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CYRUS KEHR,
SOLICITOR OF PATENTS,
—AND—
MECHANICAL EXPERT,
THE ROOKERY,—ROOM 639,
CHICAGO.

Chicago, 15, 1894.

Gen.O.O. Howard, Rec'd.Oct. 18, 1894. Ans'd.Oct. 0CT 19 1894

Gen'1 0. 0. Howard,

Governor's Island, New York City,

N. Y.

Dear Sir:-

It has occurred to me that I might be able to secure some engagements for you in this region for November or December. Please let me know what dates, if any, are available for this purpose and whether a fee of one hundred dollars, with expenses from Chicago, will be agreeable to you. If you already have engagements in this region, I ought to know what they are if I am to try to secure others.

Respectfully yours,

Cyrus Kehr.

Chichester, 15, 1894.

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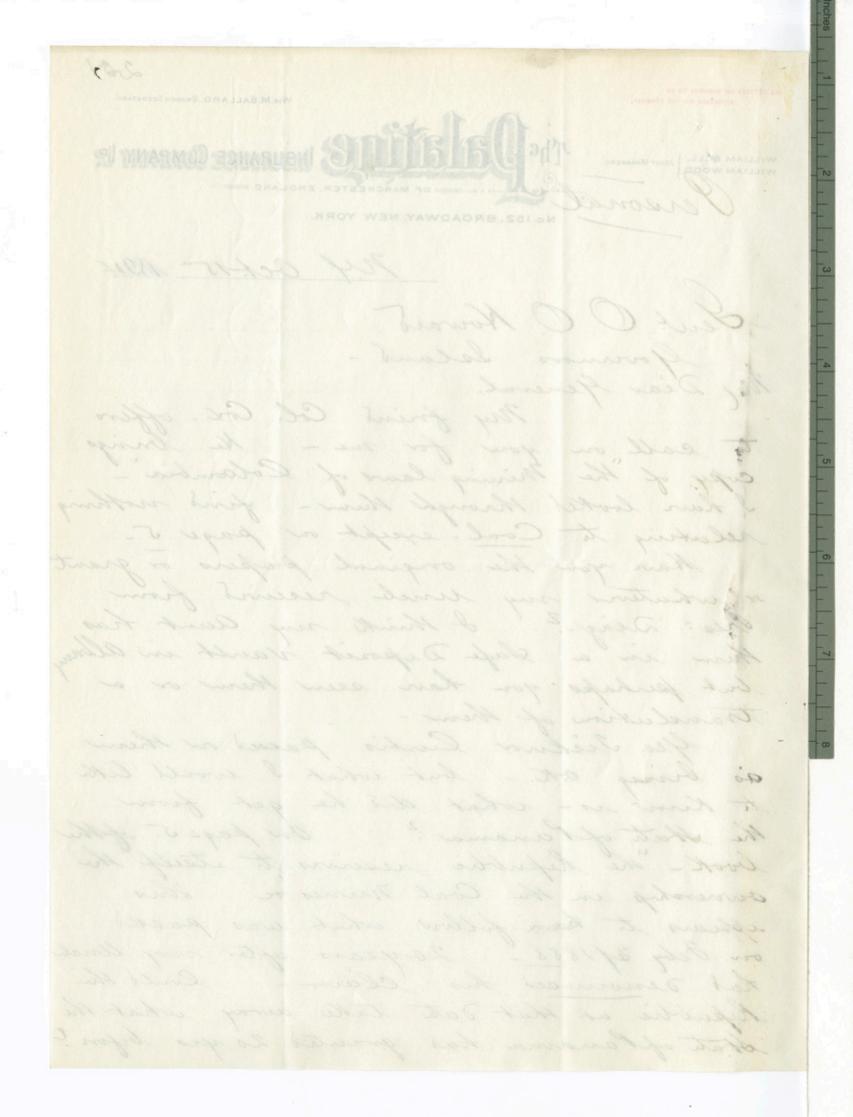


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OF MANCHESTER, ENGLAND.

No. 152, BROADWAY, NEW YORK.

My Oct. 15" 1894 Lent O. O. Howard, Yournors Island -My Dear General, My friend Col. Cox - offers to call on you for me - Ne brings copy of the Mining laws of Colambia -I have looked through them - find nothing relating to Coal except on page 5. Have you the original papers or grant Pres: Diag. 2 I think my aunt has them in a Safe Deposit Nauth in albany but perhaps you have seen them or a translution of them -Yes. Ticknow Curtis passed on them as bring O.K. - but what I would like to Know is - what did he get from the State of Panama? Ow page 5, of the book - the Republic reserves to itself the ownership in the Coal Tunes to This on Febr 3/1888 - 20 years after my Unch has denounced his claim- Could the Republic at that date take away what the State aftanama has granted to yes befor!



WM.M. BALLARD, BRANCH SECRETARY.

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Wager Swayne, Attorneyr Counsellor at Law, 120 Broadway, New York.

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New York Harbor.

My dear General:

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Yours very truly,

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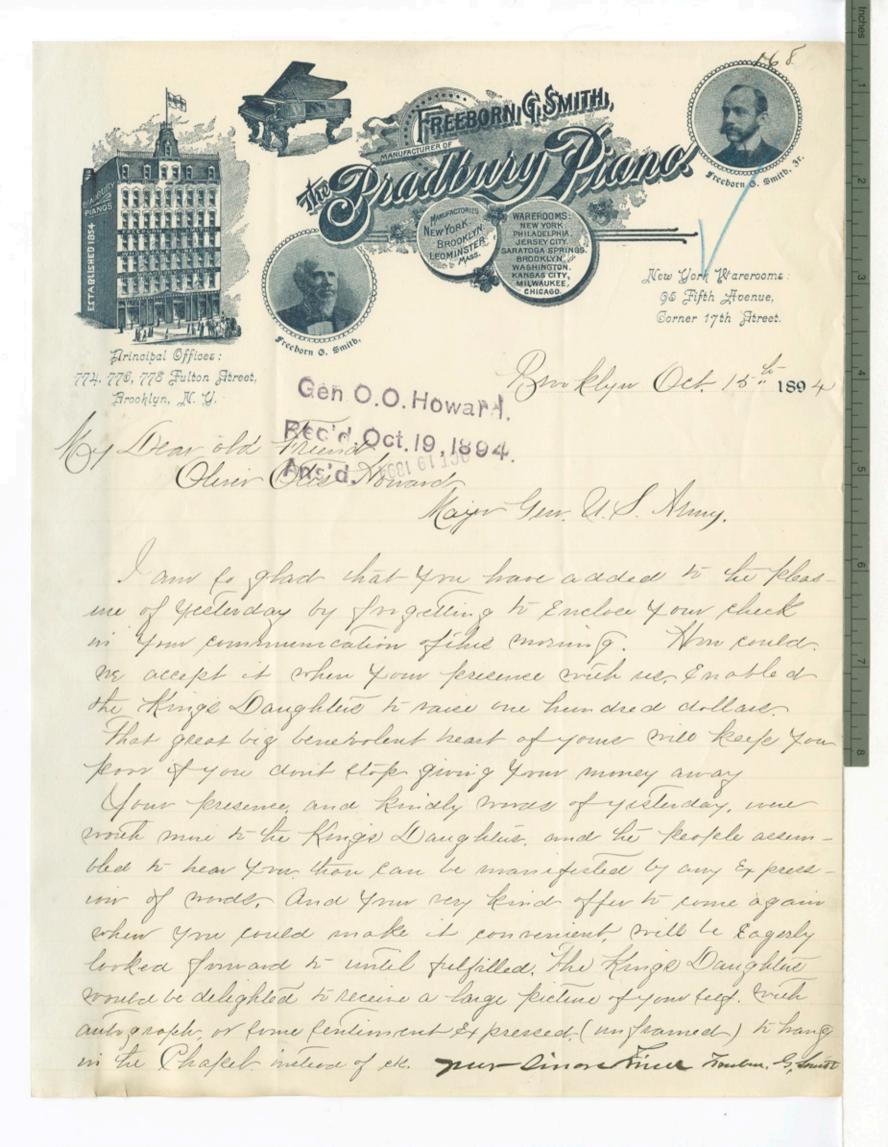
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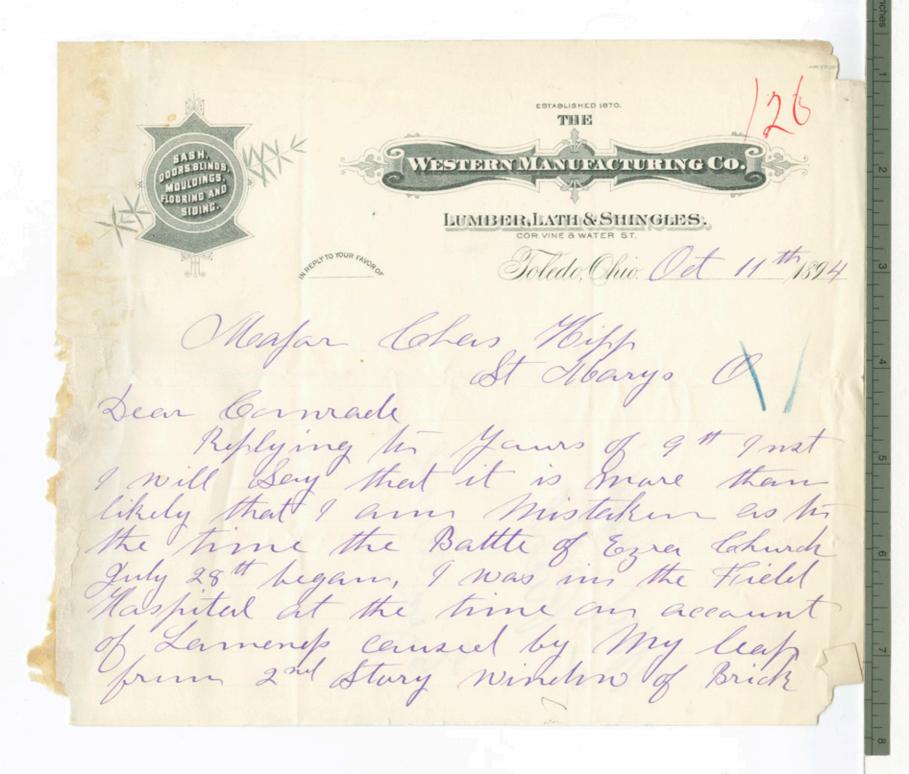
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CHAS. HIPP.

St. Marys, Chio, Ontober 9th 1894

## EZRA CHAPEL.

The 37th. Regt. Ohio Volunteer Infantry,

in command of the writer, Major Charles Hipp, formed part of the 2nd. Brig. 2nd. Div. 15th. A.C.

The Diwision was marching, since early daylight of July 28.

1864, when we left the road, cautiously feeling our way, and deploying on a wooded ridge, where we halted.

It was about 8 O'clock, when Gen. Morgan L. Smith, commanding the Division, ordered me, personally, to march with the regiment, in a direction indicated, about a mile from our right, and occupy a position of oberservation, with special regard to the right; to hold, until relieved by the Division of Jeff. C. Davis.

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In front (south) was anarrow piece of open woods, then a cleared field of about 80 acres, and beyond this open woods, that is, woods cleared of undergrowth.

To the rear and left was a steep decline, heavily wooded; on the right the surface was more level along the ridge, covered with thick undergrowth and fallen trees.

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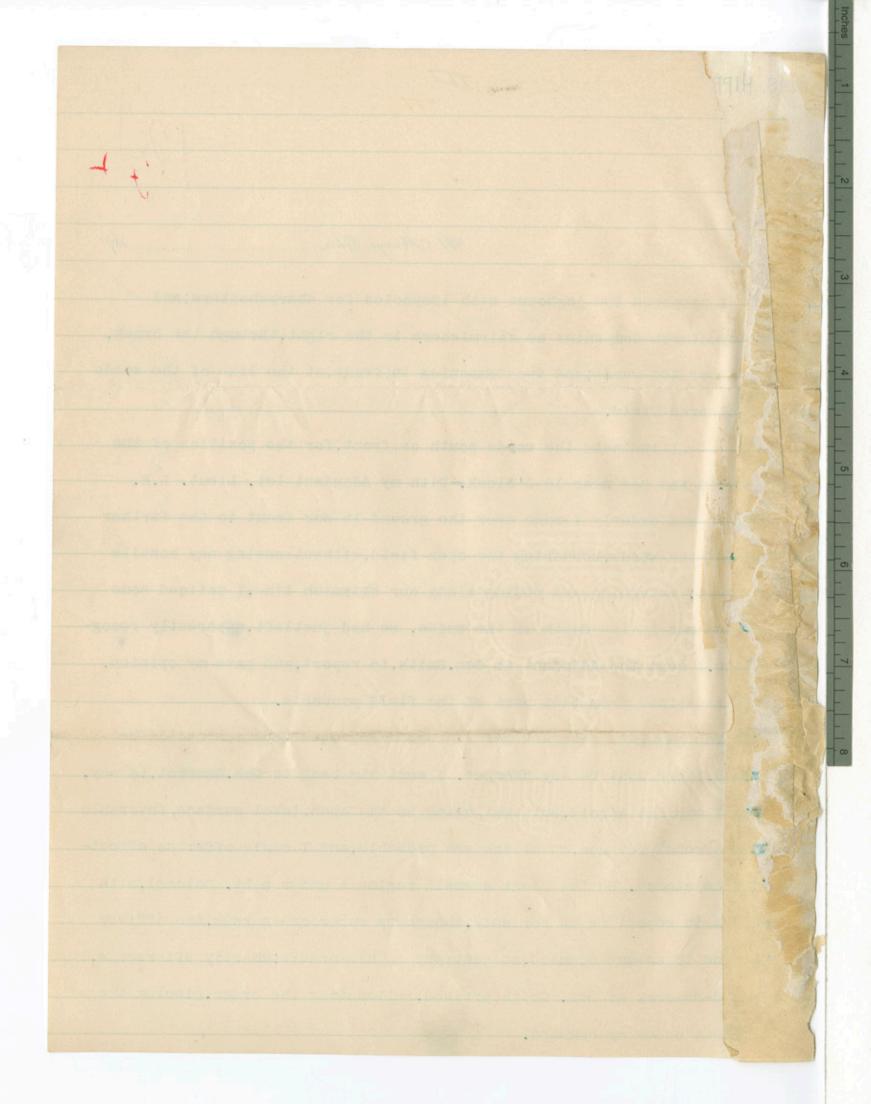
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I prepared the loghouse with loopholes for sharpshooters; and deployed three Companies as skirmishers to the right, through the brush, some 3 or 400 yards; and two Companies in front, at the line of the woods and cleared field.

enemy. It was now hear 10 O'clock. With my Adjudant 1st. Lieut. L.E.

Lambert and orderly I rode over the ground in our front to the farther edge of the woods, bordering the open field, without seeing any hostile movement; returning and riding along our skirmish line, I noticed some mounted men in the depth of the woods, we had justleft, apparently recognizing. I sent the Adjutant to Gen. Smith, to report, and gave my opinion, that an attack from that part of the field probable.

The Adjutant returned with the cheering intelligence "not to be afraid, there went be any charge". I sent him back to the General, to say, that I was not afraid, but that, owing to the open, level surface, favorable to the rebel advance, an attack was probable, and I could offer no effective resistance. He then sent mesmall regiment under a Lt. Colonel, with orders to report to me for duty; though my superior in rank, the officer refused to assume command, as contrary to his orders; shortly afterwards, a aid-de-camp of Gen. Smith arrived, reiterating the order, placing the regiment under my command.



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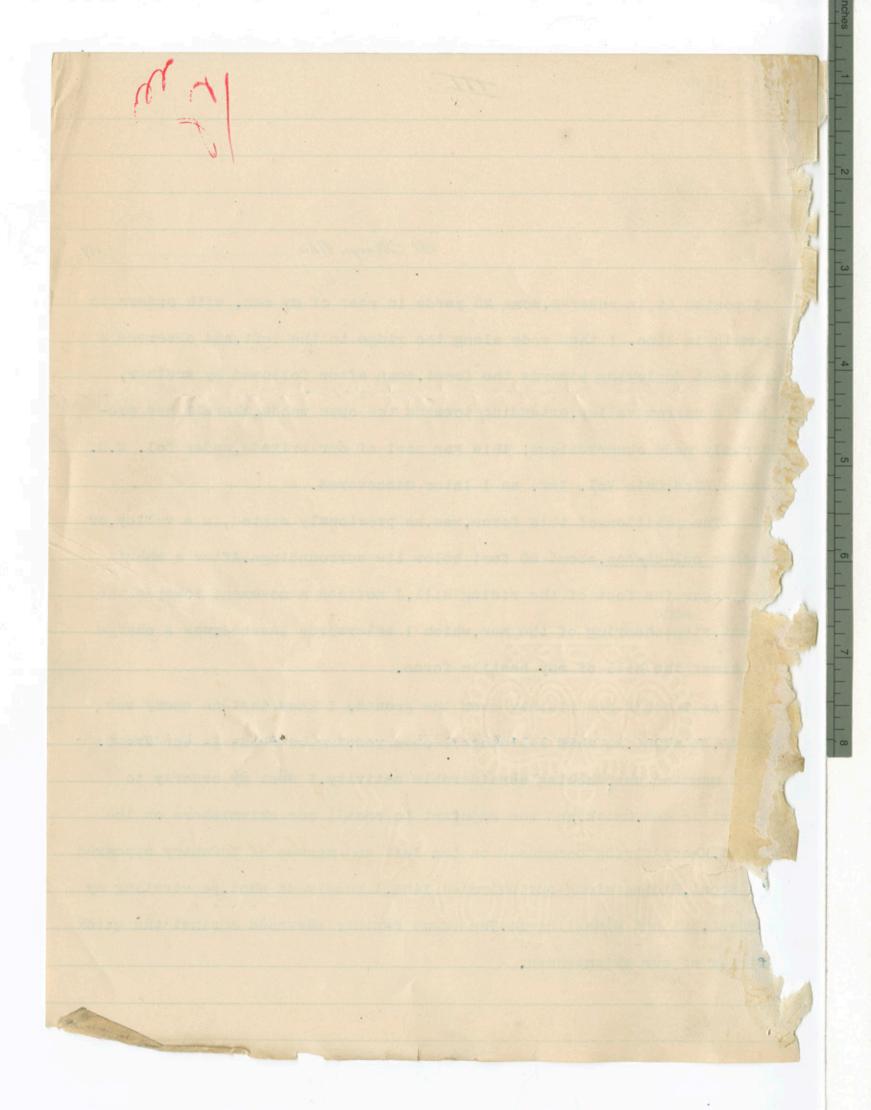
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I posted it in reserve, some 20 yards in rear of my men, with orders to remain in line. I then rode along the ridge to the left, and observed a regiment deploying towards the front, soon after followed by another, into a narrow valley, extending towards the open woods, where I had previously made observations; this was part of our brigade, under Col. W.S. Jones, 53rd. Ohio Vol. Inf. as I later discovered.

The position of this force, was, as previously stated, in a velley, or rather cul-de-sac, about 50 feet below its surroundings. After a short halt near the foot of the rising hill, I noticed a movement towards the some ront, with cheering of the men, which I afterwards learned was a charge to clear the hill of any hostile force.

As I could see plainly over the grounds I knew that no enemy was there, in sight. At near 110 clock, I observed, in the woods to our front, were mounted men, showing considerable activity. I sent my orderly to sport to Gen. Smith, and the Adjutent to recall our skirmishers on the ight. Heavy firing commenced on the left and masses of Infahtry appeared if front. Riding along our akirmish line, I received ashot, penetrating my reast, but not disabling me. The enemy rapidly advanced against the quick firing of our skirmishers.



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My regiment had been in linefor two hours, the other, just in its rear; then the force under Gen. W.S. Gones, which was in an indefensible position at the time, fell rapidly backstortheir right and rear, partly war between us and the advancing enemy. I vainly tried to keep the retreating men from covering my front, until the rebels were within a few farts of us, when the regimentfired one volley, and at the same time I was disabled by a shot in the arm, falling off my horse almost in them rebel lines, and was barely carried off the field by Sergeant Torgler from surrounding rebels, for which act of bravery, he was awarded a medal of honor.

appeared, when I was about to order it forward on my right, just before the actual conflict. For the part taken by the three companies on the right, as skirmishers I refer to the statement of my Adjugant 1st. Lieut.

L.E. Lambert, which is herewith enclosed; I would add, that Gen. M.L. Smith sent his aid-de-camp, next day, to me at the hoppital in Marietta, with his appliments and condolence.

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Late Major, 37th. Regt. O. V. I.

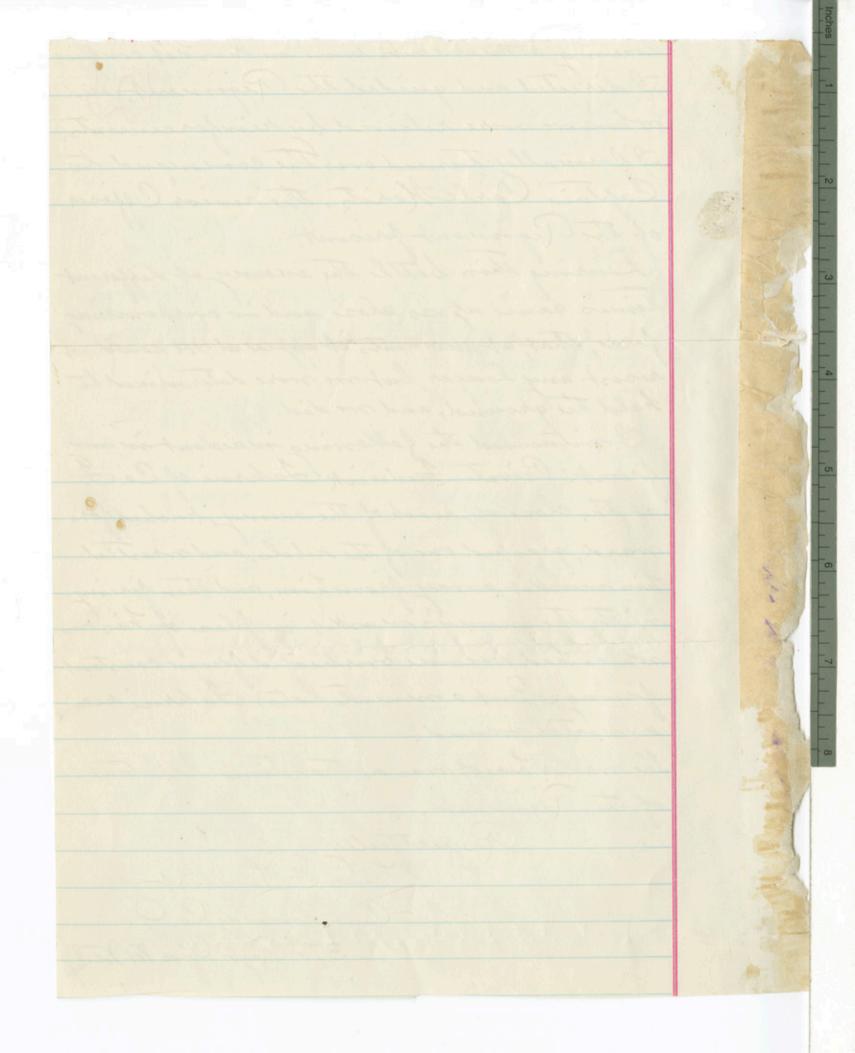
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Maj.Gen. 0.0. Howard, Governors Island, N.Y. 411 Weigh and

(herpage 37) I was ordered by Major Nipp to recall The Three Companies in skirming line on The right but before accomplished the enemy was upones I directed the companies to fight The enemy and slowly rally on the left and rear. An encounter with The eveny at once exend and directly our entire line was engaged in a hot skirmish fire. The enemy fired many rollin, and charged with determination! Our boys fought bravely, and closed up as well as they could. The fight now began in dead earnest, and me although weak to rising the overforming force, were determined to hold our ground. The enemy repeatetly charged our regiment, and repeatelly me elecked them slowly falling to the rear, and closing on our left until me reached the edge of a ridge where me made a firm stand, and here held the enemy in shock until reinforcements had arrived. As stated Hajor Hipp was disabled at The beginning of this battle he receiving several sovere wounds, and suffered The loss of his left arm. I seeing the importance of not

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Waverly, Ohio, April 13th 1

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Dear Sir:-

As requested, I beg to send you herewith a renewal of your book of complimentary stamps.

Yours truly,

Thos. J. Eckert
President.

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Pursuant to your request, I hereby hand you a copy of the minutes of our transactions relating your election as President of the N. Y. and N.J. Morrell Liquor Cure Company, and also to the resolution accepting your resignation of the same office.

May 15th 1893.

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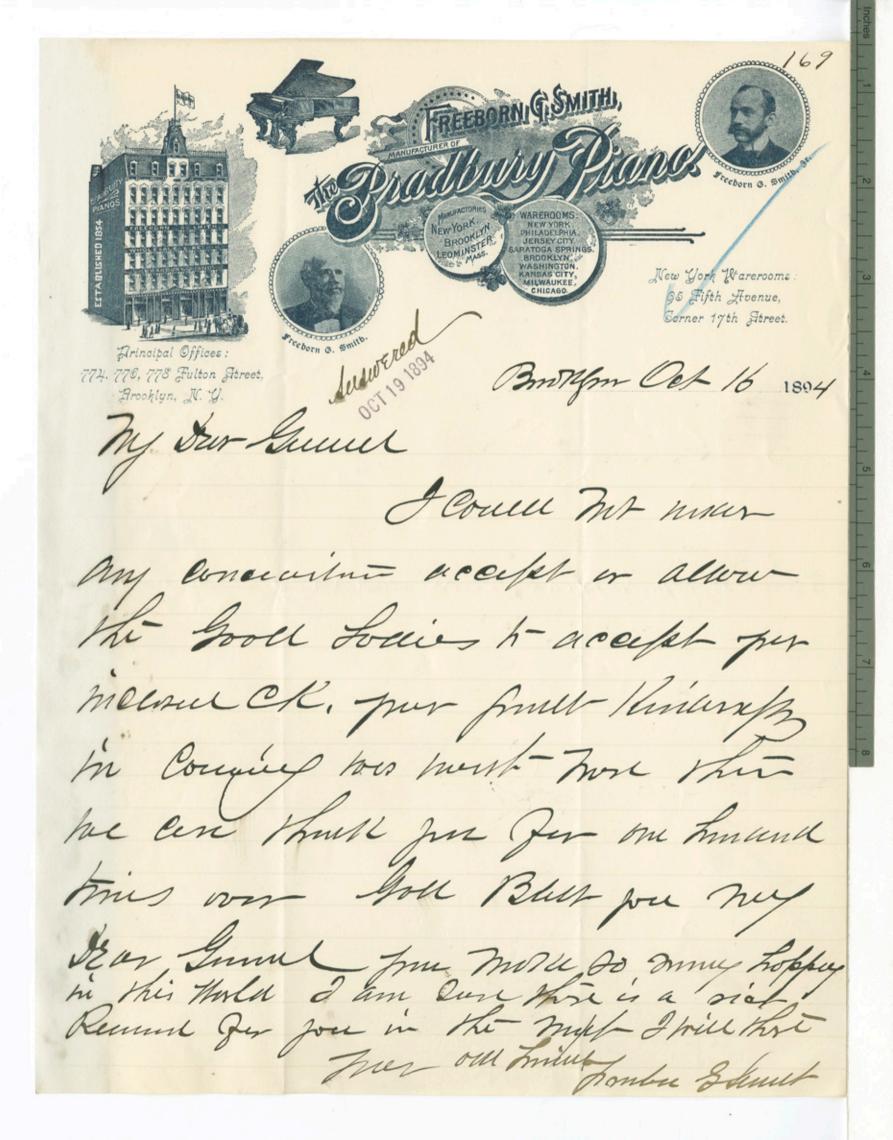
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THE NATIONAL BANK OF NORTH AMERICA IN NEW YORK. 25 NASSAU STREET. ORGANIZED 1851. WARNER VAN NORDEN, President. WILLIAM F. HAVEMEYER, Vice-President ALVAH TROWBRIDGE, Cashier. HEMAN DOWD, Ass't Cashier New York, October 16, 1894 My dear Gen'l Howard: -The Synod of New York (Presbyterian) meets in this city during the present week. On Thursday evening a reception will be given them at the Concert Hall of Madison Square Garden, corner 26th St. & Madison Avenue. It will give us very great pleasure to have you present with us. I have asked Admiral Gherardi and others whom you will know very well. Please meet me in the ante-room on the 26h St. side of the hall at 8 o'clock. Hoping to have you with us, I am Very truly yours, Indoses check for 25 -the Chapel. W. Kan Sorden.

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