

Dear Father:

It has been
so stormy that the trustees
~~do not~~ have not had a
meeting since I spoke to
them consequently they
have done nothing in
regard to the lecture.
I saw Mr Dunham the minister
& he said he thought if
it were possible to have
it after Lent it would
be better. The town is full

we run out of coal but ~~the~~
did not mind little things like
that. We managed to get the
plumber up who tore our bath
room all to pieces & then left
us but he allowed me hours
to turn the water off each night
& we have not had trouble
with pipes freezing since if he
hadn't gotten around apt to
break us up. Every body in town
needed plumbers & carpenters
& so we must wait our turn.

of Episcopalians & they
would not care a great
many of them; to go
during Lent & there are
many of them that would
like so much to hear you
& told Chancery to telegraph
you. "Lecture off letter follows"

& I hope he has not
forgotten to. If we can
get you after Lent
without discommoding
your plans we will
then do every thing
fine. Chancery was
snowed in Philadelphia
three days & did not get

home until Wednesday night
We had a very cold time of
it here our library was
49° & 50° for three days but we
could keep baby's room good
& warm so we abandoned
the rest of the house & moved
meals & lived in that room
we could scatter at even time
to our separate rooms & kept
very warm during the night
Our bath room froze up &

Our milk man was more
fortunate than some others
& so we did not have to go
without milk but two
meals. The grocery man
got here each day &
so we got through very
nicely although Chancy
worried a good deal about
us. He telegraphed me
so I knew he was in
Phil. but no letters could
reach us & so we were
worried about him. We
are all pretty well &
do hope Mother & Bessie
are none the worse for
the storm. He will be

Love
from
daughter

Alice

February nineteenth.

[1897]

sorry not to have you
for a lecture but you
must come down & stay
all night Sat. night &
go to New Brunswick
from here Sunday

We will all be very
much disappointed if
you do not. It rained
last night & is melting
today so the snow will
soon be gone if this
keeps up. Please do not
forget to come & stay with

no all right. If you speak in
New Brunswick in the afternoon
you can get a train out all
right but there is no early
train from here that would
get you there for a morning
service. If I remember right
you said you would speak
in N.B. in afternoon. With love
to all & sincerely hoping that I
have not caused you to lose any
things by this posthumous I am

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Gen. O. O. Howard,
#12 Fifth Avenue,
New York City.

Dear Uncle Otis:-

In reply to your postcard, Capt. Wilson's initials were James I.; his wife, Josephine M.; certificate No. 598,092; Co. "C," 36th Illinois Infantry. Capt. Wilson's pension number was 421,680.

I hope you are all well. We have been wishing for some time that we might be well enough at our house to have Bessie come out and stay with us for a while, and I think the time has arrived. Could not Bessie come out and spend a month or two in this part of the country? We all want to see her, and I know she has a good many friends besides those at Glencoe.

Affectionately your nephew,

Alley Howard

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James I. Wilson

Ries-Strauss Company.

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Danville, Illinois, 17 February 1899

General O O Howard
Burlington, Vt.

Dear Sir

Will you be kind enough to leave my
know the exact date of your retirement
from the Army of the United States.

Thanking you in advance for the
trouble I am causing you, I am

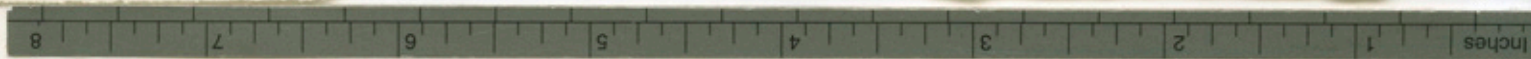
Very respectfully yours
Frank J. Livengood

Ries-Strass Company.

Danville, Illinois, 17 February 1887

General O. O. Howard
Quincy, Ill.

Dear Sir
I have the great pleasure to learn of
the coming of the United States
Thanking you in advance for the
trouble and expense you have
taken in forwarding me
this report of the
United States



Genl O.O. Howard
U.S. Army

12-5th Avenue
New York

WATERVLIET ARSENAL

WATERVLIET, N. Y.

Feb 17- 1899

My dear General

You may know that in June next the position of Chief of Ordnance becomes vacant by the retirement of Genl Hagler.

I find that some of my juniors, notably Maj Reilly whom you doubtless will recall, are trying to gain the promotion, and I am therefore

called upon to protect myself from such injustice.

I do not seek promotion over my seniors, Col Nittermire and Col Beaufington, but my services to the Fort have always been so marked that I do not deserve to be passed over by a junior.

I have to ask the aid of my friends and am come to you to ask your assistance in such

manner and to such extent as you may be able and disposed to give.

If political influence is to decide without regard to service, merit or seniority, I must doubtless see myself passed over, still I hope my friends may cause some consideration to be given to my claims.

With kind regards
Yours very truly
A. W. Woodcock
Col. Q. M.

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Genl O. O. Howard
Fifth Ave. Hotel,
City

Dear General Howard:

The enclosed letter breathes
so true a spirit that I wish to be most
careful in giving the writer the very best
information upon the subject. Want you
kindly tell me what to say to her? —
& oblige
Yours very truly
Myra Lockett Avery

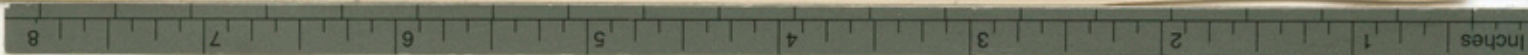
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New York city.

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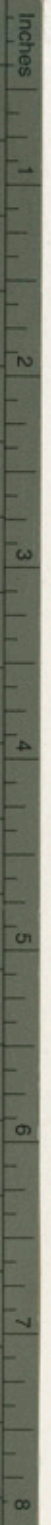
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To Gen O. O. Howard W. S. A. 1899
Pardon my presumption in sending you a few
thoughts. Written for Washington Birth Day Feb 22^d 1899

The Volunteers!

The Murch Men of Freedom -
Schemers of Liberty;

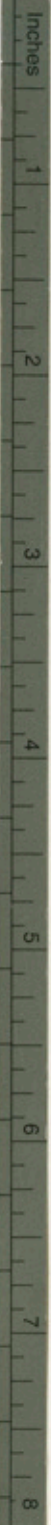
Who March at the Rally Arm

To strengthen the regular Army!

At the Signal guns of Lexington! They Will not
on Bunker Hill - for that Seven long Years Campaign
to Yorktown's Glorious Victory!
That makes this - Washington's Natl Day -

Holiest of American history!

At Sumter's treason Guns - They Strongly Wp -
As from the Earth - saying "We are coming
Foster Abraham in countless millions strong!
to follow Old John Brown's soul marching on, -
To appointing! rebellious surrender -
to grant the Great Grant's prayer
"Let us have peace!"



To Gen. O. O. Howard
Washington D.C. Oct 22, 1877
Pardon my presentation in sending you a few
lines. Written for Washington D.C. Oct 22, 1877

The Abolitionists!

The present form of freedom -
abolition of slavery!
The great at the North
to strengthen the Republic
At the capital form of legislation, the United
in Southern Hills - for that long day
to strengthen's growing history!
that would this Washington, D.C.
History of American history!
At Washington's tower - history of
as from the East - "The Great
State of Ohio is a mighty nation
to follow the great form of history
to appear at: abolition, slavery
to point the great form of
"The American!"

To Stringy Cubas - Oh - "help us on the die!"
The sympathetic spirit of freedom responded,
"We Come! We Come!"
And at "Remember the Maine!"
and the treachery of Spain!
and made her proud soul of arrogance
bit the dust and sue for peace!

To the brave volunteers
all hail! - and God Speed!
Memory chafes its tears -
of true love and reverence
on their silent shelter tents.
"Gloria & Calais" - Mr. Admire &

Confidentially - Berkeley's Stephen's Pushing -

Lieut S. Hastings, our humble unknown. -

Feb 18, 1899
Written Feb 16, 1899 -
10 1/2 Walnut St. 1/2

Huguenot, Georgia.
Feb. 19, 1899.

Maj. Gen. Oliver O. Howard,
Burlington, Vt.

Distinguished Sir:-

Will you
kindly favor me with one
of your autographs for
myself and one for a
friend. I assure you they
will both be highly appre-
ciated. I remain

Yours very respectfully
Joel H. DuBoise
Huguenot, Geo.

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Washington, D.C.
Feb. 19, 1887.

Mr. Ben Oliver O. Johnson,
Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:

Will you

kindly favor me with one
of your autographs for
myself and one for a
friend. I assure you they
will both be highly appreciated.
Yours very respectfully

John H. Johnson
Washington, D.C.

Dear General Howard:

Your note inclosing
the button found me ill
with the current "Grippe"-
but am much better now-
and am going into the
country for a few days'
change-

I want to thank you very
much for the button!

I am expecting Mother and
Laura home within the
next ten days. I shall be
glad to see them- and have
been delighted at the ac-
counts they have given of
their visiting and sight-seeing

I hope you and yours are

all well.

I received a paper - "The New York Sun" - several days ago - with a letter of yours in it concerning the new idea of a "Lincoln Memorial University" I hope to be able to send, at least, five dollars to you before many weeks go round - for the fund.

With very best regards to all - especially yourself in which Dr. joins me -

Yours Sincerely

Clara H. McDonald

916 Market St. S.F.

February 20 - 1899.

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San Sebastian, Manila, P.I.
Feb. 25th, 1899.

Gen. O. O. Howard
10 & 23d Street
New York City

My dear Uncle,

Your kind letter of the 6th. of January just to hand.

I am most grateful to you for your interest and efforts in my behalf. I wrote to you as I did because you and Otis are the only two persons to whom I feel free to write all my tribulations. If I get any other help I must show up a balance. I hate to ask favors and have very few real friends in a position to grant them.

I shall be much interested in your book and shall procure one. I am not certain that we are ~~now~~ "fighting for humanity" just now unless it is humane to kill off the overflowing surplus of semi-barbaric brown people inhabiting these islands.

I am now in town for a three days rest after fifteen days in the trenches in front of Manila. Two companies of the regiment are sent in at one time. They are always anxious to get back notwithstanding the luxury of baths, good beds and clean clothes which they enjoy while in town.

These brown legions have evidently been misled by unscrupulous leaders who either do not or will not understand the situation and the opportunities for stable and liberal government offered them.

Our regiment has had no street fighting. The line around the city is about 20 miles and on some part of it there is fighting every day. The insurgents always get worked but never seem to get disheartened. I am getting used to mouser bullets, I don't like them any better for getting used to them, but am getting so I rather enjoy a hot fusillade.

Sorry to hear that John's health is bad. I have never had better health than since I have been here, - my health has been unusual as most of the officers and men have been sick at one time or another. Not a man from my company has died and there have been but two wounded.

I am glad to hear from the number of friends and relatives you mention in your letter. I hear from Frank once in a while, and from this by every mail.

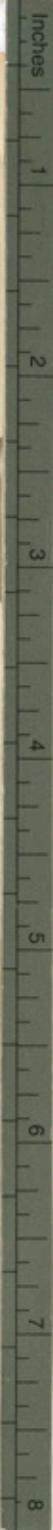
It looks as tho' some one were trying to stir up a mess about this army similar to that created in relation to the Cuban army. In October the rations were poor, those companies which had no funds suffered, but the rations improved in November and are now good in every respect. I have plenty of money in my savings fund and buy all the market affords.

We have some expectation of being in Denver in May or June. The 20th. Infy. arrived yesterday, being the first of those supposedly sent to relieve us.

Remember me to any one inquiring.

Affectionately, Your nephew
David Howard

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New Brunswick, N.J.
2/20/99.

Dear Genl. Howard,

Our pastor Rev. Dr. W. W. Knox,
1st Presbyterian Church would be pleased to
have you occupy his pulpit next Sabbath
morning if you can do so. We remember
your speaking there in the past with
great pleasure*. We had the pleasure
of having you in our home when here
once before and should have been glad
to welcome you again, but our Genl.
Secty - Mr. Fry had made arrangements
with Col. Jauway and I know he
can entertain you most royally -
My wife you will recall is a Maine
woman and she takes a very deep
interest in Maine people, especially those
who have distinguished themselves.
She sends her kindest regards -

With best wishes

Respectfully & very sincerely

D. C. English

* You will doubtless recall
the address in our Church you made
at the U. M. C. S. Anniversary 20 years
or so ago when the Church was packed
to its utmost capacity.

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If it is rather much to ask that you
speak 3 times on the Sabbath we should
be glad to have you speak a few
minutes 5 or 10, occupying the pulpit
with Dr. Kunk and he preaching
a shorter sermon than usual.
I should have suggested Sabbath
Evening but I heard that Col.
Jeneway would like you to speak
at his Mission in the Evening and
I would not wish to interfere with
his desire in the matter. They are
doing a good work there and your
speaking might do more good than
in a Church possibly. E.

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Mr L. P. Stone of
Levellys Park, Champs
Ely, Jersey sends \$300.
for the Lincoln Memorial
unusually -

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Mrs. L. P. Stone,
Orange, N.J.