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New York, July 19th 1900

Gen. O. O. Howard,

C/o The Blue And The Gray Reunion,

Atlanta, Ga.

Dear Sir:-

A clipping has come to our notice in which you give your opinion of the late Boxer uprising, and much interest has been aroused by it. We approach you therefore, with the view of procuring a signed editorial of about 1500 words on the subject, together with your latest photograph which will be published in numerous newspapers throughout the country in conjunction with the editorial.

Thanking you in advance for the courtesy, and hoping that you will comply with our request, we beg to remain,

Yours very truly,
Frederick Grant
Editor-in-chief.

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Editor-in-Chief.

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Berea. Ky. July 20th 1900

Dear Gen. Howard.

It seems a long time since I have seen you or even heard from you directly. I have heard from Dr Lang several times, and Mr Eager and wife stopped here on their way to Europe. The summer will soon be gone and I am not quite settled yet as to my plans for field work for the L.M.U. I have had an indefinite plan, to spend, say, six months of continuous work beginning about the first of Oct. I think I made mention of this at trustee meeting. Does this seem wise to you? Dr Lang writes that he wishes I was in the field now, but if I can do any-thing, I believe I can do more to wait until Oct & then keep right at it for six months. Am I right?

I do not wish to worry you but it would relieve me if you could agree to this.

I believe sentiment is going to grow in favor of the Gap. The communication to the Berea trustees was well received. Most sincerely Yours E. P. Fairchild

and O.O.H.

161 West 34th St
New York July 20th
[1900]

My dear General Howard

Will it be too much of a favor to give me a letter to Mr William H. Laffan of the New York Sun? If you can give me a note of introduction to him I shall be very grateful

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and it possibly may lead to my obtaining some a little regular work such as fashion drawings for the Evening Sun. Will you kindly remember me to Mrs Howard, and accept my sincere regards

Yours truly
Jessie Shepherd

ELECTRIC LIGHT. 1900 BRILLIANT PROGRAMME.

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July 20. 1900.

My Dear General Howard :-

Of course we expect you on the afternoon of the second of August. The Title you gave me would be very aproor-iate indeed. The Sons of Veterans will give you ahearty welcome. The compensation is to be fifty dollars and your exoenses. I am now endeavoring to secure passage over the Erie to Silver Sorings where you cahnge for the Silver Lake R.R.

I sincerely hope that nothing may orvent your being with us. Commander Dr. Sheldon is very anxious about it. He is the one who wrote to you from Albany.

Sincerely yours,

J. E. Williams.

Direct to Silver Lake Assembly, N.Y.

Ans 2 July

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Springfield Mass.
July 21st 1890

My Dear Mr Howard.

No indeed. I have not forgotten you for a day, or an hour. You did more than a real squaw with me. You dealt most generously, and if I live every cent will be refunded, and if I should not, my son will also do the same.

I have been waiting for two reasons, one to tell you the reason why I had to fail to meet an obligation; it is such a

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assistance at a critical time. And if God spares my life (and I feel confident that for this and similar reasons he will hear my prayer, that I may be permitted to deal with you as generously as you have done with me) I shall go to you, and it will be the happiest journey of my life, to explain to you, my deeply thankful and reciprocate all you have done for me —

In all grateful appreciation
Sincerely your friend
Geo W. Brown

WAR DEPARTMENT,
OFFICE OF CHIEF SIGNAL OFFICER,
WASHINGTON.

July 21, 1900.

My dear General Howard:

In connection with your retirement from active service, I believe that you continue to take an interest in matters of national importance, and for this reason I have recommended you to the Board of Managers as a corresponding member of the National Geographic Society. The magazine published by the Society keeps you in touch with the geographical progress of the world, and I think you will find it worth more than the very small sum asked in the shape of dues, viz. $2.00 a year. Of course the magazine could not be printed for so small a sum with its present limited circulation.

From time to time we should be glad to be favored with brief and timely geographic articles thay may be suitable for the magazine.

Yours truly,

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THE NORTH AMERICAN REVIEW,
NEW YORK.

July 21, 1900.

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

Dear Sir:

We hope to publish your interesting paper on British Strategy in South Africa in the next number of the Review.

Yours very truly,

D. A. Munro.

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Lincoln, Nebr., July 21, 1900.

Mr. H. S. Howard,
Private Secretary,
Burlington, Vermont.

Dear Mr. Howard:

Your esteemed favor of the 18th inst. at hand. Since writing you I have been advised by General Gordon that owing to ill health his physician has forbidden his keeping his summer engagments. Hence our plan for Grand Army Day is frustrated to that extent. I enclose round trip ticket, Chicago to Lincoln, for General Howards use, and trust you will see that he gets it in time for the trip.

Sincerely thanking you for your kindness in furnishing information requested, I am,

Very respectfully yours,

L. O. Jones

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W. A. HEMPHILL, CHAIRMAN. R. F. MADDOX, TREASURER. T. H. MARTIN, SECRETARY.

ATLANTA BATTLEFIELDS REUNION.

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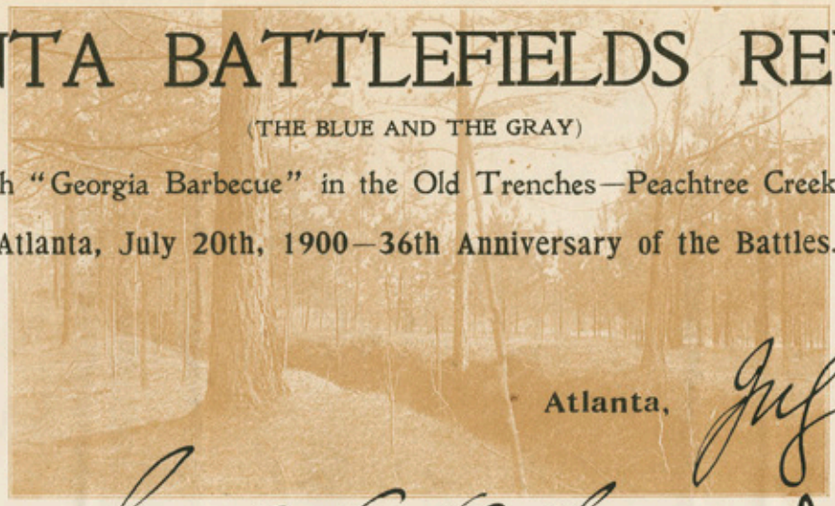

Atlanta, July 21st

[1900]

Genl O. O. Howard
City.

Dear General:

I would be glad to have you attend my Sunday School to-morrow. I have a school that I am proud of. I think you will enjoy being present.

Yours truly

W. A. Hemphill

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Mr. C. D. Moore
City.

Dear Sir:

I regret to
find to have my letter
may burning before the 4th-
I have a date that I
can prove it, I think your
will over being present
Yours truly
C. D. Moore

The Byron Reed Company,
212 SOUTH 14TH STREET.

Omaha, Neb. ,July 21, 1900.

Mr. H. S. Howard,

Burlington, Vt.

Dear Sir:-

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Am inclined to think that your title to the town of Howard is perfectly good, as to all of the lots if you have had adverse possession for ten years.

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Williamsbridge, Westchester co., N.Y. city,
23 July 1900.

My dear Sir:

I beg your indulgence & pardon for an inquiry or so: owing to some special attention to the interesting & inspiriting subject of prayer which I have been considering, the impression was sometime given me that you related the circumstance of your praying as also did your opponent Stonewall Jackson, for victory on the approaching morning of a certain engagement, but that you was not answered while the Virginian was, though in the end your side was. Would you give me a correct version of the circumstance, which battle etc. I am in Col. Henderson's admirable book on the gallant Infantry leader. How do you regard the merits of this English authority so ample & graphic in detail? Have you ever put in print your estimate of the Christian, soldierly & personal character of Jackson?

Did you have acquaintance during the Freedmens Bureau activities with Gen. Francis Ho.

Pierpont, of Fairmont, West Virginia, and what was your impression of this stalwart friend of Union and of Lincoln?

I should indeed and double deed appreciate your courtesy and gracious offices in the above queries, while gratefully and obliged

(Rev.) Selah G. Appleget.

SOUTHERN RAILWAY COMPANY.
OFFICE OF LAND AND INDUSTRIAL DEPARTMENT.
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M. V. RICHARDS,
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Atlanta, Ga., July 23, 1900.

General O. O. Howard,

Washington, D.C.

My dear General:-

It was very much to my regret that I could not attend your ~~meeting~~ Evening Sunday evening. My wife and I had planned to have the pleasure of listening to you and meeting you for a few minutes after the speaking at the Methodist church. But the circumstances were such that my wife did not feel able to come down to attend the service. I expected to meet you this morning, not knowing that you were going away last night. I enclose you a copy of a letter just sent to General Gordon on the matter we had under discussion, and when I receive your reply I will send you a copy of it. Meanwhile, my dear General, my I not hope that you will hold yourself in readiness that in case this matter can be gotten in line, as suggested in the enclosed, or in any way that would suit you two men suits me, of course.

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Copy to Gen Howard.

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General John B. Gordon,

Kirkwood, Ga.

My dear General:-

General Howard and myself called upon you Saturday morning, but to our regret you were not at home. Your kind lady, however, doing the honors of the occasion worthy of you.

It was not only to pay our respects that we called, General, but we had a matter of great moment in our minds that we would like to have talked with you about. Possibly you may have seen the little notice in Sunday morning's "Constitution" of a suggestion made by me in regard to a history, for the young people, of the civil war. I made this suggestion to General Howard, whose reply to it was, that "If General Gordon could agree to it he would only be too happy to endeavor to accomplish it."

The gist of the matter is this, General: The dissatisfaction in regard to the histories of the civil war will ever exist as long as the matter stated therein are not facts. I firmly believe that the people of the south as well as the people of the north would have entire confidence in a matter where you two, our perhaps best beloved living generals could attest its truthfulness.

Let me say right here, that I personally have no other interest, only for the future welfare of our young people; and cannot do anything in regard to it only making these preliminary suggestions, and perhaps getting the matter in shape so, if possible, to arrive at an early fruition.

The plan suggested is this: To have you two as editors of all the matter pertaining to the civil war, not expecting for a moment either of you to do any of the literary hackwork connected therewith; but to have some suitable, thoroughly educated historian do all of the work, with the exception of settling all contested points. Possibly it might be well to add a committee of advisement--not of revisement in any manner, I do not mean, but as you well know, no one man can positively know it all, and it might be well to have two or three on either side to assist in matters wherein you and General Howard were not perfectly familiar. Leaving, however, the final arbitration of all questions to you two in all matters of settlement to some plan that you might suggest. And in case of death or accident to either one of you to have you select someone to take your place out of this committee of advisement.

Gifts Library

Ginn & Co. of Boston, have two very fair histories, they think. One written for circulation in the south, and one in the north. I think this highly improper. I do not mean to wish to say, General, but that it is perfectly proper to do just as they have done, but I mean improper in the sense of teaching our children that there are such things as two histories of the civil war conflicting with each other, and would undertake this new one.

I was very thankful that the matter was brought to a head so apropos at our reunion on Friday evening. And now I believe is the time when this matter, as suggested, could be put in proper shape, and while the followers of you and General Howard are living to support you in such an endeavor, and while you are living, to indicate the facts of the matter; and while we may be able, before we have passed over the border lines, to do our country another benefit by placing on record an unprejudiced history containing nothing but the facts in the matter, which may be placed, with equal respect, in every library and in every public school in our broad land, with detriment to no one, but with best wishes to everyone concerned therein.

Now, my dear General, I know too well how very busy you and General Howard both are, and possibly I may be taking altogether too much of your time now, but I could not forbear to make these suggestions. If you can enter into them with the spirit that we all feel at this time, would you kindly indicate any form that you would wish them to take, or how much time you could give to the matter? Of course, all of this is preliminary. The idea being that any profit that should come out of it should go to you two Generals who got it up. I wish this thoroughly understood, so as to place no one in a wrong position. While I know you would be perfectly willing to do what you could without profit, at the same time I know thoroughly well that the people have no right to ask you to take up your valuable time for nothing.

I think General Howard will wait to hear from me and learn your wishes in the matter before any further conclusion is reached.

Trusting that I may hear from you soon, or if were possible, I shall be in my office to-morrow morning, the 24th, from eight until half past eleven o'clock, or by letter, if not convenient for you to call.

Very truly yours,

J. Wade

Hugh A. Myers,
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707 N. Y. Life,
Omaha, Neb.

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Omaha, Nebr. July 23rd, 1900.

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You will note that the answer day was July 2nd, 1900. It will be necessary to make a request to the court for permission to file answer, which can easily be done. The terms I have made to the defendants in this case are $25.00 each for taking care of each of their interests in the district court. Of this amount $15.00 is a retainer to be paid when the case is placed in my hands, and the balance, $10.00, contingent upon our success in the trial of the case in the district court. In the event of failure to secure a decision in our favor no charges other than the $15.00 will be asked.

Providing you place your interest in this matter in my hands, I assure you that every effort will be made to secure a decision in your behalf. Kindly let me hear from you at your earliest convenience.

Respectfully yours,

Hugh A. Myers.

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Omaha, Neb.

Nearly all the defendants. I am prepared to look after your interest in this case I think for a more reasonable fee than that for which any other attorney could be secured, for the reason that I have already made careful preparation for the trial of the case and that the interests of the majority of the defendants are in my hands.

You will note that the answer day was July 2nd, 1900. It will be necessary to make a request to the court for permission to file answer, which can easily be done. The terms I have made to the defendants in this case are $25.00 each for taking care of each of their interests in the district court. Of this amount $15.00 is a retainer to be paid when the case is placed in my hands, and the balance, $10.00, contingent upon our success in the trial of the case in the district court. In the event of failure to secure a decision in our favor no charges other than the $15.00 will be asked.

Providing you place your interest in this matter in my hands, I assure you that every effort will be made to secure a decision in your behalf. Kindly let me hear from you at your earliest convenience.

Respectfully yours,

Hugh J. Ellyers

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B. E. B. KENNEDY,
Attorney, 301 New York Life.

LEGAL NOTICE.—TO BELINDA M. ENGLES and John Engles real name unknown, husband of Belinda M. Engles; Charles M. M. Logan, real name unknown, and Mary Logan, real name unknown, wife of Charles M. M. Logan; Laura M. Andrews and John Andrews, real name unknown, husband of Laura M. Andrews; Marcus A. Post and Mary Post, real name unknown, wife of Marcus A. Post; Mary McCord, formerly Mary Mikan and John McCord, real name unknown, husband of Mary McCord; Oliver Otis Howard and Mary Howard, real name unknown, wife of Oliver Otis Howard; Minerva C. Tisdale and John Tisdale, real name unknown, husband of Minerva C. Tisdale; George J. Weaver and Mary Weaver, real name unknown, wife of George J. Weaver; Mathew C. Riley and Mary Riley, real name unknown, wife of Mathew C. Riley; Peter Swan and Mary Swan, real name unknown, wife of Peter Swan; Henry M. Sewell and Mary Sewell, real name unknown, wife of Henry M. Sewell, non-resident defendants:

You and each of you are hereby notified that John Flanagan has commenced an action against you, impleaded with John Mathisen and others, in the District Court of Nebraska, in and for Douglas County, in appearance docket 70, at page 149, claiming title to the east half of the northeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section four in township fifteen, north of range thirteen east of the sixth principal meridian, in Douglas County and State of Nebraska, being commonly known as part of Boyd's addition to the City of Omaha.

The object and prayer of the amended petition in said action is to quiet the title to said land in the plaintiff and to exclude you and each of you from any and all interest in or to said land and every part thereof.

You are required to answer unto the said amended petition in said action on or before the 2nd day of July, A. D. 1900, in default whereof a decree will be entered in said action against you.

JOHN FLANAGAN.

Kennedy, Scott & Haller, attorneys for plaintiff. 2103-5-25-4

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Barrie's great serial, "Tommy and Grizel," is continued with intense interest.

Charles Major, the author of "When Knighthood Was in Flower," one of the most popular historican novels, writes an essap entitled "What Is Historic Atmosphere?" in which he describes those elements of language and character which are important in creating the illusion which is necessary in good historical fiction. Mr. Major's views are vigorously expressed, and are mode from a new point of view.

John Fox, Jr., author of "Hell-fer-Sartain," writes an outdoor sketch, entitled "Down the Kentucky on a Raft," which is full of the amusing mountain characters which he knows so well. Mr. Fox will contribute other outdoor articles of adventure to early numbers of the magazine.

Edith Wharton, author of "The Touchstone," has a story in dialogue entitled "Copy," which is a reminiscence of the love affairs of a great novelist and a great poet. It is a most amusing comedy.

The first of several railroad stories by a new writer, Louis C. Senger, is published under the title of "Train 14," with illustrations by Cline dinst.

Another brief sketch is "The Story of a Tin Soldier," by Roy Rolfe Gilson.

Some of the best portraits by McClure

PITTSFORD, VERMONT.

July 23, 1900.

Mr. Harry S. Howard,
Burlington,
Vermont,

Dear Howard:

I could not last year accept the invitation you gave me to visit you at Burlington because I did not come to Vermont at all, nor can I now accept in the sense intended. There has however come to my attention an excursion from stations in this neighborhood which makes Ticonderoga and Burlington its objective points and affords a ride upon Lake Champlain between them. This would all be new, and I am sure en-

joyable, to me.

Now if you can let me know ~~by~~ within a week whether you are at home and what your address is, I may be able, and certainly should be glad, to call.

I was admitted to the New Jersey bar last November and have been practising independently since the first of last May. Further particulars I can give if I see you, when too I shall want to know about your progress.

Yours very sincerely,

Samuel W. Boardman, Jr.

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MORRIS K. JESUP,
44 PINE STREET,

NEW YORK.

July 23rd, 1900.

Genl. O. O. Howard,
Burlington, Vermont.

Dear Sir:

Your letter of July fourteenth to Mr. Jesup, has been received at this office, and in reply I desire to state, that Mr. Jesup is absent for the Summer, and is not expected to return until the Fall, and Mr. Strong (Mr. Jesup's Secretary) is ill, so that no other reply can be sent to you at this time.

Yours respectfully,

J. J. Moore.

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