

WAR DEPARTMENT,  
CHICKAMAUGA AND CHATTANOOGA  
NATIONAL PARK COMMISSION,

COMMISSIONERS: GENERAL J. S. FULLERTON, CHAIRMAN.  
GENERAL ALEX. P. STEWART.  
MAJOR FRANK G. SMITH, U. S. A., SECRETARY.  
ASS'T IN HISTORICAL WORK: GENERAL H. V. BOYNTON.

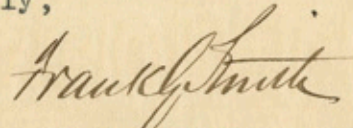
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Washington, D. C., December 23, 1895.

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Yours truly,



Major Second Artillery,

Commissioner and Secretary.

General O. O. Howard,

Chickamauga Park Committee,

Society of the Army of the Potomac,

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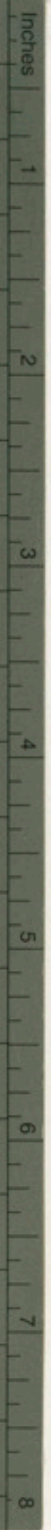
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Regulations Governing the Erection of Monuments, Tablets, and Markers in the Chickamauga and Chattanooga National Park.

WAR DEPARTMENT,

CHICKAMAUGA AND CHATTANOOGA NATIONAL PARK COMMISSION,

*Washington, D. C., December 14, 1895.*

In accordance with the act of Congress approved August 19, 1890, establishing the Chickamauga and Chattanooga National Park, the following revised regulations are published for the information and guidance of all interested in the erection of monuments, tablets, or other methods of indicating lines of battle or positions within the limits of the Park:

1. Statements of the proposed dimensions, designs, inscriptions upon, and material for all monuments, tablets, or other markers, must be submitted, in duplicate, to the Commissioners of the Park, and in the case of monuments, plans, and elevations showing exact measurements, and a close estimate of weight, must also be submitted. The Park Commissioners will report upon all these to the Secretary of War, and upon his approval, such monuments, tablets, or markers may be erected, but not till such has been obtained.

2. Monuments, markers, and other permanent memorials must be constructed of bronze, granite, or such other durable stone, as, after investigation by the Park Commissioners, may be by them recommended to and be approved by the Secretary of War. The number of markers shall be limited to such, as, in the judgment of the Secretary of War, may be necessary to designate important positions.

3. Inscriptions must be purely historical, and must relate only to the Chickamauga and Chattanooga campaigns. They must also be based upon, and conform to, the official reports of these campaigns, and must be submitted to the Secretary of War, through the Park Commissioners, for his approval, before being inscribed upon monuments, tablets, or other markers.

4. Regimental monuments shall be placed on brigade lines on ground where the regiments did notable fighting. Provided, however, that in case a regiment concerned became separated from its own brigade and most distinguished itself while alone or attached to another, its monument may be so placed as to show this fact. General memorial monuments erected by States must be located on ground upon which some of the troops of the State erecting the monument were engaged. Where troops fought outside of the limits of the Park, their monuments may be placed at such points within the Park as the Commissioners of the Park may designate.

5. The location proposed for each monument, marker, or other permanent memorial must be submitted to the Secretary of War, through the Park Commissioners, for his approval, and none shall be erected until such approval shall have been obtained.

6. The foundations of all State monuments will be constructed, without cost to the States, under the direction of the Park Engineer.

7. The hauling of loads over the Park roads and approaches in excess of 5,000 pounds, the weight of wagon included, must be done in wagons specially adapted to the purpose; the load to be equally distributed and carried on four wheels. Monument trucks having tires of less than  $4\frac{1}{2}$  inches in width shall not be allowed to haul on the Park roads.

5,000 to 15,000 pounds . . . .	$4\frac{1}{2}$ -inch tires.
15,000 to 25,000 " . . . .	5 " "
25,000 to 35,000 " . . . .	6 " "

For loads exceeding 35,000 pounds,  $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch additional width of tire for each additional 5,000 pounds of load. No hauling of heavy monuments shall be allowed in wet weather.

It shall be the duty of the Engineer of the Park to forbid and prevent the erection of any monument or marker which shall have been hauled in violation of this regulation, and to report the facts to the Park Commission.

8. No work upon monuments or other markers or tablets within the Park or on its approaches shall be allowed on Sunday.

9. Brigades, Divisions, and Corps may be designated in the inscriptions by their numbers, where that method was used, or by the names of their respective commanders, or both. The numerical designation alone would be meaningless to most visitors.

For the Commission:

J. S. FULLERTON,  
*Chairman.*

Approved, December 13, 1895:

DANIEL S. LAMONT,  
*Secretary of War.*

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Department of the Interior, Bureau of Land Management, National Park Service, Washington, D.C.

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1. The erection of the proposed monuments, tablets, inscriptions, signs, and markers for all monuments, tablets or other markers must be submitted in duplicate to the Commission of the Park, and in the case of monuments, signs, and inscriptions showing exact measurements and locations, also a plan showing the location of the monument, sign, or inscription. The Park Commission will report upon all such proposals to War, and upon its approval, such monuments, signs, or markers may be erected, but not until such has been obtained.

2. Monuments, tablets, and other permanent markers may be erected on public lands, or on such other lands as are under the jurisdiction of the Park Commission, and may be by them recommended to War, and upon its approval, such monuments, signs, or markers may be erected, but not until such has been obtained. The number of markers shall be limited to such as, in the judgment of the Secretary of War, may be necessary to designate important positions.

3. Inscriptions must be purely historical and must relate only to the Chickamauka and Chattanooga campaigns. They must also be based upon and conform to the official reports of these campaigns, and must be submitted to the Secretary of War, through the Park Commission, for its approval, before being erected upon monuments, tablets, or other markers.

4. Permanent monuments shall be placed on public lands as ground where the remains of the battle are located, and in case a permanent monument is desired, the monument may be placed on a site as to show this fact. General memorial monuments erected by States may be located on ground upon which some of the troops of the State erecting the monument were engaged. When located outside of the limits of the Park, their monuments may be placed at such points within the Park as the Commission of the Park may designate.

5. The location proposed for each monument, marker, or other permanent memorial must be submitted to the Secretary of War, through the Park Commission, for its approval, and none shall be erected until such approval shall have been obtained.

6. The foundations of all such monuments will be constructed, without cost to the States, under the direction of the Park Commission.

7. The setting of markers on the Park lands and appurtenant in excess of 5,000 pounds, the weight of a stone marker, must be done in a manner exactly adapted to the purpose; the load to be evenly distributed and carried on four spools. Monumental tablets having less than 45 inches in length and not exceeding 12 inches in height shall be placed on the Park land.

8. The weight of monuments shall be as follows: Tablets, 12,000 to 15,000 pounds; Tablets, 15,000 to 20,000 pounds; Tablets, 20,000 to 25,000 pounds.

9. The weight of heavy monuments shall not exceed 25,000 pounds, which additional weight shall be carried by heavy machinery, and shall be placed on the ground in the manner herein provided.

10. The top of the marker of the Park to be erected and placed in position of any monument or marker shall have been marked in location of the monument, and to report the same to the Park Commission.

11. No other monuments or other markers or tablets within the Park or on its appurtenant shall be allowed or erected.

12. The location, erection, and care may be designated in the instructions by their number when the method was used, or by the names of the respective commissioners or both. The instructions regarding them shall be transmitted to most letters for the Commission.

J. N. FLETCHER,  
Commissioner

Approved, December 14, 1927.  
MAXWELL L. BAILEY,  
Secretary of War.

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Franklin, Neb.

Dec., 23, '95.

Mr. Howard,

Dear Sir:

Please state briefly your opinion as to the value of the Christian Academy. (Its work, needs, future etc) I am preparing a symposium for the "Mirror" and need your testimony. Please send it in before Jan. 15th. I do not hesitate in asking because I know you are interested.

Yours Truly,

G. C. Snow,

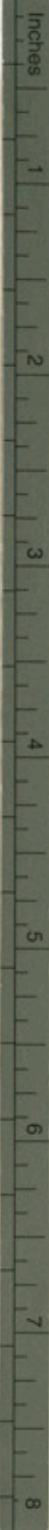
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CYRUS KEHR,  
1101 CHAMBER OF COMMERCE,  
CHICAGO.

LYCEUM ENTERTAINMENTS.

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CHICAGO, Dec. 23, 1895.

General O. O. Howard,  
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Dear General:-

I send to you enclosed herewith for your reading the correspondence which has accumulated regarding the visit to Providence, R.I., for the Home Missionary Society. I want especially to ask your attention to the fact that I had not promised Saturday evening to Rev. Mr. Shelton, and that the promise for Sunday was conditioned upon obtaining a lecture engagement making the visit to Providence on Sunday convenient. On the strength of this limited and conditional promise, Mr Shelton proceeded with his arrangements. After he had done this, it seemed policy not to compel him to recall his arrangements.

In another matter he misunderstood me altogether. In one of my late letters to him I suggested that they give a private reception from 5 to 8 and a lecture at 8, followed by a public reception. It seemed to me that this private reception of three hours ought to accomplish what he wished to accomplish by a private reception. From his later letter it seems that he overlooked my recommendation for this reception from 5 to 8.

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I am not able to guess whether these people will arrange for a lecture for Friday evening or Monday evening. In future, I shall try to make my replies to requests for these gratuitous engagements so brief and emphatic that all <sup>will be</sup> ~~are~~ certain to understand that you are willing to speak where your lectures take you.

Please return all this correspondence after reading it.

Yours truly,

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Augusta, Dec. 24, 1895.

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

Dear General:-

I take pleasure in enclosing herewith a list of the men who served in the War of the Rebellion on the quota of Leeds with the birthplace and residence of each as they appear on the records of this office. I add a list of men who were born in Leeds but served on the quota of other towns. These names we happened to find in the course of our research. It would be impossible to make an exhaustive list without looking at every enlistment paper in the office. I respectfully suggest that if you could publish this list in the "Lewiston Journal" you might elicit information as to other men born in Leeds but serving on the quota of other towns.

Very respectfully yours,

*Silden Connor*

Adjutant General.

Augusta, Dec. 24, 1865.

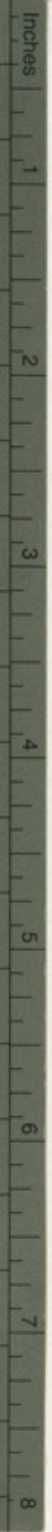
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Very respectfully yours,

Adjutant General.



# The National Tribune,

(ESTABLISHED 1877.)

The Great National Soldier and Family Newspaper,

Washington, D. C., ..... , 1893.  
Dec. 24, 1895.

Maj.--Gen. O. O. Howard.

Dear General:

Inclosed please find draft for \$48. 20, payment  
for Monograph No.5. (6.)

I wish you a very Merry Christmas and Happy New  
Year.

Sincerely Your Friend,

John W. Elroy

The National Tribune

The Great National Soldier and Family Newspaper

Washington, D. C. Dec. 24, 1893

Major-General G. O. Howard

Dear General:

Inclosed please find a bill for \$48.50, amount

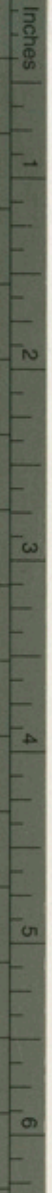
for Monograph No. 2.

I wish you a very Merry Christmas and Happy New

Year.

Sincerely your friend,

John W. Blair



Washington, D. C. Dec. 25, 1895

My dear General

I am very sorry you  
cannot come to our Indian  
Conference.

I have just heard  
through Bollock of the  
death of your dear little  
granddaughter. I remember  
her as a beautiful, healthy  
girl. We know by sad  
experience how to ~~grieve~~  
partize with the sorrowing

of father & mother, why  
such blows come, we  
cannot tell. Faith in  
divine wisdom is our  
only support. He who  
gave, has taken away  
& He can care for our  
dear ones still. "Thine  
Angels do always behold  
the face of my Father."

Give our love to Grace  
& to Mr. Howard. They  
& you all have our earnest  
prayers.  
Yours Truly  
C. Whittier



Inches 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8  
Honorable Gen. O. O. Howard

Am'd  
O.O.H.

Washington D. C.

Dear Sir!

Dec-25, 1895

I George G. Vogel wish you a mery Christmas  
& a happy new-Year as U. S. invalide and  
U. S. mail carriss at the rate of five dollars  
a month (130 mile service for me & my horse  
camping out under a tree and living on the  
mercy of the Public. I have send in two  
petitions, one to the sec. of Interior, Hoke Smith  
with 1/2 of a hundred names signed to it also  
one to House of Congress with about 75 names  
signed to it, of some of our best county and  
city officers for the purpose to get my stopped  
pension back again, which was granted to me  
by act 1890 from our Exell. Ex. Pres. Benj. Harrison  
and this pension was stopped for nothing else  
but speaking the thurt to our Exell. Pres. Grover  
Cleveland. All I wish from your Honor is to  
put in a good word for me to the Congress to  
get my pension back again. Enclosed you will  
find postage for an answer if there is humanity  
enough in the house of Representatives to keep a  
poor man from starvation on the streets. I  
served as U. S. teamster for the military  
Quatermasters in war time in the western  
division and did as I was comanded to do  
the same as any private soldier, my camerads.  
I also was a private soldier in Co. M. the 9<sup>th</sup>  
Kans. Cav. till July the 17<sup>th</sup> 1865. Teamster  
again in Indian expedition in Ft. Philips Kearney  
Powder River only by name at that time and  
as far as to the black Hills. this Expedition  
start from Omaha, New-Braska 1865. —  
1866 I served at Jubelburg at the Platt River,



was pressed by military rule by order, by  
the commanding officer as need in indian  
wars from May the 6<sup>th</sup> 1866 till 1869  
I was private soldier in Co. C. the 3<sup>rd</sup>  
U. S. Infantry 1868. Volunteer Escort  
with Cornell Smith U. S. Army Paymaster  
also volunteer escort of Gen. Custard  
and General Sheridan from Ft Dodge  
Nov. 12<sup>th</sup> 1868. Californian Joe acted  
as Scouts. I was in active service at  
Ft. Philip Kearny, Ft. Lamo discharged in  
1865. Ft. Mitchel, Ft. Jubelsburg discharged  
1866. Cottonwood, Ft. Leavenworth enlisted  
May 6<sup>th</sup> 1866. Ft. Lyons. Old and New  
Ft. Hays, Ft. Wallas, Ft. Dodge. disch.  
from the 3<sup>rd</sup> U. S. Infantry Co. C. at  
Ft Larnett 1869. also discharged of the  
9<sup>th</sup> Kans. Cav. Co. M. at Swalls Pluff  
17<sup>th</sup> July 1865, service done at little Rock Arkansas  
River Mississippi, Helena, red River under  
Capt John L. Price. Col. Sibley was the commander  
of the indian Expedition.

Please do all you can for me  
than if any poor old soul need  
any help it is me

Your Humboldt servant

Georgy Boyel  
New - Braunfels  
Comal County  
Texas.

# Officers Names under which

I served as far as I recollect.

General Hancock \_\_\_\_\_

General Sheridan \_\_\_\_\_

General Custard \_\_\_\_\_

Cornell Smith U. S. Paymaster

Cornell Parker now at active service  
in the 18<sup>th</sup> Infantry.

Capt. — Bell still in service in the  
7<sup>th</sup> Cavalry \_\_\_\_\_

Capt. Nolan \_\_\_\_\_

Capt. Schneider \_\_\_\_\_

Capt. Koch \_\_\_\_\_

Capt. John L. Price \_\_\_\_\_

Capt. Mitchel \_\_\_\_\_

Capt. Kaiser \_\_\_\_\_

and a lot others where I can  
not think of th name any more.

George G. Loyal

Hon. A. H. Houghton was our guest for eight years.

You will be welcomed with ladies  
or if you prefer bring your son  
or any gentleman you choose  
or more than one -

Judge Ross of St. Johns bury,  
Chief Justice of Vermont, is to be  
one of our guests - We have been  
unavoidably delayed in fixing upon  
our date and will you therefore telegraph  
your reply to me at West Newton  
Mass. as this will save time over the  
Boston address. And despatch at my  
expense and I should like very much  
to have it by Saturday evening 28<sup>th</sup> inst.  
Hoping for a favorable reply, I am

Yours very truly

S. E. Howard Secy.

THE VERMONT ASSOCIATION  
OF BOSTON,  
31 MILK STREET, ROOM 4.

Dec. 26/95

Gen. O. O. Howard

My dear Sir:-

I write on behalf of  
the Committee of Invitation of the Vermont  
Association who have unanimously ex-  
pressed the wish that you would  
honor us with your presence at the  
tenth Annual banquet of the Association  
to be held at Hotel Vendome Boston  
on the evening of Thursday Jan'y.  
9<sup>th</sup> 1896. - We have many reasons  
for desiring your presence -  
Among all our guests we have

Should in honor Boston Regiment and New Park of Burlington in  
friends of mine.

Our association numbers among its members many of the  
strong men of Boston. Chief Justice Field is our Post  
and Judge C. H. Bennett, Hon. Alden Spense, Hon. A. W. Beard  
Hon. E. J. Sherman, Judge of Superior Court, Col. Albert Clarke and  
others equally distinguished are members of our Executive  
Committee - Personally, I was a soldier, in the War of the  
Rebellion, was a private, a sergt. & held three Commissions,  
was three times wounded, & <sup>things</sup> over three years I have the  
Congressional medal. I only say this because I know  
they appeal somewhat to a soldier's heart and I want  
to say some means to carry this job.

never had one who represented as  
you do the great struggle of 1861-65  
in which many of our members  
were engaged. You are a N. E.  
man and we have all looked with  
pride and approval upon your  
military career and also with  
equal pleasure in the prominent  
part you have taken in the affairs  
of the Freedmen and Indians -  
Now you are, for the time being at least,  
a Volunteer and as an Association  
of Volunteers it would give us the  
greatest pleasure to meet you, to  
greet you and to hear your voice.  
I can assure you of a most appreciative  
gathering and the warmest greeting.

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West Shore Railroad,

N.Y.C. & H.R.R.R. CO., LESSEE.

No. 5 Vanderbilt Avenue.

J. D. Layney,  
General Manager.

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New York, December 26, 1895.

Genl. O. O. Howard,  
No. 156 College St., Burlington, Vt.

My dear General:

I take pleasure in sending you, with my compliments, annual pass No. 1532, for yourself and one.

Thanking you for your kind wishes, I remain,

Very truly yours,

*J. D. Layney*

General Manager.

Enc.

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December 26, 1895.

Genl. O. O. Howard,  
No. 188 College St., Burlington, Vt.

My dear General:

I take pleasure in sending you, with my compliments, annual pass No. 1538, for yourself and one. Thanking you for your kind wishes, I remain,

Very truly yours,

*W. H. ...*

General Manager.

W. H. ...





No. 1528 O. St. Wash. D. C. Dec. 26/55

Gen. O. O. Howard:

Dear Sir:

I know you by reputation and have heard Col. Fred. S. Goodrich, of the Federal Army speak in the highest praise of you.

I am a badly-maintained ex-confederate.

Will you, my dear Gen., be so kind as to take through me a copy of Longstreet's "Memoirs, From Manassas to Appomattox"

Cloth \$4.00 - Sheep \$5.00 - Half Moroc.

\$5.50 - Whole Moroc \$7.00?

It will be out next month.

I have Mr. Grant - Gen. Miles - Mr. Sheridan etc., etc.

I get no pension. Life is a severe conflict with me. Yrs. very truly,

and  
I got already  
replied  
see 20

J. N. Lawrence.

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No 1028 O. M. K. P. S. 2004

Dear Sir:  
Wm. O. Steward:

I am a hobby-minded experimenter.  
The highest form of  
Hobbies of the Federal Army speak in  
reputation and has been Prof. H. J. H.

Will you send me a copy of "The  
Hobby" from London to Philadelphia  
of 1920 - that is the one I want.

I have the "Hobby" in this  
edition etc. etc. I got one from  
London etc. etc. Life is a  
wonderful thing.

Very truly,  
Wm. O. Steward

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1028 O. M. K. P. S. 2004

C. W. McAffee.

L. C. McAffee.

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

San Francisco, Dec. 26, 1895.

H. S. Howard, Esq.,  
 156 College St.,  
 Burlington, Vermont.

Dear Sir:-

Mr. Tripp, representing the Cal. Investment & Colonization Co., is here, and states that he hopes to be able to pay interest to Jan. 3rd next, and more if possible during next month. Mr. Tripp thinks you should pay taxes for 1893 of \$78.40, but we declined to allow the same for the reason that the Mortgage should have been assessed to you and deducted from the Co's bill. Have you paid any taxes since 1893 on that mortgage? The Cal. Investment & Colonization Co., claim that they remitted direct to you the interest on both notes to Jan. 4, 1894. Is such the case?

please send us another statement, making correction if any, and charge interest on interest due and unpaid. The two releases are dated respectively Aug. 3, 1893 (paid \$659.68,) Dec. 17th, 1894, (paid \$700.)

Yours truly,

McAffee Brothers

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W. M. McKee

McKee Brothers  
Real Estate Brokers  
and  
Financial Agents  
108 Montgomery St.  
St. Louis, Mo.

San Francisco, Dec. 25, 1895

H. S. Howard, Esq.,  
155 College St.,  
S Burlington, Vermont.

Dear Sir:-

Mr. Trippe, representing the Cal. Investment & Colonization Co., is here, and states that he hopes to be able to pay interest to Jan. 3rd next, and more if possible during next month. Mr. Trippe thinks you should pay taxes for 1893 of \$78.40, but would like to allow the same for the reason that the mortgage should have been assessed to you and deducted from the Co's bill. Have you paid any taxes since 1892 on that mortgage? The Cal. Investment & Colonization Co., claim that they entitled direct to you the interest on that note to Jan. 4, 1894. Is such the case? Please send us another statement, making correction if any, and charge interest on interest due and unpaid. The two releases are dated respectively Aug. 8, 1893 (paid \$659.68), Dec. 17th, 1894 (paid \$700).

Yours truly,

W. M. McKee

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W. M. McKee  
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CYRUS KEHR,  
1101 CHAMBER OF COMMERCE,  
CHICAGO.

LYCEUM ENTERTAINMENTS.

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CHICAGO, Dec. 26, 1895.

General O. O. Howard,  
Burlington, Vt.

Dear General:-

This morning I received from Topeka, Kansas, a letter containing the following: "Why do you ask us from \$25.00 to \$50.00 more than you get for Gen. Howard in other places. Your discrimination between us and other courses I know of is unreasonable. We cannot use Gen'l Howard at \$125.00."

This is another evidence of the necessity of holding strictly to fixed prices. This man has probably in some way heard of a suggestion for a price at \$100, and his information may have come from a long distance. At other times I have had opportunity to learn that some people do not stand much upon price if they feel that there is no discrimination against them; but they do assume a hostile attitude if they think that they are not treated fairly. I do not know upon what this man bases his letter,; but it may be upon some offers which I made somewhere long ago for a price of \$100 and expenses. If I had made a similar offer to this man, and the expenses would bring the price to \$150, he would not object, and he would not realize that the offer for \$125 is the better offer of the two. I do not believe that it is expedient to make any variation in future; and I have already found that nearly all who really desire a lecture are willing to pay \$125. Furthermore, the margin even at this price is small in view of the expenses of advertising, printing, and correspondence.

Last Saturday evening the Chicago Press Club paid Gen. Gordon \$250. The audience did not exceed 500 people, and the Club lost about \$300.

I had a business interview with Gen. Gordon, and he spoke very kindly of you and said he thought that the union of the blue and the gray in the manner suggested would be pleasing to him and would be a good thing as a matter of business. I could see him ~~for~~ only a few minutes before the lecture; but he asked me to write to him fully after the holidays.

Yours truly,

Cyrus Kehr

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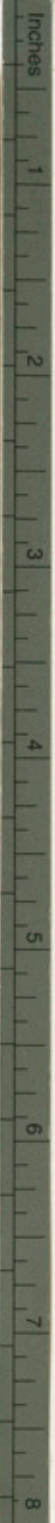
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ANTHONY COMSTOCK,  
Inspector P. O. Department,  
P. O. Box 65, N. Y. City.

Office of Inspector, Post Office Department,

ROOMS 198-199, THE TIMES BUILDING,

New York City, Dec. 26th, '95. 189

General O. Howard,  
Governors Island.

My dear Sir:-

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Wishing you the compliments of the season, believe me, dear General,

Very truly yours,

Anthony Comstock

P. O. Inspector.



PLEASE RETURN THIS LETTER WITH YOUR REPLY.

ANTHONY CONSTOCK,  
Inspector, F. O. Department,  
P. O. Box 65, N. Y. City.

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*Williams, Wood & Lenthicum,*

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*Geo. H. Williams,  
C. E. Wood,  
L. B. Lenthicum,  
J. C. Sanders,  
Attys. at Law.*

*Chamber of Commerce Building,*

*Portland, Or.* December 26, 1895.

Gen. O. O. Howard,

Burlington, Vt.

Dear Sir:

HOWARD v. FRAME & STOWELL.

As we wrote you on the 16th inst., we have placed your mortgage in the hands of attorneys at McMinnville for foreclosure. We have just learned that the property which it covers is in rather bad shape as to the taxes assessed against it for the years 1893 and 1894. The taxes for each year are collected in the ensuing year; so that the taxes for 1895 are not due yet. Quite a number of the lots were sold for the taxes of 1893; and the purchasers, or some of them, have paid the taxes for 1894, and are entitled to be repaid the amount of these taxes, when the property is redeemed, in addition to the amount required for redemption. Some of the lots were not sold, but the taxes upon them for 1893 and 1894 are due and unpaid.

Without troubling you with details, we will state that we estimate the total amount required to be paid in order to clear off these taxes and tax titles is seventy-four dollars and forty cents (\$74.40).

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*William Wood & Partners*

*Bankers & Commission Merchants*  
December 28, 1895

Wm. O. Howard,

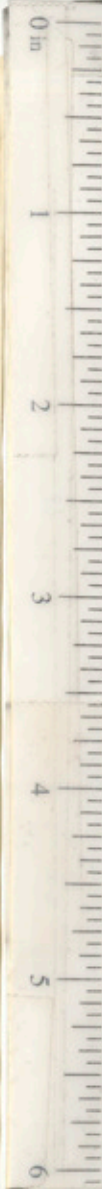
Burlington, Vt.

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We advise that these payments be made, and suggest that you remit the \$74.40 to us for that purpose. If you do so, please send us an additional ten dollars (making \$84.40 in all) to cover costs necessary to be advanced to the clerk of the court on filing the complaint.

With the compliments of the season, we are

Very truly yours,

*Wm H  
Edwood*

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Wm. J. Stewart

