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Adjutant and Inspector General's Office,

Burlington, July 22, 1895. A.D. 189

Major General O. O. Howard, U. S. A. retired,
City.

My dear General:-

Confirming my conversation with you this morning I am directed by His Excellency, Governor Woodbury, to present his compliments, and say that it would give him much pleasure to have you present on Governor's Day, August 16th, during the annual encampment of the National Guard of this State, at Fairlee. The review will be held at 2.30 p. m.

Will you kindly let me hear from you at your early convenience and believe me, with personal regards,

Respectfully yours,

A. S. Peck

Adjutant General.

State of New York
In SENATE,
January 1, 1885.

REPORT
OF
MAJOR GENERAL O. O. HOWARD, U. S. A., RETIRED,
OF THE
NATIONAL GUARD OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK.

My dear General:-
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his compliments, and say that it would give him much pleasure to
have you present on Governor's Day, August 18th, during the annual
maneuver of the National Guard of this State, at Painesville. The
review will be held at 2.30 p. m.
Will you kindly let me hear from you at your early convenience
and believe me, with personal regards,

Respectfully yours,
J. B. Black

Adjutant General.

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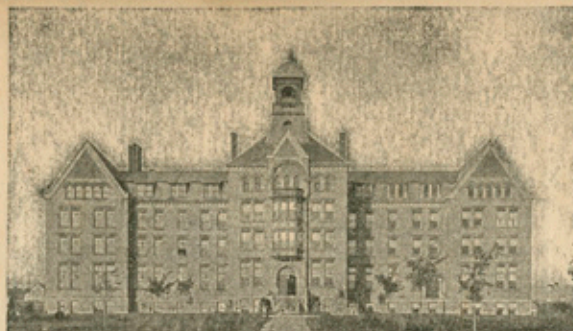
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Keuka College, N. Y., July 22, 1895.

Gen. O. O. Howard,

Dear Sir:

We have you down on the enclosed program for a lecture on Friday, August 9th at 2 P.M. and a speech at 7:30 P.M. of the same day.

May we expect you, without fail?

Yours Truly,

Geo. H. Ball.

Geo. W. Bell.

Yours Truly,

Very respectfully,

7:30 P.M. of the 2nd day.

at the lecture of Friday, August 2nd at 8 P.M. and a speech
We have got down to the enclosed pro-

Dear Sir:

W. C. C. Fowler.

THE UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO

Chicago, Illinois, July 22

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True Island
July 22 - 1893

Dear General

This is the evening
of the Battle of Atlanta
It was like a dream
to look back at it
I am off on a cruise
for health and you
later tonight we have
I enclose as requested
I am as glad to hear
of your recovery
Very truly
C. D. Drake

June 1st 1864
July 22nd

Dear Friend

that is the meaning
of the Battle of Gettysburg
I have been told a story
I think heard at 27
I came off on a mission
for the battle of Gettysburg
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Hartford, Conn. July 23d, 1895.

Major-General O.O. Howe, U.S.A.,

Burlington, Vt.

Dear General,-

I have your communication of the 22d.

In reply would say if your Norwich University should purchase bicycles of our company for the use of their school I should personally be willing to contribute toward the erection of the drill hall. Of course I have a great many calls upon me, and what money I have to give away I would like to give where it will be of the most service. When you are further advanced in your plans I can give it more definite consideration.

With best wishes, I am

Very truly yours,

Albert A. Pope

E.D.R.

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Robert M. Johnson
General Manager
The Johnson Company
Columbia, S.C.

My dear Sir,
I have your communication of the 23d.

Major-General O.O. Howe, U.S.A.

Washington, D.C.

Dear General,

I have your communication of the 23d.

In reply would say that your Memorial University should purchase a
copy of our company for the use of their school I should personally
be willing to contribute toward the erection of the drill hall. Of
course I have a great many calls upon me, and what money I have to give
away I would like to give where it will do the most service. When
you are further advanced in your plans I can give it more definite con-

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Very truly yours,

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Robert M. Johnson

R.M.J.

Form G, 15.

GENERAL OFFICE

Rocky Mountain Bell Telephone Co.

SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH.

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July 23rd, 1895.

Gen'l O. O. Howard,

Governor's Island,

New York Harbor.

Please find enclosed our check No. D1004 for \$5.00 , being
amount of Dividend No. 44 , due on stock of this Company stand-
ing in your name.

Respectfully,

C. W. Lyman,

Treasurer.

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GENERAL OFFICE

Rocky Mountain Bell Telephone Co.

SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH

July 23rd, 1935.

Gen'l O. O. Howard,

Governor's Island,

New York Harbor.

Please find enclosed our check No. 11024 for \$5.00, being
amount of Dividend No. 44, due on stock of this Company stand-
ing in your name.

Respectfully,

C. W. Lyman,

Treasurer.

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MADISON AND FRANKLIN STREETS.

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Chicago, July 24th. 1895.

Gen'l. O. O. Howard,
156 College St.,
Burlington, Vt.

Dear Brother:-

Just home from Fla., I find your favor of July 10th.
awaiting me.

I am glad if my letter to Dr. Bridge seemed conclusive as to the
points touched upon.

You ask about the underflow. We shall not take any chances
whatever on the underflow, but shall put our dam from six to twelve
feet into the bed-rock with portland cement. We do not expect to
carry the dam very high for the first year or two - only sufficient
to irrigate some twenty or thirty thousand acres. This is speaking
as though we were going on with the enterprise. This is by no means
determined upon. As I intimated, I am not willing to go into it
unless we can have full control at the other end. I am sure you
will stick by me in this decision. Of course I depend upon your
supporting me in such positive positions or they might undertake to
go on with the enterprise, having your name, and leave me out.

I cannot go fully into the matter today as my pile of letters is
large.

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Wm. Field and Firsche

1000 10th St. N. W.
Washington, D. C.
Phone 1000

July 2nd, 1902

Genl. O. G. Howard

100 College St.

Richmond, Va.

Dear Sir:

I have been told that you are

interested in

I am glad to hear that you are

interested in

You ask about the situation. We shall not be any more
whatever on the underflow, but shall put our own side to twelve
feet into the bed-rock with portland cement. We do not expect to
carry the dam very high for the first year or two - only sufficient
to bridge some twenty or thirty thousand acres. This is a question
as to how we were going on with the enterprise. It is by no means
settled upon. As I intimated, I am not willing to go into it
unless we can have full control of the other end. I am sure you
will stick by me in this matter. Of course I demand that you
reporting to me in such position as to be able to undertake to
go on with the enterprise, having your own and I have no doubt
I cannot go fully into the matter today as the letter is

Yours

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In the point you make in regard to Sweet, there is something in his favor. He has enthusiasm and push and will carry some people by storm. On the other hand, he usually talks in such a way as to lose to us the confidence of conservative men and most capitalists, you know, are very conservative. He has never succeeded in carrying a single one and the man with Two Million Dollars, with whom he had been in communication for three years in Cal., would have nothing to do with him, but immediately opened communication with me and now promises to go in and furnish the preliminary funds if we will give him a partnership on the ground floor. Perhaps we may conclude to do so. But, as I have intimated, it will depend upon the arrangement we can make as to responsible management. I have thought of Mr. Schuyler for our consulting engineer in place of Col. Bridges. I have no confidence in the latter as to hydraulic engineering. He has had no experience. Besides, I am sorry to say I found that he is a hard drinking man and has not the confidence of sound business men, as I had hoped. I very much regret to write this. It was a sore disappointment to me and will be to you. Mr. Schuyler is an own cousin of Capt. Gray, their mothers having been sisters. He was the engineer for the water works at Portland, Oregon and at Denver, Colo. He also built the great Sweet-Water dam, ninety feet high, near San Diego, the ^mHermit dam, which I examined, one hundred and fifteen feet high, and is the consulting engineer of the Arrowhead Co., near

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comrade of Capt. Gray, their mother's being sisters. He was the
engineer for the water works at Portland, Oregon and at Denver, Colo.
He also built the Great Sweet-Water for me, nearly 100 miles, near
San Diego, the project was, when I was in, one hundred and fifteen
feet high, and is the same thing as the Sweet-Water Co., near

San Bernardino and of the Bear Valley, with which Mr. Smiley is well acquainted.

Our trouble is not in regard to the ability to stop the under-flow but we are aware that it will cost immensely to go down fifty feet to the bed-rock. This expense we must meet. Some of the difficulties not touched upon in my report are as follows:-

A prospective law-suit with the Daggett people, who have an irrigation scheme of which C. P. Huntington's nephew is one of the movers. They will probably bring an injunction suit against us if their water is stopped by our dam.

Second: The large amount that we are compelled to pay for the reservoir site and the dam site: viz. \$70,000 in bonds and \$80,000 in water rights.

Third: The large amount still unsettled which we must pay to Brown Bros. who own a portion of the reservoir site.

Fourth: A new company formed at San Bernardino has filed upon a part of the waters which we claim and they seem to be fitting themselves up for a law-suit. They are called the Appleton Co.

On the other hand, we have the encouragement of a letter from London from our agent there, saying that Rothschild will supply us all needed funds for a one-third interest and will send an expert to examine the whole proposition if we will agree to this. I should favor doing so, provided I go into it at all, but I am entirely un-

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determined and shall remain so until we can fix something as I have indicated for the management of the Cal. end.

I thought that it would be very agreeable to Capt. Gray to have Mr. Schuyler as consulting engineer. He is absolutely reliable but we should have to pay him \$9500 a year salary, or if he gave half his time, \$5000 salary. This is, of course, a good deal of money but the right man might save us ten times that.

I have one or two letters from Harry enclosing something for me to answer. Please thank him and give my love to each one of your family who are at home.

I was pleased to hear from you through Gen'l. Ames, whom I met here in a restaurant getting his breakfast on the day of my arrival. He told me of your visit to him.

Affectionately yours,

C. H. Howen

Rev. Joseph B. Clark,
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The Congregational Home Missionary Society

Bible House, Astor Place, New York

Publication Department: Rev. Alex. H. Clapp, Editor
Woman's Department: Mrs. H. S. Caswell, Secretary

July 24th, 1895.

General O. O. Howard,
156 College St.,
Burlington, Vt.

My dear General Howard:

Yours of July 23rd is just at hand. I think your letter failed to reach Miss Park because of a mistake in the name. It should have been Miss Anna C. Park instead of Miss Sarah C. Park. I will at once forward it to her with an explanation of the reason that it did not reach her before.

In reference to the legacy of Mr. Worden of Bridgeport, Conn., I would say that nothing has as yet come to the Society. By the terms of his will four children have a life interest in the estate, and it is only upon the death of at least two of them that anything comes to us, and only upon the death of the four that the full property comes to our hand. This property is to quite a degree at present unremunerative, and the conditions of his will were that it should be allowed to accrue until it reached \$1,000,000. Mr. Washburn's connection with that litigation was only such as his position as counsel to this society required him to occupy. I think there is no doubt that the Mr. Worden who wrote to you is somewhat unbalanced mentally and upon this subject is particularly so.

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The Roll of Honor is growing. Yesterday eight new subscriptions came in and the money with them in each case. We now have one hundred and thirty nine names on the roll and we feel confident that when your letter which we have had prepared with the certificate of subscription is widely scattered abroad among our friends the returns will be greatly increased. I fully believe that we shall secure a large part of the funds for the payment of that debt. We will forward to you blank certificates of membership for the purpose of receiving your signature and then will have them filled out in the office and sent to each one who pays in the \$100.

Very sincerely yours,

Washington Chate.

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Very sincerely yours,

Wm. L. G. Brown

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Genl. A. A. Howard
City

Dear Sir:-

Since your call at the studio some days since, have carefully looked the matter up & find that the best I can offer you in photo engraving work of the size you wish a first class coarse mesh half tone, which can be used on any press & any quality of paper, at \$14.00 ~~fourteen~~ dollars. Can furnish electrotypes of same @ \$2.50 each.

Hoping we may have the opportunity to serve you in this matter

Yours truly
F. P. Eady

181 Collyer St
July 24th 1895

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City

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Yours truly
F. P. Brady

181 College St
Prof 24

JESSE L. HURLBUT,
150 FIFTH AVENUE,
NEW YORK.

South Framingham. Mass
July 24. '95.

My dear General Howard

We are holding the New England S.S. Assembly at this place, and are in great need of a speaker for the afternoon of Patriotic Day. Wednesday. July 31.

Can you come and give us and address at 2 P.M. ? We will gladly pay you \$50.00. Telegraph your answer at our expense.

Yours in haste,

Jesse L. Hurlbut.

JESSE L. HURLBUT
180 FIFTH AVENUE
NEW YORK

2nd

July 21, 1891

My dear General Thomas

We are looking for you in England as we

at this place, and are in great need

of letters for the afternoon of July 21st

Wednesday July 21st

Can you come and give us a

lecture at 2 P.M. ? We will

pay you \$50.00. Delightful your

presence at our expense.

Yours in haste,

Franklin Hurlbut

United States Circuit Court,
District of Oregon.
H. A. Sladen, Clerk,
Portland, Oregon.

July 24, 1895.

Major General O.O. Howard, U.S. Army.

My dear General:

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Yesterday brought me your kind letter with the enclosure from Colonel Ainsworth, and today brings me one from that officer himself and the medal. I am more pleased than I can express, and I can not account for my vanity except on the ground of senility. However, it is harmless and pardonable. I thank you most sincerely for this additional expression of your thousand kindnesses to me all through my life. That I have doubts of deserving it does not lessen the gratification at your kindness in obtaining it for me.

I hope you and the dear ones are all well. I see your name here and there every now and then, and so I know that you are one the go as usual. Give my love to Mrs. Howard and the children, and the same for yourself. Mrs. Sladen has just been in the office and says "give my love to all the Howards."

Very sincerely yours,

H. A. Sladen.

United States Circuit Court
District of Oregon
J. A. Shallen, Clerk
Portland, Oregon

July 24, 1895.

[Handwritten signature]

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July 24. 91.
HARPER & BROTHERS' EDITORIAL ROOMS.

FRANKLIN SQUARE, NEW YORK.

Gen. O. O. Howard
156 College St.
Burlington, Vt.

Dear Sir:

We are preparing a series of articles to appear in Harper's Round Table (of which I send you a sample copy) next year, on what a boy should do to enter the various professions. Do you expect to be in this city within the near future, and if so

would it be convenient for me to talk over the question with you, so as to give you an idea of how we want to treat the matter? If you are not to be in New York, I should like to write to you further on the subject.

Very truly yours,
Albert Lee.

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FRANKLIN SQUARE NEW YORK

HARVEY & BROTHERS' EDITORIAL ROOMS

Dr. J. O. Howard
120 College St.
Cambridge, Mass.

Dear Sir:

We are preparing a
series of articles to appear
in Harvard Review
of which I send you a
sample of off press sheets
and a copy of the volume
to which they will be
added. I hope you will
be able to contribute
to the series.

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Yours truly
Oscar Reischauer