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AMERICAN LAW AND COLLECTION COMPANY,
NO. 41 UNION SQUARE.

President, John D. Quincy.
Secretary, William Sherwood.
Resident Attorney, Louis Wendel, Jr.

New York, ¹³⁷¹ 10th Aug 1891.

Dear Sir

I beg to inform you that our Company has received for collection a claim against you in favor of *S Gordon & Haulford Pub Co* for the sum of \$ 40.⁰⁰.

As neither the Company or *S & H Pub Co* desire to put you to any additional trouble or expense, I shall be obliged if you will call at the office of the Company on or before the 17th day of *August* and settle the same.

Gen. O. O Howard
Governors Island
NY Harbor

Very truly yours,
AMERICAN LAW AND COLLECTION CO.,
Per.....*Wm. D. Sanders*.....

A second notice came Kelly
from Frank H Macintosh
Lawyer
3-9 William St.

Am. Law Collection Co.

AMERICAN LAW AND COLLECTION COMPANY,
NO. 41 UNION SQUARE.

President, John D. Quincy.
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New York, *1891* 1891.

Dear Sir

I beg to inform you that our Company has received for
collection a claim against you in favor of *Government of Maryland*
for the sum of \$ *40.00*.

As neither the Company or *Govt of Md*
desire to put you to any additional trouble or expense, I shall be obliged
if you will call at the office of the company on or before the
day of *Monday* and settle the same.

Very truly yours,

AMERICAN LAW AND COLLECTION CO.
per

Gen. O. Howard
Government of Maryland
vs. Attorney

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ALEXANDER & GREEN.

124
120 Broadway

New York August 13/1891.

Gen. Oliver O. Howard,

Dear Sir:

I left the mortgage to the
Congregation Church Union for record, and they have promised
to expedite the recording so that it will be returned early
next week. I am going away tomorrow but will be back at
the office, Tuesday morning, and will let you know as soon
as possible on my return when the matter can be concluded.

Yours respectfully,

William J. Campbell

Campbell W. F.

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KANDER GREEN

Gen. Oliver W. Howard,

Dear Sir:

I left the mortgage to the
Congregational Church Union for record, and they have promised
to expedite the recording so that it will be returned (with)
next week. I am going away tomorrow but will be back at
the office Sunday morning, and will let you know as soon
as possible on my return when the matter can be concluded.

Wm. F. Campbell

to Mr. W. F. Campbell
12/18/91

CHICAGO, July 11, 1891.

FOR AND IN CONSIDERATION of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable considerations, to the undersigned in hand paid by EVERETT M. WARREN, of Chicago, Illinois, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, the undersigned hereby agrees to sell, transfer, assign and set over unto said EVERETT M. WARREN and his assigns all right, title, claim and interest whatsoever which the undersigned now has or ever had in and to the claim of the undersigned of _____ Dollars against Samuel A. Kean & Co. and Samuel A. Kean, upon the receipt of 35 per cent. of the amount of said claim, said claim having heretofore been duly proven and allowed against the estate of said Samuel A. Kean, trading as S. A. Kean & Co., now pending in the County Court of Cook County, Illinois, under a deed of voluntary assignment executed and delivered December 17, 1890, by said Kean to Benjamin F. Jacobs, as assignee, for the benefit of said Kean's creditors.

The undersigned hereby further expressly agrees and requests and consents that all proceedings in the County Court of said Cook County, Illinois, in the matter of the said estate of S. A. Kean & Co., of which said Benjamin F. Jacobs is assignee, may be discontinued, and the undersigned hereby agrees and consents that all of the assets of said estate may, by order of Court or otherwise, be turned over and transferred to said EVERETT M. WARREN or his assigns, and the undersigned hereby irrevocably authorizes any attorney of any court of record of the State of Illinois for and on behalf of and in the name of the undersigned to do any act or acts and to execute and deliver any document or documents deemed by said attorney necessary or proper for the purpose of fully and effectually carrying out any or all of the provisions of this agreement.

 [SEAL.]

CHICAGO, July 11, 1891.

FOR AND IN CONSIDERATION of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable considerations, to the undersigned in hand paid by HENRY M. WARRIN of Chicago, Illinois, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, the undersigned hereby agrees to sell, transfer, assign and set over unto said HENRY M. WARRIN and his assigns all right, title, claim and interest whatsoever which the undersigned now has or ever had in and to the claim of the undersigned for

Samuel A. Kean, upon the receipt of 25 per cent. of the amount of said claim, said claim having heretofore been duly proven and allowed against the estate of said Samuel A. Kean, trading as S. A. Kean & Co., now pending in the County Court of Cook County, Illinois, under a deed of voluntary assignment executed and delivered December 17, 1890, by said Kean to Benjamin F. Jacobs, as assignee, for the benefit of said Kean's creditors.

The undersigned hereby further expressly agrees and consents and covenants that all proceedings in the County Court of said Cook County, Illinois, in the matter of the said estate of S. A. Kean & Co., of which said Benjamin F. Jacobs is assignee, may be discontinued, and the undersigned hereby agrees and consents that all of the assets of said estate may, by order of Court or otherwise, be turned over and transferred to said HENRY M. WARRIN or his assigns, and the undersigned hereby irrevocably authorizes any attorney at law of record of the State of Illinois for and on behalf of said undersigned to do any act or acts and to execute and deliver any document or documents deemed by said attorney necessary or proper for the purpose of fully and effectually carrying out any or all of the provisions of this agreement.

WARRIN



ANDER & GREEN.

120 Broadway
New York Aug. 13, 1891.

Gen. O. O. Howard,
Governors Island,
New York City.

Dear Sir:- re S. A. Kean & Co.

We have just received, and enclose you herewith, a letter from Messrs. Morris, Ganse & Craig in this matter, and three or four blank forms of the agreement of July 11th last.

If you will have the blanks properly filled out and signed by the other creditors and return them to us, we will forward the same at once to Chicago.

Please return us the letter of Messrs. Morris, Ganse & Craig when you have read it.

Yours very respectfully,

Alexander Green

and valuable

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Alexander & Green

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Mr. [unclear]
100 Wall St. N.Y.C.

Governors Island,
New York City.

to E. A. Kahn & Co.

We have just received, and enclose for perusal, a letter from Messrs. Morris, Gans & Grant in this matter, and three of your blank forms of the agreement of July 15th last. It you will have the blanks properly filled out and signed by the other creditors and return them to us, we will forward the same at once to Chicago.

Please return us the letter of Messrs. Morris, Gans &

as soon as you have read it.

Yours very respectfully,

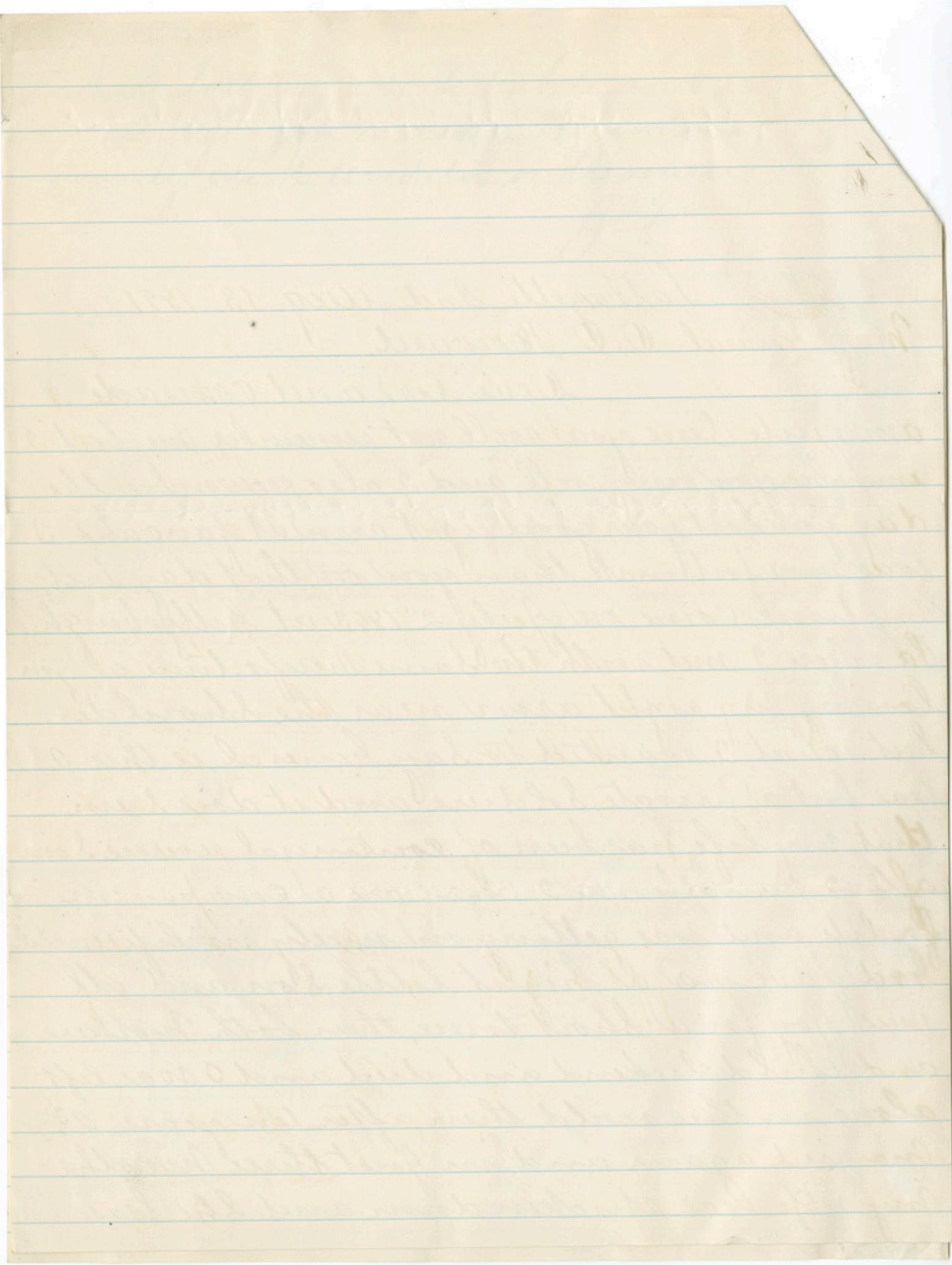
[Signature]



La Fayette Ind Aug 13th 1891

Major General O. O. Howard,

Dear Sir and Comrade I am quite sure you will not remember me but I remember you very well, and I also remember the day you lost your good right arm at Fairbake. I was more fortunate than you on that day, but my time come on July 2nd 1863 at Gettysburgh Pa where I met with the same misfortune as you losing my right arm near the shoulder, but what I wanted to say General is this I was but a private soldier, and it does seem that my life has been of continual reverse. Soon after I came home I chose me a companion for life and was getting on nicely in life until God gave us a bright little son and all was joy for a short time, then both mother and child sickend and died and I was left alone in this world, then after ten years I married again and in just three months my wife was stricken down and she has



been an invalid ever since over twelve
years since she sit up a whole day, but
with all that we are happy because God
lives in our family, and is manifest with
us at all times, we are verry poor so far as this
worlds goods are concerned. and as^{we} have not
been well for time and in straitened circum=
stances I thought I would ask you if
you was able if you would assist me a
little financially if you can I hope soon to
be able to reciprocate. the reason I call on
you is because I am to proud to ask for help
at home and because you are an Old
Soldier and have a Christian and Phillan=
thropic heart, hoping this will meet with
your kind approbation I assign myself
yours in Christ.

John M^cBoy
97. Hartford St
LoFayette
Ind

W.B. for my good habits and uprightness
I refer you to Rev J. W. Sumner, our
County Clerk, Auditor or Treasurer.

J. W.

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McKey John
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Wager Swayne

John F. Dillon

Dillon & Swayne,
Attorneys & Counsellors, at Law,

10 Broad Street,
Western Union Building

Personal

New York, August 13, 1891

General O. O. Howard,

GOVERNOR'S ISLAND, New York Harbor.

My dear General Howard:-

I am once more asked to write to you about Lieutenant Skerritt,--whose application for a transfer to Governor's Island you were once good enough to approve, but it did not receive the sanction of the War Department. Lieutenant Skerritt is now absent on a sick leave, and has applied for an extension of sixty days. His Mother urges upon me, through a common friend, that I should second the application. The gentleman through whom she makes the request is one whom I always desire to oblige, aside from the proposition that I want to do anything for anybody, that is right, that I can. At the same time, I have just written in reply that outside interference in army matters is not welcome, and not apt to be serviceable to those in whose behalf it is exerted. Hence, I write to you at this time not simply to comply with the request which has been made of me but to suggest that I intend putting a stop to it, and that the young man himself is probably not a party to this sort of thing and I hope it may not be charged against him.

Yours, very truly,

Wager Swayne

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Inches

Justine Wagner

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*Western Union Building
Grand Street*

*William & Jacques
Attorneys & Counselors at Law*

General

Wagner & Jacques

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Yours, very truly,

Wagner & Jacques

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S. S. McCLURE,
TRIBUNE BUILDING,
NEW YORK.

CABLE ADDRESSES: { " Aiddecamp, New York."
" Editorship, London."

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LONDON OFFICE:
21 BEDFORD ST.,
COVENT GARDEN.

Aug. 14, 1891.

Gen. O. O. Howard,

Governor's Island, N. Y. Harbor.

My dear Sir:-

I am now planning my Wouth's Department for another year, and should like very much to have you contribute something.

I wonder whether there is anything in the subject "Boy Chiefs among the Indians"? I do not know whether there have been any famous boy chiefs, but ~~think~~ you will know whether there is sufficient material to furnish a good article.

If you think so, I would be glad to have you suggest other subjects also.

Yours very truly,

S. S. McClure.



McClure & S.

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STAMPS
TRIBUNE BUILDING
NEW YORK

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"Editorship, London"

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Yours very truly,

J. S. McClure

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Howarth J. W.

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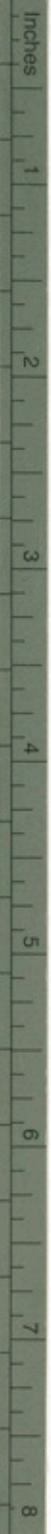
Gen Riddle, Pa.

14th Aug 91

Dear gen Howard:

Have just recd. your
Photograph from the
Photographer, and enclose
it to you for your
Autograph &c. Please
place your signature
on the front and
also signature with
name rec on back.

Very sincerely
James Howarth
of Howarthton.



Dear Sir,
 I have the honor to
 acknowledge the receipt of
 your letter of the 10th
 inst. in relation to the
 above named matter, and
 in reply to inform you
 that the same has been
 forwarded to the
 proper authorities for
 their consideration.
 I am, Sir, very
 respectfully,
 Yours,
 J. B. [Name]

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Anderson A.A.

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My dear General
Am in receipt
of your letter regarding
the snobkels powder
many thanks
Also I send my
thanks for the
life of General
Sherman which
I shall read with

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Pleasure,

Anderson A. S.
I leave on Monday
for the West & will
stop on my return
at Chicago & present
the letters you so
kindly have written.

Hoping to hear
from you during
my absence
as ever

Your sincere friend

A. A. Anderson
Fordham
Aug 15/91

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Aug. 16. 1891.

Governor's Island,
New York,

Dear Sir, —

In some way your
letter was overlooked. have
the kindness to write me
again if there is anything es-
pecially you desire ^{Lucy Howard}
O. O. ^{Mrs. Guildford}

To

Mr Geo. D. Little

Barnswick, N.Y.

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Union Pacific Denver & Gulf Railway.

G. M. Dodge,
President.

No. 1 Broadway.

New York,

August 17th, 1891.

General O. O. Howard,

Governor's Island, N. Y.

N. Y.

Dear Sir:-

I have written to General Manager Clarke, Omaha, direct, and have asked him to arrange some way to get your daughter and two children to Chicago, and have asked him to communicate with them.

Mr. Clarke is away in the West, but no doubt the letter will be opened in his office and attended to.

Yours truly,

G. M. Dodge

Rodgers & B. M.

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Yours truly,

[Handwritten signature]



ALEXANDER & GREEN

130.
120 Broadway
New York Aug. 18th 1891

General Oliver O. Howard.

Dear Sir:

I called at the Register's office this morning. The Mortgage will not be ready for delivery to us until tomorrow. We will then sign the certificate endorsed on it and it will be ready for sending to the Congregational Union. It appears as I learn from the Attorneys for the Mortgage that six months interest on their \$5500 mortgage or \$165. was due August 1st. They say the Mortgage is away & will not be back till about September 18th, thirty days hence & they insist that we should not seek to pay until then as they wish time to look up another investment. You will hardly be ready anyway, I suppose, for a fortnight

though I understood they would take the
money at any time without further notice
it may be best to accede to their demand
and pay interest + principal + get the
satisfaction on September 18th

Yours truly

William J. Campbell

Alexander & Green

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N.Y. Aug. 1891

Dear General,

Circumstances have compelled me to delay a reply to your kind note of the 10th June.

Not for a moment could I have intended to have burdened you with any thing more than a note of advice - so highly valued.

Enclosed the fac. simile of Gen. Sherman's letter (I do not think you have one) and state, that, with the help of a friend, I have made a start, and have put out some 200.

To the 55 G.A. Posts of this City I have sent the enclosed circulation and clip, and 26 fac. similit., - each.

According to the success I pray for, so will I multiply the out-put, and cover the Country, by sending to all the G.A. Posts.

I desire success for kindly deeds - having nothing of my own - and can most sincerely ask our Lord to bless my effort. You too will pray for me.

I certainly must avail myself of your kind consent - to call on you, at your Island

Spencer Mass. 1891

home, and hope it may
be this summer. My son
and his wife, from the far
west, are to be with me, and I
may bring them also. Thi now!
they are both invalids. It is
this fact that will (or may)
delay my call.

I cannot but hope that
you will approve of the steps
that I have taken, & say so -
out of the abundance of
your Xian sympathies.

I never forget your great
kindness to me, and the trouble
you gave yourself in the
matter of my pension, wh
I hope soon to receive.

With gratitude & respect,

I am

Most sincerely Yours

Cecilia W. Kemble

5-17 N. 85 Street

To
Genl O. O. Howard,
Governor's Island
N.Y.

P.S. I pur-pose sending 200
or more fac. similes to the
Loyal Legion, of wh my late
husband was a member.

Can you advise me on
this point? C. W. K.

Wpham F. W.

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Answer by G.H.

44 West 35 Street }
August 18, 1891 }

General, For each of the four
Sundays past, you have been
looked for, "the latch string out":
- though, I did counsel you,
that if you found something
more inviting elsewhere, (& the
doors of all the homes in our City
are open to you,) to go where you
could do better. But, now, I
much desire you should come
here on Sunday next, to meet my
friend Rev Alfred Owen D.D, President
of the Roger Williams University for
colored people at Nashville. He was
formerly President of the Dennison Uni-
versity, at Granville Ohio, the only Baptist
College in that great State, & is one of the
strongest & best men in his denomination
I wish you could spare me a little
some of your too busy life. Than you can
give, on Sunday.
Most Truly Yours
Major Gen O. O. Howard
F. W. Wpham

[Faint, illegible handwriting on aged paper, possibly bleed-through from the reverse side. The text is arranged in several columns across the page.]

