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[ca. June 12, 1900]

Genl O. O. Howard

My Dear General.

Your very kind letter
received. I regret very
much not seeing you
when at Post. I am living
down at Annapolis Md for
Summer. I am glad Grant
Post did something for you
I learned of it through my
friend 'Knight'. At this
writing I am not able to
help much toward the
purpose of Memorial
as I am so many obligations
to meet this Summer.

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But later on this Fall
or Winter I shall be glad
to do something for your
sake at an appropriate season
I have the kindest regards
and consideration

Sincerely Yours
Willis McDonald

Pastor's Study,
Dwight Place Church,
New Haven, Conn.

June 12, 1900
My dear Gen. Howard.

I inclose a letter from a good old colored woman who is a member of Dwight Place Church & has been for many years. I buried her husband June 11th of this year, a faithful Christian & a veteran of the war. He was born free but enticed to go south & help his brethren & he deserved the pension which up to the time of his death he had for some years received.

Now according to order the pension should go to his wife who has an income & but

\$16 a month when her circumstances
favor her. Just now she has only
\$9. She is troubled but her
application does not meet with
a more ready response. As to
this I have told her not to
worry; but if you could
say the word that should
get some money into her
hand shortly I am sure
you are justified by all the
facts in the case. Dr Finitchell
was always kind to this old
couple & they were always at
Church together until his death.
If you can do anything in the
case please do so.

Sincerely Yours

Wm. W. Leete

Pastor's Study,
Dwight Place Church,
New Haven, Conn.

P.S. I am expecting very soon to
take a collection for your work
at Cumberland Gap. If you
have any printed papers that
will be of use in my statement to
the people please forward them.

Pastor's Study,
Dwight Place Church,
New Haven, Conn.

P.S. I am writing very soon to
take a collection for your work
of Connecticut. I hope you
will be up in my statement
the first of next January.

HEADQUARTERS
UNITED STATES MILITARY ACADEMY
WEST POINT, NEW YORK

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June 12, 1900.

General O.O. Howard,
West Point, N.Y.

Sir:

The Lieutenant General Commanding the Army invites you
to accompany him at the review of the Battalion of Cadets, in
full dress, at 5 P.M.

Very respectfully,

W. C. Riney

1st Lieutenant 1st Cavalry,
Adjutant.

✓ 2.50

HEADQUARTERS
UNITED STATES MILITARY ACADEMY
WEST POINT, NEW YORK

June 12, 1900.

General O.O. Howard,

West Point, N.Y.

Sir:
The Adjutant General Commanding the Army invites you
to accompany him at the review of the Battalion of Cadets, in
full dress, at 9 P.M.

Very respectfully,

W. B. Smith

*Apr 1. 1901
P. M. Howard*

Adjutant General

Adjutant.

Fort Trumbull
New London Conn.

June 12th 1900

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

Dear General:-

We received
orders to-day, that this Post would be
Hdqrs for the Battery, though nothing
was said about the number of men to
remain here. I presume that I
may not be moved from here, at
least it looks so at present and I
therefore write you, that you may not
put yourself to any unnecessary trouble.
Please remember our invitations.

The Yale-Harvard boat races take place here,
perhaps your daughter Bessie would like
to see them. With much love I remain

Very sincerely yours Charles R. Gil

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Inches

My dear friend -
I have just received your letter of the 10th inst. and am
glad to hear from you. I am well and hope this
letter finds you the same. I have been thinking
much of late about the future of our country
and the state of the world. I feel that we are
in a very critical position and that the future
of our country depends upon the wisdom and
courage of the people. I hope that you will
be able to do something to help our country
in this time of need. I am, dear friend,
very truly yours,
Wm. Lloyd Garrison

CAMP KENNEBAGO,
INDIAN ROCK,
MAINE.

June 13 1900

My dear General

I am to have
the pleasure of entertaining
our class of seniors at
my house in Lewiston on
the evening of the 28th of June
at 7 o'clock. Please consider
yourself under orders to report
for duty at that time and
place

Truly yours
W. H. C.

W. H. C.

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My dear friend
I am to have
the pleasure of visiting
at your place at Lunenburg
my house in Lunenburg on
the evening of the 28th of June
at 7 o'clock. Please consider
yourself under no obligation
for any of the time
Yours truly
John W. Phillips

Newark N. J.

Dear General Howard,

Would you kindly favor me with your autograph on the enclosed card? I am very anxious to secure it for my collection and assure you, would prize your consideration exceedingly.

Very Sincerely.

James R. Mulligan

June. 13/00.

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J. R. Mower

Dear General Howard

Thank you

I am very much obliged to you for the enclosed card. I am very much obliged to you for the enclosed card.

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Yours truly,
J. R. Mower

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Proctorsville, Vt.
June 13, 1900.

Gen. O. O. Howard,
Dear Sir;—

I am
a Vermont boy and am
attending school at Black
River Academy, Ludlow,
Vermont. I am now hav-
ing my summer vacation.
Last term I studied Cic-
ero and Ovid, Roman and
Medieval History, Solid
Geometry and English
Literature. I enjoy my
Literature as much as
any study. In course

tion with it I have an
"author's book", consisting
of autographs, also pictures
of authors, cut from mag-
azines etc., whose books I
have read. I am especial-
ly desirous of procuring
autographs and pictures
of Vermont authors. I have
just finished reading
"Fighting for Humanity"
and enjoyed reading it
very much. What other
books have you written?

Can you inform me
where I can procure your
picture, if it has been
published in any mag-

azine? I should also be
very much pleased to
receive your autograph.
Hoping in asking these
favours I am not troubling
you too much, and that
you will not refuse the
request of a Vermont boy,
Dremain,

Respectfully yours,
Harold G. Rugg.

"FOR CHRIST AND THE CHURCH."

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East Orange, N. J., June 13th 1899

General O. O. Howard,
New York.

Dear Brother,

The Missionary Com: of the First Cong: Church of East Orange have heard with much pleasure of your election to the position of President of C. S. M. S. and hasten to congratulate you. The Society, we feel, is also to be congratulated in being honored by your acceptance of this office. We are endeavoring in line with the suggestions of the "Com: of 15", to increase our missionary efforts, and have just had Mr. Wishard speak to us, and as a result took up pledges after his speech, amounting to over \$500.00 for the support of a Foreign Pastor. We feel something should

be done along Home Miss. lines, and as we
take our offering for the C. H. M. S. on Sunday
Nov 18th we would like to make a
special effort at that time to increase our
Collection. The Com: feel sure this can be
accomplished if you will consent to speak
to us on that morning, Can you favor us?

Wishing you much success in your new
office and great pleasure in the associations
consequent thereto, I am

Respectfully yours,

J. Broggatt

Secretary.

Trusting Miss Com:

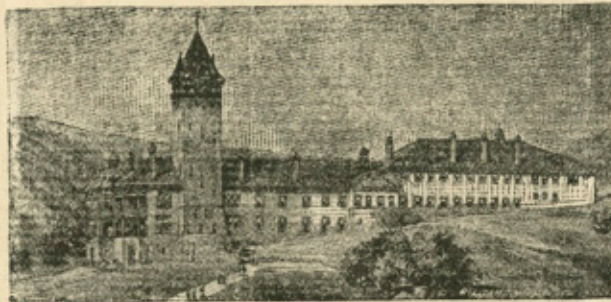
East Orange

Lincoln Memorial University.

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GEN. O. O. HOWARD,
Managing Director.

JOHN HALE LARRY,
Acting President.



COL. H. H. ADAMS, *Treas.*

177 Broadway, N. Y.

CHAS. F. EAGER,

Sec'y and Asst. Treasurer.

Cumberland Gap, Tenn., June, 14, 1900.

Gen. O. O. Howard,
New York City.

Dear Gen. Howard: Your letter of 11th inst at hand, with your report for May, also your check for \$1,000⁰⁰ the receipt of which I hereby acknowledge, I still find a difference between your account and Col. Adams report for April. You remember that I spoke of it when you were here, and we thought that it might have been on account of overlapping of dates between your reports and that the May reports would show the discrepancy, I now have reports from both of you for May, and the difference still exists.

Col. Adams in ~~the~~ his April report credits you and charges to himself, Apr. 5th, \$836.83
Your April report on same date charges him and credits yourself, \$611.85³ a difference of \$224.98 in your favor, ^{224.98} 836.83

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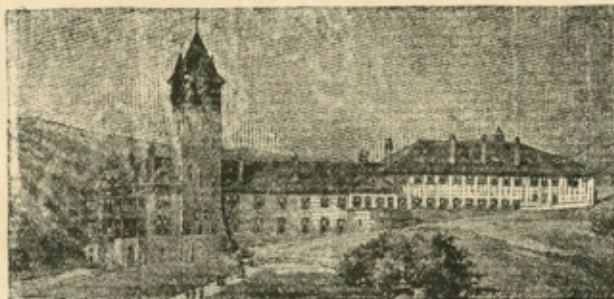
Cumberland Gap, Tenn., June 14, 1900.

Mr. O. O. Howard,
New York City.

Dear Mr. Howard: Your letter of 11th inst. at hand.
with your report for May, also your check
for \$1,000.00 the receipt of which I hereby acknowledge.
I will find a difference between your account and
Col. Adams' report for April. This accounts for
I think of it when you are here, and as things
that might have been an account of something
of date between your report and that of May.
I have never heard of the discrepancy. I have
have reports from both for May, and the
difference still exists.
Col. Adams in his April report credits
you and charges to himself. Apr. 5th \$236.23
from April report or from the charges time
and credit yourself. \$1,125 a difference of
\$1,125 in your favor.

Lincoln Memorial University.

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JOHN HALE LARRY,
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Cumberland Gap, Tenn.,

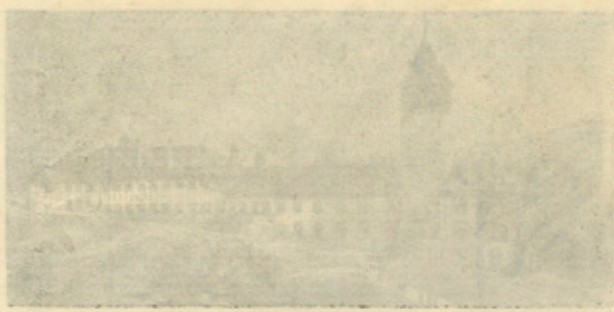
1900.

Dr. Larry left here last Monday morning expecting to meet you in New York Tuesday evening.

I note what you say in regard to his going into the field; and I believe we appreciate the situation. In fact we supposed from the first that he would do so, as soon as he could thoroughly organize the work here. We think ~~that~~ that he ought to be ready for field work, as soon as we have a real live principal to take charge of the educational work, a Supt of the farm who will live on the farm and devote his entire time with the boys on the farm, (we think that we have secured the right man for that place). Some one to take charge of the "Mountain Herald" and the printing office, and if so fortunate as to secure funds for building. Then would be needed a competent man to oversee the mechanical work.

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Acting President.

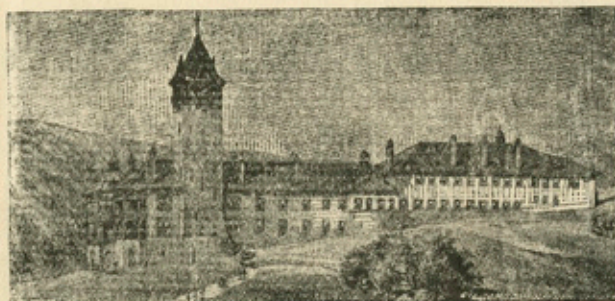
Mr. Howard & Co.

1900. Cumberland Gap, Tenn.
The Long left has been Monday morning expecting
meeting on the first Monday evening.
Just what you say in regard to his going into the
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CHAS. F. EAGER,
Sec'y and Asst. Treasurer.

Gen. Howard, #3.

We think that Mr. Spencer is all right for that place, Cumberland Gap, Tenn., 1900.
With well qualified persons in all these places and a corps of good teachers and matrons. everything ought to move right along, and Dr. Larry ought to be able to spend the larger part of his time in the field, and I know of no reason why he should not be successful. With the \$1,000⁰⁰ just received and by giving notes due in 90 days, (some of them on or before 90 days) I will be able to settle nearly every amount due. I have given some notes due on or before 90 days, so if you get funds before June 25th that can be used toward paying notes, send it right along and I will stop the interest. I am glad that Miss. Gould has been so kind to Berea, I hear that our letter to the members of their board had a good effect. Wishing you success and much happiness. I am, Sincerely Yours. Chas. F. Eager Sec'y.

Lincoln Memorial University.

Col. H. H. Adams, Treas.
177 Broadway, N. Y.
Chas. F. Eakin,
Sec'y and Asst. Treasurer.



Gen. O. O. Howard,
Managing Director,
John Hale Larray,
Acting President.

Memorandum, No. 3.

The Board of Directors of the Lincoln Memorial University, in its meeting of the 10th day of June, 1900, has considered the report of the Treasurer, and has decided to issue the following order:

That the sum of \$1000.00 be paid to the Treasurer, to be used for the purchase of land for the purpose of establishing a campus for the University.

Witness my hand and the seal of the University, this 10th day of June, 1900.

Chas. F. Eakin, Sec'y.

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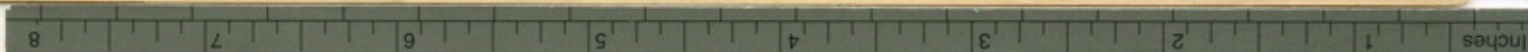
(WHERE ANY REPLY SHOULD BE SENT.)

Washington, D.C. June 15-1900.

General O.O. Howard,
Burlington, Vt.

Answering your letter thirteenth, secretary of war decided yesterday wives of officers of volunteer regiments could not be furnished transportation to Manila as these regiments may soon be returned to this country.

Indington,
Quartermaster General.





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War Department,
WAR DEPARTMENT—OFFICIAL TELEGRAM.
QUARTERMASTER GENERAL'S OFFICE.

(Sent from) WASHINGTON, D. C.,

No. *Sir:*

(Date) June 15, 1900.

QUARTERMASTER'S DEPARTMENT UNITED STATES ARMY

The following is a copy of a telegram sent you this day:

The _____
Telegraph Company

Will please transmit the following message by telegraph and promptly deliver the same to the party addressed, for and on account of the United States.

Bill to be sent to
Qr. Mr. Genl's Office

M. S. Livingston

Quartermaster General, U. S. A.

I certify that the following telegram is on OFFICIAL BUSINESS, and necessary for the public service.

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Quartermaster, U.S. Army.

General O.O. Howard,

Burlington, Vermont.

Answering your letter thirteenth. ~~Secretary of War~~
decided yesterday wives of officers of volunteer regiments could
not be furnished transportation to Manila as these regiments will
soon be returned to this country.

Livingston
Quartermaster General.

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War Department

WAR DEPARTMENT—OFFICIAL TELEGRAM.
QUARTERMASTER GENERAL'S OFFICE.

(Sent from) Washington, D. C.

June 15, 1900.

(Date)

No. _____
Per: _____

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Mr. S. J. ...

Bill to be sent to
Mr. Gen'l's Office

Quartermaster General, U. S. A.

I certify that the following telegram is on OFFICIAL BUSINESS, and necessary for the public service.

Quartermaster, U. S. Army.

116428.

3-227

General O. O. Howard,

Burlington, Vermont.

Answering your letter this morning. Statement as was
decided yesterday wives of officers of volunteer regiments could
not be furnished transportation to Manila as these regiments will
soon be returned to this country.

Quartermaster General

ELGIN, ILL., June 15, 1900.

Gen. O. O. Howard.

DEAR FRIEND:

We are planning for a one-week Sunday-school Encampment near Saugatuck, Mich., on the east shore of the Lake, about eighty miles from Chicago,—August 11 to 18. We are inviting Sunday-school workers of all denominations from various parts of the country, and are looking forward to an enjoyable time. The meetings of the encampment will be under our own direction, and all our Editors are expected to be present. There will be day and evening programmes. The object of this gathering is, not only to be helpful to Sunday-school workers, but to place our Editors in closer touch with the large audience to whom they speak through the printed page, and thus make their work more practical. We should be pleased to have those of our writers attend the Encampment who can make it convenient to do so, and to plan for meetings for discussions where each may have a part. Our programme is now being prepared, and in it we would like to announce names of writers who may be expected to attend. Can you encourage us to think you will do so?

As to expense, we will do what we can to make it as light as possible. Good rooms and board at hotel can be had for nine to ten dollars per week, and private board for five to six dollars, but we think you would better enjoy camping. Tents can be rented at usual prices, if you do not wish to bring your own. There will be a good restaurant at camp, where meals may be had at reasonable prices. Grocery, milk and market wagons will call at the camp daily. Camp is convenient to post-office, telegraph and telephone.

Saugatuck is reached by boat from Chicago, and also by rail. We expect to secure special rates of transportation.

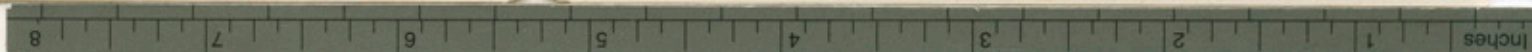
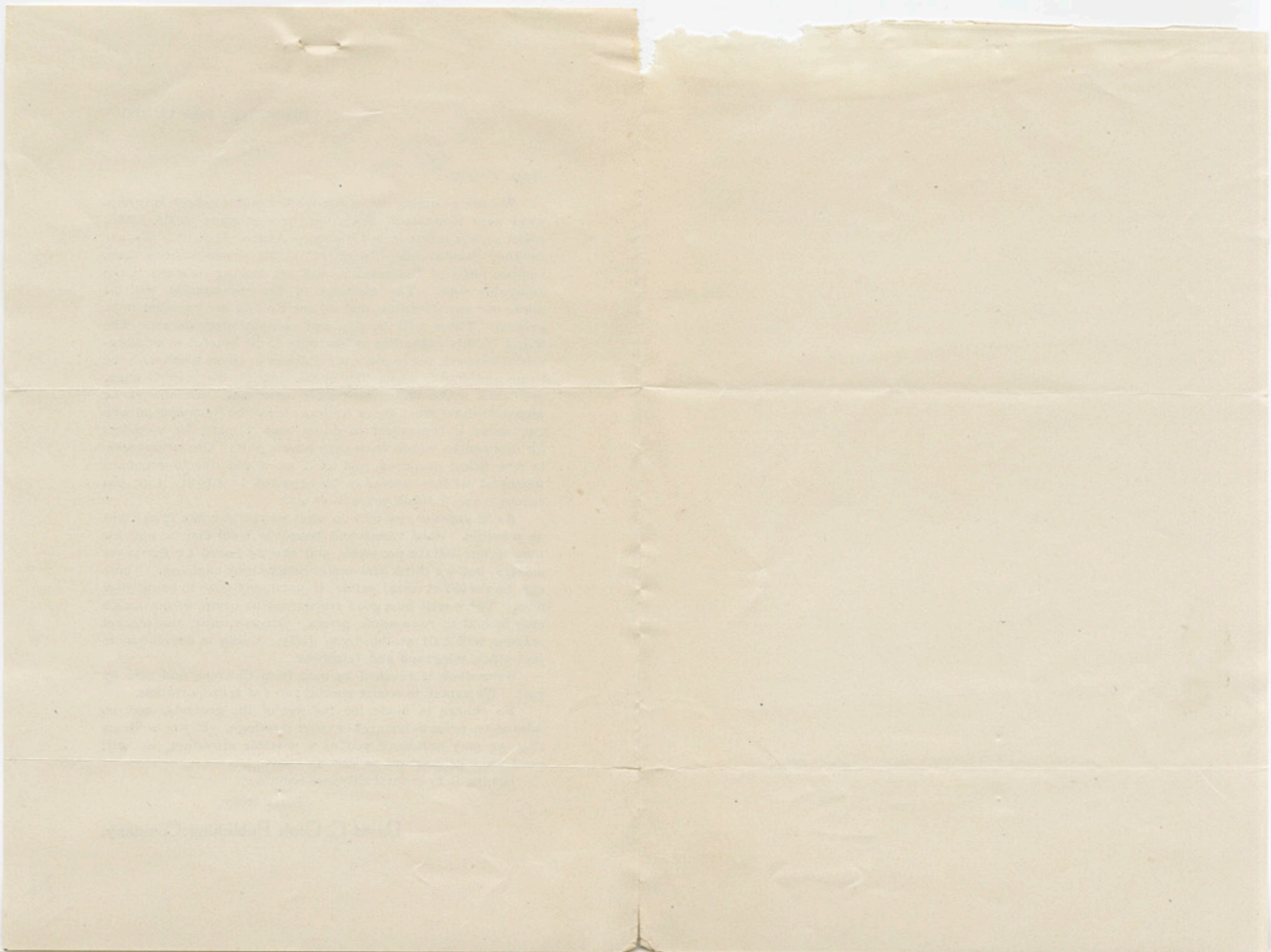
No charge is made for the use of the grounds, and no admission price to lectures or other meetings. If you write us that we may announce you as a possible attendant, we will send you a programme as soon as issued.

Hoping to hear favorably, we remain,

Yours truly,

David C. Cook Publishing Company.

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"Come ye yourselves apart" * * and rest awhile."—Mark 6: 31.

SUNDAY-SCHOOL WORKERS' VACATION ENCAMPMENT

Near Saugatuck, Mich., on the eastern shore of the
Lake, August 12 to 18.

Outing planned by the publishers of the
NEW CENTURY TEACHER. Object, to bring its
editors in closer touch with Sunday-school
workers. Programme in charge of David C.
Cook, editor-in-chief of the publications of
the David C. Cook Publishing Company.
Music to be conducted by Prof. T. Martin
Towne, composer, chorus leader, and musical
editor of the publications of this Company.
Prominent Sunday-school workers will be
present, besides Belle K. Towne, editor of
Young People's Weekly; Carrie B. Leonard,
A.M., and Bertha M. Dumser, associate editors
NEW CENTURY TEACHER; and Mrs. Marguerite
Cook, editor of the *Primary S. S. Teacher*.

Special railroad rates, also low fare by boat
from Chicago.

Ideal camping place. Two hundred acres of
wildest wood, hill and dale. Pure lake air;
cool night and day; sand subsoil, carpeted
with moss and leaves. No dust or dampness.
Near railroad, telegraph, postoffice and village,
yet in comparative solitude. Bathing, boating
and fishing. Day and evening programmes
planned especially for Sunday-school workers.
Also special daily programme for children.

No charge for use of grounds for camping.
No charge for admission to any part of the
programme.

Every attention paid to the comfort of
guests.

Low rates of board if preferred to camping.

Send for circular giving programme and
particulars. Address, David C. Cook Publishing
Company, Department S. S. Encampment, Elgin, Ill.

SUNDAY SCHOOL WORKERS ACADEMY ENGAGEMENT

First Session, 1900, on the first night of the

year, August 12, 1900.

Located in the city of New York, the
Academy is a place where the
young men and women of the
city are trained in the
principles of the Christian
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Newbury,
June 18, 1900.

Dear Father,

I am so much obliged for the transportation. One of the family came down last night and brought the telegram. I suppose I will have the transportation in some other form beside the telegram, but perhaps that will be sufficient. I shall leave on the Grant which I understand from the papers, leaves on July 10th. The Grant is to go on the drydock and Capt. Barker has gone home on a leave until she sails.

Dear Mother
June 10-1890

Dear Father

I am so
much obliged for the
hospitality. One of the
family was down last
night and brought the
telegram. I suppose I
will have the same
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which the telegram has
perhaps that will be ex-
pected. I shall have on
the house which I mean
to send from the paper
house on July 10-1890. The
house is to go in the
middle of the year and
for the year from on
a new model of coils.

I see by yesterdays paper
that some of regular
officers will be allowed
to go over soon as there
is room for them.

I go home tomorrow and
shall see the transporta-
tion Quartermaster on
Monday.

I am glad I am feeling
like my old energetic
self and John is so
well too, that we shall
get along nicely.

Love to the family.

Your loving daughter,
Britton.

I see by yesterdays paper
that Frank Wells is
engaged to an Oakland
girl, a Miss Finch.

For my yesterday's paper
that some of your
officers will be attending
to see how far we have
in some of them
if you have the same
shall be the same
their secretaries are

Monday
I am glad to see
like my old newspaper
all and that is
all to that or what
of other news
for the family
you have brought
Benton

For my yesterday's paper
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if you have the same
shall be the same
their secretaries are

U. S. Grant Post,

DEPARTMENT R. Y., G. H. R.

J. H. WHITTAKER,
QUARTERMASTER,
JOHNSTON BUILDING,
NEVINS ST. AND FLATBUSH AVE.

Brooklyn June 16 1900

Gen C C Howard

Burlington
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Dear Sir and Comrade

Enclosed please
find check (Fifty Dollars) from
U S Grant Post for the Lincoln
and Lee Memorial and that
it is simply the forerunner
of many similar and larger
donations is the fervent prayer
of all the Boys

Fraternally Yours
J H Whittaker
Quartermaster

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U. S. Grant 1867

Department of the Interior

J. H. WHITTAKER,
DIRECTOR,
NATIONAL BUREAU OF
GEOLOGICAL SURVEY,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

Washington, D. C.
1890

Dear Sir and Companion,
Enclosed please
find check for \$100.00
for the National
Bureau of Geology and
I am happy to forward
of my certificate and
of the National Bureau
of Geology and
I am the only
National Bureau
of Geology and

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Rock Valley, Iowa, June 16, 1900

Gen. O. O. Howard

Dear Sir,

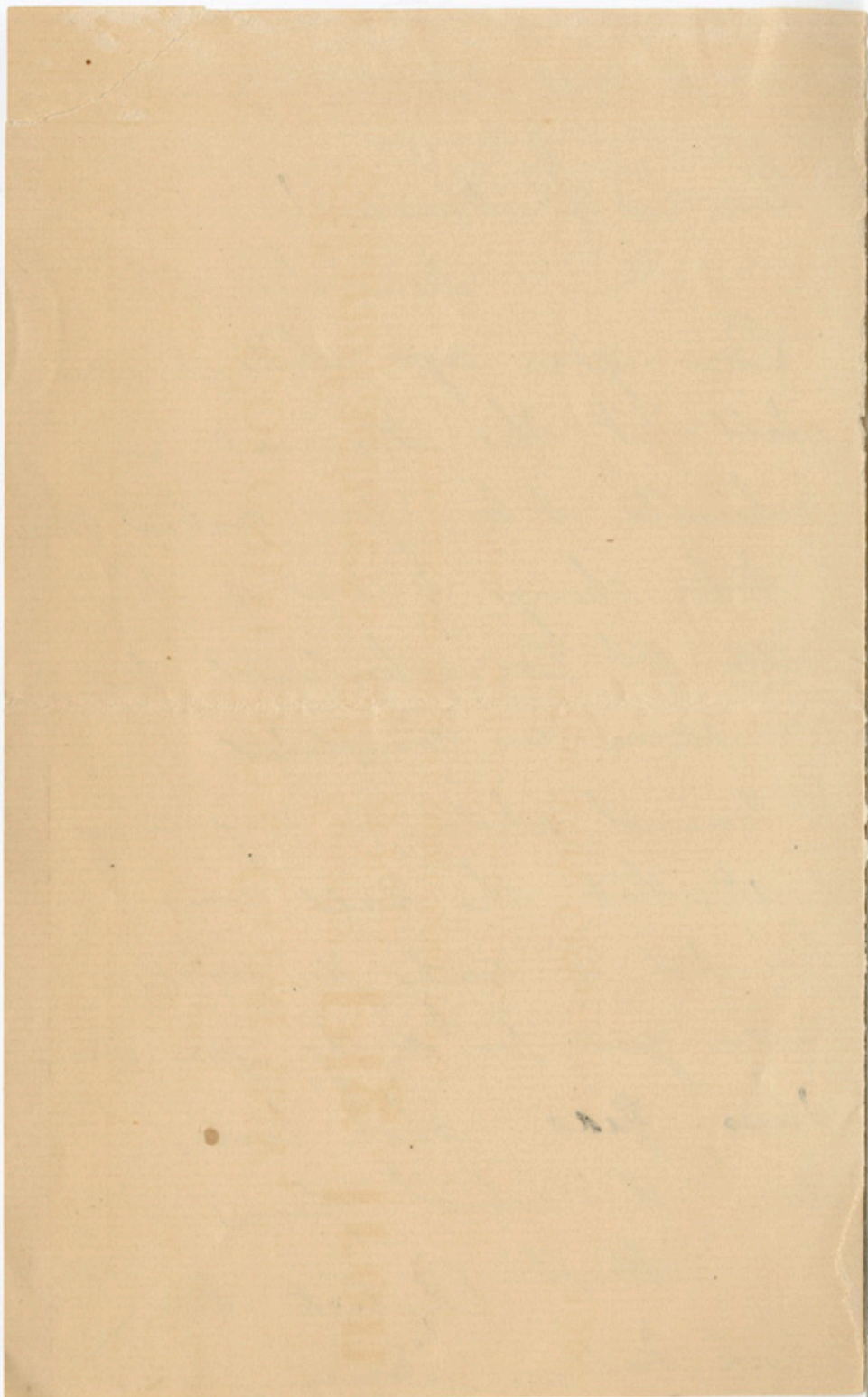
One year ago while I was still at the Normal in Asheville, N.C. you asked me to take charge of one of the Halls at Cumberland Gap. As soon as completed.

I learned while on my way North, that the Hall was finished & ready for use.

Will you be ready for me ~~this~~ ^{next} year. What time does the school open?

Respt. Elizabeth List.

Rock Valley, Iowa.



June 16, 1900.

Dear General Howard:

Mrs. Hyde

and I are hoping
that you will
again do us the
honor to make
our house your
home during the
exercise of the
coming Commencement.

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of course if you can bring
Mrs. Howard, this will be
all the better: and I ple-
ase her. There is an
better time to answer
Marine than the last
of June. Love

Miss Adams will
be with us again:
and she will
make good the
lost arm for
you. We are also
hoping to have
Chas. Foster
Fuller. This is
your 40th an-
niversary &
graduation: and
you must come.
Faithfully Yours,
Wm. D. West

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GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC



COMMITTEE ON INVITATIONS
GEN. JOHN C. BLACK, CHAIRMAN.
R. T. PERRY, SECRETARY.

Chicago, Ill., June 16, 1900.

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

My dear General:-

Enclosed herewith is the formal invitation extended to you to attend the 34th National Encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic, in this City from the 26th to the 30th of August inclusive.

In addition to this formal invitation, I am directed by the Executive Committee of the Encampment to extend to you personally a special invitation to be present during the Encampment as the guest of the Encampment.

It will afford us very great pleasure to hear from you accepting this invitation. We will promise you such greeting and hospitality as a great City and a great organization gladly extend.

Very sincerely yours,

John C. Black

Chairman Invitation Committee.

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Major General Oliver O. Howard,

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Design Patent Dec. 20, 1902



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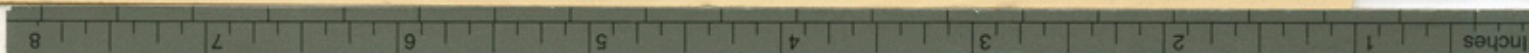
(WHERE ANY REPLY SHOULD BE SENT.)

N. Y. 15 YN F 71 paid 1:12 P. M Govt
Washington D. C. June 18-00
Gen. O. O. Howard,
Burlington Vt.

Answering your telegram, you are advised that in view of the short time which the Volunteers will have to serve in the Philippines, and of the fact that there will be no room for their wives on the transports bringing them back, the Department has adopted the rule not to furnish transportation to the Philippines for wives of Volunteer officers.

Elihu Root,
Sec'y Of War.

*Copy sent
JWS June 18
H.H.*



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Correctness in the transmission of messages to any point on the lines of the Company can be INSURED by contract in writing, stating agreed amount of risk, and payment of premium thereon, at the following rates, in addition to the usual charge for repeated messages, viz: one per cent. for any distance not exceeding 1,000 miles, and two per cent. for any greater distance.

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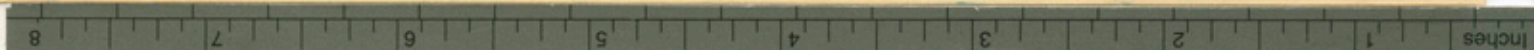
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A3 WN F 10 paid 8:18 A. M. 19
San Francisco Cal. June 18-00
H. S. Howard,
26 Summit St.

(WHERE ANY REPLY SHOULD BE SENT.)

If typewritten is repaired express me immediately sail July
first.

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With the assurance of our esteem, believe me, Sir,

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