May 20, 1942

Dear Father,

I am well but working very hard. Adjutant, not exused from any company duty, forgot office of company & will leave here 27th for Mackinaw Island with detachment of 12 men to build a camp for the others who follow 3 days later.

Lovingly,

John Howard
United States - America

Address:

Sir O. O. Thomas
Governors Island

N.Y. Harbour

N. Y.

Postmark: S. Mich 22-7-92

Postmark: 5-23-92
To: O. O. Howard

Yours, Island

Kindly mail letter referred to tonight, Christian Field.

Bible House, oblige.

H. Hadley
CONDITIONS.

ALL MESSAGES TAKEN BY THIS COMPANY ARE SUBJECT TO THE FOLLOWING TERMS.

To guard against mistakes or delays, the sender of a message should order it REPEATED; that is, telegraphed back to the originating office for comparison. For this, one half the regular rate is charged in addition. It is agreed between the sender of the message written on the face hereof and the Postal Telegraph-Cable Company, that said Company shall not be liable for mistakes or delays in the transmission or delivery, or for non-delivery, of any unrepeated message, beyond the amount received for sending the same; nor for mistakes or delays in the transmission or delivery, or for non-delivery of any repeated message beyond fifty times the sum received for sending the same, unless specially insured, nor in any case for delays arising from unavoidable interruption in the working of its lines, or for errors in cipher or obscure messages. And this Company, is hereby made the agent of the sender, without liability, to forward any message over the lines of any other Company when necessary to reach its destination.

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This is an unrepeated Message and is delivered by request of the sender under the conditions named above.
New Orleans, May 20th., 1892.

Gen. O. O. Howard,

Governor's Island, N.Y.

Dear General,

Your favor of the 16th. inst. has been received, and I hasten to comply, as well as I can, with your desire to have some information concerning Gen. Taylor's daughter, Mrs. Wood, etc. The sketch I forward is hastily outlined, and I expect you will alter and improve it.

There are few direct descendants in existence of Gen. Zach Taylor - in all they number thirty. His only surviving child is Mrs. Betty Taylor Dandridge, formerly Mrs. Col. Bliss, now residing in Winchester, Va. Of his grand-children seven are living, the four children of Gen. Wood, as seen in the remarks appended, and Mrs. Walter and Mrs. Ike Stauffer, of New Orleans, daughters of Gen. Dick Taylor, and their sister, Zette Taylor, also of New Orleans - the latter being the only descendant of Gen. Z. Taylor who bears his name, which will die with her. Twenty one great-grand children live, one of whom, Zach Taylor Wood, has recently married, and Gen. Taylor's great-great-grand-child has at last made its appearance.

I have several wills made by Gen. Zachary Taylor lately lent
New Orleans, May 30th, 1898

Gen. 0. C. Howard

Governor's Island, N.Y.

Dear General,

Your favor of the 17th inst. has been received and

I desire to comply as well as I can with your request to have

some information concerning Gen. Taylor's account, Mr. Wood, etc.

The subject I forward to satisfy my official and I expect you will

after any inquiry.

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and

Mrs. Wether and Mrs. I. N. Smucker, of New Orleans, daughter of

Gen. Dick Taylor, and their sister, Nettie Taylor, also of New

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age.
me by the Stauffers), one written Tampa Bay, Fort Brooke, East
Fla., Nov. 20th., 1837; and the other Matamoros, Mex., July 20th.,
1846; besides several letters from him describing his Mexican
campaign; and so forth. Would you care to have copies?

I will send by to-morrow's mail a certificate of property
sale bearing the traced signature of Margaret Taylor, wife of
Zachary Taylor.

I hope the picture of Gen. Taylor I sent has arrived safely.

With best wishes for the success of your book,

Respectfully,

Trish Wood

413 Union St.
Dear Mr. Taton,

I have several minutes to write, so I will take advantage of this opportunity to express my thoughts and concerns.

I hope the picture of Gen. Taton I sent you was satisfactory. If you have any questions or need further information, I can provide additional details.

After your visit for the purpose of your report, I understand that you are meeting with the Military Governor of New Mexico.

I appreciate your consideration of my previous letter. The matter I am writing about concerns our ongoing relationship and future needs.

Nearer Taton

There are two things I will emphasize in expression of your care:

1. Your recent letter, which I have now received, and the one concerning your recent trip to Taton.

I hope you will consider this matter with the utmost importance.

Yours sincerely,

[Signature]
Know all men by these presents that I, Margaret Taylor, wife of Zachary Taylor, now of the County of Crawford, in the State of Arkansas, for and in consideration of the sum of one hundred dollars to me in hand paid by Henry H. Wall, of the State of Mississippi, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, do hereby forever release and relinquish, unto the said Henry H. Wall and his heirs, all my right of dower, or other my estate, right, title and interest, which I now have or may hereafter have, of, in and to a tract of land of five hundred and ten acres, more or less, lying and situated in the State of Louisiana and Mississippi adjoining the lands of John Sims, John Wiker, Robert Layson, and the Heirs of Benjamin Collier, and by my said husband lately conveyed to said Henry H. Wall: To have and to hold my said right of Dower, and all my right, title and interest, of, in, and to said lands, to said Henry H. Wall and his heirs forever.

Witness my hand and seal, at the County aforesaid, this ........ day of March, A.D. 1842.

(Signed)  
M. Taylor

State of Arkansas,  
County of Crawford.

Be it remembered that on this 30th. day of
Know All Men By these Presents That I, Messrs. Taylor, at

the request of Mr. John C. Taylor, now of the County of Oswego, in the State of New York, for and in consideration of the sum of one hundred dollars, to me in hand paid by Henry H. Well, of the State of Massachusetts,

the receipt whereof I hereby do acknowledge, do hereby forever release, release, and forever forgive him, Henry H. Well, and his heirs, executors, administrators, and assigns, forever, of and for the bonds, notes, and debts, payable to me, which I now have or may hereafter have of him, and to a present and future time, for any act, matter, or thing whatsoever, which he, Henry H. Well, or his heirs, executors, administrators, or assigns, may ever do, do, or suffer to be done, in respect of the estates, and Massachusetts and New York, and the inhabitants thereof, and any other debt, debt, or obligation, which I, Henry H. Well, or any one, or any of his heirs, executors, administrators, or assigns, may ever have, owe, or be liable for.

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Witness my hand and seal, as the said

W. D. TAYLOR

[Signature]

[Date]

[County and State of Residence]
March A. D. 1842, at the County of Crawford aforesaid, before me, Richard C. S. Brown, judge of the Circuit Court of said County, the same being a court of record, came Margaret Taylor, wife of Zachary Taylor, to me personally well known, grantor in the above deed, and being by me examined, separate an apart from, and in the absence of her said husband, acknowledged that she voluntarily executed and delivered the same, for the uses, purposes and consideration therein mentioned, and without any compulsion or undue influence of her said husband; and desired the same to be certified, which I now do accordingly.

Witness my hand as Such Judge, the day and year aforesaid.

(Signed.) R. C. S. Brown

State of Arkansas,
County of Crawford.

I, Alexander McLean, Clerk of the Circuit Court of the County aforesaid, do hereby certify that the Hon. Richard C. S. Brown was at the time of signing the foregoing certificate of acknowledgement judge of said Circuit Court, and that said Court is a Court of Record.

Witness my hand and the Seal of said Court, this first day of September, A. D. 1842.

(Signed.) A. McLean

Clerk.
...
On reverse of document:

Filed for Record 1st. September, A. D. 1842.

The words underscored in red ink are in the hand writing of Margaret Taylor.

Margaret Taylor's signature traced: M. Taylor
OLD "ROUGH AND READY"

SOME REMINISCENCES OF EUREKA'S EARLY LAYERS.

DEPLORED WHEN POOR AND HAVING "RETURN TO SANTA ANA'S" DEMAND THAT BE SCRAMMED.

I never met Mr. Taylor until after his incarceration in Presidio in 1851. The following year I checked out a western farm at S. W. C. B. I was in the White Mountains, looking out for a suitable site for the location of the Stockton and San Joaquin Railroad in New England. We were in the employ of a London firm, but, as you know, the American Civil War was generalised with the Mexican. I had been employed to purchase what was to have been a railroad but not built, and, at my leaving, matters were in a state of great confusion. When the war ended, or rather said, the war was beginning, my employer sent me to San Francisco.

The war was now upon us, and our employer in London, we are told, was very glad to get rid of me. This is the true state of things, and the result of the war, of which I know nothing. The war was then on, and ended, and began again, as I have told you. After the close of the war, on the 4th of March, 1861, it was known that the American Civil War had begun, and that the war was going to end, and that the war was going to begin again, which was the fact of the war, and the result of the war, as I have told you.

The war was then going to end, and the result of the war, that is, the war was going to begin again, as I have told you. The war was then going to end, and the result of the war, as I have told you.

The war was then going to end, and the result of the war, as I have told you.
IN ANSWER.

She would not pass! then she left the room.

Thursday. There was a little rain and cold, and, wet,

Ah! the winged worm, with feet of lead,

In fact, there was not the slightest reason for disappointment.

Thank you, I think it will be for the whole band.

So if we are not early, we shall be in your room at eight.

DEAR THORNTON. Here I am, and I like it.

It is an ideal retreat, and you may write to me down as an ease for having never accepted me from my family relatively before. What do you say to a long, low, red-tiled house which has a thatched roof of which patches of virginal yellow stonecrop flourish, and this literally in the midst of a wood? Thou old man is so light—he—he—so light—schoolman, with the most overwrought sensibilities. All.I am satisfied to look at. There is a daughter, I may as well forewarn you. I am interested in the daughter—professionally. I am not sure that she would even have been here to-day had it not been for the greenwood tree! she is adorable. She makes me think of wood-sprites, elves, dryads—everything that is not quite human, and yet beautifully natural and after her own heart. Why not come and see her yourself, and become in-

She is very sweet, and I am not in love with her, except in the strictest professional sense.

Being a very good fellow, Thorntons, I think. Myrtle—was a painter. It was a decided, well known, popular, and, in general, recognized. As for Thornton, he was very much attached to the man who, in the course of conversation, told me that he knew only slightly, for working as his father's partner, but that, as he said, he was a great admirer of Myr-

She was right, you know. We couldn't get anywhere; then with the village of Lowthorpe. Indeed, though, as she has the decency not to intrude on the salubrity of things, is really close at

Thompson was a man of whom Myr-

As a result of this incident, Myrtle had received a telegram from Thornton about a week afterwards, asking him to take rooms at the inn, and on the same evening he was at the village station waiting for the London

Carl Thompson was a man of whom Myr-

He would have laughed the idea to scorn if you had asked him to join him. They had been at Oxford together and had lived quite happily, waiting for the last two years in Paris. They knew almost everybody here. After dinner, when he had the opportunity, I asked whether he thought so. Thorntons, I think. Myrtle—was a painter. It was a decided,
We are getting up a little symposium, to
love for military life seems to have descended to the present
generation of Gen. Taylor's immediate family. Zach Taylor Wood,
son of Col. John Taylor Wood, is at present an officer in the Eng-
lisht Army of Canada (his father retired with his family to Nova
Scotia on the downfall of the Confederacy); while Baron Rudolph, a
only son of Baron Guido von Grabow, is an officer in the Prussian
Cavalry.
My dear General Howard:

We are getting up a little symposium, to which laymen alone will contribute, answering within the limits of 300 words the question "How May Our Churches Affect More Potently Politics, Business and Social Life?" We think it a timely topic, and we want the views, not of ministers, but of business men.

Will you not do us and our readers the favor to send at your early convenience 300 words, expressing yourself as freely as you can in those limits? We already have two or three such contributions in hand, and the prospect is that the symposium will be a helpful one.

Yours very truly,

H. A. Bridgman

Gen. O. O. Howard,
Governor's Island,
New York.
May 31, 1928

Dear General Howard:

We are writing on the subject of the future of the families of

We appreciate the opportunity to contribute toward the families of

We have discussed the question of how our children might assist more recently

We think that a family circle is the best way to ensure our children's future.

We want to advise you of our intention to assist more closely in the promotion of

If you have or are able to arrange for any assistance, please let us know as soon as possible.

We have already made two or three such contributions in

Yours very truly,

P.S.

0 O. Howard

Government's Island

New York
Armory
Ancient and Honorable Artillery Co.
of Massachusetts.
Faneuil Hall.
Boston, May 20th, 1892.

Dear Sir,

The Company presents its compliments and solicits the honor of your presence at the celebration of their Anniversary the first Monday in June.

Guests will be received at the State House at 10 o'clock A.M. and escorted to the Church where the annual sermon will be delivered.

At the conclusion of the services the escort will be taken up for Faneuil Hall, where the annual dinner will be served.

After the banquet the company will march to the Common where the ceremony of commissioning the newly elected officers will be performed by his Excellency the Governor.

Please signify your acceptance before May 29th. by returning the enclosed blank card with your address.

Very truly yours,

George H. Allen, Clerk.
J. Henry Taylor, Captain.

Military Guests are requested to appear in Uniform.
MEMORIAL COMMITTEE,
GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC,
OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

PHILIP S. BIGLIN,
First Vice-Chairman.

EDWARD GILSON,
Second Vice-Chairman.

JOHN MULLIGAN,
Corresponding Secretary.

SAMUEL COLLINS,
Grand Marshal.

Headquarters, Room 4, City Hall,
New York, May 30, 1892.

May 30th, 1892

Commanding Division of Atlantic
district Command.

The Committee extend
unto a cordial invitation to join
the Reviewing Party at Windsor Hotel
on Memorial Day, Monday, May 30th,
at 3:30 p.m. This Hour the Mayor
of the City will review.

Failing we shall be honored
with your presence and awaiting your
favor at the reply.

Yours Respectfully,

[Signature]

[Signature]
May 20th 92

The Hon. Mr. Howard

Dear Sir,

Will you permit me, through a personal acquaintance, to address an inquiry to you as a Christian, suggested by the enclosed clipping from the N.Y. Recorder. From this it appears that you are to be a consulting party to an exhibition of the Recorder's Charts for the Sabbath and Sunday observance. There is to be a grand hubbub at the Recorder Office and "Gent Howard's old lady will deliver the message."

This is so foreign to your status as a Christian man frequently...
called upon to address Christian assemblies, that I would do so you may have the opportunity today it, not only, but to rebuke the godless editor and publisher of the democratizing journal, who have called your reputation by such a statement.

The Recorder is a filthy sheet, posing as independent Republican, and constantly filled with disgusting details of crime and criminals, and with articles, landing the Pope and his emissaries in the U.S. It is doing its utmost to destroy our Sabaths, and to irritate the spirit of grinding by its ignominious offers of prizes to its readers. It should be taken into any respectable family any more than the World or Sun.

While appearing to attack Tammany Hall, it is continually extolling the operations of the Jesuits and other Papal emissaries, who are the fumes that animates and fills the Tammany bands.

Should you refrain from rebuking these democratizers, who boast “double the Sunday circulation of any other” (sic) Republican newspaper, vital religion may receive an injury. This is no time, I think you will agree, to let down the hard erected to protect our Sabaths from elaboration. Regard for the master’s honor must be my apology for addressing you at this time.

Yours Respectfully,

Theodore Bovine

Son of Pioneer of Anti-Slavery

Red George Bovine (d. 1848)
Cycling a Thousand Miles

Gen. Miles to Send a Message to Gen. Howard on the Bearings—Recorder Relay Race.

Hundreds of Wheelmen Ready to Spring Into Their Saddles to Bring the Message to New York.

It Will Be Here Next Sunday

SUMMER RESORTS.

"SUMMER HOMES."

An illustrated book of 160 pages, describing the Summer resorts on the New York, Ontario and Western Railway, can be obtained free on application at offices below. It gives list of hotels, farm and boarding houses 2,000 feet above the sea, with rates, distances, and all information. In New York: 47, 185, 323, 944, 1323 Broadway, 757 Sixth ave., 1170 Ninth ave., 134 East 125th st., 264 West 120th st. In Brooklyn: 4 Court st., 860 Fulton st., 215 Atlantic ave., 93 and 115 Broadway, 253 Manhattan ave. Or send 6 cents in stamps to J. C. ANDERSON, 53 Beaver st., New York.

On May 28 and 30 excursion tickets for one fare will be sold at 323 Broadway and forty offices, giving an opportunity of personally selecting a Summer home and also enjoying a day's fishing in this delightful region. Tickets good returning on May 31.

LONG BEACH HOTEL AND COTTAGES.

Hotel opens June 21. Cottages June 1. SPECIAL TRAINS for accommodation of parties desiring to ENGAGE ROOMS OR LEASE COTTAGES, will leave foot of East 34th st. WEDNESDAY, MAY 18, 25, and MONDAY, MAY 29, 10:50 a.m., at NEW YORK CITY. H. F. HITCHCOCK, Manager.

New York office, Grand Hotel, Broadway, and 31st st.
Herald Office,
Fay Ave., May 20,

[Signature]

Ger. Howard: Can you furnish the Herald with a photograph of yourself for use in making an electrotype of you? The desirability to accompany are post of your Memorial day address in the city. It would be regarded as a favor if our request was considered favorably.

Michael Reagan,
Editor.
Reagan Michael

I am not sure what to do now. It seems like I've been through a lot. I'm trying to figure out what's important and what isn't. I think I need to focus on what matters most. I'm not sure if I should try to keep everything in balance or just let things happen. It's hard to make decisions, especially when it comes to things that are important to me. I'm not sure what to do next.

I'm not sure if I should stick with what I've been doing or try something new. It's hard to decide. I'm not sure if I should trust my instincts or listen to what others say. It's hard to make choices when I'm not sure what's right.

I'm not sure if I should try to be more patient or try to be more assertive. It's hard to find a balance. I'm not sure if I should try to be more creative or try to be more practical. It's hard to decide.

I'm not sure if I should try to be more organized or try to be more spontaneous. It's hard to find a balance. I'm not sure if I should try to be more optimistic or try to be more realistic. It's hard to decide.

I'm not sure if I should try to be more confident or try to be more humble. It's hard to find a balance. I'm not sure if I should try to be more adventurous or try to be more cautious. It's hard to decide.

I'm not sure if I should try to be more active or try to be more reflective. It's hard to find a balance. I'm not sure if I should try to be more innovative or try to be more traditional. It's hard to decide.

I'm not sure if I should try to be more expressive or try to be more reserved. It's hard to find a balance. I'm not sure if I should try to be more expressive or try to be more reserved. It's hard to decide.
The Colonization Mining and Commercial Co.,

OF FLORIDA, LIMITED.

HANOVER SQUARE,

New York, May 20th, 1892

Major General O. O. Howard, USA
Governors Island
New York

Dear General,

I have your valued favor of the 10th inst and fully appreciate the sentiment expressed therein. I have been so well aware of your reluctance (Currie) to accept office, unless you could do some good and sacrifice your own comfort or interest in promoting the welfare of others, that I never dreamed that my official remarks to many Congresses of the Army of the Potomac thought you had voluntarily let others have the presidency while the honors belonged to you and that you would be selected if you did not object should have been considered. It was the general sentiment of many who had the honor to serve under you in the Army of the Potomac and,
New York, March 5th, 1909

Dear Secretary of the Hawaiian Sugar Company,

I am in receipt of your letter of March 2nd. Enclosed is a copy of the statement of the number of votes cast for the officers of the company as at December 31, 1908.

I understand that the election took place at a meeting held in this city on February 24th. I should like to have a copy of the minutes of the meeting, as it is necessary for me to be in possession of them before I can file the necessary papers with the Corporate Secretary for the registration of the shares.

Yours truly,

[Signature]
San Francisco Cal. May 20, 1892

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

Dear Sir,

Your favor of May 9th is received. I presume that the property in question belongs to Mrs. Howard and that on her return she will execute the papers, so that the East Side Canal Co. can proceed with that understanding.

In regard to inserting a clause that $1.50 per acre per annum in the water-right agreement be and remain the uniform price charged other purchasers, such provision seems quite unnecessary. The Co. agrees to charge $1.50 and therefore cannot more than may find it desirable to charge fees at some future time. The Co. must also be uniform in its charges, otherwise very serious difficulties with liability to lawsuit, might arise. Neither would it be good policy for a Co. having so much land to sell as the Kern Co. and Co. to antagonize settlers or purchasers. I think you can rely upon your own and their interest as being entirely mutual.

I have no doubt Mr. Haggan or Mr. Feis would be pleased to aid you in disposing of your lands, and in any way in which I can serve you, please command me.

Yours very truly,

L. C. M. Jee
Alexandria, Va., May 20, 1892.

Major C. C. Howard

New York.

Sir: Permit me, General, to call your attention to the declared prospect of our blood, fair and ask your kind consideration to assist us with a small donation. This will be the first colored fair ever held in this city, which includes the entire city and part of the federal army. If the fair is a success, we will show in Alexandria a soul consecrated to the blood of Elkhorn. Which the Negro is capable of doing, and think he means to help solve the problem in an understanding manner. Believing that you will keep us as you once did my dear neighbor, I await your answer.

Yours,

Magnum L. Robinson

Secretary of the Manager

Col. Robinson School Fair.
PROSPECTUS

COLORED

AGRICULTURAL - AND - INDUSTRIAL - FAIR,

TO BE HELD IN ALEXANDRIA, VA.,

LASTING FROM SEPT. 22 TO SEPT. 30, 1892.

UNDER THE ASPICES OF THE

ALEXANDRIA INDUSTRIAL ASSOCIATION.

EDWARD D. HOWE, President.

MAGNUS L. ROBINSON, Secretary and General Manager.

During the past 20 years great progress has been made by the colored people of this State and Country in the Agricultural and Industrial Arts. The knowledge of this fact however, is unknown by a large portion of the public. This exposition is to be a great display of talent and genius of the colored race, upon which the world may look with pride on their progress and achievements.

It is the object of this Association to present exhibits of products of the skill and intelligence of the colored people of all sections of the country. We invite every colored man, woman, and child to bring themselves and make this Fair (which will be based on Emancipation Day) one of which we, as the descendants of Ham, may feel proud.

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Prof. E. D. Howe, Catlett, Va.
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We ask your attention to the following Departments of the Fair, and solicit something for each Department.

DEPARTMENT A.

Drawing, Penmanship, Landscape Painting, Fruits, Fowlers, Grayson Portraits, Sign Painting, Ornaments, and Fancy Writing, and Drawings, maps drawn by pupils of the Colored Schools and Fancy Job Print, Life-like Paintings, Etc.

DEPARTMENT B.

Home-made Articles, Hair, Moss, Cotton, or Silk, Mattresses, Hemp, Straw, or Wire Pore, Mats, the finest marks of Socks, Stockings, Handkerchiefs, Colours, Cups, Laces, Sashes, Crinoline, Aprons, Skirts, Embroideries, Sacks, Teth, Etc.

DEPARTMENT C.

Household, Best Lot of Bread or Rolls, Pearl, Sponge, Fruit, or Jelly Cakes, Puddings, Fines, and other cookies, Preserves, Jellies, Pickles, Canned Fruits or Vegetables, Iried Fruits, Home-made Wines, Cordials, Etc.

DEPARTMENT D.

Best display of Tinware, Hardware, Panels, Mouldings, Wood-ware, Cabinet Work, Upholstery, Picture Frames, Designers, Models, Edge Tools, Handles, Blacksmithery, Shoemaking, Etc.

DEPARTMENT E.

AGRICULTURE.

Best set of bushel of Wheat, Corn, Rye, Oat, Barley, Buckwheat, Potatoes, Turnips, etc., Beans, Peas, Celery, Cabbage, Pumpkins, Carrots, and Vegetables of all kinds, Apples, Peaches, Grapes, Pears, and other Fruits and Berries, Butter, Cheese, Lard, Etc.

Within the scope of these Departments, every person will have an opportunity to exhibit something verifying the genius, talent, and progress of the colored people since the Emancipation proclamation of 1863. We beg each and every one to contribute and work in the interest of this Exposition of Negro worth, ability, and art.

P.S. Zion's Weekly Leader, Alexandria, Va., is the official organ of the fair.

X. Address all letters for information, space, exhibits, contributions, etc., to

MAGNUS L. ROBINSON, Secretary and General Manager

COLORED AGRICULTURAL AND INDUSTRIAL FAIR

ALEXANDRIA, VA.
My dear Florida,

It has been a number of days since any of us have written you so I will take part of this afternoon while mother and Rosie are out shopping to tell you how we are enjoying ourselves. Mother wrote you last mentioning that she thought we had better have some hundred instead of the five hundred as I wrote in my last, as we to be sure we had enough especially as I need two suits of clothes when we get to London.

I have only one heavy winter suit and an old one.
that I am fast wearing out.

Mother and Berrie spend nearly every afternoon getting fitted between times they go shopping so I amuse myself alone. In the morning we generally stay in, though now that Maman's purchases are nearly all made we make short trips out & get back for dinner at noon. My last letter to you was written last Wednesday a week ago so I will begin to give you my diary:

Thursday May 14 after lunch I went to Avenue Klairje. We then walked to Louvre oriental Egyptian museum. I was much interested. Then

walked home through the Tuileries. We Champs - Elyses where I sat down & watched the children & the carriages.

Friday I spent with Jamie. We breakfasted on the Boulevard at one of deodorated restaurants. Then went about on Business as he wanted to take some Kodak pictures. We went in the Luxembourg. We & garden and on the way home I bought a new straw hat. I returned Jamie chased with me on the dis & tell he left for Trezangen.

Saturday of the usual Mr Clark & her daughter, friends of Aunt Hattie Nina called. They will dine with us on Monday.
at Venice de Milos.
The Missis have gone out
so I think I will take a walk in Italy. Jusnie left that
after finishing this letter
see the model of the Temple
where Lord T. was imprisoned.
I have enjoyed Rome very
much & I am a great deal better
than where I came. My head
feels still a little light when I
walk which will probably
continue for some months.
Mrs. Secton a lady (American) here
gave me such a good remedy for
nervousness in the morning that
it to take a glass of milk on
putting it fine alack. I have
done so & the nervous symptoms
have about all gone. Think
I can now write, all well,
your letter in which you
thought we had done marvels
in the money line we received.
I enjoyed that afternoon immensely. As I got through then by three o'clock I took a bus and visited the Jardin des Plantes. I enjoyed seeing the animals. Wednesday morning before breakfast, I went up the Eiffel Tower. Further to the second Etage and Basie and I to the top. We had a perfect drop for the trip. It is well worth going up.

After lunch we took cars up to the Golden Factory and saw them making the Tapestry. We then took cars to Bon Marché. I bought a light concert for 39.75. I bought four pairs of gloves at 12 each. These purchases were so cheap that I felt as if I was saving money. I was getting tired by that time and so after looking with Mother at some basket bunters for 55 fr. I left them at the store and I took them in the car home.

Thursday afternoon I spent in taking a train and tram ride to the Jardin d'Acclimatation in the Bois de Boulogne.

I enjoyed a walk there my music being the birds on the lake, the dogs, and animals. I also shot all three large giraffes. This morning Mumma and I went to the Louvre & saw the Egyptian Museum. The marine collection of ships models & time took a look.
the other day
It is gratifying to feel that we have been economical.
Beau and I both let our clothes wear out so as to need new ones when we are on this side hence the necessity of spending so much in a lump.
Mr. Anderson called but we were out. I am going to look for him tomorrow at his Studio.
We have planned a pleasant trip through Switzerland etc.
Something like this June 15 Paris to Geneve with Chamonix’
17 Geneva through Bern to Lucerne
9 Lucerne through Zuerich to Schaffhausen
11 Schaffhausen thru Black Forest to Heidelberg
Heidelberg to Mayence
13. Mayence down Rhine to Cologne
14. Cologne to Stuttgart, 34 tour stay a few days
15. Stuttgart to Dresden to Berlin
Amsterdam, Antwerp, Brussels, Ostend to Dover, to London, etc.
(6th June 29)

We hope to hear from you about the money (700) before we leave June 1st. In York.
Please send some forward funds to us after we leave, say to Stuttgart.
We will have enough to start on.

Your last letter was full of news. I was sorry to hear of John's illness & his mother at the time. Please remember us to Emily's family.

Jamie must hurry up if she wants us to buy anything for her here as we leave June 1st. Give much love to all young, Alice. Maude & Willie as well as the family.

Affectionately yours,
Harry.