My dear General Howard,

Your very kind letter of 22nd inst. was received this AM. Your statement in the first paragraph thereof is all that I can ask. I will be glad however, if you will rewrite it, addressing me as before. And add a second paragraph, as follows:

"You may use this letter in any way you think proper, as a testimonial from..."

But if in any way, this may involve the interests of your sons! Don't do it.

I thank you General, for your kindness to me on this, as on all other occasions.

My truly yours,

J.W. Vandeventer

To - Major General O.D. Howard.

Barnet Island, N.Y. City
Vandenburg J. F. W.

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[Handwritten text not legible]
The date to be known to any one just get except yourself.

With great respect,
I am Very Faithfull,

Your,

Langdon R.L.

April 25th 1891

Langdon R.L.
Headquarters First Regiment U. S. Artillery.


My Dear General Howard,

You will remember that, with your kind permission, I arranged with the 23d N.Y. N.G., 1st A., N.Y. Cavalry and the 1st N.Y. Artillery to have a Brigade Drill on the Prospect Park Parade ground sometime in the early part of this Spring.

After mature de-
liberation, it has been concluded that the day which will be most

Convenient for all con-
cerned will be

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Saturday the 6th of June.

I write this to ask you whether you have any arrangements or plans which will prevent any giving on that day for the brigade drill?

In all these matters, I desire to have your full approval for every step I take, and while I am anxious to do all I can to bring the National Guard into close relations with my part of the regular army, not only for their benefit but ours,

I could not and would not wish to do anything without consulting with you before hand, and having not only your sympathy but approval. Therefore I ask you most respectfully whether the 6th of June has your approval.

This will not interfere in any way with our artillery duties and instruction.

I have particular reasons for writing this note unofficially, which, if you knew, you would find excusable.

I do not wish...
O. O. Howard,


My Dear Sir:—

In reply to your favor of the 8th let me say that I did not ask any change made from what we did agree to but simply asked that the introduction should not be made, in your book, an advertisement for the Memoirs. It seems to me that you overlook the fact that the Memoirs is being sold two volumes in one for $2 and therefore comes in direct competition with our book. We have seized upon your letter and issued that portion of it that appears to deny any connection with our book. And they are using it in a very untruthful and dishonorable way to stigmatize our book as a fraud upon the public and directly attacks our book as spurious. They are advertising all over the country for the address of Grand Army men, holding out inducements as though they would engage such men at salaries ranging from $25 to $50 per week and to all these applicants they are sending these circulars regarding our book. This proceeding has injured the sale of our book immensely. When I arranged with you I knew nothing about a reissue of the Sherman Memoirs. I did it with the desire to have a book worthy of public patronage and greatly regretted that the arrangement brought you in conflict with the interests of the
Dear Sir:

I am happy to have your attention directed to the matter I refer to in your favor.

I have known the General for many years and have always been impressed with his work. He is a man of ability and integrity who has distinguished himself in various positions.

I believe that the appointment of Mr. Smith to the position of Assistant Secretary of State would be highly advantageous to the department.

I am writing to ask you to consider the appointment of Mr. Smith in the interest of the department.

Sincerely yours,

[Signature]
O.O.H. 2.

Shorn family. I consulted other persons before making the announce-
ment and was assured that it was proper to make the announce-
ment of the work as the joint authorship of yours and Mr. Johnson.
I felt that your rank and age entitled your name to go first and
was under the necessity of acting quickly and thought I acted cor-
rectly. I think that most men would have preferred the announce-
ment as I made it. I have consulted others since and am assured that
the announcement as I made it, as a work of joint authorship was
a correct one. But I regretted that it did not strike you that way
and I cheerfully made the change to meet your views. I have
acted honorably in the matter and I certainly feel that you have
done the same. I only regret in regard to the introduction the
mention of the Memoirs at all for the truth of the matter is Web-
ster & Co. are making all possible use of and in a very dishonor-
able way of what you have stated in regard to our book and are
almost certain to make use of this reference to the Memoirs in the
introduction. I have been so seriously injured by the wrongful
use of this letter and the stigma they have put upon our book
that I have brought suit against them for damages.

I am expecting to send you in a day or two some copies of your bo-
book which I have had specially prepared for presentation. We got
so behind with our orders that I have crowded everything to meet
S. H. O.

I recently learned that I was to be transferred to another city. I was not happy about the prospect of leaving, but I knew it was a necessary part of the job. I left with a sense of sadness and a mixture of emotions. I was eager to learn more about the new city and the opportunities it offered. I also felt a sense of relief at finally being able to go home and spend time with my family.

I arrived in the new city and was greeted by a new set of challenges and opportunities. I was determined to make the best of it and to grow as a professional. I quickly immersed myself in the new environment, meeting new people and learning about the city's culture and history.

In summary, I have enjoyed my experiences in the new city so far. I have made new friends and have had the opportunity to learn and grow as a professional. I am excited for what the future holds in this new chapter of my life.
The demand and hence those presentation volumes have been delayed.

Sincerely yours,

A. H. Hubbard.

Dictated to

W. W. H.
Hipparia Properties

Manufacturer & Distributors

Philadelphia

O. H. S.

The company and those above presentation of these have been added.

Sincerely yours,

A. H. Hipparia

Dated to:

W.H.

II Humphries

Home Office,

704-808 Race Street, Philadelphia.

Franklin Bee
West Point, N.Y. Apr. 25, 1891

Dear General Howard,

Your obituary of the late Gen. Sherman came last evening.

In mentioning some of his "classmates", you include Generals Ord and Augur. The former was in class of 1839 and the latter in 1843.

Yours Very Truly,

Charles Braden
Secy Assn.
OAKSIDE

Apr. 26 1871

Dear Broth:

I wonder where Henry is? If he is in Florida, what was to be done with him and what like much to do.  I began here from Ro-

land last Friday.  I was there about two weeks.  Very busy with our offices.

She has been away a long time.

With much love from your, etc.

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Howard L. H.
Dear,

We received the news of the attack on Pearl Harbor yesterday. We are all in shock and grief.

Thank you for your letter. I am glad to hear that Kitty is feeling better.

We have not heard from John since he left for the army. Please give him our regards.

Yours,
[Signature]
Wickers, Missouri,

7 Apr. 14½

20 Temple

Mr. John April 25th

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Phil. Howard

Dear Sir

You knew your son at Fort Collins. Recently with and continued from Atlantis. Land B

Wichita. As it my son.

And I respectfully ask your attention to some statements in his behalf.

His childhood and youth were spent in a home of comfort. His influence surrounding known person due to his founda
in Christian households. His father's daily life and bath among men, born from whom the highest confidence and esteem. That life should include him, and from those times of his father's death Louis had been deprived of many things, among them the valuable books of women. Permit me to tell you, for more than men to write you. With the hope that I might formally influence you. And don't become pardonable return to duty. I felt motion to employ. Because & and commits
SUSSEX AV.
East Orange, N.J.
April 27, 1891.

Gen. O.O. Howard,

Dear Sir:

Through the paper I learn that the people of Orange are to have the pleasure, to honor, of hearing you on Wednesday, the 29th inst. I shall attend the lecture with a Spanish gentleman, a General Campo, from Bogota, Columbia.

Remembering your
past kindness to me, I shall take the liberty of
seeking you for a moment
or two, either before or after
the lecture, and of present-
ing my friend, who is
expecting, as soon as he
can converse in our
language, to see him.

I have with

pleasure, I wish it
were possible to see
her in my own home.

Very respectfully,

Karen L. Peterson
American Bible Society,

Bible House, Astor Place.

New York, April 27, 1891.

General O. O. Howard,
Vice President of the
American Bible Society.

My dear Sir:

Permit me to ask your attention to
the enclosed statement concerning the observance of
the Seventy-fifth Anniversary of the American
Bible Society. You are cordially invited by the
Board of Managers to honor the occasion by
your presence at one or more of the meetings to
be held on the 13th and 14th days of May next.

Kindly inform us if we may anticipate
this pleasure.

I am,
My dear Sir,
Most Respectfully Yours,

A. S. Hunt
Cor. Sec.
New York, April 28, 1891

Dear Samuel Howard:

I will gather in all I can for Camp Chester. In course of time I hope to make a big strike. These checks are for only $30.

My friend and yours too, Mr. S. J. Davis must most kind his check is severance.

Commander Stanford who saw it was up for Council at the WHO, I think it just at the wrong times. He states of his gift to his Church etc. and after refusing drew the check immediately for $10 thinking for an "Egg." Will hope to do better next time.

Yours faithfully,

Kiliaen Van Rensselaer

Culled to day one, Col. Sears and Maj. Kindlett.
New York, April 28, 1891

Messrs. Howard,
Governor Island,
N. Y.

Dear Sir,

Enclosed find my draft on C. D. Leverich & Bro. to your order for Fifty ($50) Dollars, same being proceeds of the collection taken last Sunday evening at the Union Evangelical Church at Corona, Long Island, Rev. W. I. Pick Pastor.

Very truly yours,

(Handwritten signature)
Monticello, Ill., April 28th, 1891.

Olive C. Howard
Governor Osborn

My Dear Comrade

Yours of the 20th inst. received.

The proposed reunion is above a quite national affair and colored troops and their white comrades will have a right to take part in the reunion at the reunion of blue and gray at Vicksburg.

There was colored soldiers marched with the boys and killed their enemies at the cemetery. We must raise a broad view of these reunions and do what will make one strong.

Peace and good will reign through all our land.
are very anxious to join with us in one grand reunion. Before we pass our middle age are at rest I have just received a letter from General B. F. Bonneggard who says that he union and says he效力 the United Country Gen. Stonewall Jackson Lee writes the same way on the same strain and so it was on our side Gen. Johnston, Core Gen. Heenoster, Gen. Norcegans and others readily favor the Union at Chicago during the world fair. I write you this personal letter because I thought you did not fully understand it yours truly,

H. T. Lee
Monticello, Ill.
Troy N.Y.,
April 28, 91.

Dear Father,

I have just a minute & will send my request for money.

April 16 I asked for as follows:

Rooms 16.00
Meals 15.00
Dentist 16.25
Photo 4.00
Extras 7.80 [Total] $59.05

I have received $20.00

I need [Total] $39.05

This balances up to the
end of this month.

I arrived here safely & am now on my way to supper of ten which I shall study.

with love to all

John Howard

Mother gave me ten dollars of the money so you must pay her.

John