May 1797

My dear General,

You will remember the instructions given the Ex. Com. as at the Home Arts. Meeting in New Haven about rotating their own members.

their opposition. If your means that a Com. tee could hardly be expected to reform itself.

Your means is likely to move prophetic. I understand the instructions are going to be offered. I do not know how extensively. But it is...
University of Washington

Something must be done to help the Society to establish confidence. Nothing will break up the tendency to a coterie management than the practice of requiring membership until after one year for the Executive Board. Only 20 can their truly representative character be maintained. Your influence will count for much. So I write you beforehand that you may be informed. You will be glad to know that the Washington Ch. is getting on nicely. We have 196 members. There is coming a convention where we have had a splendid lecture last fare very happy. I was. Sincerely yours,

Henry E. Hunnicut
James P. Pond,

Everett House.

218 Fourth Avenue.

New York.

May 15th, '97.

Gen'l O. O. Howard,

Burlington, Vt.

Dear Gen'l Howard:-

I have written to Hamilton to ascertain what subject they prefer, and as soon as I hear from them will notify you.

Corry, I am afraid, has fallen through. I have heard nothing further from them.

Yours Very Truly,

[Signature]
Dear Gen'1 O. Howard,

Brattleboro, Vt.

Dear Gen'1 Howard:

I have written to Mr. Hamilton to secure, what subject they bring, and as soon as I hear from them will notify you.

Colin I am estranged and letter enough. I have heard nothing further from them.

Yours Very Truly,

[Signature]

PS.
Dear Father:

I wrote you yesterday. I was interrupted many times before finishing the letter. Mr. Woodson and his daughter Mabel, just called and selected a wheel that will cost me $36.50. I am going to let him know today if he can have it. If the waverly will allow trust me for it, I am going to let them have it.

You asked me to let you know as soon as I had made even a little progress. I will do so.

Mr. Kelly, President of the Smith Machine Co., is coming to see me in a few days. He is a very wealthy company. They were willing to pay me a salary of $2,000 a year to manage their bicycle dept. provided I would fix it so that they could manufacture chainless bicycles. When I agreed to do so, I had to tell them that they would have to work under a license from the Pope Ruby Co. Yesterday, Mr. Kelly sent word to me through Mr. Hall, their Agent, that they would have nothing to do with it if "Pope" had his fingers in it, saying that he "would skin his own brother". These people stand very high here. When Mr. Kelly comes, I will not talk to him.
now about the Harvard Chamberlens Bicycle Co. Fortunately I have just had a piece of good luck which may be more interesting to him. The inventor of the mechanism in the slot machine has recently invented a new cheap chamberlens wheel & asked me to help him find a customer for it for him. I shall offer this to the Smith Machine Co. then they can make Chamberlens wheels that will retail for $50.00 or less without interference of the Pope Mfg. Co.

I have been interrupted several times in writing this letter and will have to stop now for the night. Yours affec. Chancy
Major Gen. O. C. Howard,

Burlington, Vt.

My dear General Howard:

We were gratified to receive your telegram on Friday last and to be assured you would be with us at the Annual Meeting. I enclose program, which indicates that at the session on Tuesday afternoon a short address will be expected from yourself, to be followed by the annual sermon by Rev. Mr. Bailey of Denver.

The headquarters of the Society this year will be at the Huestis House. We have been for many years at the Wordin, but there seemed to be reasons for changing this year and we have selected the Huestis House as the place where the officers will be entertained, and a room will be held for your use.

Yours sincerely,

Washington, D.C.

Mr. Geo. C. Howard,

Murfreeso, V.

My dear General Howard:

We were gratified to receive your letter of May 4th and to do so means that you would be with us at the Annual Meeting.

I enclose program which indicates that the session on Thursday, a short address will be expected from you.

The headquarters of the Society this year will be followed by the annual session of Rev. W. H. R. Bennett of Denver.

The headquarters of the Society this year will be at the Hotelita House. We have seen you many times at the meetings and it is easy to see reason for coming this year and we have selected the Hotelita House as the place where the officers will be

Yours sincerely,

[Signature]
WILBERFORCE UNIVERSITY,
WILBERFORCE, OHIO,
PRESIDENT'S OFFICE.

May 17, 1897.

Dear Sir:

Yours of the 14th inst. at
hand. Under other cover I send
your printed matter which I hope
will be of benefit to you.

Yours truly,

S. T. Mitchell

Pet. E. L. R.
Gen. O. O. Howard,

516 College St.,

Burlington, Vt.

Dear Sir:—Please accept thanks for your note of inquiry just received. I feel honored by such a request coming from such a distinguished person as yourself, one who has played such a prominent part in the emancipation and uplifting of our people.

I send under separate cover documents marked which will give the desired information.

Very truly yours,

[Signature]

Charlotte, N.C., May 17, 1897.
Georgia State Industrial College,

R. R. Wright, A. M., President.

Colleges, Ga.,
May 17th 1897.

In reply to yours,
Gen. 0. O. Howard,
Burlington, Vt.
My dear Sir:-

It gives me great pleasure to reply to your letter and to send you herewith our catalogue and also a pamphlet of my own containing a brief sketch of Negro education in Georgia.

I am very pleased to hear from you and would be delighted to have you visit our school should you ever act in this direction.

Very respectfully,

R. R. Wright
Pres.
Mayberry, New York

Dear Mr. Howard,

In reply to your introduction.

I trust the letter I enclosed to reach you by return mail to

say you performed an operation and who is a beneficiary of the two counties.

The a self-addressed velo stationery to George.

I am very pleased to hear from you and would be delighted to

have you visit our school during your next trip to this area.

Very truly yours,

[Signature]

Best,
May 18, 1887

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

My dear Gen. Howard:

I am more than pleased to learn that you are preparing a book on the reconstruction period. Such a work from your hand, I am very sure, will put many matters, that have not been properly stated, in the right light. I will send you at my earliest convenience information concerning Shaw, but cannot do so for a few days as I am crowded with work incident to the commencement season.

Faithfully yours,

Chas. F. Meserve.
President
May 18, 1897

Dear Geo. O. Howatt:

I am more than pleased to learn that you are preparing a book on the lacrosse period. Such a work from your pen I am very sure will put many matters that have been poorly handled in the right light. I shall send you a draft of my earlier communications to the submarine board, but cannot go so far as to say as I am occupied with work connected to the coming term session.

Yours truly,

[Signature]

President
35 Congress Street

Boston May 18, 1897

My dear General,

I have a most important communication from New York with reference to your case now being prepared for publication. So anxious am I that this matter should not miss fire that I would be best for me to see you to talk this matter over. I read in N.Y. paper that you were soon to be in that city to preside over a convention there. If this is true I could give you a letter to my friend at SuperPest that would be of friendly service to you. In the mean time please send me your New York address, and carry with
You some of the Miss. for examination which with your presence will be of great advantage in forwarding the matter. May I hear from you by return mail. I dined with the Lordines Sunday and they, with my family, send kindest remembrance to you.

I hope you enjoyed your outing in Boston as much as we all did.

With sentiments of highest regards I am cordially, Yours,

J. S. Blanchard.

S. A. Howard.

P.S. We think the enclosed negative pretty good. How do you like it?
Gen. O. O. Howard,
Burlington, Vt.

Dear Sir:

The remittance of $59.20 enclosed with your letter of the 3d inst. has been applied as follows:

Taxes for 1895 on McMinnville property, and costs (receipt herewith), $36.50
Taxes for 1896 on same property (receipt herewith), 19.20
Cost procuring and recording sheriff’s deed, 3.50
Total, $59.20

Very truly yours,

2 tax receipts enclosed.

WILLIAMS, WOOD & LINTHICUM.
Dear Sir,

The remittance of $50.00 enclosed with your letter of the 10th have been applied as follows:

- Taxe for 1885 on Mainstreet property, $30.00
- Costs (receipt per cent?) $10.00
- Taxe for 1886 on same property (receipt per cent?) $5.00
- Cost of printing and registering assessor's fees $2.00

Total $60.00

Very truly yours,

[Signature]

G.B. Howard
For:

An 1897 receipt for OOTH's taxes paid on property in Yamhill County, Oregon.

See:

The receipt attached to letter no. 35434.

Geo. W. Davis to H. S. Howard, Washington,

April 28, 1897.
YAMHILL COUNTY, OREGON.

McMINNVILLE, May 11th, 1897. $19.20

RECEIVED of C. O. Howard

DOLLS, in full for 1896 taxes as per above on property described herewith.

In County Warrants, $_________ Total Tax, $19.20

In Cash, $_________

DESCRIPTION: Sec. 9-13-1; 5-6-13-4; 2-3-13-6; 5-6-13-8; 7-8-13-16; 7-8-13-18; 9-14-13-20; 2-13-21; 2-13-24; 1-4-13-25; 8-13-35; 3-13-34; 3-4-13-33; 3-4-51.13.32

1-13-37; 7-8-13-40; 5-6-13-44; 1-2-3-4-13-54; 1-2-13-56

4-5-6-7-8-13-59 all in Oak Park add' to City of McNINNVILLE, Yamhill County

Total Assessment, $108.66—— Exemption, $_________ Total Value, $108.66——

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No. 577

J. W. Henry Sheriff.

By L. E. Larkin Deputy.
Dayton Ohio
May 18

Maj. R. C. O. Howard,
Burlington, VT.

Dear Sir: Please excuse the liberty I take in writing to request the favor of your autograph which I desire solely for the purpose of putting in a collection and for which you have in advance my sincere thanks.

Yours very truly,
John [Signature]

205
New York
May 18th 97.

Dear Sir. Hammond,

I arrived from Europe last Saturday and found your letters of May 1st. Arriving here I stayed longer than I expected to.

Our family I could not have been here without my affairs had so arranged themselves as to have amounted to so close. I hope to
(3) Our visit was pleasant. I was with you and I wish you were with me. I am feeling very well. I wish the trip improved my health. Please bring me a line of your own words. I am in love.

(2) I have the joy and pleasure of seeing you at an early date. You will find me at the old place only via a layer room. I have the many things to say to you. I hope to put them on paper. I heard from my wife of the grant. Praise her and thank you. Looked at etc etc.
(Dict.)

May 18th, '97.

Gen'l O. O. Howard,
Burlington, Vt.

Dear Gen'l Howard:—

Endlosed please find
contracts for
June 16th. Hamilton, N. Y.
June 28th. Lock Haven, Pa.
June 30th. Indiana, Pa.

Yours Very Truly,

[Signature]

J. B. Pond
LECTURE CONTRACT.

JAMES B. POND,
EVERTT HOUSE, NEW YORK.

New York, May 6th, 1897

The undersigned hereby agree to engage of JAS. B. POND

Mr. Gen'l O. O. Howard,

to appear in Colgate University, Hall,

Hamilton, N. Y.

on Wednesday afternoon noon, June 16th, 3 p.m., 1897

To furnish Opera House, Hall, or Church, well heated, lighted, and in good order, with necessary attendants, stage accessories for entertainment, and license (if any be required), do all advertising, and announce attraction as having been secured through Jas. B. Pond, New York.

The undersigned further agree to pay for the attraction aforesaid

One hundred dollars ($100) and entertainment.

Dollars, settlement to be made on the evening of the entertainment, before eight o'clock, in currency, with Gen'l Howard.

And in Consideration thereof, the said JAS. B. POND hereby agrees that the said attraction shall be furnished at the time, place, and upon the terms above written. If, on account of sickness, accident, or unavoidable circumstances, the party engaged fails to appear, this contract shall be considered null and void.

It is understood that JAS. B. POND is simply agent for the parties to this contract, with no proprietary right therein.

Albert P. Brigham

J. B. Pond

Manager.

Subject:
Geril Howard

Hamiton, N.Y.

Date: Tues. afternoon, June 16.

Auspices: Cornell University.

Correspondent: Prof. A. P. Brigham

Terms: $100.1 entertainment.

Hall: 

Leave: 

Arrive: 

Times: 

Subject: 

Hotel: 

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LECTURE CONTRACT.

JAMES B. POND,

EVERETT HOUSE, NEW YORK.

New York, May 8th, 1897

The undersigned hereby agree to engage of JAS. B. POND

General O. O. Howard
to appear in Normal School Chapel Hall,
Lock Haven, Pa.
on Monday evening, June 28th, 1897

To furnish Opera House, Hall, or Church, well heated, lighted, and in good order, with necessary attaches, stage accessories for entertainment, and license (if any be required), do all advertising, and announce attraction as having been secured through Jas. B. Pond, New York.

The undersigned further agree to pay for the attraction aforesaid

One hundred and twenty-five — 125 —

Dollars, settlement to be made on the evening of the entertainment, before eight o'clock, in currency, with Grant Howard.

And in Consideration thereof, the said JAS. B. POND hereby agrees that the said attraction shall be furnished at the time, place, and upon the terms above written. If, on account of sickness, accident, or unavoidable circumstances, the party engaged fails to appear, this contract shall be considered null and void.

It is understood that JAS. B. POND is simply agent for the parties to this contract, with no proprietary right therein.

James Eldon,
Principal State Normal School.

J. B. Pond
Manager.

Subject:
Dear Howard,

Town or City: Lock Haven, Pa.
Date: Mon., June 28th, 5 P.M.

Sponsor: State Normal School

Correspondent: Joe Elder

Terms: $125.00

Hall: Normal School Chapel

Leaves: 

Arrives: 

Subject: 

Hotel: 


Yours truly,

Mrs. B. Bond
LECTURE CONTRACT.

JAMES B. POND,

EVERETT HOUSE, NEW YORK.

New York, May 11th, 1897

The undersigned hereby agree to engage of JAS. B. POND

Mr. George O. O. Howard

to appear in. Normal School

Indiana, Pa.

on Wednesday, at 10 A.M., June 30th, 1897

To furnish Opera House, Hall, or Church, well heated, lighted, and in good order, with necessary apparatus, stage accessories for entertainment, and license (if any be required), do all advertising, and announce attraction as having been secured through Jas. B. Pond, New York.

The undersigned further agree to pay for the attraction aforesaid

One hundred (100.00) __________ Dollars,

settlement to be made on the evening of the entertainment, before eight o'clock, in currency, with George Howard.

And in consideration thereof, the said JAS. B. POND hereby agrees that the said attraction shall be furnished at the time, place, and upon the terms above written. If, on account of sickness, accident, or unavoidable circumstances, the party engaged fails to appear, this contract shall be considered null and void.

It is understood that JAS. B. POND is simply agent for the parties to this contract, with no proprietary right therein.

For the class of '97

J.C. Williams, Pres.

Janet Rosenblum, Sec.

J. B. Pond

& Manager.

Subject:
Indiana Normal School.  
of Pennsylvania.

Indiana, Pa.  
May 14, 1887.

Mr. James B. Pond,  
New York.

Dear Sir:—I return the contract signed, but  
with one change, which I thought I had  
made clear to you in a previous letter, viz:  
that the time that the address is to be de-  
livered is at 10 A.M., so our exercises will  
be in the morning.

No subject has been chosen by us as  
we think Guild Howard if told the situation  
would give us something appropriate to  
the occasion.  The address is to take the  
place of the exercises by the graduating classes  
on commencement day.  And is to be given  
before a class of matured members, and their  
friends, and the faculty and trustees of the school, which  
will make an audience of about 500.

As to railroad connections we connect with  
the Pennsylvania Central at Blairsville junction and  
we have, now, an incoming train that reaches here  
at 8:35 A.M. also an evening train at 7:25 P.M.

Very truly,

Horace G. Parmalee.
Major J. E. Pond,

New York.

Dear Sir:—

Yours of the 13th received. I think that we shall choose George H. Thomas, the Greatest Virginia General of the Civil War.

In Gen. Howard's letter to you he speaks of the 20th of June. Please call his attention to the fact that the lecture is to be given Monday evening, June 23rd, at 8 o'clock.

There is a train that reaches Lock Haven at 3:32 in the afteroon. He should arrange to reach here not later in the day than this time.

Inclosed find the letter which you requested me to return.

Respectfully,

James Eldon.
New York

Mr. Point

Deer Sir:

Yours of the 18th received. I think that we shall choose George

H. Thomas, the present Virginia General of the Civil War.

In your Honorable Letter you spoke of the 20th of June.

Please call my attention to the fact that the Lecture is to be given

Monday evening, June 28th, at 8 o'clock.

There is a Free First Lesson Book here at 8:30 in the Afternoon.

He especially desires to keep pace with the girls at this time.

I hope that the letter will be delivered to you.

Faithfully,

[Signature]