard.

Dear Sir:

I take pleasure in
handing you herewith
pass over our line to Buf-
falo and return for Mrs.
Jas. T. Gray and children.

I regret that under the
Interstate Commerce Law
I am unable to furnish
the pass between Buffalo
and Chicago.

Yours very truly
Chauncey M. Depew

Depew C.M.

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Genl C. T. Christensen,
Chairman & Treasurer.

Commander J. D. Bell,
Vice Chairman.

Major B. R. Corwin,
Secretary.

Sherman Memorial Service Committee.

Memorial Service
May 7th 1891.
Academy of Music.

Brooklyn, N.Y. April 6 1891.

Genl O. O. Howard U.S.A.
N.Y. Harbor

My dear General:- It would add
to the demand for tickets - immensely
if it should get out that the
family of Genl Sherman would
be present May 7th at the
Memorial Service. - Can you
assist in securing their acceptance
of an invitation? - I tender it. -

Yours Very Truly
B. R. Corwin
Secretary

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Memorandum for the Committee

Boston, N. H. April 6 1891

Received of the
May 14 1891
the sum of \$10.00

Wm. D. Brown
Wm. D. Brown

My dear friend: - It will be
for the summer for tickets -
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forming of that summer work
to forward May 7 at the
summer season - one for
order to securing their acceptance
of an invitation? -
Yours very truly
Wm. D. Brown

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THE ANSONIA CLOCK CO.

NO 5 11 TO 19 CLIFF ST.

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CABLE ADDRESS "ANSONIA".

New York April, 7, 1891. 188

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

Governors Island, N.Y. Harbor.

Dear Sir;--

I have the pleasure of sending you herewith, tickets for the closing Drill, Company B. 23rd. Regiment, N.G.S.N.Y. and hope that we will have the pleasure of your company, and as many officers as can be relieved from duty on that evening.

Very respectfully yours,

J. M. Scott

Chairman.

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THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION
OF
JOBBER IN AMERICAN WATCHES.



OFFICE OF SECRETARY AND COMMISSIONER.

11 JOHN STREET, ROOM 57,

NEW YORK,

April 7th 1891

Dear General Howard

We find it impossible to make our arrangements to hold the lecture on the 16th, as we expected, but would like you to come on the 29th instead. Kindly advise me by return mail whether that date will suit you, as we desire to begin advertising at once.

If you cannot come on the 29th let me know if you could do so on the following Thursday and we will try to arrange for it then, though we prefer the earlier date.

Yours Very Resply
Jas. N. Hayes

Noyes J. H.

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King B.
Newburgh N.Y. Apr 7th 1891
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Maj. Genl O. O. Howard U.S.A.
Governors Island New York.

My dear General, -

Col W. D. Dickey
has shown me your letter to him
in reply to our application for your
lecture in our Church. It is
with great regret that we are
obliged to forego the pleasure of
having you come. The dates you
have named are too near to per-
mit of properly advertising the
lecture and selling tickets so as
to insure a reasonable profit-loss
after paying your charges & expenses.

I remain, General,
Very truly Yours,
James B. King

Hennessey James

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164. Clinton St. New York N.Y. 7/91

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Major General. O O Howard.

Dear Sir

I saw
General O'Brien yesterday
& was treated very kindly by him.
he has been sick. he told me
what to do in relation to my
application for messenger in the
Custum House. & to call and see
him as soon as I was ready to
forward my application to the
Secretary of the Treasury.

I remain
Your obt. Servant
James Hennessey
Capt. C. & E. 17th N.Y. Vols.
14th Army Corps



James J. Jones
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Augusta Maine April 7th 1891

Gen O. O. Howard. U.S.A.

Commanding Department of the East.

Governors Island New York.

My dear General:-

Our Maine Legislature just adjourned has made some radical changes with the militia so that many of the old soldiers are trying to have the organization placed upon some practical and usefull basis whereby our state can get some equivalent for the money spent and place our young men where they can get some knowledge of a soldiers duties. The system now is run upon the idea of a "good time" and turn out all the rank possible without earning a commission. The organization is composed of 19 companies & regiments of 8 cos with a Gun company attached to each in addition



1871
The first of the series of lectures
on the history of the
United States was given
on the 1st of January 1871
at the University of
California. The lecture
was given by Prof. H. H.
Henshaw, and was
attended by a large
number of students.
The lecture was
very interesting and
well received. The
professor gave a
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account of the history
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present time. He
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1 unattached company at Eastport. this command has been organized into a Brigade with a General and a full staff. also the Governor's Staff has been composed of 15 in number. the workings of which is a continual stream of Generals Colonels Captains Majors &c grinding out all of the time without any service being done. The Legislature just adjourned voted that the Governor's Staff in times of peace should not consist of over ten in number and the Brigade organization should be abolished doing away with that machinery making the Battalion organization report direct to the adjutant General.

What is wanted now is something practical in the way of making our militia useful and practical spending our money in training the duties of the Soldier in Fortifications under instruction of regular Army officers so that in case of need our Maine



1. The first thing I noticed when I stepped out of the plane was the cold. It was a sharp contrast to the warm, humid air of the South. I had heard that the weather in the North was harsh, but I didn't realize it would be so different. The trees were bare, and the ground was covered in a layer of snow. It was a beautiful sight, but also a little intimidating. I had never seen snow before, and I was a bit of a klutz. I was worried that I might slip and fall. But as I walked through the snow, I realized that it was just a little different. It was soft and quiet. The only sound was the crunch of my boots on the snow. I was in good luck. I had heard that the weather in the North was harsh, but I didn't realize it would be so different. The trees were bare, and the ground was covered in a layer of snow. It was a beautiful sight, but also a little intimidating. I had never seen snow before, and I was a bit of a klutz. I was worried that I might slip and fall. But as I walked through the snow, I realized that it was just a little different. It was soft and quiet. The only sound was the crunch of my boots on the snow. I was in good luck. I had heard that the weather in the North was harsh, but I didn't realize it would be so different. The trees were bare, and the ground was covered in a layer of snow. It was a beautiful sight, but also a little intimidating. I had never seen snow before, and I was a bit of a klutz. I was worried that I might slip and fall. But as I walked through the snow, I realized that it was just a little different. It was soft and quiet. The only sound was the crunch of my boots on the snow. I was in good luck.

Militia would be in a condition to man the Forts on the Coast.

Our Legislature are willing to appropriate money and they interest themselves with the work of the force, but they have concluded that if the militia is to be run altogether with a great head and show without any practical use they will abolish it altogether and before they made up the appropriation for this year they abolished the Brigade organization as being beyond the size and the number of men and since the money spent for practical instruction.

A constitutional amendment was passed to submit the question of having the Adjutant-General appointed by the Commander-in-Chief instead of electing the same by the Legislature. Now General You can write us something which will give

Our people something useful to
talk about besides doing the militia
department a deal of good.

If you do not have the time
to write any thing upon this subject
or your position forbids you to place
any thing on paper for publication
just throw this letter in the waste
basket.

Sincerely Yours.

Geo L Beal.

Deal Geo. L.

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I have just received your letter of the 10th inst. in relation to the matter of the 10th inst. and I am sorry to hear that you are not satisfied with the result. I have been very busy lately and have not had time to write you more fully. I will try to do so in the near future. I am, Sir, very respectfully,
Yours, Geo. L. Deal



Valentine's Meat-Juice Works,

(ESTABLISHED 1871.)

Richmond, Va., U. S. A.,

April 8th 1891

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Cablegram Address:

"VALENTINE, RICHMOND."

Maj Genl. O. O. Howard,
Governor's Island,
New York City.

My dear Sir,

Your kind letter written in Feb'y last was duly received as was also one from Harry. As I judged from Harry's letter that he would be in Richmond soon I delayed replying, but I regret to say he has not dropped by to see us yet.

This morning my attention was called to a notice in the paper that my good friends Genl. and Mrs Howard were suffering from a severe attack of the grippe, and as my own people and so many others all over the world have found Valentine's Meat-Juice so necessary in the treatment of this trouble I have sent you 1/2 dozen bottles of it.

I also send you a little brochure regarding the use of the Meat-Juice in Influenza.

If Harry has not already returned to New York we shall continue to hope to see him in Richmond.

Trusting that Mrs Howard and yourself will soon be well again and with

Kindest remembrances from Mrs Valentine and myself for Mrs Howard, yourself, Miss Bessie and Harry.

I am Yours sincerely
Rex B. Valentine

Valentine D.D.



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Pearl O. Howard
 Governor's Island,
 New York City

Dear Sir

I have sent you a little for change regarding
 the use of the sheet in the bath of it.
 as necessary in the treatment of the trouble
 would have found Voltaire's that
 people and so many others all over the
 in some attack of the finger, and as my own
 feel - and this showed were suffering from
 a matter in the paper that my good friend
 this morning my attention was called to
 dropped up to see me yet.

Yours sincerely
 Wm. W. Brewster