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Brooks Franklin V.
April 1893

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Stanford University
Palo Alto, Cal.

Gen. O. O. Howard,
U.S. Army.

My Esteemed friend:-

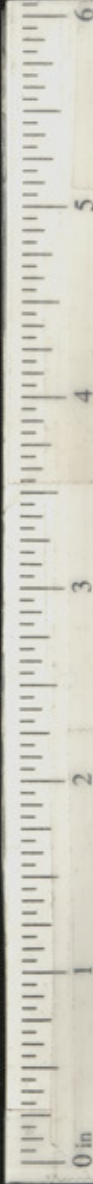
Perhaps
you would like to hear from the
young man who owes so much
to kindness. Gen. Stanford, to
whom you gave me a letter, and
his good wife have been very
kind to me, and arranged for
my admission to their University
here at Palo Alto, which I reached in
February last. I have passed
all necessary examinations and
I am fully installed in my

Classes. I am studying hard and endeavoring to deserve the consideration shown me. I am delighted with the University and all pertaining to it. The building are simply grand, the grounds and scenery, from the dormitory (Encina Hall) are indescribably beautiful. To speak of this institution in after years as my "Alma Mater" will be my greatest pride. Again permit me to sincerely thank you for the aid you gave me in reaching here. I shall endeavor in all things to merit your great kindness.

Very Respectfully
Your young friend.

Franklin V. Brooks.

(Formerly Cadet-Lieut-at-the
Peersville M. Academy.)



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Fidball W
April 9th

734 Cherokee St.

So. Bethlehem, Pa.

April 1, 1893.

Genl. O. O. Howard,

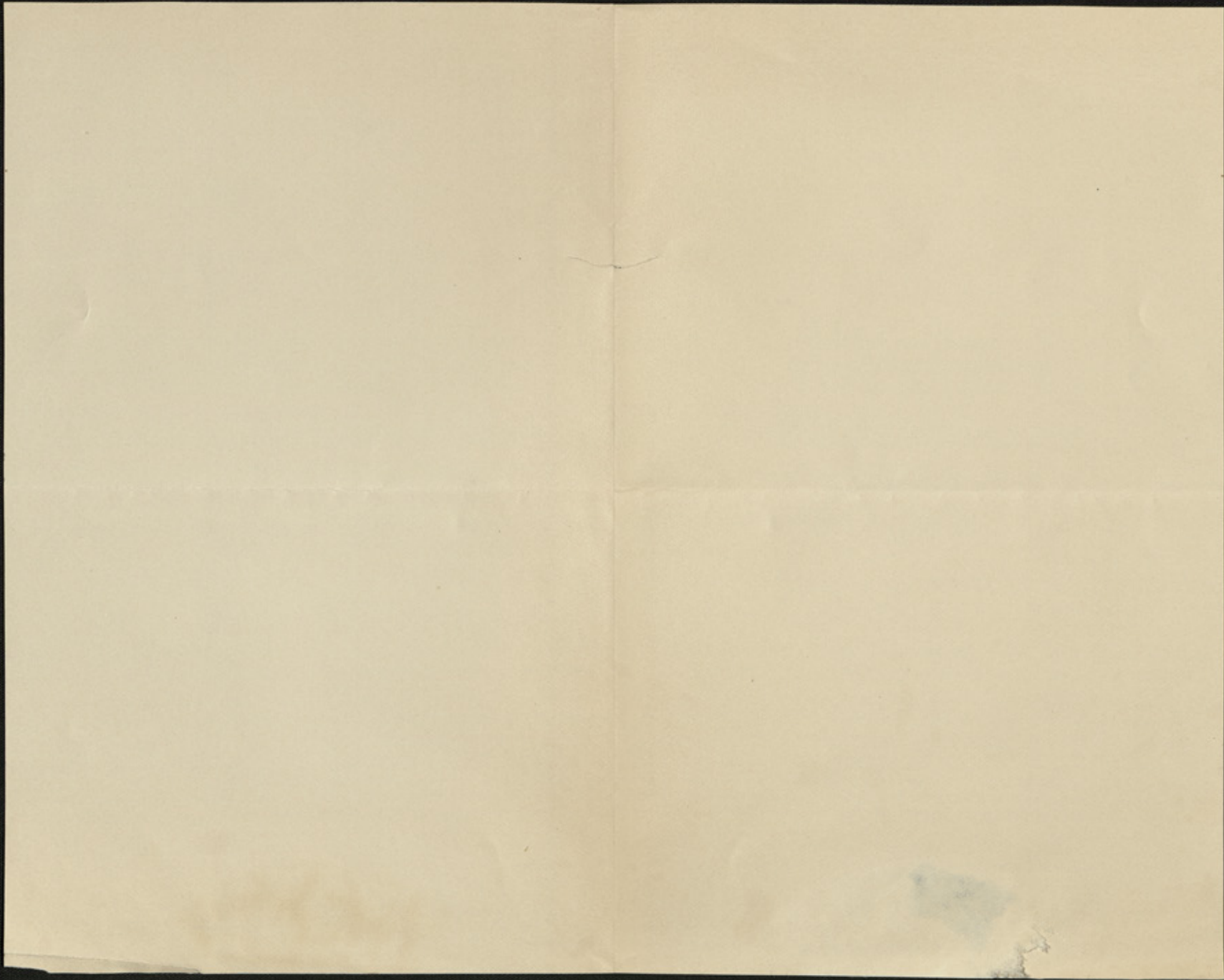
Governor's Island.

Dear General:

Your letter
recommending my application
to the Secretary of War was
received on the 21st, Ult.; and
I wish to thank you most
sincerely for the favor you have
granted me.

Doubtless your influence
will greatly strengthen the
application, whose success
I so earnestly desire.

Your Very Gratefully W. Fidball



Revenue Marine

Steamer

"Forward."

Port of

Mobile. Ala.

April 1st, 1893

Hon. W.B. Booth

Collector of Customs.

Mobile. Ala.

Sir:

I have the honor to acknowledge receipt of your communication and reply immediately. I beg to state, as regards the availability of this vessel for duty, that Thursday, probably by noon, will be the earliest moment I can possibly report her ready. I have to coal, and take in supplies for the month of April, which will consume the better part of Monday: and the balance

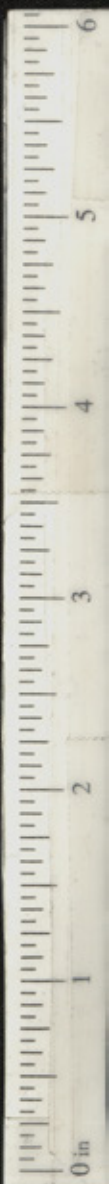
U. S. Revenue

Port of

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SUBJECT:

No. of Inclosures,



of the time will be required in
the Engineer department. I am
making no allowance for delays
on the part of labor, which is
more or less uncertain at this
port.

I am sir,

Respectfully Yours.

A. D. Smith.

Captain.

U.S.A.

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U. S. Revenue *S. H. Woodward*

Port of

Molokai

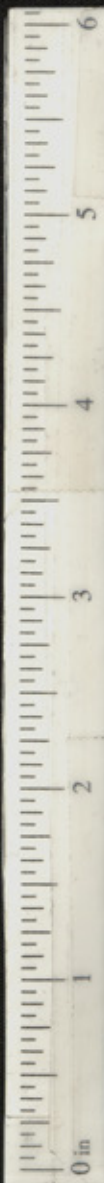
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Smith R. A.

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SUBJECT:

No. of Inclosures,



Headquarters,

Fifth New York Heavy Artillery Veteran Volunteers Assn.,

New York, April 1, 1893.

Gen. O. O. Howard,

Commanding Division of the Atlantic,

Governors Island, New York City,

Dear General:-

We, the undersigned, ex-officers and members of the Fifth New York Heavy Artillery Veteran Volunteers, have learned that our former associate, Major Wm. H. Boyle, now Captain Twenty-first Infantry, U.S.A., stationed at Fort Sidney, Neb., is contemplating coming east with his command. It will afford us great pleasure to have him among us once more after so many years absence in the west. His first service with the Fifth New York Heavy Artillery Volunteers, was at Fort Wood, Bedloe's Island, as 2nd Lieutenant, Company A, in the spring of 1862, when it was feared the "Merrimac" might visit New York Harbor.

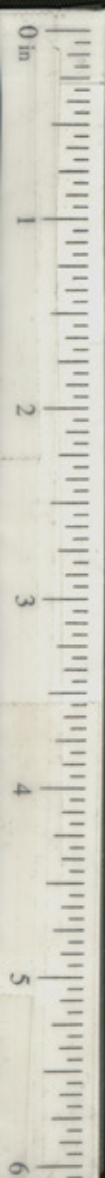
Your influence in the matter will greatly oblige,

Yours, respectfully,

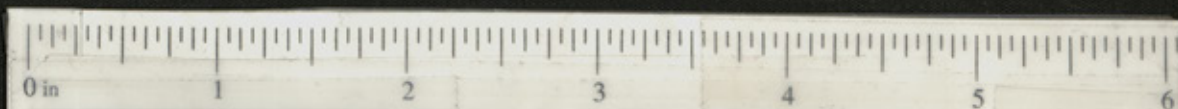
John H. Graham Late Capt. Co. A 5th N.Y. H.A.
President 5th N.Y. H. Art. Vet Vol Assn.
Geo. P. Mott late Capt. Co. B 5th N.Y. H.A.
Jos H Barker Lt. 5th N.Y. Art.
E. J. Mott late 1st Lieut. Co. A 5th N.Y. H.A.
Chas. M. Wines late 1st Lieut. Co. B 5th N.Y. H.A.
H. B. Smith late 2nd Lieut. Co. B 5th N.Y. H.A.
Henry P. Jackson late 1st Lt. Co. B 5th N.Y. H.A.
Almon W. Ryder
Wm. S. Ryan

Geo. J. Werner of Co. E.
late Sgt Major 5th N.Y. Art
Veteran Vols.

Edwin Bynum Private Co. E. 5th N.Y. Art
Alex J. Stewart Co. F. 5th N.Y. Art



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VETERAN ASSOCIATION

—OF THE—

Fifth New York Heavy Artillery Regiment.

Officers for 1892-93.

PRESIDENT,

ALEXANDER J. STEWART.

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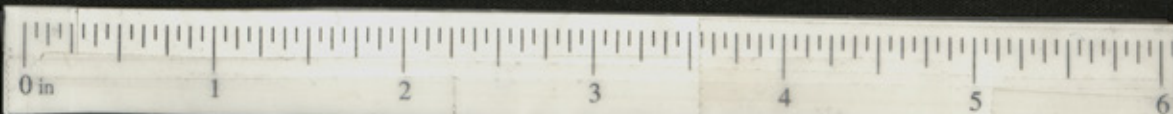
REV. LIEUT. L. E. LIVERMORE.

SECRETARY AND TREASURER,

LIEUT. JOS. H. BARKER,

255 Front Street, New York.

1892.



New York, October 19, 1892.

Comrades:

In accordance with the rule now established, the following statement of the business and affairs of

THE VETERAN ASSOCIATION OF THE FIFTH NEW YORK HEAVY

ARTILLERY REGIMENT, VETERAN VOLUNTEERS,

for the Association year ending this date (as compiled from the Reports and accounts of the Secretary and Treasurer), is hereby submitted for the information of the Members of the Association:

TOTAL MEMBERSHIP October 19, 1892, - - - - - 1,063

THE LOSS IN MEMBERSHIP is as follows:

Deaths reported for the year ending Oct. 19, 1892, - 23
Addresses lost by change of residence, - - - 34 57
Making present membership on our roll, - - - 1,006

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

THE RECEIPTS for the Association were for—

Contributions at Washington, September 19 to 23, - - \$171 75
85 Banquet Tickets, New York, October 12, - - - 171 00
Contributions, New York, during the year, - - - 240 05
Subscriptions for Membership Certificates, - - - 84 50
Sales of Photographs and Pamphlets, from Aug. 31 to Oct. 19, 9 00
Jos. H. Barker, Loan, - - - 210 32
\$886 62

DISBURSEMENTS were for—

Headquarters, Decorations, Entertainment of Comrades
and Guests, "Special Reunion," Washington, Sep-
tember 19 to 23, - - - - - \$176 00
Banquet and Refreshments, New York, October 12, - - - 245 00
Printing, Stationery, Papers and Expressage, - - - 29 93
2,000 Copies Exercises and History Pamphlets, - - - 102 00
500 Lithographed Membership Certificates, - - - 100 00
Ribbon Badges, - - - - - 20 63
Stamps and Postal Cards, - - - - - 48 00
Jos. H. Barker, 3,300 Official Communications, - - - 165 00
\$886 62

Less than ninety have sent in their subscription for Membership Certificate. (Every honorably discharged ex-member of the Regiment should have one of each of these Certificates.)

All of which is most respectfully submitted.

JOS. H. BARKER,

Secretary and Treasurer.

NOTE.—Comrades: We request that all deaths be reported, so we may be able to make our report. Also of any change in your address, and the name and address of any ex-member of the Regiment, who was honorably discharged, not on the roll, that we may bring the Association to their notice. We hope you will not forget that the Association is supported entirely by contributions. Send money in registered letter or money order, so it will not be lost.

Office of THE PRESIDENT,

540 West 19th Street,

NEW YORK, DECEMBER, 1892.

*To the Comrades of the Fifth New York Heavy Artillery, Veteran
Volunteers:*

DEAR COMRADES:

In assuming the position of President of the regimental association, I desire to express my appreciation of the honor, and request from one and all a hearty co-operation in an endeavor to advance the best interests of our association.

Fourteen years ago was renewed the friendships of our army life. At that time our association was permanently organized. The years have been full of progress; we have gathered together over one thousand of our beloved comrades, and have compiled their names in pamphlet form, which has been distributed from time to time to all our comrades and many of our friends. The results have been good and too numerous to mention. Letters are on file which prove to us the amount of work that has been accomplished. Our reunion has indeed worthily won the name of "Annual Reunions"; in unbroken series have they kept pace with passing years. The Fourteenth Annual Reunion, held at Clark's, New York, October 12, 1892, is now numbered with its predecessors, and with its memories is garnered into the keeping of the past.

To our worthy Secretary, who during the last fourteen years has labored unceasingly to build up our association, and has discharged the duties of his office so faithfully, is due not only the sincere thanks and esteem of every comrade, but the earnest co-operation and assistance of all members who love to connect the undying memories of our glorious past with the present time. To this end I confidently appeal to every comrade to put forth every effort to increase not only our membership, but to contribute money cheerfully for the support of the association. The expenses are light, and no member is expected to give more than he can afford. The President desires to congratulate the association upon the attainment reached and the reelection of the Secretary. Another year will soon have closed its scroll of events, and ere we turn the leaf to make the record of

bright promises and the anticipation of happy events to come, it seems singularly appropriate that we should take a brief but thoughtful retrospect. One year ago the following names of our comrades appeared upon our roster:

WILLIAM CAMPBELL, Co. G; HENRY CORDES, Co. C; WILLIAM A. PERRIN, Co. E; CHRISTOPHER STUKEY, Co. I; JAMES MCGRAW, Co. I; THOMAS RYAN, Co. I; WILLIAM ROBERTS, Co. B; LORENZO WISER, Co. M; H. B. REYNOLDS, Co. L; WILLIAM H. SHARP, Lieut. Co. D; M. S. HARRIS, Lieut. Co. C; EDWARD BOWMAN, Co. M; E. W. ANDREWS, Capt. Co. B; JOSEPH H. BARTOLETT, Co. G; ARNOLD EVANS, Co. E; MICHAEL MCGUIRE, Co. E; JAMES MCGREEVY, Co. H; AARON BENNETT, Co. B; JOHN RILEY, Co. D; THOMAS GREGORY, Co. H; REUBEN W. GILLIAM, Co. H; GEORGE GARLOCK, Co. G; CORNELIUS D. DISSOSWAY, 2nd class.

Their places are now vacant, their names no longer appear upon our roll. Death, the common enemy of man, has cast his sickle and has not taken his departure empty-handed. Considerate of the feelings of the regimental association, we tender our earnest and heartfelt sympathy to the families of our deceased comrades, in the deep and irreparable loss they have sustained.

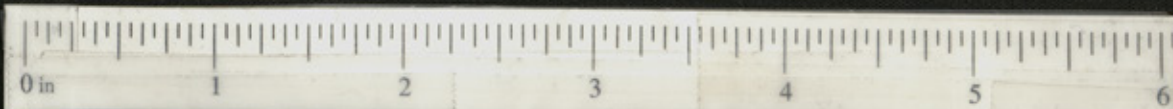
Although our number at the present date show a total of one thousand and six, it is but proper that your attention should be called to the fact that less than one half have responded to our numerous circulars, pamphlets and solicitations, who either through carelessness or inattention, have failed to give us their support or financial aid. The future of the association is what we make it. What we need is the co-operation of all the comrades of our old regiment. Will you, comrade, aid in thus honoring yourself and the association?

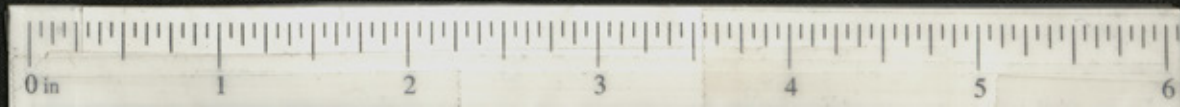
The expenses of the past year will compare favorably with those of the previous year. The report of the Treasurer, which you have here before you, shows a marked increase. This latter feature is made up in extra printing and postage, our special reunion at Washington in September last, the publication of 2,000 copies of commemorative exercises and history, also 500 lithographed membership certificates. No other regimental association possesses anything like them.

To the comrades of the association who have so generously contributed to our support, I desire in this public manner to express my sincere appreciation. Commending you to the watchful care of the Great Captain of our salvation, I extend to one and all the compliments of the season. Wishing you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

ALEXANDER J. STEWART,

President.







THE YOUTH'S COMPANION,

Office, 47 Times Building.

New York, April 1, 1893

TELEPHONE (LONG DISTANCE)
3882 CORTLANDT.

Major-General O. O. Howard,

Governor's Island, New York.

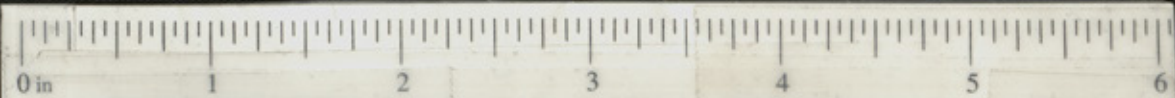
My dear Sir:

On the 25th of April, at noon, there will be raised to the top of a huge flag-pole now standing between the twin lighthouses on the Highlands of the Navesink, the original "stars and stripes" or, as it is known historically, the Paul Jones flag. This will christen, so to speak, the flag-pole from which henceforth always by daylight it is intended that the United States flag shall fly.

The inclosed outline of program will indicate the method of the committee in thus inaugurating a custom which should be very instructive and delightful.

The point upon which this pole is planted is, as you know, the first thing which an incoming voyager sights as he approaches New York Harbor. The flag will thus become the welcome and the "God speed" to those who go down to the sea in ships.

It is the desire of the committee that General Howard should deliver the oration upon this occasion and to that end I take the liberty of inviting you to deliver the oration, feeling sure that if it is possible for you to be there that there are very many things which it will give you pleasure to say in connection with such an



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Major-General G. O. Howard

Governor's Island, New York

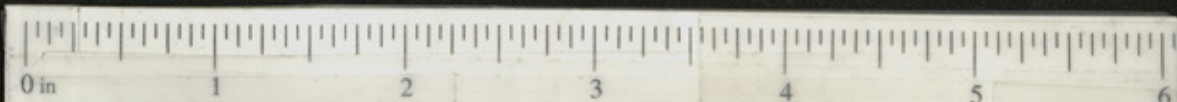
My dear Sir:

On the 28th of April, at about 10:30 a.m., I was joined by the
 two of a large flag-ship standing between the twin masts on
 the Highways of the Navy, and original "stars and stripes" of
 it is shown characteristically the Paul Jones flag. The flag
 is shown, the flag-ship, from which it is shown, is shown
 in the United States flag ship.

The first of the program will include the method of
 the committee in this regard, which would be very
 instructive and efficient.

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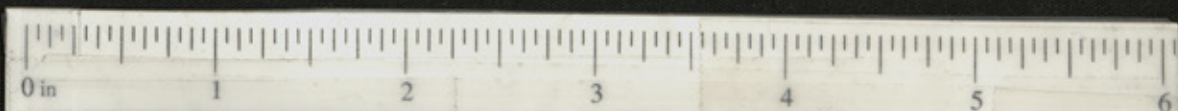
It would be extremely satisfactory if we could introduce a feature representing the Army in connection with our program; we have not, however, presumed to even enter an item of this sort in the program before consulting with you. We will be very grateful for a suggestion on this point from you if anything is possible.

May I hope for your immediate reply, suggesting an hour when it will be possible for me to personally present the invitation?

I have the honor to be, my dear sir,

Very truly yours,

John Winfield Scott
Chairman.



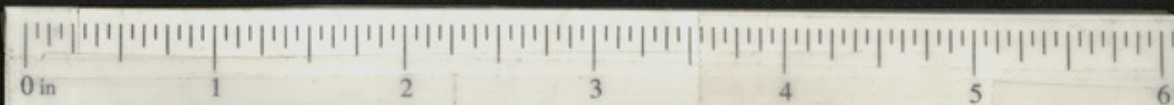
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CHAS. H. HENRY



Proposed Program.

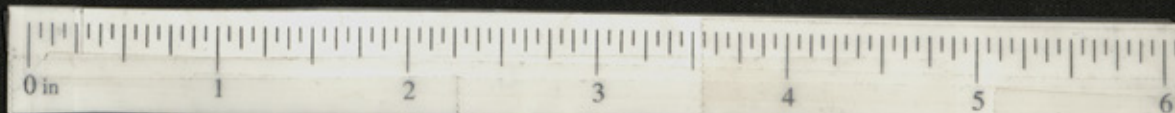
11:45 A.M. Signal "Prepare to Salute".
Introductory remarks by Chairman
Mr. John Winfield Scott.
Remarks by Chairman of the General Committee
Mr. Wm. C. McDowell.
Presentation of the flag by J. B. Upham, Chairman,
Committee of Lyceum League of America.

12 M. Signal "Commence Firing".
a. Hoisting "Paul Jones flag"
Mrs. H. A. P. Stafford and Capt. David H. Caulkins.
b. Lowering "Paul Jones flag" and Hoisting regular U. S.

12:10 P.M. Return Salute by New Jersey Battery.
12:15 P.M. Invocation,
Rev. F. De Witt Tammage, D. D.
12:25 P.M. Address by
Hon. W. McAdoo, Assistant Secretary of the Navy.
12:40 P.M. Oration by

1:30 P.M. Poem,
Hosekiah Butterworth.
1:35 P.M. Benediction
Rev. Samuel Aiman, Fleet Chaplain, Nat. Association,
Naval Veterans, U. S. A.

1:55 P.M. "Star Spangled Banner".



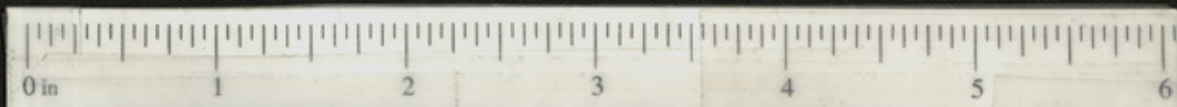
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Scott John Winfield

April 1st 1893

Reply sent by Lark Treat

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The Associated Literary Press.
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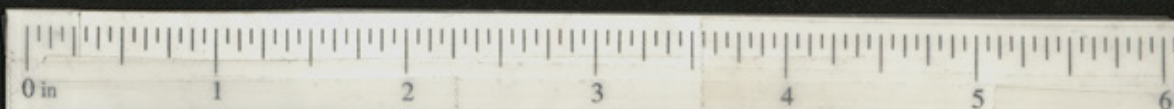
It has occurred to me that it would be a very good idea in my forthcoming prospectus of the magazine, which I shall issue in a week or two, to have such expressions of approval of the work I have done thus far, together with good wishes for the future, as a number of authors who are my friends would care to make. This would in a certain manner guarantee me to the great public which does not know me. I should also have letters from editors of the principal newspapers. This would, in a certain way, pretty well introduce me.

Very sincerely yours,

S. S. McClure

Gen. O. O. Howard,

Governor's Island, N. Y. H.

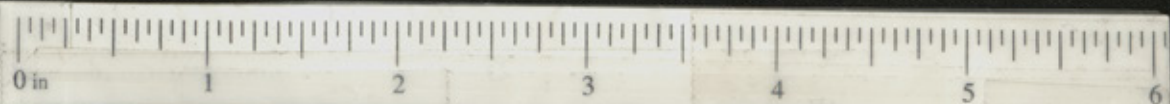


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J. S. McClure

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OFFICERS.
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SAVANNAH, GA.
S. LUMPKIN, Chief Mustering Officer
SAVANNAH, GA.

Department of Georgia.

GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC.

Office of the JUNIOR VICE COMMANDER.

Atlanta, Ga., April 1st, 1893.

Gen. O. O. Howard,
care C. Gazzam,
Dauphin Way, Mobile, Ala.

My Dear Comrade:-

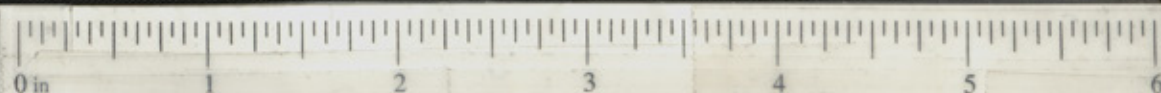
I succeeded in getting the article in both the Journal and Herald of yesterday, and send you by mail to-day as per address given me by Harry, 30 copies of the Journal and 25 of the Herald.

I hope you will like the article, although it was, as you know very hurriedly written, in order to get it in yesterday's paper. Mrs. Scott sent her article to me, but stated that you had requested its entire publication; this of course you can understand could not be done, as it made three quarters of a column of itself. It was a trying ^{place} to put one in, but I did the best I could, by selecting a few choice passages verbatim.

Yours with highest regards and in F C & L.,

A. B. Carrier
J. V. Commander

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Carrier DP
Apr 1st 1893

North Lee,

Gen. O. O. Howard,

Care C. Garrison,

Washington Way, Mobile, Ala.

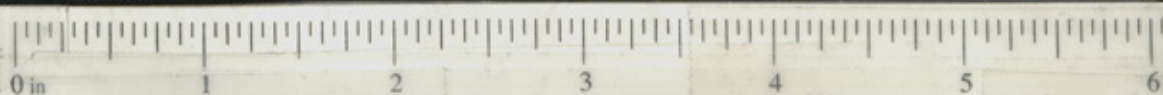
My dear Comrade:-

I suggested in getting the article in your
Journal and Herald of yesterday, and sent you by mail to-day as per
address given me by Harry, 30 copies of the Journal and 20 of the
Herald.

I hope you will like the article, although it was, as you know
very hurriedly written, in order to get it in yesterday's paper.
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W. V. COMBES



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417 East 57th Street
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General O. O. Howard
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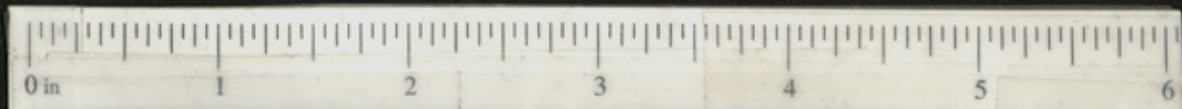
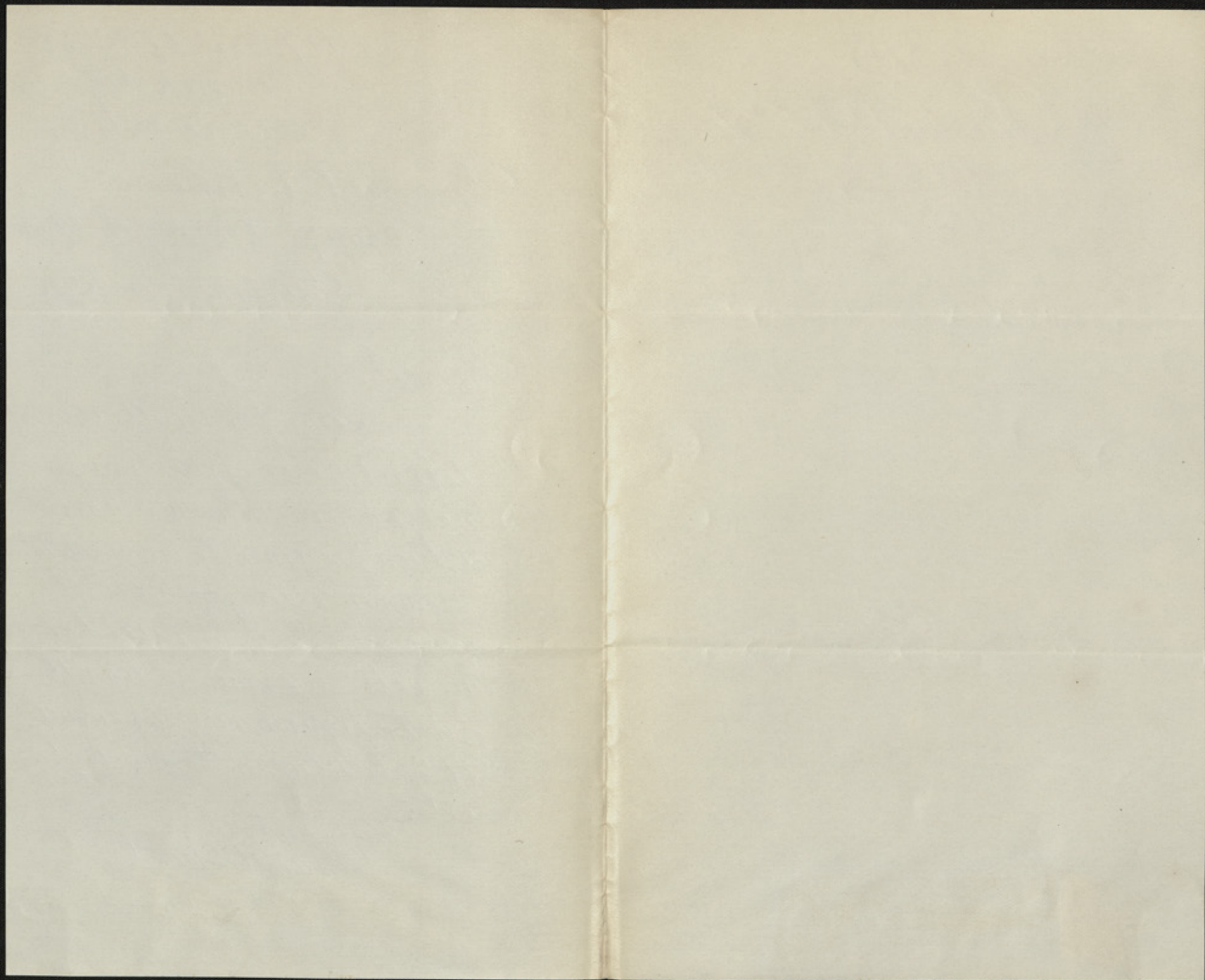
General:

Some few months ago
I left at your office some per-
sonal papers, which I have
all been returning to me excepting
an recommendation from Col L. L.
Langdon. As I have not had
time call for same, I have the
honor to request very respectfully
that it be returned to me by
mail.

Very respectfully

Your obt^l serv^t

G. L. Von Glueck



Office of the Collector of Customs,

Port of Mobile, Ala.,

April 2, 1893.

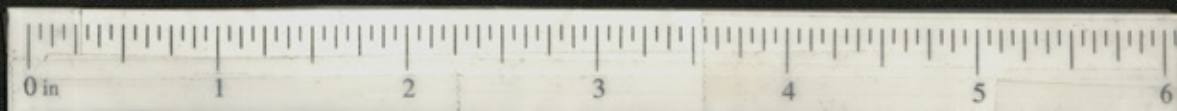
Genl. O. O. Howard:

Dear Sir:

May A. N. Dunsell requests me to say to you that he will take you to Ft. Morgan, and will call for you at the Bath House to-morrow morning fifteen minutes before ten o'clock.

Very truly yrs.

D. B. B. Smith



Custom-House, Collector's Office,

MOBILE, ALA.,

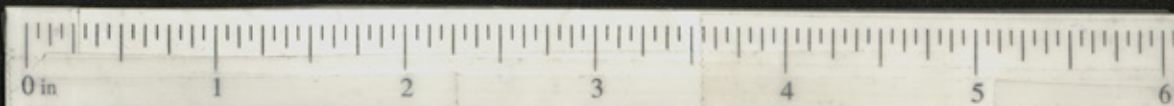
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H. O. Booth
Collector.

SUBJECT:

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No. of Inclosures,



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William C. Gannon

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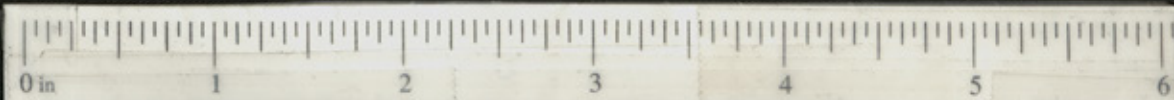
Reply sent to Lt Tread Apr 4. 93

William Cameron Gannon
Portland Maine
3 Tuckahay Court
Rear 220 Fore St

Portland April. 2nd 93

Dear Sir,

I will try and pen
a few lines to Ask you
if there is any chance to
get in the Army again
I enlisted the 11th Day of
March - 1891 - to go - west in
the Cav - but instead they
sent me to West Point in
the Cav. Det. and I stayed
a few days and Deserted
but have been sorry ever
since - I worked for me -
Flint the Post Gardner -
and got along first Class
while I was at Governors
Island. Please write if there
is any chance to Get permission



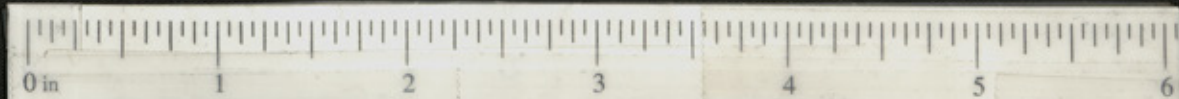
to - ~~enlist~~ enlist
again in some
other Company -

I will close hoping to
hear from you soon

Remain your obedient

Servant

Wm. C. Gammon



HEADQUARTERS DIVISION OF THE ATLANTIC,

GOVERNOR'S ISLAND, NEW YORK.

April 3^d '93

Dear Anne

You will find the usual daily report
herewith. Please notice one especial point.

I made the order for that de-
tachment to remain at Washington Bks
in view of the importance of the station,
Batteries always hang back from
guard duty, and it would of course
be no additional expense, but Col.
Livingston seemed so anxious to have
them go and to think the Battery was
enough I took it back.

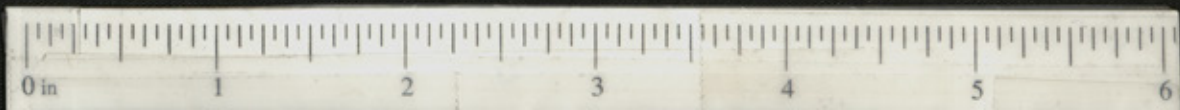
Will Tompkins left Saturday &
you will probably see him before you
see this.

Your telegram about the courts
came all right.

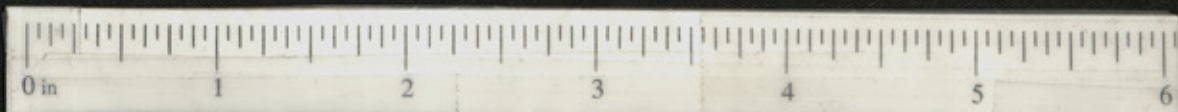
Our good weather still held.
I am glad to see you back again.

My love to Howard.

Yours
John R. R.



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SAVANNAH, GA.
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SAVANNAH, GA.

Department of Georgia.

GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC.

Office of the JUNIOR VICE COMMANDER.

Atlanta, Ga. April 3rd, 1893.

Gen. O. O. Howard,

care C. Gazzam, 929 Dauphin Way,

Mobile, Ala.

My Dear General:-

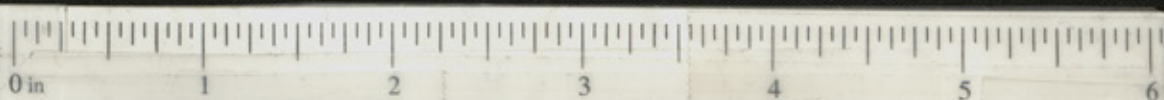
I enclose herewith receipted bills for papers sent you
as requested. Hope you received them all right.

With kind regards.

Yours in F. C. & L.,

A. B. Carrier

Nothing in G. A. R. circles
has more with us received
more favorable comment
than your reception, your
words and spirit as shown
by your talk.



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Carver A.P.

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Gen. O. O. Howard

Gen. C. G. Carter

Howard, Mass.

My dear General:-

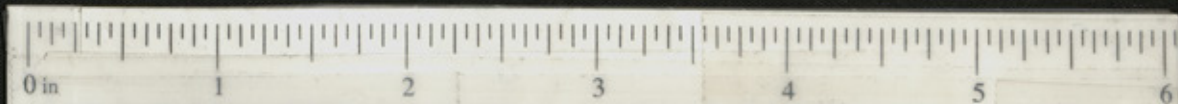
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EDITORIAL ROOMS OF THE STANDARD DICTIONARY.

New York, April 4th, '93. 1892.

My Dear General;--

We want to make Decoration Day at the Park a big occasion in commemoration of the dead soldiers. Judge ^{Area} H. W. Tenney has about consented to give the address. We wish you to preside, and to make some preliminary remarks, making these preliminary remarks as long as you please.

Invitations are extended to all of the soldiers on the Island and to all of their friends to be present. I think we will be able to make it a very big occasion.

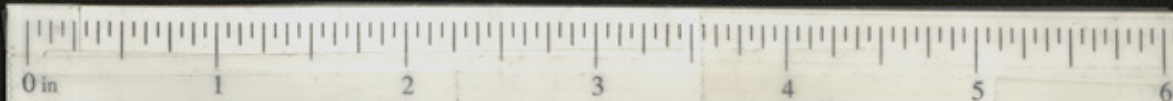
Be so kind as to let me know whether it will be possible for you to be present. I sincerely hope it will be. By the by, we are starting to erect a statue of General Clinton B. Fisk in the Park.

Yours as ever,

D. C. Funk

General O. O. Howard,

Governor's Island, N. Y.



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Frank D. L.

April 4. 93

Reply sent by Louis Treax April 5 93

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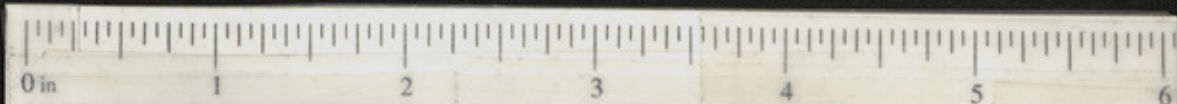
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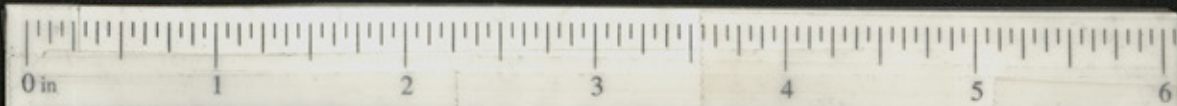
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Reply sent by Lord Trevelyan Apr 10. 93

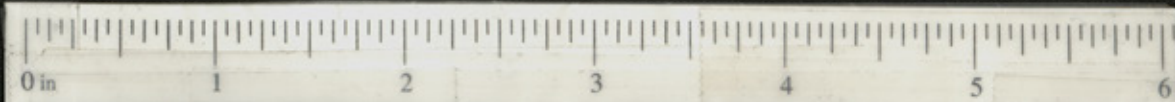


The President & Members
of the
St. George's Society
of New York.

request the honor of the company of
General Howard
at the Anniversary Dinner of the Society
to be held at Delmonico's, 5th Ave. 126th St.
on April the twenty ~~third~~ fourth
at half past six O'Clock.

An early answer addressed to the Secretary
Berkeley Mostyn, University Club
Madison Ave. 126th St. will oblige
New York. April 5th 1893





THE CONGREGATIONAL ASSOCIATION
OF NEW JERSEY,
REV. C. H. PATTON, SECRETARY,
WESTFIELD, N. J.

Westfield, N.J. April 5th, '93.

Maj. Gen. O. O. Howard,
Governor's Is. N.Y.

Dear Gen. Howard:-

I am sure you retain your interest in the Association of N.J. with which you were connected so many years, and whose founding I believe you participated. Our next meeting is to be in East Orange, on May 9-10, and as it is to be our 25th anniversary we want to observe the occasion by having several short reminiscent addresses on the afternoon of the 10th. Can you be with us, and will you occupy fifteen minutes, telling, if you are so inclined, of the beginnings of Congregationalism in Washington.

I hope it will be possible and agreeable to you.

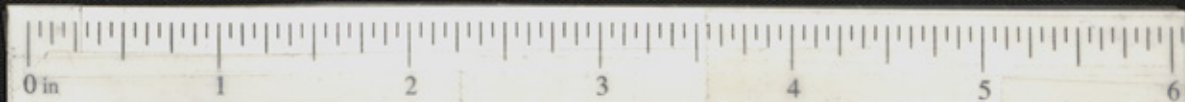
Mrs. Whittlesey is visiting us, or has been. She returns to Washington today. I tried to get Gen. W. to back you up in a speech, but he writes that he cannot attend the meeting.

Sincerely yours,

Yes April 18 93

Cornelius H. Patton

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Patience Cornwell

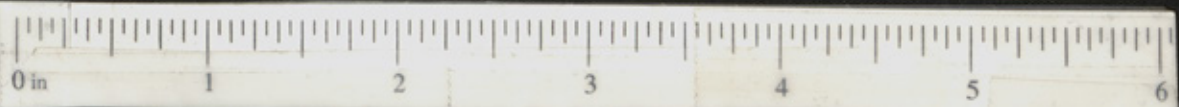
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Wagon's men. My brother was
cousin to Garfield I had seven
brotheren ones in the Army and
my only Brother he to is a crippled
Soldier having ^{W. H. Healy} ~~to go~~ a wheel
chair he was ³² ~~22~~ years old 22 years old
But please excuse me for my
impropriety please excuse me for
when I get to hearing a little writer
I hardly know when to stop and
Sir please answer this and may
God Bless you Fraternally Yours
W. H. Healy No 508 Avery Avenue
Syracuse N.Y.

Reply read by Dr. Tread
Apr 7. 93

As I send you my card with
respect, it was taken from a
picture taken three years ago I
have been to God to have one taken
now and I have to depend entirely on
my little pension please send by
American express yours W. H. Healy
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Syracuse N.Y. April 5th 1893

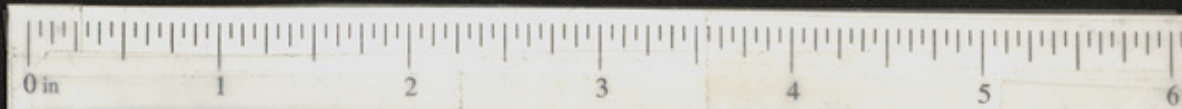
Gen. O. Howard
Dear Sir & Comrade

Will you please contribute
a volume of some one of your
works with your autograph
as contribution to my little out-
library. I asked you some little
time ago and you sent me
a little primer of Proverbs I
thanked you kindly for them
but I had them before and
I can say I was grateful to you
for making my letter I would
like to have you contribute a volume
of some of your work for I have
Sheridan Col. Fred front Linburn
and A. D. D. Porter each contributed
one volume or two of me. And
I have no one I respected in



loved more than I do all
sloward but probably you
will say as others do this is
humbug. But I never joke
or make fun of any thing I am
in pain and suffer so much
that I have to take things in
a pure serious vein I don't
know what it is to be without
pain or suffering and I am
only waiting the summons
of our great commander to be
called where there is no more
suffering and we can say with
truth that I am ready any
time to meet him who doeth
all things well and we say in
all faith not myself but there
be done Dear Comrade you can
know what good a letter or book
does one who most of the time
is confined to the house

not by my own discretion but
caused by sickness the result of
sunstroke while on duty to my
country and Flag though
things look dark now one man
may forget me here it is the hands
who never forget and right well
come by and be but dear Sir
you may think me impudent
I hope I am not I don't mean
to be though a private we break
our officers though most of them
were answered the last roll call those
that are left are fewer and ones
should they have a little respect
for the poor private even if he
is crippled and disabled he is a
man just the same and willing
to do his duty and he owes
it well I am from a soldier's
family both my grand Father
were Revolutionary soldiers
my Mother's Father fought for us
I owed to Jackson my Father



The Military Service Institution,
Governor's Island,

N. Y. H. April 5, 1843.

Major General O. O. Howard,
U. S. Army,
Governor's Island, N. Y. City.

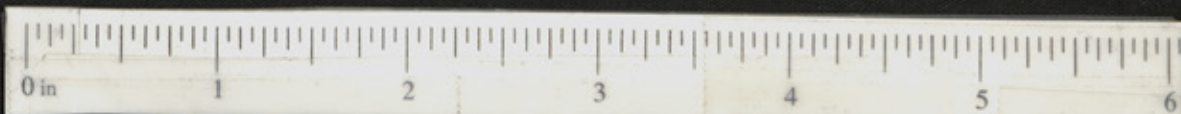
General,
I have the honor to acknowledge, with
thanks, the receipt of the Supplement of "Her
Majesty's Army", which General Howard has
so kindly donated to the library of the Institution.

Very respectfully,

Your obedient servant,

A. B. Birch.

1st Lieut. 5th Art'y.
In charge of library



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Push J.C.
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