

source of comfort that
I have in all your
life as a soldier, never
forgotten that I was
a Christian & that you
were governed by the
"Greatest of all Virtues
Charity"

Jimmy Corbett
Lt Col Comm

23 E 1897
May 25
Overlake,
(Near) Burlington, Vt.

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My Dear Tom Howard

Thanks for the
privilege of reading
your most interesting
& instructive (Chief
Joseph this capture
which I herewith return
& with it Tom Miles
personal recollections

This is a Wild
1897

field of romance
quality in Indian
Warfare & leads me
to fairly estimate
the hazards & dangers
endured & require to
secure success.

Conditions are
not equal, as Savages
have no money for an
army, but Civilization
demands money in
success. It must be

Washington D C

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May 25: 1897

Dear General:

I hope you will pardon me for trespassing on your time, but indeed I am in trouble, Howard has lost his position, he has tried to get work but has not been able to obtain any there seems to be no work to be had.

General, I write this to ask if you will not use your influence to have Howard reinstated in the Geological Survey, they are reinstating old soldiers and the widows and children of soldiers and ^{as} Howard was discharged for politics, I thought you might be able to do something for him as you was stationed for quite

awhile at New York and are perhaps
acquainted with the Secretary of the
Interior,

I have had but little work
the past winter and ~~and~~ as I am
getting old and hardly able to sew
any more I do not know what
I will do if Howard does not get
work soon,

Give my regards to Mrs Howard,
I hope she is in good health.
Please let me hear from you soon
Very respectfully
Mary A. Rothery

813 - 6th n w

Boston May. 25. 1897

Gen. C. C. Howards

My dear Sir.

Ever since I had the rare pleasure of being one of the Company to do you honor at the Massachusetts Club Meeting at the Brunswick. I have wanted to learn more from you about my honored Father.

I left Hallowell in 1840 - and was as you may remember at the Hawaiian Id. for twenty years engaged in business.

I was eighteen years old when I left home and being away so long. learned but little except from my family of Father's life, peculiar habits. Of course I know of his earnest active, Christian life even up to past the three score years and ten. Still you remark that he was your Sunday School teacher, that you gave him one of your bibles - when he had for the poor children the other side the river has prompted me to write you and to

GILMAN BROTHERS,
WHOLESALE DRUGGISTS,
80 FRANKLIN STREET,
BOSTON

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Boston May 22. 1877
Dear Sir,

I have pleasure of being one of the Company to
be your honor at the Massachusetts Club
Meeting at the Government. I have wanted to
learn more from you about my business
together.

I left the States in 1840 - and
was in your way to remember at the American Club.
I thought you engaged in business
I was delighted for all when I left home
I had been away so long. I had but little
except from my family of Boston life, business
and the of course of his country.
I have Christian life even up to part of the
I am your old friend.
I hope you have found about Boston, that
in general one of your bills when the
for the poor children the other like the
I am prompted to write you and to

GILMAN BROTHERS,
WHOLESALE DRUGGISTS,
50 FRANKLIN STREET,
BOSTON.

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Respectfully ask you to jot down
at your convenience, taking your leisure
time, if so active a man - has any leisure
time, to write me some little account of
your recollections of my Father.

I wish also you would please correct
any error or omission in the short state-
ment I made respecting the gift of the
Bible.

Permit me to congratulate you my
dear General, on the goodness of God, who
has so blessed you in the work for Him which
you have been permitted to do. To have
been under the Great General of our Country is a
great honor but I know that you esteem it
greater honor, that you so early enlisted under
the banner of the Great Captain of our Salvation,³ of
as in His Cause you have done so much for the
good of the young - the middle age - and the age
to infirm true loyalty, patriotism, sacrifice
in our Country's behalf so also in the grand
holier Cause of the Cross. May your days and
years be blessed in the memory of doing what you could
till Crowned by the King of Kings with the glory deserved.

Yours very truly
Gosham D. Gilman

GILMAN BROTHERS,

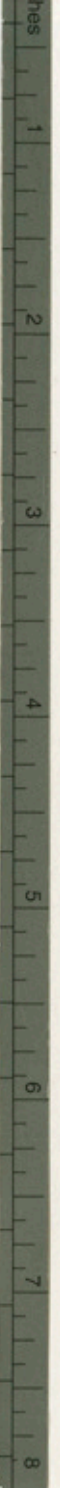
WHOLESALE DRUGGISTS,

80 FRANKLIN STREET,

BOSTON.

at your convenience, taking your leisure
 time, if so ordered a man - has any business
 there, to write or have full account of
 your collection of my father.
 I had also the usual paper covered
 my name or otherwise in the other letter
 sent - I make. I hope that the gift of the
 letter.

Permit me to congratulate you on
 your success, at the fortune of Job, who
 we do believe you in the world for them which
 you have been permitted to do -
 been known the best person of our country's a
 great name but I know that in substance it
 been done, that you do easily exhibit every
 the name of the best specimen of our substance,
 in this name you have done to know, for the
 end of the day - the better eye - and the eye
 inquiring the quality, perfection, for a fine
 our country's belief to also in the fortune
 in the name of the good. May your days be
 then, be there in the name of Job, who we call
 the best of things with the day's account
 Yours very truly
 Joshua D. Johnson



GILMAN BROTHERS,
WHOLESALE DRUGGISTS,
50 FRANKLIN STREET.

Boston, [May?] 1897.

Very unfortunately the
photograph of yourself to
which you attached your name
the day of the dinner got
considerably defaced before
it got back to me -

If you have a good
one to which you will add
your name, will send me I
shall treasure it very highly -

Yours truly,
G. D. G.

Mark my boy has some boys
asking for stamps. I enclose
a few Hawaiian ones that may
give you pleasure in giving to
somebody's boy.

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Nov 21 1897

Boston

Very respectfully
 I thank you for the
 photograph of yourself to
 which you allude in your
 letter of the 18th inst. I
 have it before me and
 it is very much like you -
 I am sure you have a good
 one. I shall be glad to
 have it. I am sure it is
 very highly
 valued.
 Yours truly,
 J. B. J.

That very best in
 asking for them. I shall
 a few thousand over the way
 give you pleasure in giving to
 everybody.

HARPER & BROTHERS
PUBLISHERS
NEW YORK CITY

FRANKLIN SQUARE.

May 26, 1897.

Dear Sir:

We beg leave to acknowledge
the receipt of your letter of the 21st
inst and to assure you of our
appreciation of your courtesy in
promising to give us the oppor-
tunity of considering the publi-
cation of your Autobiography
when you have the ms. completed.

We are, dear Sir,

Very sincerely yours

Harper & Brothers.

Major-General Oliver O. Howard, U.S.A.

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NEW YORK CITY

May 26, 1897

Dear Sir:

I have had the pleasure to receive
the receipt of your letter of the 25th
and to assure you of our
appreciation of your interest in
promoting to give us the oppor-
tunity of considering the publi-
cation of your lithography
when you have the art completed
with our thanks.

Very sincerely yours

Wm. Brewster

Department of the Interior, Bureau of Fish and Game

1897

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New York, May 26th, 1897.

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

Dear General:

Thank you for your kindness in sending me the manuscript
on Gettysburg. I will return it to you in a few days, express
prepaid.

With kind regards, believe me,

Yours very truly,

H. H. ADAMS,

Per *H. H. Adams*.....

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New York, May 28th, 1867.

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

Dear General:

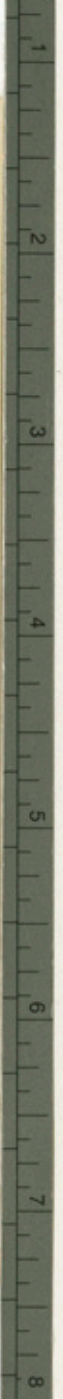
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[Handwritten signature]
Per



American Board of Commissioners for Foreign Missions.

Room 14 May 26 1897
1 Somerset Street, Boston.

General O. O. Howard
Saratoga, N. Y.

Dear Sir -

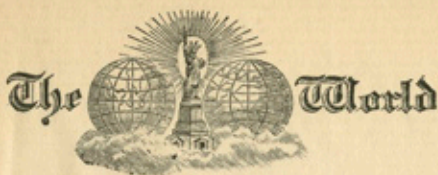
Yours of yesterday duly received. Doubtless you have received mine of yesterday, or at least have heard from the Burlington Free Press that it will set up your address verbatim, let you read the proof & send me 17⁵ proofs. This will accomplish the ends of all concerned.

There are but few who know the workings of the press & the Associated Press, & it is a common thing to make mistakes about it.

I do the utmost that I can for every speaker. But it is the Society's

the whole day's proceedings
that I have to keep in mind.
If the no. of speakers on
Thursday were to be counted,
it would be seen what the
problem is as to space for
each speaker. I have re-
ceived one manuscript
for that day containing
over 3000 words.

Sincerely & cordially Yours,
James H. Ross.



NEW YORK CITY.
EDITOR'S OFFICE
OF THE
SUNDAY WORLD.

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May 26, 1897.

Dear Sir:-

Will you please inform General Howard that check will be set to him in accordance with your letter of May 25th. The letter has been forwarded to Mr. Bradford Merrill, who is at present Editor of the Sunday World.

Yours very truly,

A. B. S. [Signature]

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

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OF THE
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Yours very truly,

W. S. Howard

W. S. Howard, Esq.,
156 College St.,
Burlington, Vt.

335 East 13th.

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New York May 26 1897.

My dear General:-

We held our annual meeting of Camp Memorial Church last Thursday. The Report of the Clerk, showed that we had 77 members - having received 17 on our feet since last Report, and 2 by letter. 1 death, 3 dismissals and 10 dropped from roll. 31 members of the Y.P.S.C., 20 Junior Y.P.S.C.E. S.S. attendance average 162, the finances. Received by Envelopes during past 6 mos. 266,75

plate collections 52 51
from active workers in the Church
additional to the Envelopes. 139 50

\$458,76

From outside sources.

\$133,00

This shows that we have during the past 6 mos. on Easter 25 Sundays included in the Treasurers Report - received ~~and~~ on an average each Sunday of \$12.77 - by Envelopes and plate collection - or, \$18.35 - if the contributions by the members and workers outside of the regular collections be added - In Jan 1895. these figures were, \$3.50 - in 1896. \$4.90 - I think we have great reason to rejoice and to thank our Heavenly Father who has so abundantly blessed us - Not only in this line have we been blessed, but, we have had many conversions - quite a number

among our Sunday School children. The outlook
for Camp Mission & Church is hopeful indeed. It
is for us only to honor the trust and responsibility
which our Pastor has placed upon us.

Next Sunday we have our Memorial
Service. We expect our Chapel will be crowded. We
have arranged for a service that will be instructive
and in harmony with the day. If you get this
letter in time will you kindly send us a word
expressing your thoughts and sentiments for the
day - We shall look for it -

Our Board of Trustees now consists of
6 members, of 3 classes - to serve 3, 2, & 1 year.
We did this to conform to the Law - passed in 1875.
We have the same members - with J. M. Horton as the
6th man.

May our Heavenly Father give
you great prosperity & rich blessings
In His name

H. G. Miller

who visit there, speak of his kindness & want him retained.

His father died as Consul Genl. to Constantinople, his grandfather Col. Abert was chief of Engineers for over thirty years, and Genl. Grant who was our friend wrote when he gave him his appointment in the Navy that "he belonged to a family who had given up their lives to the service of the Government."

He is now married with a family of little children, it would be a serious thing, if he should be deprived of his support. If you can help him we will be most grateful to you.

He is my only child, & his pay

Wash^{to} D.C., May 26, 1877

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Dear Genl. Howard

I take the liberty of writing to you as an old friend, you may not remember me, but I will never forget the delightful little party you had on a trip to Richmond, at the close of the war. You had the boat that was used by President Lincoln.

Genl. & Mrs Dana were in the party, & Genl. Fullerton who has lately met with such a sad fate.

Now, I am about to ask a

gain of you, because, I am told
that you are a great friend of
the President, and I thought
perhaps you would be willing
to speak a good word for my
son Henry Abert Johnson, who
is the Consul at Venice, it is
not asking for any appointment
but that he may be retained
or not disturbed,

The position has not been
sought by Politicians because
the salary is small, but at
this time, there is such a

rush for positions, all seem in
danger, my son graduated at
the Naval Academy but was
so devoted to Art that after serving
a few years his friends advised
his going abroad & making a
career for himself in the
Diplomatic service, the post
at Venice being vacant it was
given to him, he has not been
a party man, & his strongest
influence was in the Harrison
administration, He has filled
his place worthily to the satisfaction
of the Government, and all Americans

at this post-although small, is
all he has.

If I seem bold, please
pardon me, knowing that a
mother must do all she can
for her son.

Yours Sincerely
Mary Albert Johnson.

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[Faint, illegible handwriting on aged paper]



C. H. SHEPHERD,

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✽ SHEPHERD TRAP, ✽

61 BEEKMAN STREET,

ROOMS 503 AND 504.

New York, May 22nd 1892

Dear Genl. Howard

I received yours a few days ago. I have no reason to regret my going to Europe. although I brought no money back with me from any sale of my patents. But have laid a good ground work I hope for a good future there. I returned as soon as I could work financially speaking. I am glad to know you are well and wish I could have been here in time for the past month. I feel that our Lord has blessed my efforts. and in his own good time will show me more of his mercy and kindness. I am sorry to hear of your being pressed financially at this time. as well as my self. But I will manage to fix the interests all right. am so thankful to you for the

use of the amount, which I hope to
be able to pay some on in a few
months.

If you should be in New
York at any time I would
be happy to see you ^{and} also Mrs
Shepherd.

I saw some things in
England in the Church & P.S. line which
I was much interested in.

With you had been with me.

Trusting every thing is well with
you I am as ever

Yours most faithfully
Chas. W. Shepherd.

"May the Lord watch between me and thee when
we are absent one from another."

P.S. Mr Fuller wishes to be remembered
to you with best wishes.

C.W.S.

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My 3	OX	ag	Spaid

RECEIVED at 11:53 am May 27 1897

Dated New York 27

To Gen. O. O. Howard
Burlington Vt

Tuesday six o'clock will be
in ample time

J. B. Clark

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War Department,
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Washington,

May 28, 1897.

H. S. Howard, Esq.,
156 College Street,
Burlington, Vt.

My Dear Sir:

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 24th instant, enclosing communication of Col. S.L. Taggart in regard to medals of honor referred to in G.O. No.4, Jan. 24, 1865, Army of the Tennessee.

I am very much obliged to you for your prompt attention to my request, and the interest you have taken in this matter.

Colonel Taggart's letter was most interesting.

Yours very sincerely,

Geo. S. ...

Major, U.S.A.

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War Department
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Washington

May 28, 1887.

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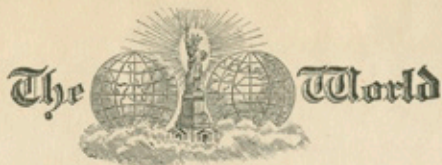
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I am very much obliged to you for your prompt attention to my request, and the interest you have taken in this matter.

Colonel Taggart's letter was most interesting.

Yours very sincerely,

Samuel D. ...
Major, U.S.A.



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CASHIER'S DEPT.,

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New York City, May 28th, 1897.

Mr. H. S. Howard,

Private Secretary for Gen. O. O. Howard,

156 College Street,

Burlington, Vt.

Dear Sir:-

In reply to your letter of May 25th to Mr. Arthur Brisbane, would say that check for \$35. was mailed to General O. O. Howard, May 8th, for article on "Chief Joseph".

Very truly yours,

Cashier.

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THE NATIONAL BANK OF THE UNITED STATES

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146 TREMONT STREET,

Boston, May 23, 1897. *189*

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Burlington, Vt.

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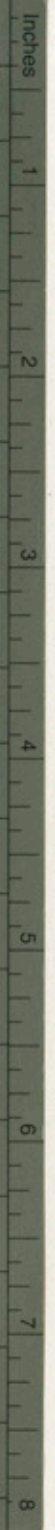
Replying to your favor would say, we are printing pictures from your negatives and hope to be able to send you some in a few days. We should have sent them before this, but the weather has been so unfavorable recently we have been unable to finish them.

Yours very truly,

J. E. Purdy & Co.

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Boston
MAY 21, 1892

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188 College St.,
Hartford, Ct.

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Yours very truly,

J. E. Parsons & Co.

Headquarters Department of Dakota,

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Confidential.

St. Paul, Minn., May 28, 1897.

My Dear General:

The Adjutant General of the Army (Ruggles) will be retired September 11th 1897. His successor, in the natural course, should, and no doubt will, be Colonel Samuel Breck who, in turn, will be retired by operation of law February 25th 1898. Prior to the retirement of Breck I intend to ask the President to appoint me Adjutant General of the Army. My principal reason for this intention arises from the fact that should the officer next in rank to Breck (Colonel Corbin) succeed to the office I will be without any ground for hope or expectation of reaching the head of my Corps as I must retire by operation of law about two years and four months before Corbin. Should I, however, succeed Breck, and Corbin follow me in appointment he would have two years and four months to serve as Adjutant General before the age limit of his retirement. This fact of itself is, I think, sufficient justification and reason for me passing over my senior - a course that would not be unusual nor contrary to law, as the law gives the President the right of selection in the appointment of all general Officers (line and staff) and this right has been frequently exercised by different Presidents, especially since the enactment of the compulsory retirement law.

Having explained in brief the situation I now ask your aid to accomplish my ambition to reach the position of head of my Corps on the retirement of General Breck. It is now thirty-six years since I began my volunteer and regular service in the Army - a service that is without stain or reproach. My friends in and out of the service are soing their utmost for my advancement, and should you kindly send me a

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letter to the President recommending my appointment to the office of Adjutant General of the Army I will highly appreciate the favor.

I take the liberty of enclosing a copy of my military record hoping the data contained therein will warrant the request made above.

Very Truly Yours,

W. H. Sunday
Colonel and Asst. Adjt. General

U.S. Army.

Major General Howard.

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[Handwritten Signature]
Colonel and Asst. Adj. General

U.S. Army.

Major General Howard.



MILITARY RECORD

—OF—

Colonel MICHAEL V. SHERIDAN,

Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Army.

Born in Ohio, May 24, 1840. *Volunteer Aide to Colonel PHILIP H. SHERIDAN*, battle of Boonville, Miss., July 1, 1862; battle of Perryville, Ky., October 8, 1862; battle of Stone River, December 31, 1862, and Tullahoma campaign, summer of 1863.

Appointed *1st Lieutenant 2d Mo. Vols.*, September 7, 1863; in battle of Chicamauga, September 19 and 20, 1863; battle Missionary Ridge, November 23, 24 and 25, 1863; combat at Dandridge, East Tennessee, January 17, 1864. Ordered to the Army of the Potomac, April 4, 1864, to join Major General PHILIP H. SHERIDAN; battle of the Wilderness, May 6, 1864; Tod's Tavern, May 7, 1864; battle of Spottsylvania Court House, May 8, 1864; on expedition of Cavalry Corps to Haxall Landing and return to Chatfield Station, May 9 to 24, 1864, during which was in action at Beaver Dam, May 10, 1864; battle of Yellow Tavern, May 11, 1864, and combat of Meadow Bridge, May 12, 1864.

Appointed *Captain and Aide-de-Camp, Volunteers*, May 18, 1864. In actions of Hanover town and Tolopotomy Creek, May 27, 1864; battle of Hawes' Shop, May 28, 1864; action at Metadequin Creek, May 30, 1864; battle of Cold Harbor, May 31 and June 1, 1864; on expedition to Trevillian Station and return, June 7 to 28, 1864; in battle Trevillian Station, June 11 and 12, 1864; action at Tunstall Station, June 21, 1864; action at St. Mary's Church, June 24, 1864, and action at Darbytown, June 28, 1864. Accompanied Major General SHERIDAN to Army of the Shenandoah, August 4, 1864. In battle of Opequan (often miscalled Winchester), September 19, 1864, for which was *brevetted Major*; battle Fisher's Hill, September 22, 1864, for which was *brevetted Lieutenant Colonel*, and battle of Cedar Creek, Va., October 19, 1864. Accompanied

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MILITARY RECORD

Colonel MICHAEL V. SHERIDAN

Faint, mirrored text from the reverse side of the page, including the name "Colonel MICHAEL V. SHERIDAN" and various military details.

Major General SHERIDAN from Winchester to Petersburg, February 27 to March 24, 1865; in last campaign of General GRANT'S armies around Petersburg and Richmond and to Appomattox, from March 25 to April 9, 1865, during which was in the battle of Dinwiddie Court House, March 31, 1865; battle of Five Forks, April 1, 1865; battle of Sailor's Creek, May 6, 1865; action at Appomattox Station, April 8, 1865; at surrender of Lee's army, April 9, 1865, and the evening of that day reported personally to General LEE to inform him that 25,000 union rations were ordered sent to his starving soldiers. Accompanied General SHERIDAN as Aide-de-Camp on expedition to join General SHERMAN'S army, April 24 to May 3, 1865; thence to Department of the Gulf, where served till mustered out of Volunteer service, August 1, 1866.

Second Lieutenant 5th U. S. Cavalry, February 23, 1866; joined October 1, 1866.

Captain 7th U. S. Cavalry, July 28, 1866; joined November 1, 1866.

Lieutenant Colonel and Aide-de-Camp to Lieutenant General, August 1, 1870.

Lieutenant Colonel and Military Secretary to Lieutenant General, April 9, 1878.

Major and Assistant Adjutant General, June 7, 1883.

Colonel and Aide-de-Camp to General of the Army, June 1, 1888; vacated appointment on death of General of the Army, August 5, 1888.

On duty as Major and Assistant Adjutant General at War Department to October 31, 1889.

Adjutant General Department of the Platte from November 1, 1889, till November 28, 1893.

Lieutenant Colonel and Assistant Adjutant General, July 9, 1892.

Adjutant General Department of Dakota from November 29, 1893.

Colonel and Assistant Adjutant General, January 25, 1897.

Member Military Order Loyal Legion, and Grand Army of the Republic.