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And Sons of Veterans of Indiana,

No. 32 N. Penn. St., 3rd Floor.

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Gen. O. O. Howard,
Burlington, Vermont.

Dear Comrade:—

At a meeting of the Headquarters McKinley Camp of Soldiers, Sailors, and their Sons, held Oct. 12, 1894, there being more than a thousand soldiers and their sons present; the following resolution was offered by THOMAS HANNA:

WHEREAS, Comrades Russell A. Alger, Daniel E. Sickles, Otis O. Howard, Corporal James Tanner, Jack Hurst, Private Thomas J. Stewart, and Geo. A. Norden, have been for the last month1 advocating the cause of good Government, and of our flag, and urging upon the people in thirteen States and from two hundred and twenty platforms, to vote for that flag, for William McKinley for President, and for all his platform represents, and also, in Indiana, pleading with the people to stand by our Comrades James A. Mount for Governor, and W. J. Haggard, for Lieutenant Governor; that the people should vote for a soldier for President, for Governor, and for Lieutenant Governor, and that a Nation of people that would not stand by the soldiers of the last war, would have poor soldiers in the next.

Therefore, BE IT RESOLVED, That we hereby extend to each and all of our Comrades aforesaid, our most sincere thanks and gratitude for the sacrifices they have made, for the good they have done for honest money, for our Comrades, our Country and our flag.

Be it further Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to each of our said Comrades.

All of which was adopted by a unanimous standing vote.

Thomas Hanna
President

Secretary

Indianapolis, Ind. Oct. 19, 1894.
McKinley Camp of Soldiers' Sons

And Sons of Veterans of Indiana

E. M. HANNA, Pres.
D. H. OLIVE, Sec'y.

No. 22, N. Fifth St., Indianapolis.

President and Secretary.

[Signature]

[Signature]
Westervelt, Oct. 20, 1896

Dear Charley,

After all these years of separation instead of coming to York in late May
I’ll probably come in June.

I’ll make a request.

Could you in any way
And my sister, Mr. Hull,
Get her son Arthur
An appointment at West Point.

He is said to be a clever, mainly fellow.
I trust you will accept my thanks and best wishes on behalf of my sister and family who came at Fort Smith, Ark. doubt my brother in law's northern sympathies present less having any political influence in that part of the country. Though I'm not in the habit of making a special visit while in a place, I do not want to misunderstand and be thought that all is neglecting you and all your dear ones one week and happy.

Your wife loving interest and regard.

Many brother wishes.
GENERAL OFFICE
Rocky Mountain Bell Telephone Co.
SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH.

Gen'l O. O. Howard,

Burlington, Vt.

October 20th, 1898.

Please find enclosed our check No. D1441 for $5.00, being amount of Dividend No. 49, due on stock of this Company standing in your name.

Respectfully,

C. W. Lyman, 
Treasurer.
October 20th, 1926

Rocky Mountain Bell Telephone Co.
Salt Lake City, Utah

Gen'1 O. C. Howarth

Brittany, Va.

Please find enclosed our check No. 1237 of $6.00, payable
amount of dividing No. 40, in our stack of fire company records.

Respectfully,

A. W. Thomas

Truant.
October 21st, 1896

Gen. O.O. Howard,
156 College Street,
Burlington, Vermont.

Dear Sir:-

We have received an acknowledgment from your secretary, Mr. Ellis, of our letter to you accompanying advance sheets of the article "Why the Confederacy Failed", from our November number, soon to appear.

We should be sorry to interfere with so useful a work as your campaign work, and should be very glad if on completion of that you could see your way clear to write us the short comment on this article which we have invited. From the responses received this symposium promises to be a very interesting one, and your comment will be most welcome.

We send you another copy of the article.

Very sincerely yours,

R. U. Johnson
Associate Ed.
October 1st, 1930

Gen O.C. Howard

607 College Street

Montpelier, Vermont

Dear Sir:

We have received your communication from your office.

Your letter of June 30th is one of the several errors that have appeared in our columns. If we understood you correctly, you refer to the article "The Geography of Poetry" from our November number, which was not published.

We apologize for the error and wish to rectify it in our current issue. It is possible that the information you requested may not be as accurate as you had hoped.

We kindly request your assistance in this matter. Your cooperation is greatly appreciated.

We thank you for your concern of the article.

Very sincerely yours,

[Signature]
General Oliver O. Howard,
Montpeller, Vermont.

My dear sir:

Permit me to express to you our sincere appreciation of the splendid work done by your party in its long and arduous journey through our State, and especially of the effective speeches made by you on the way.

With kind regards, I remain,

Very truly yours,

[Signature]

Chairman.
Gen. O. T. Howard,

Montgomery, Alabama.

My dear Sir:

Permit me to express to you, and through you, my hearty thanks for the splendid work gone on by your forces in the prosecution of the Indian war on both the state and enemy's side. I can only say you have done your work well.

With high regards, I remain,

Very truly yours,

[Signature]

[Note: The handwriting is slightly faded, making parts of the text difficult to read.]
Dear Sir and Comrade,

I take pleasure in calling attention to the enclosed notice of Mrs. Santorn Poit. The members take a pardonable pride in its presentation to friends and Comrades because of their interest in the welfare of Chaplain Condon, now of the House of Rep., at Washington.

Referring to my Reform Card, I am reminded of your statement at the State S.S. Convention at Grand Rapids, in regard to the use of Tobacco. That there came a time during your active service in the War for the Union, when you were convinced that it was wrong to longer indulge in this vice. Your statement was decisive, that you quit it immediately. That results had been gratifying, your health greatly improved, and no one account could you be induced to renew the habit.

Permit me to congratulate your upon the stand thus taken, and your prominent presentation of the subject. At your convenience I shall be glad to receive further light on the progress of this Reform.

Fearing that success will also crown your efforts to advance Republican principles, I am,

Respectfully, your obedient servant,

Geo. W. Howe
Gen. O. O. Howard,

Care gen. R. A. Alger,

Detroit, Mich.

Dear general:—

It affords me a great deal of pleasure to transmit you a check, and with it my thanks for your valuable services in this campaign under this bureau. The campaign of '96 will be memorable when you and I, possibly, have passed away. But if the victory comes, as cometh it must, then we shall have the consciousness of having done our part toward the maintenance of good government, the advancement of the great basic principles of prosperity for our common country. Please sign the voucher and return it in the envelope accompanying this letter.

Very truly yours,

WM. HAHN

Chairman Spkrs Bureau

Chicago, Ill., Oct. 21, 1896.
Reproduction National Committee

Chicago Headquarters

Dear General,

I am pleased to present you with the report on the progress and activities of the committee since our last meeting. The committee has worked diligently to ensure the successful completion of our objectives. The recent development of new technologies has greatly facilitated our efforts, and I anticipate continued success.

I would like to extend my gratitude to all members of the committee for their dedication and hard work. Your contributions have been invaluable.

Please let me know if you require any further information or assistance.

Sincerely,

[Signature]

[Date]
New York, Oct 22, '89.

Gen Howard,

On Generals Train, Detroit, Mich.

Is the whirlwind campaign in the west from trains and platforms having any noticeable effect which side is winning most votes kindly wire reply at our expense.

New York Herald.
POSTAL TELEGRAPH-CABLE COMPANY.

This Company transmits and delivers the within message subject to the following

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To guard against mistakes or delays, the sender of a message should order it REPEATED; that is, telegraphed back to the originating office for comparison. For this, one half the regular rate is charged in addition. It is agreed between the sender of the message written on the face hereof and the Postal Telegraph-Cable Company, that said Company shall not be liable for mistakes or delays in the transmission or delivery, or for non-delivery, of any UNREPEATED message, beyond the amount received for sending the same; nor for mistakes or delays in the transmission or delivery, or for non-delivery, of any REPEATED message beyond fifty times the sum received for sending the same, unless specially insured, nor in any case for delays arising from unavoidable interruption in the working of its lines, or for errors in cipher or obscure messages. And this Company is hereby made the agent of the sender, without liability, to forward any message over the lines of any other Company when necessary to reach its destination.

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Messages will be delivered free within the established free delivery limits of the terminal office. For delivery at a greater distance a special charge will be made to cover the cost of such delivery.

This Company will not be liable for damages or statutory penalties in any case where the claim is not presented in writing within sixty days after the message is filed with the company for transmission.

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No employee of this Company is authorized to vary the foregoing.

JOHN O. STEVENS,  
Secretary.  

ALBERT B. CHANDLER,  
President and General Manager.
To General Howard
Our Haverock

Dear Sir,

Do you remember
Mrs. Gray of Butterwick Falls
and her sister Mattie Killian
with whom you spent the
day after General Scott
was buried, and helped
you on with your coat?

I am in my eighty-seventh year, and I
would so much like to see you once more.
They have all crossed the River—everyone but me—and I am only waiting till the shadows are a little longer drawn. You have my prayers for success in your cause. God be with you till we meet again.

Your sister in Christ,

Mrs. H.K. Gillmore

Jennifer Grey Kent

This will be handed to you by a soldier friend.

Mr. Blair

Pontiac Mills, Dec. 22, 90
My dear General: 

I have been wanting to write to you for some time and tell you all about Camp Mississ. I find it a bit difficult to come up with a coherent letter to reach you while on your campaign in the North west, so I have delayed for some time. 

I send you with this a report of the work accomplished at Camp Mississ last year. There is always a marked difference between the number of professed conversion and the number of actual conversions. There is that gives good proof of the faith that is in them. I did not tabulate these notes, but there were less than 200 professions during the year quite a large percentage of these I knew to be standing loyally for Christ. 

The Tabulatus report I send you of the work done, tells a story that is as eloquent as reports from much larger and more pretentious places. Only those who are in the work, who are active in all our meetings, can realize what work we are doing and what a blessing the work is to many. There is no one to look at us as a few times on look at us from a distance cannot form any right idea of our work. 

The condition is peculiar. The conditions surrounding us make it do. The character of those who form the body of active workers, 

New York, October 22nd 1876
Letter from Miss Nettie [illegible]. The problem that has faced us is increasing. The Tenement Board is working harder than ever before. The Tenements are full of people. New Tenements are being built. The work has been done effecting and the outlook is very encouraging. During the months from July 15 to Sept 15. We closed our Sunday Morning Service. That was the only time of week I worked at. As I was working harder than last year I felt it necessary to take some rest. You will see that at this time we provided for our people for our poor and our Children. We did much work in this line than any previous summer. We have no missionary visitor. While Miss [illegible] was visiting her work took many of the attendance at Sunday School and also increased the efficiency of the Sunday School. Miss [illegible] has worked very much and of late, we might become a permanent visitor. Our Sunday services are very encouraging. Sunday morning services in increasing in numbers and at night we have been quite well filled. Our Prayer Meetings are good. The spiritual interest is strong. There is no time since I came here I have organized a Young Men's Club. Our first meeting 8 were present at this last 11 our young men. The theme was to be during the week 6 minutes, as call is the Young Men's Mutual Improvement Club.

Our financial condition is the best discouraging feature and I am afraid little can be done in this line. We have a board of trustees that can command some outside aid and our people themselves are working themselves
to do their very best. In June we were $85 behind. Today our answer is $100. You will see we have read our own quite well. Bob, the Ag, has recently repaired the stove. We have lowered the cost for this will be $25. The first and winter heat of our heating apparatus is expected and in order to change it, it will cost from $10 to $15. The basement needs repairing and provisions must be made for coal and coal this winter through the price of $100 per ton. A move than last year.

I wish this miserable agitation of The silenced questions had never been raised - and I wish it was now - I think the case was entirely uncalled for and for the suffering it has caused God will call some men to account. I do hope that after the election confidence will be restored and your confidant prediction, of good times next year in West Haven be fully realized.

You must be tired of your long campaign and will want a reason of rest and quiet when it is all over. I trust that your reward will be fully commensurate with the sacrifice and duty I laid down for you have made. If I were the elected President, I would have just had four years to whom I would go for my selection for Secretary of War.

You will all by my next address that we have moved up town. The doctor insists on this for Mrs. Wilcox's health. She has not been very strong this summer, but is slowly improving. It takes
little longer to reach Chester, Stock and Look's store. Your carriage will be sent. We will face it, but I think the helpfulness of this location compensates for that.

You will be in Prescott, from there, to arrive at the house where you will be staying. Exceedingly hopeful. Thus the first part of the journey is blest in its way. The second will be more trying, but I hope and pray that the way in some way provides the needed ministrations there.

May the dear Father's Holy will be done and keep you and make you strong and happy for many years.

Yours in His Name

Henry F. W. Miller
Lodgings provided for homeless and shelterless men 163
Meals " " 204
Coffee and sandwiches at meetings 360
Garments, shoes, and bedding provided 180
Rent paid for families threatened with eviction 5
Institute families provided with food & groceries 7
Coal and fuel 8
Room rented and furnished for 3 months for young men waiting for employment, used by 5
or 6 most of the time.
Persons sent on outings or day excursions 852
Children sent on two weeks' from-air outings 97
Employment found for one young man preparing for the ministry at Oberlin College.

Total number of meetings held at the chapel 254
Aggregate attendance at these meetings 10524
Number of Sunday School sessions 52
Aggregate attendance at Sunday School 5712
Average attendance " " 168
" " of Girl's Meetings 41

No of visits made to families by Pastor and Missionaries 2005.
Cash of Charitable and Benevolent Work Done at Camp
Memorial Church, from September 1875 to October 1875.

Cash Expenditures:
1. To 163
2. 20
3. 360
4. Rent and furnishing young men room
5. For 4 weeks board for Institute families.
6. Total

Lodging for sheltered men
Meals
Coffee and Sandwiches at Market
Paid for Institute families.
Total

Cash sent to young man, student at Dublin,
Preparatory for Civil Ministry by his past friends,
and Lund G. C. Howard

Value of donations given to destitute families and persons.
1. 5 sacks of rice and grain.
2. 180 garments, shoes, and bedding.

Recapitulation:
Cash expenses for transportation
Sent to student
Value of donations

Total

In this to be added $20 = collection for
Cong. Home Missions Soc., $5 = collection
for Cong. Church Building Soc., $5 = for
A. B. C. E. W.
Grand Total
Lyon Post No. 11,  
G. A. R.  

Gen. O. O. Howard

Dear Sir,

The W. R. C. of this city has made and presented to our G. A. R. Post No. 11 a fine pew, consisting of sixteen flags on each stripe of the flags they have or will sew in silk an old soldier's name, co-reg, state and service on charge him twenty-five cents for same, money to go to Post. As one of the crew, I desire to have as many of our most prominent old soldiers consent to send me their names as the pew is to be disposed of at our next fair, the proceeds to help pay.
for our G-A-K-Ball. Trusting you will write me soon, and if you have any doubts as to my honesty, please send cement to have your name put on, and I will pray for it.

Yours in T. & G. & S.
Geo. & Everett
Detroit Oct 22d 1896

Gent. O.O. Howard

Dear Comrade,

We're Fighting as we fought, that which we defended with the Bullet. We shall maintain with the Ballot.

Having survived the passage of the Rappahannock, we do not propose now to be sunk in the Bruce-Bryan.

Your Obt. Servt
Seventh Mich. Infst
Detroit

Former Address

Fredericksburg.