



Mayor's Office
CITY AND COUNTY of SAN FRANCISCO

ADOLPH SUTRO, MAYOR

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.

March 14th 1895

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"The Colonial", San Francisco.

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With the highest regards, I am
Very Truly Yours



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With the kindest regards, I am
Very truly,
Adolph Sutro

March 14th 1895

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"The Colonial", San Francisco
Dear Sir:- To the sorrow of
Mayor Sutro, he has just found
out that you are leaving San
Francisco today. He had already
given me orders to invite you and
Mrs Howard and the family to Sutro
Heights next Sunday for lunch and
he will be much disappointed to
not being able to see and talk with
you.

With the highest regards, I am
Respectfully Yours
A. C. Unsworth
Secy.

March 14th 1842

General O. O. Howard.
Dear Sir: - The Colonel, for Hancock
Wagner writes, he has just found
out that you are leaving for
Hancock today. He has already
given me orders to invite you and
Mrs. Howard and the family to his
heights next Sunday for lunch and
he will be much disappointed to
not being able to see and talk with
you.

With the highest regards, &c.
Respectfully yours
A. C. Brewster

Wm. C. Brewster

Andrew Saks.

Isadore Saks.

NEW YORK
696-702 BROADWAY
RICHMOND
1017-1019 Main St.



WASHINGTON
300 to 308 7th Street.
AND
701 to 703
Market Space.

Maj. O. O. Howard,
263 Yamhill Street,
Portland, Oreg.

Washington, D.C.

March 14/95.

Dear Sir:

We have received so many requests lately from gentlemen in both branches of the service, desiring to open accounts with us, that we have decided to extend the privilege to the Officers of the Army and Navy generally. We shall be pleased to have you avail yourself of this convenience whenever you find it agreeable so to do.

Our stock embraces every requirement of your wardrobe-- Uniforms and Equipments, Men's and Boys' Clothing (Ready Made and to Order), Hats, Shoes, Furnishing Goods, Leather Goods, Bath Robes, Smoking Jackets, Dressing Gowns, etc. The excellent organization of our Mail Order Department places us in a position to execute the orders of those stationed at a distance with promptness and accuracy.

It is only necessary for us to add that we conduct our business strictly on a one-price basis, and guarantee the fullest satisfaction in all your transactions with us.

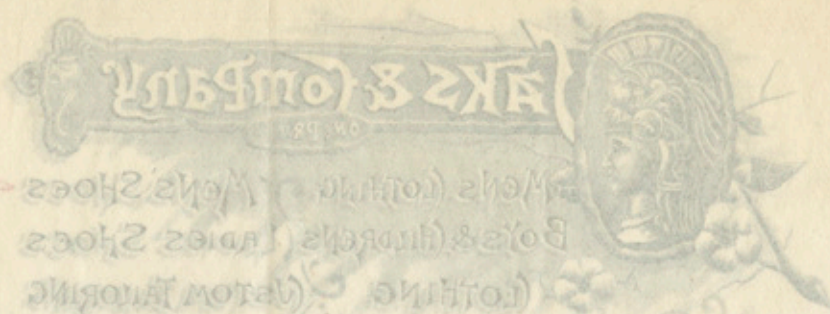
Awaiting your commands, we are,

Yours very truly,

Saks & Company

Address 2075

NEW YORK
207-208 BROADWAY
KINGSTON
KINGSTON MAIN ST.



HATS & FURNISHINGS IRONWORKS LEATHER GOODS
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Washington, D.C.

March 14/95

WASHINGTON
200-12-208 2nd Street
AND
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Market Street

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283 Yamhill Street,
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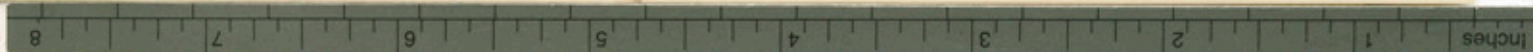
J. & S. Company

Claremont Cal.

March 14. 1895.

Dear General Howard,

The enclosed
letter from the president
of Pomona College ex-
presses his desire that
the students of the College
should have the opportunity
to hear your voice and
look into your face and
to take by the hand one
of the Major Generals of
the Civil War. Mr Bar-
row & I desire to add
our hope that you will



look in upon the only
Congregational College
in this State, which
although only in the
seventh year of its life
is well equipped with a
thoroughly competent and
self-sacrificing Corps of
teachers in the Faculty and
a student-body of loyal,
earnest young men & women.

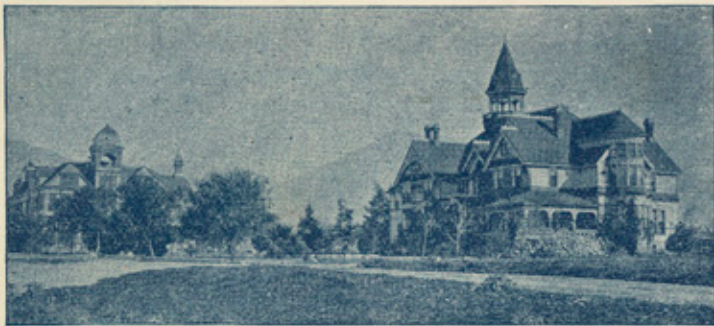
Mr Smiley of Redlands
is one of the trustees
and if you cannot stop
over on your way out-
of Los Angeles it is possible

that you may be willing
to come here from Redlands.

Pardon what may seem
insistence on my part
but it would be of great
value to these young people
to see you, and they have
few such privileges in this
far away corner of our
Country.

To say that my husband
and myself would be
gratified to meet you again
is a very feeble way to
express the pleasure it would
give us.

Most sincerely,
Ella Cole Barrow.



POMONA COLLEGE

REV. C. G. BALDWIN, PRESIDENT
REV. E. C. NORTON, REGISTRAR

Claremont, Cal., Nov 19 1895
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Gen. A. C. Howard:

Dear Sir:

You may not remember me but I have had the pleasure of meeting and conferring with you once or twice. I am very anxious that our students should have opportunity to hear a few words of Christian counsel from one whom they respect so highly. It is no small part of their education to come into vital contact with such men. Mrs. Bannock hopes she can persuade you to stop here for a few hours. Yours truly C. G. Baldwin

POMONA COLLEGE

REV. C. E. BROWN, PRESIDENT
REV. E. C. HORTON, SECRETARY

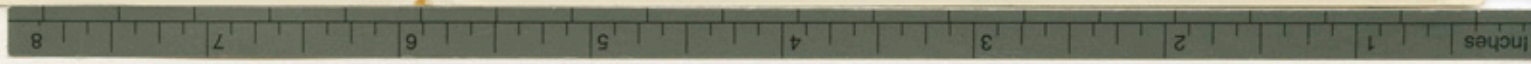


December, 1892

March 19

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Dear Sir:
The purpose of visiting and conferring with you once
or twice. I am very anxious that our studies
should have opportunity to have a few words of Christian
counsel from one who has this subject so high. It
is an overall part of this education to have this subject
contact with our men. In January the whole can be
for it will be a few hours. Yours truly, C. E. Brown



Ans. declined
Mar 22/95

Salinas, Cal.
Mch. 15, 1895.

Gen. O. O. Howard,
of Y. M. C. A.,
San Francisco.

Dear Sir:— Hearing of your
being in San Francisco, the
Y. M. C. A. of the United Presby-
terian Church of this place,
thought they would like
to have you give a lecture
in Salinas under their auspices.

Will you please give me
your terms, when you
can come, if at all, and
any other information
you deem necessary to your
coming.

We desire very much

to have your lecture here.
Yours in Christian work
(Miss) Tillie Graef
Cor. Secy. Y. O. S. & C.

PUBLISHING HOUSE OF
FUNK & WAGNALLS COMPANY,
30 LAFAYETTE PLACE.

EDITORIAL ROOMS OF THE STANDARD DICTIONARY.

New York, March 15, 1895.

Dear Sir:

We have the pleasure of forwarding to-day your copy of
the Standard Dictionary.

There is sometimes noticeable a slight variation in color in
comparing different copies of the work. It is the nature of such
leather to change color on exposure to light and air. In a few
months the colors will harmonize.

Would you be so kind as to write us whether the volume came to
hand in good condition?

We would take it as a special favor if you would write us
your opinion of the work, in a sentence or two that we would be at
liberty to use publicly.

Yours most respectfully;

FUNK & WAGNALLS COMPANY.

P.S.--Books after binding should be left in stacks for several
weeks until all the dampness of the binders' glue has thoroughly
dried and the covers fully set. In our haste to ship, some of the
copies of the Dictionaries may not have been left sufficiently long
in piles. If the sides of your copy should warp a little, lay it
flat when not in use, and pile several other books or other weight
upon it for the first week or two, and the tendency to warp will
disappear. Such heavy books as this Dictionary should never stand
on end like most other books which are kept on shelves.

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GRANT BANQUET ASSOCIATION,

29 BROADWAY, ROOM 61,

GEN. GRENVILLE M. DODGE,
Chairman,

GEORGE H. TAYLOR,
Sec'y & Treas,

New York, March 15th, 1895.

Gen'l O. O. Howard,

Burlington, Vt.

My dear General:-

I enclose a complimentary invitation of the Grant Banquet Association to be present at the annual birthday dinner in honor of Gen'l Grant, April 27th.

The committee would be very much pleased if you can attend and it would give me great pleasure to see you there and we will endeavor to make the occasion as pleasant and agreeable as possible. It will be a noted meeting and if you are home it will do you good to come down and take us by the hand again. I am,

Truly and cordially yours,

G. M. Dodge

Chairman.

Enclosure.

*For Mr. Howard
Richardson*

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GRANT BANQUET ASSOCIATION

25 Broadway, Room 61,

New York, March 15th, 1898.

*Retain the letter
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Gen. Grant
Chairman
Gen. H. Taylor
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Truly and cordially yours,

Chairman.

Enclosure.

Frank H. Taylor

Golden Gate, March 15/95
General Howard.

Dear Sir.

Knowing of your kind
and noble character, I take the
liberty of addressing you, hoping
you will listen to my tale.

I wish to ask your assistance
in obtaining a position.

I am a sober industrious man
of family, capable of fulfilling
any clerical position, though
I seek employment of any
kind.

I have a home I am trying to
pay for on installments, and
being out of work for some time,
I thought I would address you,
on account of your benevolent

disposition and large circle of
friends you might aid me.

I can give the best of reference
as to Character and ability.

Hoping you will give this your
kind consideration.

I Remain

Your Obedient Servant

D. Ahearn

Golden Gate
Cala

Crawford pt near San Pablo ave

CYRUS KEHR,
THE ROOKERY,—ROOM 639,
CHICAGO.

LYCEUM ENTERTAINMENTS.

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CHICAGO, ~~March 15, 1895.~~

Major-General O. O. Howard,
Redlands, California.

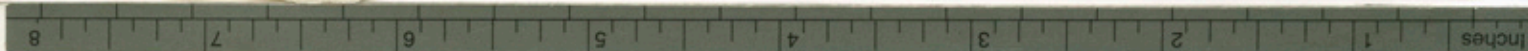
Dear General:-

I have received from **you** from San Francisco,
letters from Mr. A. D. Cutler, San Francisco, Mrs. Warren F. Day,
Los Angeles, and William R. Hamilton, Reno, Nevada.

I have written to each.

Yours truly,

Cyrus Kehr



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THE BOOKERY—ROOM 832,
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61. Beekman Street
New York
March 16-95.

Genl. C. C. Haward

Dear friend.

I have
not heard from you since I
wrote to you last. I trust that
you are well and have nothing
to worry you. The weather here gives
evidence of the approaching spring
and the departure of winter. Now
I am confident that many will
be only too happy to see the return
of spring and also of better times.
For I think this last winter will be
one long to be remembered. I never
knew in such a winter in my
life. No work. no money. No business.
Men failing in business all over
where. The misery and sufferings of

The poor ~~is~~ in this section is indescribable
But there are many who should
feel thankful to God for his goodness
to them in keeping them in clothing
food. and shelter. and I feel my
self as one ~~of~~ of those among the
many. For I have been blessed by
the Lord for his having me find favor
with men who have been kind to
me. And now the appearance of
things seem to point to a
busy time for us this Spring and
Summer. I do not know when
you are coming ^{back} ~~on~~ but I hope
it will be before the 16th of April
as that is the time and date
for the Annual Meeting of the
Company. I wish you would
let me know if you will
be here at that time, and
if before how long. I will see

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you by this mail ~~one~~ a copy of
the "Plumbe's Trade Journal" which
contains a couple of sketches in
it of mine - under my "non de
plume" ^{"Bodder"} which I ~~have~~ has been read
by many with a great deal of
interest. Especially the "Trap Venting"
The Christmas Story. I intend as
a hint or suggestion to the trade.
You no doubt have heard all about
Dr Taylor's death. and read many articles
on his life. I am sorry I did not
know him for I am confident that
from the love which is universally
shown to his memory. that he was
a indeed a loving Christian. of which
there are so few of to day. When
I see you ^{again} I want to tell you
of some experiences I have had
since I saw you. Ah how often

Have I cried out from my heart
I will lift up mine eyes into the hills
etc. Hoping to hear from you
Shortly I am as ever

yours much Sincerely
Chas. W. Shepherd.

West Chester Pa Dec, 16th 95

Major General O. O. Howard

My dear Sir & Comrade

A case in which

I am deeply interested prompts me
to appeal to you for some advice
and information. There are two
young men of intelligence and of
most excellent family relations
who are members of my Sunday
School class ("1st Presbyterian Church
of W. Chester") who have ~~about~~ decided
to enlist in the U. S. Army; having
been a Soldier myself during
the Civil war for almost the entire period

Westchester Co. N.Y. 10022

My dear Sir,

I am deeply interested in your

and information. There are two

is opposed to you for some reason

group men of intelligence and of

into our members of your family

below class (1st Division) and

to which in the 1st Division

from an American myself during

the last year for about the same

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they and their parents are
depending to some extent upon
me for wise counsel which I
feel my inability to give. They give
as their reason for this step, that they
are unable to secure situations for
which they are fitted in civil life
hence their determination.

These young men are of fine personal
appearance, well educated and
gentlemen in every particular,
they are commendably ambitious
in aspiring to elevation from
from the ranks to a commission
in case they become soldiers

they and their parents are
 depending to some extent upon
 the fact that we cannot think of
 the very possibility of giving them
 as their reason for the fact that they
 are unable to secure education for
 children they are fitted to and life
 hence their determination.

When young men are of four persons
 experience, but essential and
 gentleness in every particular,
 they are encouraged to continue
 in referring to education from
 from the reader his commission
 in order that become better

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I have stated briefly a few points
of the case in question, and beg
you to briefly suggest such advice
and information as you can consistently
do. I am aware the standard of
the U. S. Army has been much improved
since the war, but to what extent
I am not posted, any information
in this particular or in any other
that in your opinion would interest
these young men, their parents, or
myself. I have the honor to be

Very Respectfully
Wm. J. Underwood
Later of the 9th Feb 1880
55/12/80
Wm. J. Underwood

I have stated briefly - from point
 of the case in question, and beg
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 and information as you can contribute
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 I am not posted on your information
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 those young men, the parents, or

I have the honor to be
 very respectfully
 Yours
 Wm. H. Thompson
 Secy of the H. A. Camp

26/1/1880
 H. A. Camp

E.L.

Address: "Chief of the Record and Pension Office, War Department, Washington, D. C

Subject: Medal of honor.

No.409,676.

Record and Pension Office,

War Department,

Washington City,

MARCH 16,1895.

Major General O.O.Howard,

U.S.Army, (Retired),

#263 Yamhill Street,

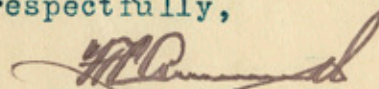
Portland, Oregon.

Sir:

Referring to the letter of General C.H.Howard, dated the 23rd ultimo, which you requested to be placed with the application presented by you for the award of a medal of honor to Captain Joseph A.Sladen, U.S.A., (retired), late of the Thirty-third Massachusetts Infantry, I have the honor to inform you that the Assistant Secretary of War, to whom the papers in the case were submitted, has this day returned them to this office with the following indorsement:

"The facts in this case are not sufficient to justify the award of a Congressional medal of honor, although highly creditable to Captain Sladen. It should be noted that no mention of this distinguished gallantry was made at the time, either in orders or in any report of the battle."

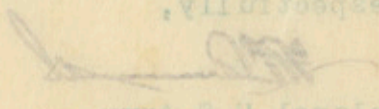
Very respectfully,


Colonel, U.S.Army,

Chief, Record and Pension Office.

"The facts in this case are not sufficient to justify the award of a Congressional medal of honor, although highly creditable to Captain Sinden. It should be noted that no mention of this distinguished gallantry was made at the time, either in orders or in any report of the battle."

Very respectfully,



Colonel, U.S. Army,

Chief, Record and Pension Office,

This day returned them to this office with the following indorse-

mentary of War, to whom the papers in the case were submitted, has

active industry, I have the honor to inform you that the Assistant

Joseph A. Sinden, U.S.A., (retired), late of the Thirty-third Massachu-

presented by you for the award of a medal of honor to Captain Jo-

seph Sinden, which you requested to be placed with the application

Referring to the letter of General G.H. Howard, dated the

Sir:

Portland, Oregon.

2525 Vermont Street

U.S. Army, (Retired),

Major General G.O. Howard,

MARCH 18, 1895.

Washington City,

War Department

Record and Pension Office

No. 409, 676.

Medal of Honor.

E.I.

J. P. Lowe,
President.

P. M. Green,
Vice Pres.

T. W. Brotherton,
Treas.

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Secretary.

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Pasadena and M. Wilson
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Office: Grand Opera House Block.

Los Angeles Pasadena, Cal. Mar 16 1895

General O. O. Howard
Abbotsford Inn
Los Angeles

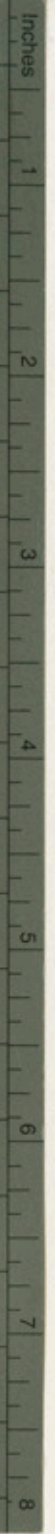
My dear Sir

Will you kindly give me in a few words your impressions of the Mount Lowe Railway enterprise and the success connected with it. I enclose my newspaper notes in yesterday's Times and today's Herald

Yours very truly

Wm. H. Knight

747 College St
Los Angeles



Wm. H. Smith
J. H. Smith
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Office of the Secretary of the Board of Education

San Francisco, Cal. Mar 10 1892

General O. Howard
Chattanooga Tenn
Los Angeles

My dear Sir

Will you kindly give me in a few words your impressions of the Mount Zion Railway enterprise and the success of it. I enclose my newspaper article in yesterday's Times and today's Herald.

Yours very truly

Wm. H. Smith
247 Battery St
Los Angeles

STUDY
First Congregational Church
COR. POST AND MASON STS.,
REV. C. O. BROWN, D. D., PASTOR.
Residence, ~~1359~~ Post St.
SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.

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McL. 16th 1895

Gen. O. O. Howard,

My Dear Sir & Bro.:

It is very kind in you to write me as you
have. There is no one in the land whose good opinion
I would more prize than your own.

I shall hope to see you again before you
go.

Sincerely yours
Chas. O. Brown.

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STUDY
First Congregational Church
COR. FORT AND MASON STS.
REV. C. O. BROWN, D. D., PASTOR.
Residence, 1000 Jones St.
SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.

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Rev. C. O. Brown,
1000 Jones St.

It is very kind in you to write me as you
have. There is no one in the land who can
I would have paid for your own.
I shall hope to see you again before long.

Yours truly,
C. O. Brown

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