My dear Sir:—

The Sixth Annual Lake Mohonk Conference on International Arbitration will be held here Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, June 6th, 7th and 8th.

Mrs. Smiley joins me in extending to you and your wife a most cordial invitation to be present as our guests. We should be pleased to welcome you Tuesday afternoon, June 5th, so as to be at the opening meeting Wednesday morning. The closing session will be held Friday evening, and you are invited to remain until Saturday morning.

Enclosed time-table gives trains by which Mohonk is accessible. Tickets should be purchased to New Paltz only, where my carriage will meet you.

Hoping to hear that it will be possible for you to attend, believe me,

Very truly yours,

Albert K. Smiley,

To Gen. O. O. Howard.
March 14, 1920

My dear Sir:

The Sixtieth Annual Case Reporter Conference will be held next Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday, June 16, 17, and 18, at the Hotel Savoy. The Hotel is in the center of the City and is convenient to all railroads and street railway lines.

We shall be pleased to have you attend the Conference to be held on Thursday, June 17, at 9 o'clock at the Hotel Savoy, and to participate in the operations of the Conference. We shall send you a complete schedule of the Conference and you are invited to become a member of the Conference Committee.

We have taken the liberty of enclosing a blank card for you to return.

Very truly yours,

[Signature]

To Geo. C. O. General
April 16th, 1900.

O. O. Howard, Esq., Managing Director, Cumberland Gap, Tennessee.

Dear Sir:

Mr. Jesup desires me to acknowledge receipt of your letter, asking for a subscription for The Lincoln Memorial University at Cumberland Gap.

Mr. Jesup would like very much to comply with your request, but he is not in a position to do so, and will not be this year, as his engagements with institutions and charities of various kinds in this City are so large, as to preclude his taking up any new matters.

He desires me to thank you for your letter, and regrets that he is unable to respond.

Yours respectfully,

Benj. Strong,

Priv. Secy.
NEW YORK

April 16th, 1900

0.0. Hovarrd, Esq.

Campbell and Company

Dear Sir:

As I am engaged on some work connected
of your letter, seeking for a position at the firm
with University of Chicago.

I am afraid you will have to go to the liberty
not to be in a position to do so,

Thus end we to think you for your letter,

Yours obediently,

[Signature]

Peter, Sec'y

[Inscribed on the back: T. W. Moriss, Jesup,
8th Pine Street]
Gen. O.O. Howard,

Cumberland Gap, Tenn.

My Dear General:— I had hoped to be able to go to Cumberland Gap before this time, but it has been impossible for me to get away, and I do not see any prospect of doing so in the immediate future. Mrs. Kane leaves to-morrow for Hot Springs where she will spend some three weeks or more. I cannot leave home while she is away. I will send Mr. Hughes' letter to Dr. Pearson and will write him also. I have no doubt he will read it and hope it will make the desired impression.

We all have very pleasant recollections of your visit with us. Should I see my way clear to visit your school I will give ample notice of the time. Of course, while I would enjoy greatly having you there, it is not entirely necessary, as I could learn, practically, all I wish to know in your absence.

With best wishes, I am,

Yours very truly,

Dictated.

Thomas Kane
Chicago, Ill., January 10, 1903

Dear General:

I have the honor to offer to go to Company Gap

before the time, but it has been impossible for me to get away

and I have seen your prospect of going to the immediate future.

I have pleasure to mention that I am planning to visit the

waste of your town. I cannot leave home while the work will

continue. I have no

intention to do, but at present may I write the above.

I have no

opportunity to write you.

We will have very pleasant associations of your visit with

me. I am sorry I was not able to write you before I left the

state. Of course, while I would not hesitate to

you that it is not necessary. As I am not leaving business,

will I have to know to your advantage.

With best wishes, I am

Yours very truly,

[Signature]
Manilla, April 16, 1903

Dear General Sherman,

I have not sooner than when I wrote to the circular covering your proposal for the new gold patent for that you sent me because I have been waiting to hear from you. Some friends to whom I gave the account of C. E. and the point of view it has been very interesting. Some of the friends who do not recently visited have been much attracted and feel some of the poor feel the...
towards the poor whole child-
ren of an Industrial School
in Trouville. I have also
launched a similar idea on the
board of a Memorial Library
at the Free to see your coming
Cost. The Memorial Library has
not seemed to be sufficiently
needed when it arose, and
there has been a proposal that
it should be open to home
Trouton. Place it after some
months more of trial it shou-
not be more used when it
is and made self-supporting.
The Lib-

able broke especially in
the Department of History,
Science & The Fine Arts. How
my been asked to have such a
Library would be most useful
I was impressed that might
eventually be placed better
in the Lincoln Memorial
renovating the any other site
at the home. So you see
lie done now been talked to
for one of the board of
the library. I have not

I would say anything of a lib-

ary already established in
This fact, together with my two
pledged my interest this
year to a little industrial
school located here in the
past. Miss. Her son is the
one of Negro girls, very
able to attend my
one unable to attend.

But I shall
limitations. But I shall
make

With sympathy in the loss
of your son. Dear

Mary L. Wilson.
Mr. H. J. Gale, Phuntligh
Liverpool Road, Syracuse
Mr. J. C. H. Dr. D. J. Gale
This lady might use one of
her to good advantage as she
is now much interested in the
Poor Whites. She moves about
a good deal, as I suggest that
the circular should be closed
then they would follow her.
I shall add some more names
of people of liberal means
and sometimes liberal views.

Mrs. Henry White, 1105

Mr. Henry White
University Road
Cambridge, Mass.

Mr. R. Stewart Chase
53 Summer St.
Boston, Mass.

Mr. Arthur Nichols
Haverhill, Mass.

If addresses are desired
by the University Committee
I can send a few more if
April 16th, 1900.

General O. O. Howard.
Cumberland Gap, Tenn.

Dear Sir:—

Your communication of the 14th inst addressed to Mr. Ream has been duly received at this office. Mr. Ream has not been in Chicago for several weeks and I do not look for his return within less than about two weeks, at which time your letter will be duly placed before him.

Very respectfully,

[Signature]

Private Secretary.
April 16th, 1930

General O. Howard
Camp'=>$lang_footnote{2500}:m Island, Tenn.

Dear Sir:

Your communication of the 14th instant addressed to Mr. Ream has been
never received at this office. Mr. Ream has not been in Chicago for
seven weeks and I do not know from where these two
weeks' worth of your letter will be duly placed before him.

Very respectfully,

Private Secretary
April 16, 1900.

Mr. O. O. Howard

Managing Director, Lincoln Memorial University
Cumberland Gap, Tenn.

Dear Sir:-

Yours of April 14th is before me. The calls upon me are so numerous and pressing that I am obliged to decline your request to assist your university.

Yours truly,

S.E. Barrett.

W.
April 14, 1900

Mr. O. O. Howard,

Managing Director, Indiana Memorial University,

Cambridge, G. B.

Dear Sir:

Your letter of April 7th to Dr. Rice to which I referred may now be considered by you as the sole basis for your letter to me.

Yours truly,

E. R. Barrett.
April 16, 1900.

Ger. O. O. Howard,
Cumberland Gap, Tenn.

Dear Brother:

The enclosed from Commissioner Evans came to-day in your name and seeing it was from his office I opened it. I will retain a copy of it to show Mrs. Wilson.

What I am afraid of is that this special examiner, that he speaks of will be the same man who had the case before and who tried to make out that there was no pathological connection between the cause of Capt. Wilson's death and the disease resulting from his army service. I suppose I might add one bit of scientific testimony, as our Burt looked up the question, and found that trouble with the inner ear and deafness are among the stated results of typhoid fever, and as Capt. Wilson had typhoid fever according to the certificate of his regimental surgeon and became deaf soon after, that might be one of the connecting links. I think, however, that our greatest difficulty is to show that the disease for which he was pensioned in 1883, showing itself in deafness, was the beginning of that which caused his death. They might still hold that his death was caused by a new disease developed later in 1886 or 1887. In this new testimony which we have added we have it stated as the diagnosis of Dr. Beebe that the disease which caused his death was the same which caused his deafness. We have also the opinion of several of the friends who knew him, like myself, J. W. Wilson and Milton George. I do not see as we can strengthen this part, but if you
DEAR "O. HOWARD,

Chief Engineer, C. T. E.

DEAR MR. WILSON:

The enclosure from Commissioner heirs came to you in your
name and seems to have been delivered. I will return a
proof of it to you when I hear.

What I am afraid of is that this special examination will be
apt to affect the minds of many men and may the case getting
and trial to

make a point that there was no professional connection between the cases of
Dr. Wilson's health and the disease resulting from his work service.

I assure you I might be one of scientific testimony as our
spokesman speaks the same reason of the dignity of the patient
Wilson and living years never occasioned to the consultation of the registrant
surgery and possess great power that might be of the accomplishment
trifles. I think however, that our executive authority to know that
the disease for which we were destined In 1864, among them in fact.

The official was the beginning of that which caused the death.

What has been that which we cause of a new disease developed later
in to 1864. I am told that our testimony which we have already
of seven we whose cases are extensive. We have also the opinion
of several of the civilars whom I know and I am sure. I am

Mr. Wilson and

Mr. Wilson and I do not see as we can understand the part, but if you
(2):

should find it convenient to go to Washington within a month or two
and could call on the Commissioner you might talk with him freely about
it, and state that although all those who knew him best believed that
the softening of the brain, etc., was merely the culmination of the
disease which had caused his deafness, and although Dr. Beebe so testi-
ified and Dr. Crawford, yet, beyond such expert testimony, there seems
to be no possibility of adding positive proof, and simply ask Commis-
sioner Evans what sort of proof one could demand.

Affectionately yours,

[Signature]
SPORTY Lildvann to go to Washington with a month on two

The condition on the hordso's take off with him takey sport

If, and acte, that attakno G5 those who keep their feet below the

The condition of the other, etc. we know the condition of the

Let my pilot go and cast no doubt, yet staying with our respective forces these

Signature

A. W. Tomo
Gen. O. O. Howard:

Dear Sir,

Enclosed please find check for Ten dollars ($10.00). Amount appropriated by Sunday School of the Orange Valley Cong. Church towards support of your Lincoln Memorial.

Kindly mail to me a more complete account of the work if you can. Rome would like to interest the scholars as much as possible in your memorial.

Your truly,

Peter J. Feitner Jr.

63 Lincoln St., Orange, N.J.
Atlanta Business Men's League,
Prudential Building.

T. H. MARTIN,
Secretary.

Atlanta, Ga. April 16, 1900.

Gen. Oliver O. Howard,
Lincoln Memorial University,
Cumberland Gap, Tenn.

My dear General:

Your letter of the 14th instant to Capt. Evan P. Howell has been turned over to me for attention. We are delighted to know that you can be with us for the re-union and barbecue to be held on the battle ground at Peachtree Creek, July 20, at the anniversary of that battle. We will immediately begin arrangements for the re-union, and I am confident of splendid success. Quite a number of the officers who took part in the battle on both sides will be present, among them Gen. Stephen D. Lee, Gen. A. P. Stewart, Gen. Joseph Wheeler, Gen. D. B. Henderson, Gen. Albert D. Shaw and quite a number of others from both sides. You are the ranking federal General who took part in that battle, and for that reason everything depended upon your being here. We want during the re-union to spend several days on the battle fields around Atlanta and locate in a general way the positions of the several corps during battle. We want especially to locate the points on Peachtree Creek where the different corps crossed. In this your information will be invaluable. We want you to spend as long as you can with us—a week or 10 days at least. We assure you of a cordial welcome and royal good time.

If you would like to have it done, we would take pleasure in arranging a special meeting of our citizens to hear anything that you might like to tell them regarding your work in connection with Lincoln Memorial University. I know that your heart is in this work, and possibly we could co-operate in some plan with you that will result in practical benefit to the University. Any plans or suggestion that you can make regarding the matter will be carried out in the best spirit.

We would like very much to have you suggest several federal officers whom you would like to have attend the re-union. Possibly you could suggest a number who could give valuable information regarding the locations of the various troops in battle. We are especially anxious at least to locate and mark the principal battle lines during the re-union.

Thanking you cordially for your interest in the movement and for your acceptance of our invitation to be present, I beg to remain,

Very truly yours,

T. H. Martin
Secretary.
The Village of Three Oaks,
President's Office.

Three Oaks, Mich., April 19, 1900

Gen. O. O. Howard,

156 College Point,
Burlington, Vt.

Dear Friend:—

Replying to yours of recent date I enclose you herewith draft for $10.00 which kindly accept toward the running expenses of your Lincoln Memorial School. I wish it were more, but I have many claims and some special things for which I am responsible. With best wishes I remain,

Yours very truly,

E. K. Warren

Sten. #1.
The Hotel of a Poor Man

Mr. President's Office

March 20, 1892

Dear Mr. President:

Referring to your letter of receipt, I enclose for your perusal the following note:

"Dear Professor, I enclose my resignation of my position at the University. I am in poor health and I have very little experience of the duties of the position."

I am, in haste,

Yours very truly,

[Signature]
Maj. General O. O. Howard,

Dear Sir,

We are closing our twenty-fifth year in Knoxville College, and propose to celebrate it appropriately in connection with our commencement exercises next June. The great day of the celebration will be June 12, the day before our commencement exercises. As the first feature of the celebration we want to have addresses from those whose interest in the work and experience entitle them to speak with authority. Heading this list is the name of the man whom our whole nation delights to honor because he is a courageous soldier of the Lord Jesus Christ as well as the brave defender of the Union, Major General O. O. Howard. We feel your presence is almost necessary as you represent more of what our work stands for than any other living man. Having been at the head of the Freedmen’s bureau, interested in the upbuilding of the race for whose liberty you fought, and so well known among all peoples and classes our program could not be complete without your presence.

On behalf of our faculty I extend to you a most hearty and urgent invitation to be present and address us on June 12. We expect the governor of our state, Pres. Cabney of the State University and many other prominent leaders and educators to be present. I trust your health and engagements will make it possible for you to give me a favorable reply.

Yours most sincerely,

B. W. McGranahan.
NEW YORK MONUMENTS COMMISSION
-FOR THE-
Battlefields of Gettysburg and Chattanooga,

23 FIFTH AVENUE, NEW YORK. April 19, 1900.

Maj. Gen. O. O. Howard, U.S.A.
Burlington, Vt.

My dear General:-

I send you, today, by express, the Final Report of the New York Commission for the erection of monuments at Gettysburg to the regiments and batteries belonging to this Commonwealth, which took part in the Battle of Gettysburg. Allow me to invite your attention to Col. Fox's narrative of the principal movements and incidents of the engagement, having relation especially, to the part taken by New York troops. The volumes now sent to you belong to a preliminary edition of limited number, issued for revision and criticism, which will be followed very soon by a larger edition for distribution to public libraries and to New York survivors of the battle. I would esteem it a favor if you will send me a memorandum of such observations, suggestions or criticisms as may occur to you after a perusal of such matters in the Report as may interest you, referring especially, to Col. Fox's narrative and to my address delivered when the State monument was dedicated, which will be found in the first volume.

Very sincerely yours,
NEW YORK MONUMENTS COMMISSION

FOR THE

ENGLISH OF THE ANGLERS AND INDIANS

35 FIFTH AVENUE, NEW YORK.

May 2nd, 1900.

Mr. General O. Howard, U.S.A.

Chairman.

My dear General:

I send you today, for expression of the final report of the New

York commission on the erection of monuments at Gettysburg to the

men and officers and to the Commandment, which took part in the

battle of Gettysburg. Allow me to invite your attention to Col.

Yates's

narrative of the principal movements and instructions of the engagement.

Notice especially for the part taken by New York troops. The act

wrote was sent to you before the expiration of time, but at a very

short notice to be written, and might be completed very soon by a

return of your attention to this request and to the importance of New York's

part in the battle. I would request a return if you will send me a

statement of any omission or suggestion of criticism as may occur to

you. The State monuments are completed, which will be done in due time.

Very truly yours,

[Signature]
Cripple Creek, Colo. April 20th, 1900.

Gen. O. O. Howard,
Burlington, Vt.
Dear Uncle Otis:

I feel such deep gratitude toward you for your great kindness in relation to making the effort to procure me an appointment as assistant on the Philippine Commission, that I hardly know how to express it.

Your kind letter enclosing one from Mr. Cridler only arrived yesterday, owing, I suppose, to snow blockades and delays. I was myself blockaded for two days this week, while away on a business trip.

It makes no difference in my feeling of deep gratitude that the letter arrived too late to be of practical service, as Judge Taft has already sailed for Manila. The disappointment and heartache incident to beginning anew in my profession has somewhat passed and I find myself gradually working into a line of mining litigation far better than I left. It is, as yet, much smaller in volume but I feel that it will come all right.

I thank both you and Mr. Cridler for your great kindness and shall only wait for an opportunity to return it in some way, as yet unknown. I may be able to return some of the kindness to those dear to you if not to you.

I tried to hunt up Mrs. Hazards granddaughter in Colorado Springs but could not find her at the address given. Affectionately, Your nephew

David P. Howard
Dear Mr. Howard,

With great respect,

I hope this letter finds you in good health and high spirits. I am writing to express my gratitude for the kind assistance you provided during my recent visit to your firm. Your guidance and encouragement were invaluable to me, and I am truly grateful for your time and effort.

I have now had the opportunity to reflect on the lessons learned during my stay and I am determined to apply them in my future endeavors. I have already started making progress and I am confident that with your continued support, I will achieve my goals.

Once again, thank you for your kindness and support. I look forward to the opportunity to meet with you again in the near future.

Sincerely,

[Signature]

[Name]
SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH. April 20th, 1900.

Gen'l O. O. Howard,

Burlington, Vt.

Please find enclosed our check No. D2667 for $12.00 being amount of Dividend No. 63 due on stock of this Company standing in your name.

Respectfully,

C. W. LYMAN,
Treasurer.
Cambridge, Neb., 4/26/1900—1899.

Gentlemen,

Sir,

Include check "Grant" for "Lincoln Memorial".

For Ten Dollars, as contribution of Cambridge's public Sunday School.

Kindly acknowledge receipt of same.

Respectfully,

D. L. Tallmadge.

Beg.