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CYRUS KEHR

Circle Nov 22/95

Dear

Your letter of the 15th inst
was submitted to Post 201 G. A. R.
last evening at a regular
meeting and I was authorized
to engage Keck. Howard on
the terms you state - namely
\$125⁰⁰ the Keck. paying his own
expenses for the 28th of
February 1895

We will therefore expect
the Keck. on that date and
will promise to take good
care of him. Very truly yours

To
Cyrus Kehr

W. J. Miller
Post 201 G. A. R.



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THE FORUM, 111 FIFTH AVENUE, NEW YORK.
EDITOR'S ROOM.

November 22, 1895.

My dear General Howard:

I send you here-
with a proof of the table which is to
go into your article in the January
FORUM. I have noted some discrepancies
in the addition of the figures which I
should like to have you examine, making
the necessary corrections. If it were
a mere question of addition, I would not
trouble you in the matter, but it is
possible that errors may exist in some
of the other figures besides the totals.

I need hardly say to one of your lit-
erary experience that I shall be glad
to have the corrections made and the
proof returned at your earliest possible
convenience.

Very truly yours,

*W. F. ...
Vice Ed.*

Gen. O. O. Howard,

Burlington, Vt.,

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R. W. [unclear]

The Forum, 111 First Avenue
New York, N. Y.

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I send you [unclear]
with a proof of the [unclear] [unclear]
to the year [unclear] in the [unclear]
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STATE OF MAINE.
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE.

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Augusta, Nov. 22, 1895.

Gen. O. O. Howard,
#156 College St.,
Burlington,
Vermont,

Dear General:-

Yours of the 7th ult. came in my absence. My clerk has been at work on the list of Leeds soldiers enclosed by you. It will be sent you as soon as we can supply such of the desired information as the records of the office enable us to furnish.

Very respectfully yours,

Selden Connor

Adjutant General.

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ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE.

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Wise College St.,
Burlington,
Vermont.

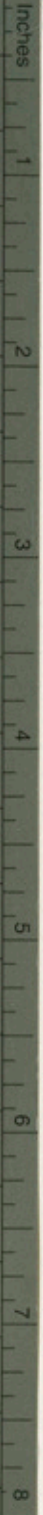
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C. W. McAfee.

L. C. McAfee.

McAfee Brothers
Real Estate Brokers
and
Financial Agents.
108 Montgomery St.,

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San Francisco. Nov. 25, 1895.

H. S. Howard, Esq.,
Burlington, Vermont.

Dear Sir:-

Since receiving your letter of October 21st, we have been endeavoring to make a settlement with Mr. W. E. Deacon in the matter of the Kern County land sold to his Company by your father.

We demanded a substantial payment on account, and in default of such payment we threatened him with foreclosure suit. Mr. Deacon forwarded our communication to his people in Indiana. They state that Mr. Deacon has money enough in his hands to pay the interest up in full, and they do not understand why he has not done so, excepting that he anticipated a sale of the property ere this.

We are still demanding a settlement, and have given Deacon and his people until the 15th day of December in which to close up the matter.

The Secretary of Deacon's Company promises to be here during the first week of December, before which time we shall be pleased to receive from you a full statement of the mortgage and interest due, say up to and including the 15th day of December next.

Thinking that we could transact this business for you at a much less cost to you than by placing the matter in the hands of an Attorney, we have undertaken it ourselves, that being part of our business.

We have this day wired you as follows:- "Wire principal and interest due from Deacon. Mail statement."

Yours truly,

McAfee Brothers

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W. W. Keefe
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Industrial Agents
108 Montgomery St.

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Yours truly,

W. W. Keefe

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I learn that you are to lecture in Minneapolis, Dec. 3^d. Mrs. French and I would feel honored to have you make our house your home, during your stay in our city.

My mother has just died and we are of course very quiet - a circumstance which we hope may not deter you from accepting our invitation.

Very sincerely yours
Geo. F. French

Minneapolis
Nov. 25th
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Albert F. French

Minneapolis
Nov. 25th
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Memorandum.

New York, Nov. 25th 1895

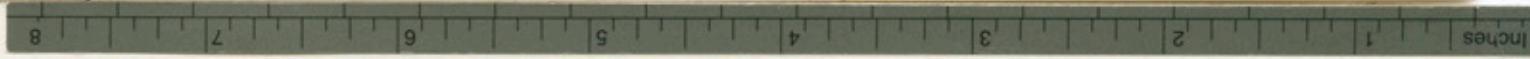
FROM

F. IRSCH,
GENERAL BROKER,
Nos. 1, 3 & 5 Old Slip,
NEW YORK.

TO Major General O. O. Howard
Dear General

Enclosed please find notice for 11th Corps Banquet which explains itself. Col Hamilton has estimates from Paulsen in the Chamberlain Book which will contain from 50000 to 60000 words numerous Maps with many new points of evidence. The Colortype Co ask \$465 for 1000 copies, \$6.25.00 for 2000 copies and \$700 for 5000 copies and he now expects to receive better bids from the Turnstrong Co of Cambridge Mass. The work will be finished by the time Banquet occurs and no a proof sheet will be put before the members I sincerely hope you will be able to be on hand as the affair promises to excel in quantity and quality of guests and members previous dinner of the Association. The Spanish Marquis has neither called or written has promised since he went to Washington and thence to Europe where he still is or was and for Corbin's Atty who had a long conference with Sec Sawyer about the time Marquis left for Europe and who promised Sec

Howard to report progress and not Dec 10
at least with the intention of being ready
early sets for the so problem is to complete
of the subject Marquis in local on the 15th
and taking news of the subject from Sec Sawyer



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ALBERT E. CHANDLER,
President and General Manager.

JOHN O. STEVENS,
Secretary.

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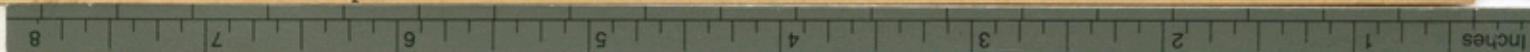
N.Y. 21 AW DO 10 Collect. 5:40 P.M.
San Francisco, Calif. Nov. 25-95.
H.S. Howard,
Burlington, Vt.

MAIN OFFICE,
106 CHURCH ST.
(WHERE ANY REPLY SHOULD BE SENT.)

BURLINGTON, VT.

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C.W. McAfee.



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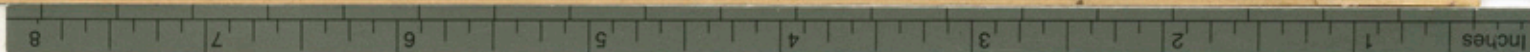
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Wilmington, Vt., Nov. 25, 1895.

Maj. Gen. O. O. Howard, Northfield, Vt.

Dear Sir:-----

The Wilmington Y. P. S. C. E. are arranging for a series of lectures to take place in the course of the winter, and I write to inquire if it would be possible for us to induce you to consider an invitation to be one of the speakers.

Ex-Gov. Fuller, of Brattleboro, Hon. Frank Plumley of Northfield, Rev. Dr. Clark, president of the United Society of Christian Endeavor and another celebrated speaker by the name of *Maj* Whiddle, I believe, are the other speakers whom we hope to succeed in obtaining and part of them have already given their consent.

That our community would appreciate the splendid compliment which you would pay our town by accepting my invitation, goes without saying, and there would be no trouble in filling the largest auditorium which the town affords with interested hearers.

Kindly advise at your earliest convenience, stating as to whether or not you are in position to consider, this, our most earnest request, and stating what terms would be satisfactory.

Very Faithfully Yours,

Wm L Packard
President Y. P. S. E.

Wilmington, Vt.

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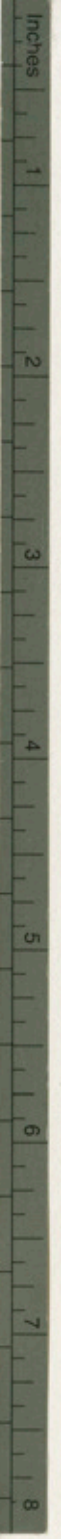
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Plattsburgh Public Schools,

JAMES G. RIGGS, SUPT.

Plattsburgh, N. Y., Nov. 25, 1895.

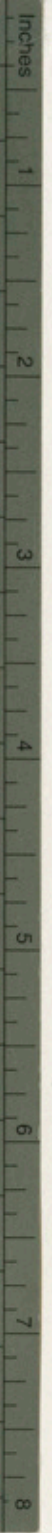
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Burlington, Vt.

My dear sir, -

We are arranging a
lecture course in Plattsburgh and
would be glad to know if an
engagement can be made with you
and what terms you can give us.
Some date in January is desirable.

Yours truly,
James G. Riggs.
Comm.

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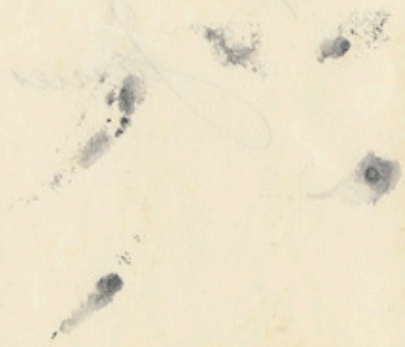
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Williams, Wood & Linthicum,

Geo. H. Williams,
C. E. F. Wood,
L. B. Linthicum,
J. C. Sanders,
Attys at Law.

Chamber of Commerce Building,

Portland, Or. November 26, 1895.

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Gen. O.O. Howard,

Burlington, Vt.

Dear Sir:

We have received from the First National Bank of this city note of R.A. Frame and A.W. Stowell to you for \$2250, dated March 31, 1894, and due eighteen months after date, with interest at eight per cent, - also mortgage given to secure the same.

The makers of this note say they have no funds for its payment, and that they do not know when they will be able to pay it.

We have learned from other sources that they are very much embarrassed pecuniarily, and there seems to be no prospect for the collection of your claim within any reasonable time, unless it be by foreclosure of the mortgage.

Awaiting your instructions in the matter, we are

Very truly yours,

Williams, Wood & Linthicum

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William Wood & Partners

Bankers of Commerce Building

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William Wood & Partners



the arrangement. The
Devil is no friend of
yours therefore its the
Lords doings. Please not
offend our heavenly father
by making any bargains
with other candidates.
Ask the Lord to manage
your case and he will
keep cool and obey the
Holy Spirit in little
as well as great things.
I do. It says I. When you
take the Christian Alli-
ance Newspaper of W's
\$1.50 take it to please me
and you will please
your self & family more.
The Lord works by whom
he will when he selects
a man for any work he
is not mistaken A. B. Denning

Cal
1305 Clay St. Oakland
Nov 28/96

Dear General
I tried to
interest Mr. Dodge but
he wanted to consider.
I tried Whittier. He is
pledged to Reed of Maine.
I have tried others and
to day I made a few
remarks after the
Benediction was pron-
ounced. I was near
the pulpit - and said
in a strong voice Halt,
Order. The audience obeyed
and heard me through.
I wrote out ~~out~~ in full

and tramped around in
the rain to the New York
Offices in S H and the
Associated & the United
Pres agreed to send
it East. I called at
the Bank of California
twice to persuade Pres-
sford to sign a
petition pledging
your his support
provided you permit
your name to be
presented at the Nat-
Repub Convention
for 1896 I intend to
start the Petition
as soon as I can
and show them to
the Pres Associations
and hope the leading
and prominent ones
Telegraphed East so

Your friends all over
the Country will follow
my example. There is
nothing like agitation
and getting people
committed. I intend
you will secure some
delegates all over the
Country and hold the
balance of forever and
Reed McMillan, Allison
Alger Harrison and
other aspirants cannot
combine enough votes
to secure the nomination
and enough will
combine on you.
You ought to secure
half of the Con. Delegation
All of you out some
in Mass New York
and many in South.
I believe the Lord is in

W. FREDERIC LAYTON.

BENJ. T. ROGERS, JR.

OFFICE OF

LAYTON & ROGERS,
REAL ESTATE,

1640 AMSTERDAM AVENUE,

CORNER 141ST STREET.

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NEW YORK,

24 Nov 1895

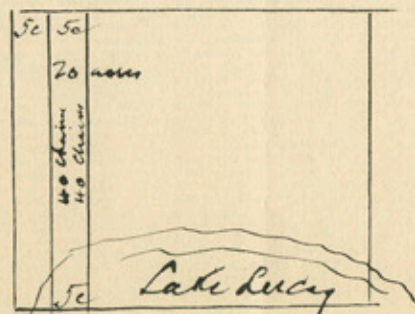
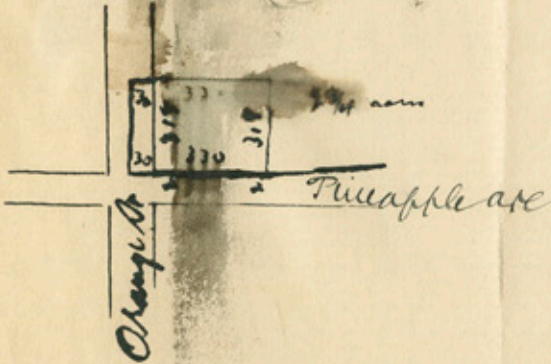
My dear Mr Howard.

Dear Sir:

We take the liberty of offering you a special bargain, in a small way, of $2\frac{3}{4}$ acres high, pine, land in Lake County, Florida - RR Station & P.O. are both Sorrento, Lake County, Florida. If you are at all interested we would be glad to have you investigate - Appraised in 1892 @ \$425 - Cash - For sale, today, @ \$195 - One of the healthiest parts of the State.

Very yours
Layton & Rogers

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OFFICE OF

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EXPERT ACCOUNTING.

NEW YORK, 1897

Dear Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 14th inst. in relation to the land in the County of Alachua, Florida. If you are not interested in the same, please advise me by return mail. I am, Sir, very respectfully,
Yours truly,
Wm. F. Rogers

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