

45 Vennum Ave Mansfield Ohio  
July 15/96

Gen. C. C. Howard,

Dear Sir + Bro:

Your very  
kind letter of the ninth inst  
reached me several days late  
owing to the fact that it first  
went to Oberlin, and was then  
forwarded to me; I am trying  
to earn some money toward my  
next years expences, by canvassing  
and have thus far met with  
considerable success, considering  
the fact that almost every  
other day has been rainy, and  
I have not been able to work  
half the time; the twenty dollars  
you sent, are just about what  
I needed to pay some debts

and help me out until I  
begin to deliver my goods;  
and I assure you that I  
am very thankful to you,  
for I feel that you do not  
forget me, and I hope and  
pray that my life shall be  
such in God's service that you  
will never have cause to  
regret the interest you are  
taking in me; I started out  
from Berlin with just one  
dollar, and trusted the Lord  
to help me out, have now  
been on the road two weeks  
and have been getting on nicely.

And now once more thanking  
you for your continued interest  
and hoping God may bless  
you continually, I remain  
Yours in Christ  
W. H. W. H. W. H.

CYRUS KEHR,  
SOLICITOR OF PATENTS,  
—AND—  
MECHANICAL EXPERT,  
1101 Chamber of Commerce,  
CHICAGO.

Cable Address, "Seeker-Chicago."

19

Chicago July 15, 1896.

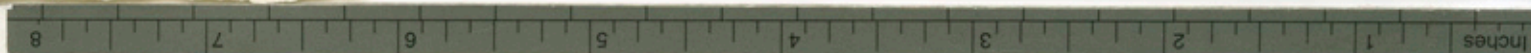
Major General O.O. Howard,  
Burlington, Vt.

Dear General:

Your letter enclosing passes to Cumberland Gap and return has been received, and I thank you for your trouble. I intend to leave for the Gap next Monday evening.

Very truly yours,

Cyrus Kehr



CHAS. KERR,  
SOLICITOR OF PATENTS,  
AND  
MECHANICAL EXPERT,  
101 Chamber of Commerce,  
CHICAGO.

CHAS. KERR, "Kerr-Casey"

19

Chicago, July 15, 1898.

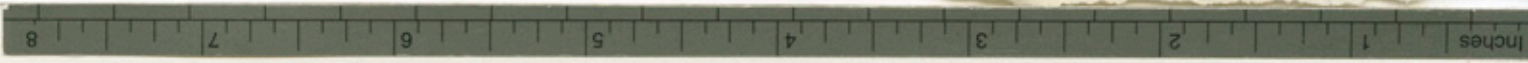
Major General O.O. Howard,  
Burlington, Vt.

Dear General:

Your letter enclosing passes to Cumberland Gap and re-  
turn has been received, and I thank you for your trouble. I intend  
to leave for the Gap next Monday evening.

Very truly yours,

James O. Casey



25

Genl D. O. Howard :

Boston, July 15 1896

My dear General :

I see by the papers  
that you are back from the west.  
How are you now and what part  
are you going to take in the coming  
campaign.

I am sorry Reed did not pull through  
at St Louis but I am inclined to think  
considering the present turn of affairs  
at Chicago that McKinley will make  
the strongest candidate.

I am appalled at the action taken  
at Chicago. Is it possible that so large a  
part of our citizens have failed to catch  
the spirit of our American Institutions.

Unless I am obliged to go abroad in  
August to bring my wife & boy home I  
hope to take a part in the Campaign  
in Maine and later on I am ready

to go anywhere where they need  
speakers whether it is in Nebraska  
or Virginia.

It seems to me that this fight is for law  
and order, for the Constitution, for the  
Courts, for the honor of country. It is  
a great moral question. Two months  
ago we were to fight the Democrats for what  
they had done in the last three years, today  
we are to fight the combination for what  
it threatened to do. I look for more support  
from the "Johnny Rebs" than I do from the  
Westerners on these issues.

Let me hear from you and if you  
go into this fight I should like to go  
with you.

Yours Very Respectfully  
Sincerely

Wm. D. Schenck

GEORGE G. DE WITT,  
JACOB K. LOCKMAN,  
JOHN T. LOCKMAN,  
WM. G. DE WITT.  
THEO. DE WITT.

LAW OFFICES OF  
DEWITT, LOCKMAN & DEWITT, 21

No. 88 Nassau Street,

Cable Address: "EACH-NEWYORK."

New York, July 15th, 1896.

Gen'l O.O. Howard,

My dear General,

Enclosed please find revised report which has been approved by Major Zabriskie and signed by Brueninghausen and myself.

Will you kindly sign and return same to me.

Trusting that you keep well and that the Silver mania has made you a strong Gold man,

I remain with many pleasant memories of our trip,

Very sincerely yours,

John T. Lockman

1  
2  
3  
4  
5  
6  
7  
8

THEO. DE WITT.  
WM. G. DE WITT.  
JOHN T. LOCKMAN,  
JACOB K. LOCKMAN,  
GEORGE G. DE WITT.

Cable Address: "EACH-NEWYORK."

LAW OFFICES OF

DE WITT, LOCKMAN & DE WITT

No. 88 Nassau Street,

New York, July 15th, 1896.

Gen'l O.O. Howard,

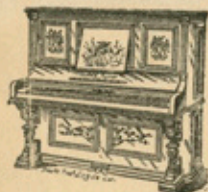
My dear General,

Enclosed please find revised report which has  
been approved by Major Zabriske and signed by Brunninghausen and  
myself.

Will you kindly sign and return same to me.  
Trusting that you keep well and that the Silver mania  
has made you a strong Gold man,  
I remain with many pleasant memories of our trip,

Very sincerely yours,

John T. Lockman



—\* FERGUSON \* MUSIC \* COMPANY. \*

138 \* SOUTH \* 12 STREET

LINCOLN NEB. July 16 1896

General O. O. Howard.

Dear Sir.

We have written you once before  
but have received no reply.

Our Reunion commences  
the 24<sup>th</sup> of Aug. and we are  
very anxious to have you  
deliver an address. Please  
answer this at your earliest  
convenience. And let us know  
if you can come & what  
it will cost us.

Very Respectfully  
J. B. Ferguson.

Inches 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8



FERGUSON & MUSIC COMPANY

138 & SOUTH & 12 STREET

LINCOLN NEB. July 11 1896

Dear Sir,  
We have omitted your cover before  
but have received it now only  
Our previous communication  
the list of Aug. and we are  
very anxious to have your  
attention on October. Please  
answer this at your earliest  
convenience. Best of wishes  
if you can come to what  
it will cost us  
Very Respectfully  
Yours for the future

July

16<sup>th</sup>, 1896

Dear Sir:-

I have the honor to acknowledge receipt of your favor of the 9th inst. advising me of your acceptance of non-resident membership in this club; which fact, I am sure, every member of the club will be pleased to know. Capt. Howard had previously remitted amount of your entrance fee and dues, as you stated. I send you under separate cover, copy of the Constitution and By-Laws, and herewith enclose key to the club rooms.

Very truly yours,

*Geo. E. Johnson*  
Secretary.

Gen'l O. O. Howard.

C I T Y .

Inches  
1  
2  
3  
4  
5  
6  
7

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your favor of the 9th inst. and in reply to inform you that the acceptance of non-resident membership in this club will be made as soon as the club will be able to know. Capt. Howard has previously indicated a number of your assistance for the club, as you stated. I send you under separate cover, copy of the constitution and by-laws, and herewith enclose key to the club house.

Very truly yours,

Secretary.

Wm. J. O. Howard.

2 1 1 1

^  
Fayetteburg, Me.

July 17th, 1896.

Dear Gen. Howard:

We have a standard  
of scholarship which one must  
reach before he can avail him-  
self of our rich fund. This stand-  
ard is fixed by the Trustees.

The young man, about whom you  
son has written, does not reach  
that standard. Doubtless, however,  
he could find ways of self-help,  
by waiting at some boarding-  
house, or you may think it

would be better to delay his coming,  
till he has reached the grade  
where aid is within his reach.

The case had to be sub-  
mitted to the Principal of  
the Normal Department, to  
determine as to his eligibility.

Very truly,

J. H. Landis.

Chelsea, Mass. July 17. '96.

8  
✓

Genl O. O. Howard

Dear Gen- and Comrade

The undersigned, whose claims to notice are stated in the inclosed circular, respectfully solicits your attention to the inclosed reprints of several newspaper contributions. The privilege was accorded me many years ago of an exchange of views with yourself, on the occasion of your address at the New England Ag. Fair in September, 1867.

The inclosed will come to you entirely free from mercenary considerations as I shall be glad to send you all the publications free if your interest is excited.

Yrs F. C. & S.

Edward H. Rogers



(4)

Will be so far ~~from~~ <sup>from</sup> his  
his work as to be able to  
be to Burrows. Burrows,  
I am happy to say, he  
wishes to be remembered  
to you with best wishes.

Mrs. Shepherd is well and  
wants to know what you think  
of the political outlook and  
glad I can take the paper  
to her you sent. She with  
me sends love and  
best wishes.

As ever yours in  
love and affection.

Chas. W. Shepley

61. Beckman St  
New York

July 17-96

Dear Genl. Hancock.

Just received  
copy of "Burlington Free Press  
and Times" containing  
account of interview!

I hope you will  
take the "Trump" for  
McKinley during the  
coming campaign.  
And put before the  
people personally the  
views you have expressed  
in interview.

I feel that the same  
set of minds that we  
battled with in the  
Sixties, have come to

(3)

this "hoodlum". Jack is  
the pot. burnings.

I saw Mr. Meyerholy  
from C.M. yesterday  
and he surprised me  
very much, when he  
said that he knew  
nothing of your delivering  
a lecture at St. Virginia's  
church this now. (when I  
told him). I hope things  
will be better there next  
year. I feel that they  
will, as it must do so.  
I sincerely believe if certain  
changes were made of  
which I spoke to you  
of. things would flourish  
more to the welfare of  
the church. My friend

(2)

the front. And as we  
then had "war Democrats"  
and "copper heads". So  
have we now. "Sound  
money Democrats". and  
free carriage Democrats.  
or of the latter a  
better designation would  
be. "Anarchists". for no  
man would demand  
of his country, to give him  
one dollar for his lawful  
currency of the ~~government~~ <sup>government</sup>  
for 55 cents. and a fraction.  
I truly hope you will  
have many opportunities  
to tell the people the  
truth of the matter.  
and not let them  
be misled by

GEORGE G. DE WITT,  
JACOB K. LOCKMAN,  
JOHN T. LOCKMAN,  
WM. G. DE WITT.  
THEO. DE WITT.

LAW OFFICES OF  
DEWITT, LOCKMAN & DEWITT,

No. 88 Nassau Street,

Cable Address: "EACH-NEWYORK."

*New York, July 18th, 1896.*

Gen'l O.O. Howard,

Dear General,

Yours of 17th inst. with revised report and newspaper cuttings enclosed received this date.

Was sure that you would be sound on the money question.

The Republican divisions here will not effect National issues.

Tammany is much divided, whether they will endorse Chicago ticket or not is yet undetermined.

Trusting to meet you at the annual meeting of the Army of the Potomac, and of having the pleasure of voting for you as President of the Society of the Army of the Potomac,

I remain as ever,

Yours sincerely

*John T. Lockman*

Inches 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8

THEO. DE WITT.  
WM. G. DE WITT.  
JOHN T. LOCKMAN,  
JACOB K. LOCKMAN,  
GEORGE G. DE WITT.

Cable Address: "EACH-NEWYORK"

LAW OFFICES OF

DE WITT, LOCKMAN & DE WITT,

No. 88 Nassau Street,

New York, July 18th, 1896.

Gen'l O.O. Howard,

Dear General,

Yours of 17th inst. with revised report and news-

paper cuttings enclosed received this date.

Was sure that you would be sound on the money

question.

The Republican divisions here will not effect

National issues.

Tammany is much divided, whether they will endorse

Chicago ticket or not is yet undetermined.

Trusting to meet you at the annual meeting of the

Army of the Potomac, and of having the pleasure of voting for you

as President of the Society of the Army of the Potomac.

I remain as ever,

Yours sincerely

*John T. Lockman*

A. I. BACHELLER, PRESIDENT.

CHARLES K. GAINES, VICE PRESIDENT.

JOS. SAWYER, JR., SECRETARY.

I. D. MARSHALL, TREASURER.

## Bachelor Syndicate.

Lexington Building,

141 East 25th Street.

TELEPHONE CALL: 1819 18TH STREET.

London Office, Paternoster House, Charing Cross Road.

Australian Office, 21 Elizabeth Street, Sydney.

NEW YORK,

*July 18, 1896*

General O. L. Howard,  
Burlington, Vermont.  
My Dear General:

Can you put us  
in the way of procuring portraits  
of these ladies: Mrs. John Harris,  
Mrs. S. S. Sampson and Mrs. C.  
Barlow?

Very sincerely yours,  
Irwin Bachelor.

Bachelor Synagogue.

141 East 23rd Street.

Registration Building.

London Office, Pall Mall, near Church Lane Road.  
Austrian Office, 27 Elizabeth Street, Vienna.

NEW YORK

July 16, 1894

Friend Mr. Howard,

So nice to hear from you.

Very dear friend,

Can you please

be the king of procuring for me

if these letters: Mrs. John Howard,

Mrs. J. A. Thompson and Mrs. E. C.

Winters?

Very sincerely yours,

James B. Becker.

—

My dear General

Excuse delay in  
answering your kind letter.  
I had to send home for Mr  
Arescuna's letters, both of  
which I thought you might like  
to look over. Thank you  
very much for the trouble you  
have taken with regard to  
the Mines in the years past  
and are now doing in the  
present. I agree with you  
in thinking that the hundred  
dollars to be given to the lawyer  
should be paid under contract,  
so we can be assured the  
renunciation will be legally

Made - When this business is fairly settled,  
it will be time enough then I think my  
dear General to consider about the transfer  
of your share of the property.

My great desire, as you well know, is  
to have my dear husband's work come  
to some usefulness - It is so very hard  
to think his labor may all have been in  
vain with regard to me, for I know his  
great desire was that I should reap  
some benefit from it, in my declining years -

Hoping God will smile upon your  
efforts, with kind regards to Mrs Howard  
and yourself

I am yours truly

Mary W. Temple -

July 19<sup>th</sup> 1898

I expect to remain here  
through July, then go to  
Williamstown, Mass -

GENERAL OFFICE

Rocky Mountain Bell Telephone Co.

SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH.

✓ 2  
July 20th, 1898.

Gen'l O. O. Howard,

Burlington, Vt.

Please find enclosed our check No. D1352 for \$5.00 , being  
amount of Dividend No. 48 , due on stock of this Company stand-  
ing in your name.

Respectfully,

C. W. Lyman,

Treasurer.

Treasurer.

C. W. Lamm,

Respectfully,

ing in your name.

amount of Dividend No. 48, due on stock of this Company stand-

Please find enclosed our check No. 1232 for \$5.00, being

Burlington, Vt.

Gen'l O. C. Howard,

SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH.

Rocky Mountain Bell Telephone Co.

GENERAL OFFICE

June 11, 1908

July 20th, 1908.

FARM, FIELD AND FIRESIDE,

CHICAGO.

C. H. HOWARD, EDITOR-IN-CHIEF.  
O. MCG. HOWARD, ASSOCIATE EDITOR.  
W. B. LLOYD, AGRICULTURE.  
BERTHA NORTON, HOUSEHOLD.

Chicago, Illinois. July 20th., 1896

General O.O. Howard,  
Burlington,  
Vt.

Dear Brother:-

I have two of your letters which I have not answered, and have not time to take them up to-day.

We were pleased to hear from Donald through you and to get letters from him showing he was enjoying his visit.

I write particularly to ask whether you can furnish him transportation to Chicago, if so, by what route? It is proposed that he should go to Williamstown, and make a short visit and then come home with Lawrence or at least about the same time, and I wish to obtain transportation for Lawrence in case you can provide for Donald. After I hear from you, I can make my plans.

Affectionately Yours,

C. H. Howard

FARM, FIELD AND FIRESIDE

CHICAGO.

C. W. HOWARD, EDITOR.  
O. M. HOWARD, ASSOCIATE EDITOR.  
W. B. FLOYD, ASSISTANT EDITOR.  
BETHA BOSTON, HENNING.

Chicago, Illinois. July 20th., 1888

General O. O. Howard,

Burlington,

Vt.

Dear Brother:-

I have two of your letters which I have not answered, and

have not time to take them up to-day.

We were pleased to hear from Don. through you and to get

letters from him showing he was enjoying his visit.

I write particularly to ask whether you can furnish him trans-

portation to Chicago, if so, by what route? It is proposed that he

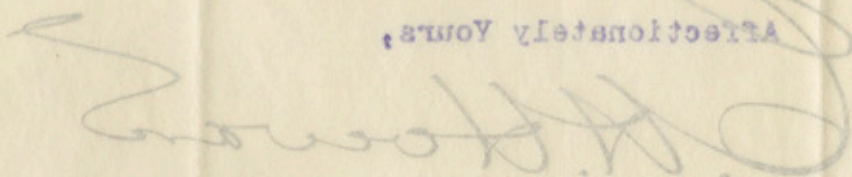
should go to Williamstown, and make a short visit and then come home

with Lawrence or at least about the same time, and I wish to obtain

transportation for Lawrence in case you can provide for Donald. After

I hear from you, I can make my plans.

Affectionately Yours,



*Ms. A. Hanna,  
D. C. Hanna,  
C. C. Bolton,  
D. R. Hanna,*

*M. A. Hanna & Co.  
Coal, Iron Ore, and Pig Iron.*

*Cleveland, O. Recd- JUL 26 1896*

Personal.

Gen. O. O. Howard.

Burlington. Vt..

My Dear General:

Your letter of recent date, recommending Miss Ellis for a position as stenographer and type-writer with the National committee, has been received. Her application has been placed on file, together with your recommendation, and shall have due consideration at the proper time.

Trusting you are well, and that you will be able to do valiant service for the Republican cause during the campaign.

I Remain Very Truly Yours,

*M. A. Hanna*

19

JUL 20 1868

Personal.

Gen. O. O. Howard.

Burlington, Vt.

My Dear General:

Your letter of recent date, recommending Miss Ellis

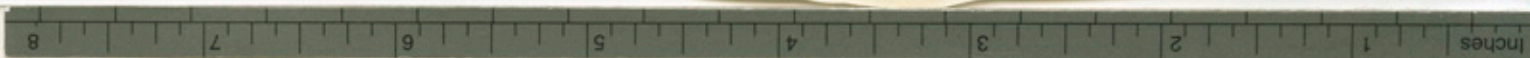
for a position as stenographer and type-writer with the National Committee, has been received. Her application has been placed on file, together with your recommendation, and shall have due consideration at the proper time.

Trusting you are well, and that you will be able to do valiant

service for the Republican cause during the campaign.

I remain Very Truly Yours,

Wm. D. Harris



*M. A. Hanna,  
L. C. Hanna,  
C. C. Bolton,  
D. R. Hanna,*

Personal.

Gen. O. O. Howard.

156 College Street.

Burlington. Vt..

My Dear General:

Your esteemed favor of the 10th inst., referring again to the matter of your entering actively into the campaign, and asking for the best sketch of McKinley's life, has been received. In reply please permit me to say that a few days since I wrote you in regard to speaking for the Republican, and I trust that letter has reached you ere this. As to the best life of McKinley, I scarcely know what to advise you, as there are quite a number of good ones on the market; but perhaps as good a one as any is that published by N. G. Hamilton & Co., of Cleveland, Ohio, as that has Major McKinley's endorsement. It was written by Hon. Robert P. Porter.

Very Truly Yours.

*M. A. Hanna*

11  
[JUL 21 1896]

644/89-10000

Personal.

Gen. O. O. Howard.

158 Collins Street.

Burlington, Vt..

My Dear General:

Your esteemed favor of the 10th inst., relative to the matter of your entering actively into the campaign, and asking for the best stated of McKim's life, has been received. It is very pleasant to say that a few days since I wrote you in regard to seeking for the best life of McKim, and I trust that letter has reached you. As to the best life of McKim, I scarcely know what to advise you, as there are quite a number of good ones on the market: but perhaps you had a look at the one published by N. G. Hamilton & Co., of Cleveland, Ohio, as that has Major McKim's endorsement. It was written by Hon. Robert F. Porter.

Very truly Yours,



SWAYNE & SWAYNE,  
ATTORNEYS AT LAW,

WAGER SWAYNE.  
FRANCIS B. SWAYNE.  
ALFRED H. SWAYNE.  
NOAH H. SWAYNE, 2ND.

6.  
EQUITABLE BUILDING,  
120 BROADWAY, NEW YORK.  
July 21, 1896.

Maj. Gen. O. O. Howard,  
U. S. A. Retired,  
165 College Street,  
Burlington, Vt.

Dear Sir:

In reply to your favor of 15th, addressed to General Swayne, enclosing copies of letters from Francis Irsch to yourself and to your son, would say, that Captain Irsch has attempted in these two letters to express a proposition that you should be a purchaser at a sale of the property of the Company for taxes which would probably come in the near future. If, as you say, you have no further money to put in Florida lands, you need not give the matter a second thought. As for the note, it was something of which I had not before heard, but I will cause investigation to be made at once and advise you further in regard to it.

The enclosures in your letter are returned herewith.

Yours very truly,

(F)

Noah H. Swayne

125 Broadway, New York  
July 21, 1931

Mr. J. O. Howard,  
U. S. A. Marshal,  
100 College Street,  
Burlington, Vt.

Dear Sir:

In reply to your letter of 18th, addressed to General Lusk,  
enclosing copies of letters from Francis Lusk to yourself and to  
your son, would say, that Captain Lusk has attempted in these  
two letters to express a proposition that you should be a partner  
in a sale of the property of the Company for which you were  
probably some in the near future. If, as you say, you have no  
further money to put in Florida lands, you need not give the mat-  
ter a second thought. As for the note, it was something of which  
I had not before heard, but I will make investigation to be made  
at once and advise you further in regard to it.

The enclosure in your letter was returned herewith.

Yours very truly,

**Bachelor Syndicate.**

Lexington Building,

141 East 25th Street.

TELEPHONE CALL: 1819 18TH STREET.

London Office, Paternoster House, Charing Cross Road.

Australian Office, 21 Elizabeth Street, Sydney.

NEW YORK, July 21st, 1896.

General O. O. Howard,

156 College Street, Burlington, Vt.

My dear General:-

I thank you very cordially for the letter of introduction to Mrs. Sampson and for the photograph of Mrs. Harris which you were kind enough to enclose. I shall see that the latter is returned to you.

I hope you find Burlington a favorable place for your otium cum dignitate. It is possible that I shall pass through there some time in August, and if I do I shall stop over on the chance of seeing you.

With warm regards, believe me

Very sincerely yours,

(dictated)

*Irving Bacheller*

Bachelor Synagogue

141 East 23rd Street

Washington Building

London Office: Prince's Hotel, Great Court Lane  
American Office: 25 Broadway Street, New York

Telephone Call: ME 1919 16th Street

NEW YORK July 21st, 1928.

General O. O. Howard,

128 College Street, Burlington, Vt.

My dear General:

I thank you very cordially for the letter of introduction to Mrs. Sampson and for the photograph of Mrs. Harris which you were kind enough to enclose. I shall see that the letter is returned to you.

I hope you find Burlington a favorable place for your own disfigure. It is possible that I shall pass through there some time in August, and if I do I shall stop over on the chance of seeing you.

With warm regards, believe me

Very sincerely yours,

(dictated)

*James H. H. H.*