

Gap? Second <sup>(2)</sup>. At what compensation if employed?

Third, what shall be his status? Or what department or ~~department~~ <sup>Division</sup> shall he superintend?

My comments are ~~all questions~~ <sup>of employed</sup> He must ~~be~~ <sup>be</sup> a trustee. Better give him one ~~department~~ <sup>Division</sup>, viz: Printing & Engraving ~~Department~~ <sup>Division</sup> including Stenography and Typewriting. And call him "Superintendent of <sup>Printing</sup> ~~Department~~ <sup>Division</sup>". (over)

Gen. O. O. HOWARD,  
U. S. ARMY, RETIRED.  
166 COLLEGE ST.

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Burlington, Vt. July 13-99.  
Char. F. Eager, Esq.,  
Cumberland Gap.

Dear Mr Eager:-  
Yours of July 8<sup>th</sup> at hand concerning Cyrus Kehr, Esq. Will you kindly call together the Executive Committee, Mr Meyers and whoever else of our board may be within your reach and consider first - shall Mr Kehr be employed at Cumberland

least \$<sup>4</sup>500. to start with  
to remove his family  
and belongings to  
Cumberland Gap. I have  
not yet been able to collect  
in <sup>all</sup> the subscriptions. Some  
of them I cannot get  
till next year, so that  
I cannot promise the  
\$500. or the salary at present

(d) Mr Larray is to help  
me raise his salary.

If we succeed he will  
then move to Cumberland  
Gap. He was to take the  
Printing and what  
goes with it. He is  
already helping in that  
Division, getting up the  
catalogue and circulating.

(3)  
This Division is of course  
one of those belonging  
to our "Industrial  
Department" already  
named in our circular  
(b) His salary should not  
exceed that of the Principal  
of our Academic Course  
~~See~~ ~~(c)~~ This salary should  
be provided <sup>beforehand</sup> so that  
he will be paid monthly  
after he begins his  
work.

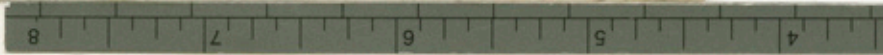
(c) The projects of other  
industries had better  
be delayed for the present.  
As I understand Mr  
Kehr he must have at

in <sup>5</sup>formation I have  
also <sup>already</sup> through Mr Hubert  
and otherwise printed  
matter concerning the  
Municipality in hundreds  
of news papers - this  
far out of my own  
pocket.

(e) I do not think it wise  
to project much till both  
mortgages are fully paid  
and I ask the Executive  
Committee and every member  
of the Board to help me  
do this one thing, viz:

Pay off the debt. - Let it  
be a strong pull and  
a pull altogether.

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PACIFIC GAS IMPROVEMENT CO.  
CORNER OF ANNIE AND STEVENSON STS.

San Francisco, July 13th, 1899. 189

Gen'l. O. O. Howard,  
#156 College St. Burlington, Vt.

Dear Sir:-

In answer to your inquiry concerning the reduction in the price of gas, I beg to state that the reduction went into effect on the first day of July. I presume you are aware of the difficulties which existed between the city of San Francisco and the gas companies from some time in March; also of the fact that on April 3rd the Board of Supervisors passed an ordinance establishing the rate of \$1.10 per 1000 cubic feet in San Francisco. I enclose you two clippings from the "Call", which give as fair an idea as any of the other papers of the settlement, and how it was arrived at.

Yours truly,

*Boymiller*

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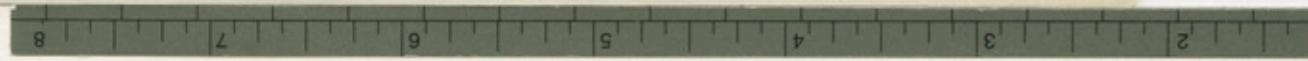
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GAS IMPROVEMENT CO.

Gen'l. G. H. Howard,  
West College St. Burlington, Vt.

Dear Sir:-  
In answer to your inquiry concerning the reduction in price of gas, I beg to state that the reduction was made effective the first day of July. I presume you are aware of the fact that the Board of Supervisors passed an ordinance establishing the rate at \$1.10 per 1000 cubic feet in Gas Burlington. I enclose you two clippings from the "Call", which give as full an idea as any of the other papers of the settlement, and how it was arrived at.

Yours truly,

John S. Fiske



and Works,

34 RICHMOND STREET.

HALE LARRY, EDITOR.  
J. O. RANDALL, ASSOCIATE.  
G. G. FRASER, MANAGER.


Providence, R. I., July 13 1899.

Dear Genl:

I enclose you  
a few L. M. U. postals.  
I think they will go ok,  
as there has lately been  
a decision of more  
liberality toward private  
cards.

You asked me about  
letter heads. I think  
500 letter size will cost  
\$2.00 perhaps 2.50

If you like the cards  
I will send you more.

If the f. m. objects, ask  
him about the late  
decision against the 

404 Asst. Jones's writing.  
He may not know of  
it. He must keep  
the Memorial idea  
before the people and  
every director and other  
official can help by  
letter heads, cards,  
and especially these folders  
Am bustling on the cata-  
logue just now. Shall  
get out "University" edition  
of J. & W. next week.

Don't think I expect  
a reply to all these letters  
I send. I take it for granted  
you will write where necessary  
and that you are glad to  
hear of any work done.

Yours fraternally  
John Hale Barry.



no time to take up the matter of further subscriptions, but hope soon to have more leisure and pay more attention to this matter.

I shall see Messrs. Huntington and Converse I hope very soon. Mr. Converse has just completed the amalgamation of the 80,000 000 capital of the National Tool Works. This has occupied him so that he will give attention to nothing until this is entirely completed, so that by and by I shall hope to have an interview with him on this subject. I think we should arrange some communication now to the General public, soliciting a contribution, which I feel quite sure will be effective in securing considerable money.

If I go to New England this summer, which I expect to do, may I come to see you at Burlington?

This morning I would give much to again catch the refrain of the "unchangeable rocks" of the Cumberland Mountains, which I heard in May last. The reverberations still come to me, and I shall never forget your grand old anthems. I am sure the Imminent God was charmed by the harmony, gratified by the spirit, and gave his benediction on all of your aspirations and purposes. Your song on that occasion was for angels and men. It was a splendid tribute to the watchful Puritan spirit of your cradle hood. I believe its influence will go out to mankind, through the avenues of the Infinite, although the one auditor be silent forever.

It was a glorious oratorio which thrilled the giants of the forest and quickened the great Nirvana to sense, the high development of a human soul. If Buddha be true, you may quickly return again to earth by and by, not as the "inanimate rock", but as the spirit of song to charm and inspire a loftier civilization.



July 13, 1899.

Gen. O. O. Howard,  
Burlington, Vt.

Dear General,

Thanks for your kind letter of the 12th inst. I am sure that I am with you in spirit in regard to the voluntary service. We certainly should expect the cordial cooperation of all of the teachers in all religious work, but it should be voluntary in my judgment.

#### YOUR REMITTANCES

You are right. I have received as follows - E.S. Converse \$1,000, Mr. Avery \$100., Mr. Browning \$100., and Messrs. Plunkett \$100., all of which I have deposited. In order to save interest, I promptly made remittance to the Columbian Finance & Trust Co. of \$1,000, and have the acknowledgement of same. After paying this \$1,000 and after depositing \$300. to the credit of Mr. Eager, the balance to the credit of the Lincoln Mem. University is \$198.25.

#### FURTHER SUBSCRIPTIONS

I have been so busily engaged in going to the furnace in Pennsylvania and in regulating our shipments of ore, etc., all of which are exceedingly vital to us, that I really have had

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59, 61, 63, 65, 67 Pearl St., } Brooklyn, N. Y.

Burlington Branch,

55 Church Street.

Burlington, Vt., July 13th, 1899

Gen. O. O. Howard,

Dear Sir:- Agreeable to the promise made you last Sunday evening, that I would be one of five to take a scholarship at Snow Hill school, I enclose five dollars.

It was my intention to see you, as I wished to know something of your personal work, but as I am called out of the city to-day, shall have to forego that pleasure.

Yours truly,

M. J. Norris.

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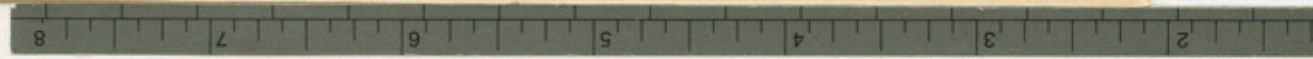
10 Church Street

Burlington, Vt. July 13th, 1889

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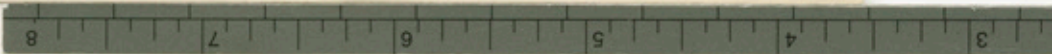




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Dear Mother

I received your kind letter  
of the 10th and was glad to  
hear from you. I am well  
and hope these few lines  
will find you the same.  
I have not much news to  
write at present. I am  
still in the same place  
and doing the same work.  
I have not seen any of  
our friends here. I have  
not time to write you  
more fully. I must close  
for this time. Write soon.  
Your affectionate son,  
John Smith



Monoie Nebraska July 14/99

Dear General Howard:-

I addressed  
you some time ago at your  
office in N. Y., but as I have  
received no reply I fear that  
the letter may not have reached  
you.

The work here is now in good  
running order. All the societies  
are up to full strength. This,  
people say has not been the case  
here for several years. The finances  
also look well. The people have  
provided nearly twice as much for  
the W. M. as any other time before.  
Some of the other benevolences have  
also been remembered.

On May 5<sup>th</sup> I was ordained to  
preach the Gospel. There was

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in my heart than a determination  
to work faithfully for the Master.  
A determination which constantly  
grows stronger.

As a member of Columbus association  
I have met many of the ministers  
and laymen. I have already  
made one exchange and will soon  
make another. This keeps me  
in touch with other churches.

From time to time I read  
items in papers in reference to  
your connection with Lincoln  
Herley and I remember you in  
my prayers.

Trusting that the Divine Blessing  
may rest on your labors I remain  
Yours for souls  
Willie



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Genl O. O. Howard  
Burlington, Vt

My dear Sir

Yours Rec'd

As you did not mention it,  
may I ask if you will make  
or do not you approve of making any  
reduction in price for a work  
or more engagements, consecutively  
in near by towns?

Send me at  
least 100 Circulars & oblige

Very truly yours

J. A. Graff

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The American Trio.  
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The Artists' Trio.  
The Scharwenka Trio.  
The Philharmonic Trio.  
The Elmwood Trio.  
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Tremont Orchestra.

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F. O. Harrell.  
L. A. Brignati.  
Prof. Bennet Springer.

**C. A. Maxwell,**  
ATTORNEY AT LAW.

**W. H. Roach,**  
(Ex-U. S. Senator),  
SOLICITOR.

ATLANTIC BUILDING,

Washington, D. C., July 14, 1899.

Maj. Gen. O. O. Howard,  
U. S. Army, retired,  
Burlington, Vt.

Dear Sir:

We are in receipt of your endorsement on our letter to you of the 7th instant, stating you have been away for eight months and do not find the papers referred to, and wishing to know if there is anything in your case worth bothering about, and in reply thereto we have to say, that under the act of 1838, officers of the Army in the regular or volunteer service <sup>or both</sup> are entitled to an additional ration for each period of five years service, the value of which was fixed at thirty cents per day and amounted to \$109.50 per year. The Supreme Court of the United States has decided that service at the Military Academy is service in the Army. You served at the Academy from September 1, 1850, to July 1, 1854, a period of three years and ten months, which at thirty cents a day amounted to \$418.50, and you are entitled to credit for that amount on each period of five years of your service <sup>as to rations</sup> up to the act of July 15, 1870, which changed the law to a per centum compensation, and after that date a like credit on each period of five years service until it reached the full forty per centum. Perhaps it would be more proper to say that after the act of 1870, you were entitled to ten per cent increase of your grade three years and ten months earlier, being the time of your service at the Academy, on each period of five years service until the forty per centum was reached.

We enclose you herewith, papers for your signature that will enable us to appear in the executive departments and the courts, and if you desire any further information we shall be glad to furnish it.

Very truly,

*C. A. Maxwell*  
*W. H. Roach*

W. H. French  
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G. A. Maxwell  
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ALABAMA

Washington D. C. July 4, 1862

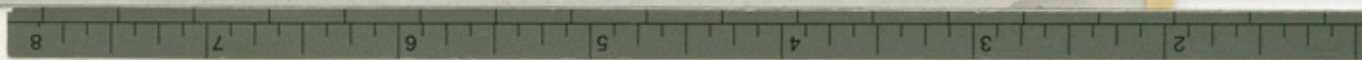
Major Gen. G. B. Howard,  
U. S. Army, retired,  
Burlington, Vt.

Dear Sir:

We are in receipt of your endorsement on our letter to you of  
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 had time to reply to you, and wishing to know if there is any-  
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 you desire any further information we shall be glad to furnish it.

Very truly,  
 G. A. Maxwell  
 W. H. French



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Cable Address: "STAMPPIX,"  
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*218 Fourth Avenue.*

*New York.*

July 15th, '99.

Gen. O. O. Howard,

Burlington. Vt.

Dear General Howard:-

Many thanks for your  
check for \$20., commission on  
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Yours Very Truly,

*J. B. Pond.*

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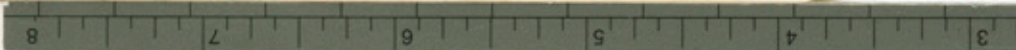
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LAW DEPARTMENT  
HOWARD UNIVERSITY,  
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JAMES F. BUNDY, A. M., LL. M.,  
SECRETARY AND TREASURER.

Washington, D. C., July 15, 1899. 189

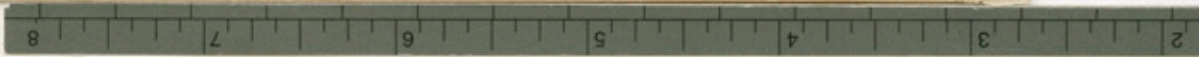
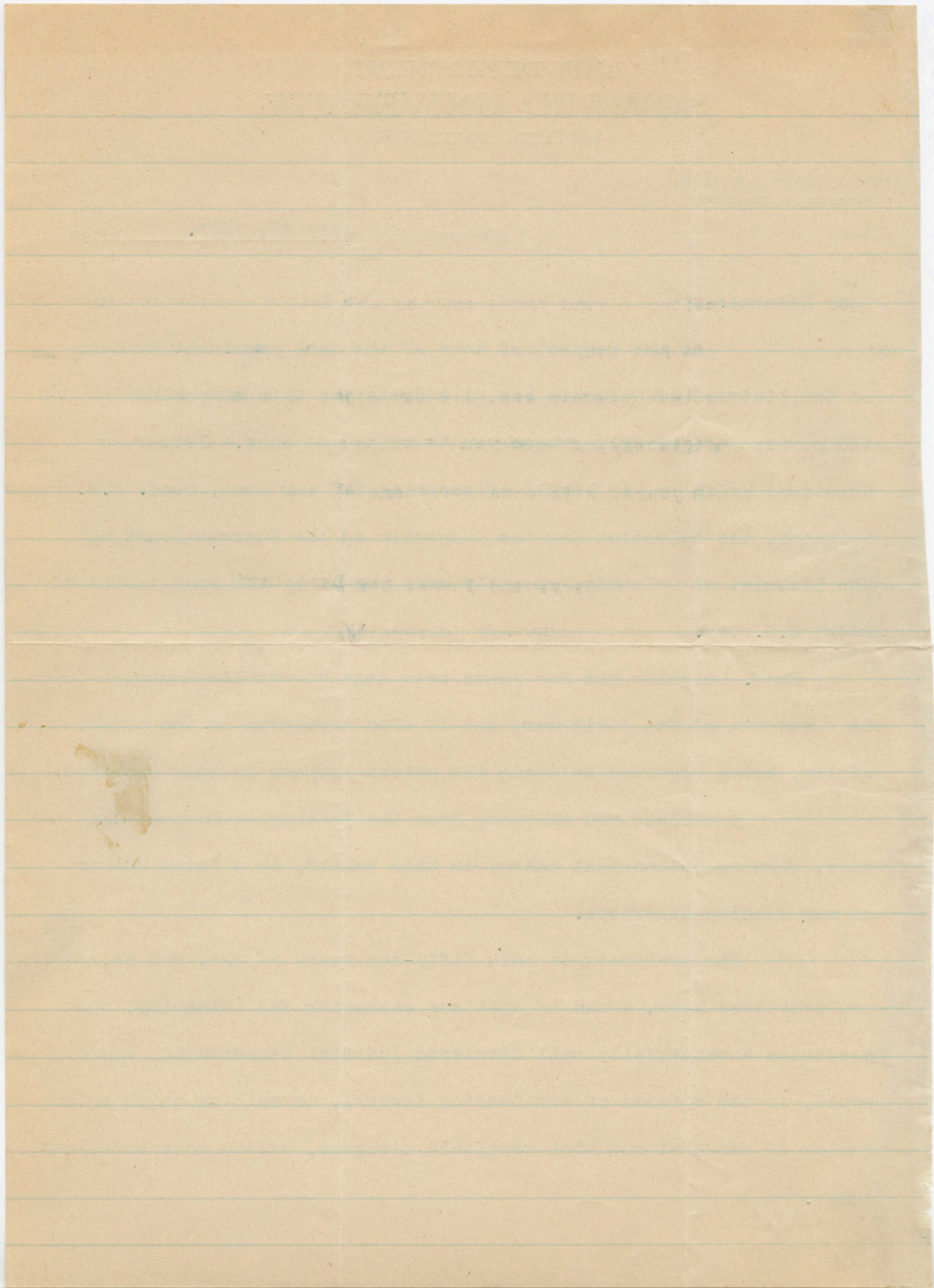
Dear General:-

At the request of some of the most prominent members of the District of Columbia bar, I address you this communication for the purpose of prevailing upon you to write, at once, a letter to President McKinley, in behalf of securing for our dean, Prof. B.F. Leighton, the selection for the judgeship of the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia, recently made vacant by the resignation of Judge W.S. Cox.

Prof. Leighton has for years been dean of our law department, is a veteran of the civil war, and is also a veteran in the practice of law, being regarded as among the ablest lawyers in this District.

I enclose you clipping from the "Washington Post" of this date, showing action just taken, in this behalf, by a large number of our leading attorneys.

The professor is only fifty-one years of age, and is, as you doubtless know, a man of spotless character and integrity, and possesses a wonderfully well developed judicial temperament, and would, in the opinion of our leading lawyers, as well as quite a large number of our best and most reputable citizens, make a most excellent judge.





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Washington, D. C., ..... 189

Herewith, I send you a copy of our latest catalogue, in  
which you will see his cut.

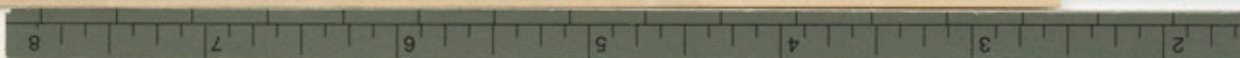
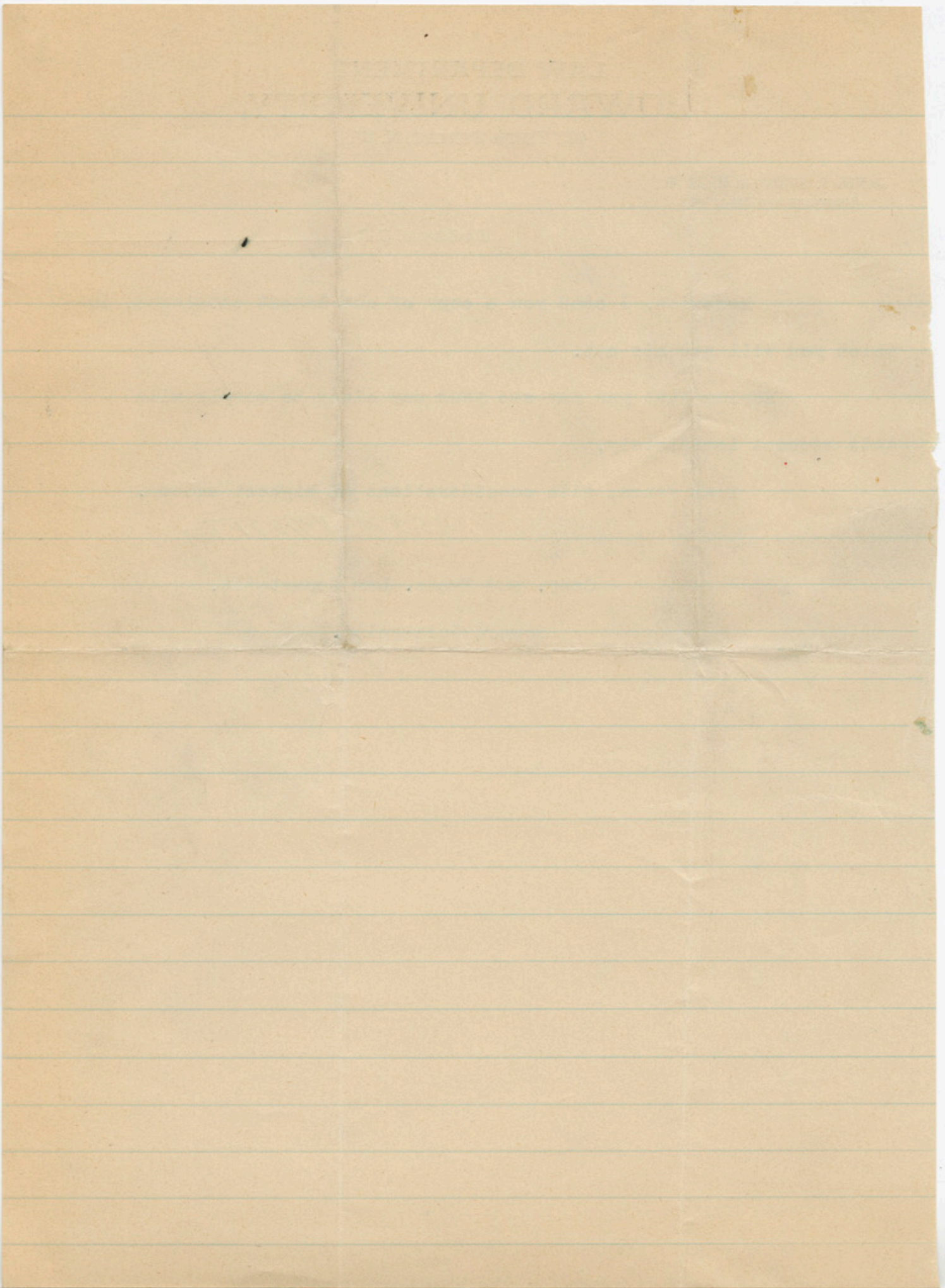
Hoping that you may see your way clear to comply with  
this request immediately,

I am yours, with considerations of highest esteem,

*James F. Bundy*

Secy. and Treas. Law Department,

Howard University.



The International Committee of Young Men's Christian Associations,  
3 West Twenty-Ninth Street, New York City.

THOMAS K. CREE,  
SECRETARY.

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July 15, 1899.

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

Dear General Howard:-

I thank you for \$10.00 kindly sent in payment of balance of subscription of \$15.00 to work of International Committee for 1898, for which I take pleasure in enclosing a receipt.

I have heard nothing about arrangements for a Young Men's Christian Association day at Chataugua, but will refer the matter to Mr. Morse, who will know all about it. Indeed, I did not know a Young Men's Christian Association day was proposed there. I am quite sure you could not only give them a good lecture, but that your name would draw, and that has to be counted on these days.

I wish very much you could go to the Philippines. We ought to have a more active evangelistic work going on among the soldiers and sailors there than we have. I consider it a rare opportunity.

Truly yours,

Thomas K. Cree

The International Committee of Young Men's Christian Associations,  
3 West Twenty-Ninth Street, New York City.

July 18, 1888.

General G. O. Howard,  
188 College St.,  
Burlington, Vt.

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Truly yours,

Thomas A. Cox



Chas. D. Sibley,

Printer,

~~10 and 12 Vandewater Street,~~  
441 Pearl St

New York,

July 15

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Gen. O. C. Howard

10 East 23<sup>d</sup>.

Dear Sir. I sent a boy to the  
above address and he reported  
that you were not there any more  
now as I desire to secure your  
auto graph in one of your  
own books for my autograph  
library. I take this way of  
finding out what your  
address at present time may  
be. If you will kindly inform  
me I can then send book for  
your autograph providing I  
am not taking too many  
liberties in asking for same.

Hoping that at some future  
time I may be able to repay  
the favor I remain

Yours sincerely  
Edwin H. Hibley

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EDITORIAL ROOMS

THE SATURDAY EVENING POST

PHILADELPHIA

PUBLISHED BY  
THE CURTIS PUBLISHING COMPANY

July 16, 1899.

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

Dear Sir:-

*We beg to enclose to you herewith our check*  
for **twenty dollars (\$20.00)** -- in payment of your  
article on the "Issues of 1900,"

*which we have accepted for publication in THE SATURDAY  
EVENING POST.*

*The Curtis Publishing Company*

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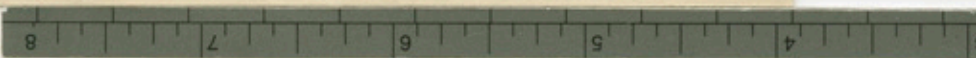
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WAR DEPARTMENT,  
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE  
WASHINGTON.

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July 17, 1899.

My dear General Howard:

I thank you so much for your kind letter of July 7th. To have earned the good opinion of Senator Frye is not to have lived in vain, and to have earned yours is certainly a delightful satisfaction.

The name of your son was brought before the President, but his present physical condition barred him from favorable consideration. If we should raise other regiments, which is not wholly improbable, and your son should have returned to the health which you so happily suggest, it will then give me great pleasure to bring his name again to the President, and to recommend his appointment, but as it now stands, youth and vigor are essential.

These regiments, it is expected, will be sent to the Philippines immediately upon the completion of their organization, so that full strength is absolutely essential.

Faithfully yours,

*A. C. Corbin*

Adjutant General.

General O. O. Howard,  
No. 156 College Street,  
Burlington, Vermont.

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WAR DEPARTMENT  
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE  
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*H. G. Corbin*

Adjutant General.

General G. O. Howard,  
No. 122 College Street,  
Burlington, Vermont.

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July 15<sup>th</sup> 99

Gen B. Q. Howard.

Dear Comrade

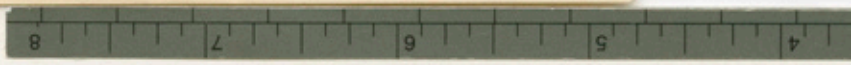
Could you send me the first  
field order after you took  
command of the army of  
the Tennessee

Yours Respectfully

Henry Casey  
Bloomington O

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ORION M. BARBER,  
AUDITOR.

OFFICE OF

*Auditor of Accounts.*

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BENNINGTON, Vt., July 17th, 1899.

Gen. O. O. Howard,

156 College St.,

Burlington, Vt.

Dear Sir:-

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your favor of the 13th inst.

Harry Wells made a claim under number 86 of the acts of the General Assembly of Vermont for the year 1898 and has received the amount allowed him by me, pursuant to the provisions thereof. I do not know of any statute giving me, as auditor, any further authority in the premises.

While personally, under the circumstances of his case, as you state them, I am inclined to do all that the law warrants, yet I do not see how I can use the funds of the state of Vermont to give him "an assured income" pending the consideration of his application for pension by the general government.

If the friends of Mr. Wells will call my attention to any statute which authorizes action upon my part, I shall be glad to consider his case.

Very truly,

*Orion Barber*

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OFFICE OF  
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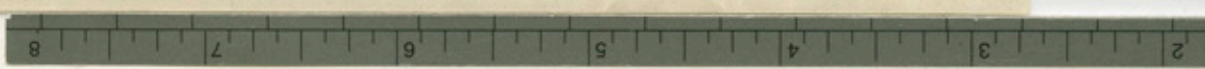
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*Orion M. Barber*



July 17th, 1899.

My dear General Howard:-

This is just a line to advise you of our acceptance of your article The Issues of 1900. The usual check will be sent you on the 25th of this month.

Thanking you for your kindness in keeping us in mind and awaiting your further favors with much interest, I remain

Very truly yours,

*Geo. W. Lammie*

Major-General O.O. Howard.

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Antiquary Room The National Academy of Sciences Philadelphia

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*Wm. Brewster*

Major-General O.O. Howard.

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P.O. & R.R. STATION,  
SARANAC INN.

PINE BROOK CAMP,  
UPPER SARANAC LAKE, N.Y.

July 17, 99

Dear General Howard

Thanks & con-  
gratulations for  
the statement  
in yr of the 13<sup>th</sup>

I am very  
Sincerely

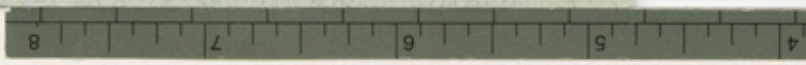
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and to your  
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hands are full

Very truly  
yours  
L. J. Martin



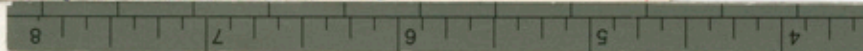
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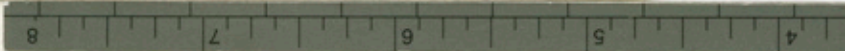
Please  
accept my thanks  
for the book you so  
kindly sent to me.

Sincerely yours,  
Minnie E. Roberts.

232 South Willard Street,  
July seventeenth. 1899



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CHURCH NEWS ASSOCIATION,  
111 FIFTH AVE., NEW YORK.

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July 17, 1899.

My dear General:-

Just back from Worcester where my uncle was taken down with nervous prostration. I took charge of matters for a few days but expect to go back there to help him out on his paper. He has turned to me and considered me capable of handling his paper - an unexpected compliment. This is why your letters have remained unanswred. I should have written you from Worcester but I did not have a moment to spare.

The editorial has been forwarded to the Saturday Evening Post. Nugent called while I was away and left one dollar,

for two books that he sold. I will  
send it as soon as I can get  
the two 50¢ pieces exchanged  
for a bill or a money order  
draft. He wants more  
books but I don't believe  
he ought to continue as I have  
several complaints in regard to  
methods. He goes to people  
and says that you suit  
~~them~~<sup>him</sup> there. We can't stand  
that. Besides he ought to  
get something better to do. He  
can't make a living selling  
books. You see he wrongfully  
uses your name and I  
don't want it to continue.  
Therefore I am not disposed  
to encourage <sup>him</sup> as he does not  
sell enough to warrant being

exclusively employed for  
that purpose. Now as to  
this letter you sent me. Now  
drop it out of your mind. The  
above clipping closes the  
~~the~~ matter. You will remember  
Hearst of the Journal writing  
to you asking if you would  
serve on that committee of  
\$100. You declined but he  
insisted on putting your  
name on the list. This  
clipping is out of this morn-  
ing's paper and the town  
has won the cannon. It is  
a scheme of the Journal &  
you have not been imposed  
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I will send you book  
tonight. I am just swamped  
with work, I will be the  
next victim to nervous prostration.  
Camp goes away for a week  
or so & I have got to take  
charge of matters. I am afraid  
I have not covered everything  
for you. my head is so full  
I dont know just where I am  
at. Rest all you can  
and let me know if there  
is anything more I can do  
for you.

Yours very sincerely

William C. Howland



Camp Memorial Church and Mission,

Board of Trustees.

GEN. O. O. HOWARD.  
CALEB B. KNEVALS.  
FREDERICK A. CAMP.  
NATHAN H. CAMP.

JOHN H. MEYERHOLZ.

141 Chrystie Street,

Bet. Broome and Delancey Sts.

Rev. H. G. MILLER, Pastor.

New York, July 17<sup>th</sup> 1899

Dear General

Yours of the 11<sup>th</sup> inst. offering your resignation as trustee of Camp Memorial Church was not received by me until last Friday evening. I felt at once that it could not be accepted even though you could not attend the meetings of the board. We knew that you could not attend and it was not required of you.

Saturday morning I showed your letter to Mr Knevals. He also regrets that you wish to sever your connection with us and joins me in saying that the board will not accept your resignation.

Camp Memorial Church and Mission

141 Christie Street,

Brooklyn, N.Y.

Rev. H. G. MILLER, Pastor.

Board of Trustees

Geo. O. HOWARD

Chas. B. KEYSER

Frederic A. CAMP

Walter H. CAMP

John H. McVernon

New York, N.Y. 1891

Dear General

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Camp Memorial Church and Mission,

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New York, ..... 189

He also said that on account of ill health he had been compelled to resign from a number of associations but felt that he could not give up as a trustee of our little church and believed his services were needed there.

He hopes that you will feel the same way about it and reconsider your determination so do I.

Yours truly  
J H Meyerholz  
309 E 55<sup>th</sup>  
New York City

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Central Methodist Church in New York

141 Chrystie Street,

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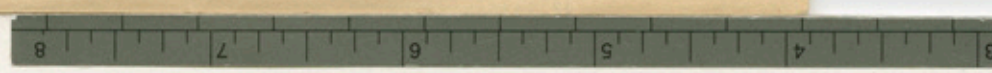
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New York,

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ALBERT B. CHANDLER, President.  
J. O. STEVENS, Sec'y. WM. H. BAKER, V. P. & G. M.

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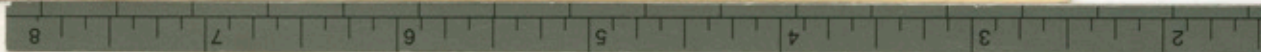
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ated *Pittsburgh, Ny. 17*  
*Gen. O.O. Howard*  
*156 College St.*

Received at  
**BURLINGTON, VT.**  
(WHERE ANY REPLY SHOULD BE SENT.)  
*July 17 1899*

*We returned yesterday morning. Many thanks for your letter. Have not heard from Hubbard's application*  
*Edmund Rice*



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No responsibility regarding messages attaches to this Company until the same are presented and accepted at one of its transmitting offices; and if a message is sent to such office by one of this Company's messengers, he acts for that purpose as the agent of the sender.

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

WILLIAM H. BAKER,  
V. P. and Gen'l Manager.

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