Later Tuesday P.M.

We have begun preparations for you. Don't fail to please send me immediate word if it is all right. Thanksgiving day. Nov. 29.

Thursday with love. A. D. Sheville
Postal Card—One Cent.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

This side is for the address only.

To Gen. O. O. Howard

Gen. in Chief Soc'y

150 Washington St

New York City
Chas. F. Eager, Esq.,
Cumberland Gap, Tenn.

Dear Mr. Eager:

I enclose you a check for $350.00. When you write me please acknowledge receipt and greatly oblige.

Very truly yours,

[Signature]

Managing-Director L. M. U.
Lincoln Memorial University  
Cumberland Gap, Tenn.  

A MONUMENT TO  
ABRAHAM LINCOLN

The Trustees' Executive Committee of New York.  
Gen. O. O. Howard,  
Col. Henry H. Adams,  
Dr. W. C. Gray,  
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John Hall Lawey, Acting Pres't, Cumberland Gap, Tenn.

OFFICE OF MANAGING DIRECTOR,  
150 NASSAU STREET,  
NEW YORK CITY.

Nov. 20th, 1900.

Henry D. Tyler, Esq.,  
44 & 46 Wall St.,  
New York City.

Dear Mr. Tyler:  

Having received your assent to aid me in my work as Managing-Director of the "Lincoln Memorial University" I hereby appoint you as a special-agent to report to and account to me in all matters touching the University. You can turn over all funds that you may raise to me as Managing-Director, or place them to the credit of the Treasurer, Col. H. H. Adams, 177 Broadway, New York, or the Assistant Treasurer, Chas. F. Eager, Cumberland Gap, Tenn. where the University is located.

I will send a formal receipt to everyone who contributes and see that his name is enrolled among the donors to this great enterprise, doing this from time to time as you make your returns to me.

Very truly yours,

O. O. Howard  
Managing-Director L.M.T.
A Monument to Abraham Lincoln

[Image of Abraham Lincoln]

W. Y. Chen

Monumental Ceramics

New York City

Dear Mr. Franklin,

I am writing to request your consent to use your image in a work.

The proposed work is part of the Lincoln Memorial University, and I believe it would be fitting to include your image as a symbol of our university's identity.

Please confirm your consent in writing.

Sincerely,

[Signature]

[Stamp or seal]

[Signature]

[Stamp or seal]
Lincoln Memorial University
Cumberland Gap, Tenn.

A MONUMENT TO
ABRAHAM LINCOLN

OFFICE OF MANAGING DIRECTOR,
150 NASSAU STREET,
NEW YORK CITY.

Nov. 20th, 1900.

Dear Mr. Stillman:

Once I came to you when times were hard and you told me that at some time you would surely give me a lift. I have been now working for several years for the boys and girls of the Mountains in conjunction with our "Lincoln Memorial University" at Cumberland Gap, Tenn. During the last two months, as Managing-Director whose duties I perform without compensation, and for the most part at my own charges, I have been taken off from the collecting field, and given myself entirely night and day with much labor to the re-election of President McKinley. My teachers meanwhile are suffering for the want of their proper pay. I have come down from Vermont, put my headquarters here, and am going from man to man in the humblest way, to gather running expenses and possibly an endowment for our grand enterprise, whose industrial features will commend themselves to your judgment.

Now, as a thank offering after our election, and as a "God speed you" to an old friend, will you not give me a lift? If so, please send me a check, with your blessing.

Ever lovingly yours,

Major-General U.S. Army
Managing-Director L.M.U. (Retired)
How is the weather? It's pretty cold here.

I hope you're doing well. How are you getting on with your studies?

I hope to see you soon. Take care of yourself!
Dr. Lucien C. Warner,

New York City.

My dear friend:

After extraordinary labors for three months, extended over six states, I come back to realize that some very worthy teachers at our University are not properly paid. My heart runs to you in this immensity. I know your income is not what it once was, but perhaps you can give me a "Godspeed you" and a thank offering, if our Republican friends have not bled you too much. If so, do please send me as big a check as you can possibly spare. I cannot get up a romance for white boys and girls but I can subscribe myself.

Your sincere loving friend,

Major-General U.S. Army (Retired)

Managing-Director L. M. U.
A MONUMENT TO
ABRAHAM LINCOLN

OFFICE OF MANAGING EDITOR
1520 NEW YORK STREET
NEW YORK CITY

MY DEAR SIR:

After exciting rumors for some months, especial
my long absence, I am pleased to report that your very 
considerable interest in our University and not having had
the pleasure of the personal acquaintance of the Dean,
I will write to your name to ask if all is well.

If you would like to return, you can give me a number where you can reach me.

I am pleased to meet you and I hope you can come soon.

Yours sincerely,

[Name]

[Address]

[Position]
Hon. D. Willis James,

S. P. Avery, Esq., New York.

Dear Mr. James: 38th St., New York.

My dear friend: When I came to you last time just a year ago, after the death of my dear friend, the late Mr. G. W. Adams, I was deeply grieved and impressed with the idea of the magnitude of the task before us. The work we have undertaken is indeed a difficult one, and it requires much thought and study before we can hope to be successful. The success of our efforts, however, is not in doubt, for we have the support of the many friends who have already subscribed to our cause. We are making rapid progress, and I trust that you will be able to see the results of our efforts in the near future.

If the work is to be completed, we must have more help. I am therefore willing to give me another lift in my cherished enterprise. Please send me a check with your blessing. I have taken an office with the American Traders' Association at 50 Nassau Street, New York.

Wishing you every blessing, I am

Sincerely your friend,

Major-General U.S. Army (Retired)
Managing-Director L. M. U.
A MONUMENT TO
ABRAHAM LINCOLN

OFFICE OF NAVAL ENGINEERING
20 BASSAN STREET
NEW YORK CITY

Mr. Wood, May 11th,

I am surprised to hear from you that you have been in New York for some time. I hope you have found the weather pleasant and enjoyed your visit.

I enclose a copy of our letter to Mr. Lincoln regarding the monument. As you know, we have been working on this project for some time. We have received much support from various organizations and individuals who share our vision.

I am writing to request your assistance in obtaining funds for the construction of the monument. We have already secured a portion of the necessary funds, but we need additional support to complete the project.

If you are able to contribute, please let me know. I understand if you cannot, but any amount will be greatly appreciated.

I look forward to hearing from you.

Yours sincerely,

[Signature]

Secretary, New York
Lincoln Memorial University
Cumberland Gap, Tenn.

A MONUMENT TO
ABRAHAM LINCOLN

Office of Managing Director,
100 Nassau Street,
New York City.

Nov. 20th, 1900.

J. Crosby Brown, Esq.,
New York City.

My dear friend:

It is a little over a year since I came to you after the death of my son, Col. Howard in the Philippines, entreat- ing a contribution toward the completion of the purchase of our good property at Cumberland Gap. I nearly accomplished my purpose all except some unexpected accounts. Now, owing to my giving heart and soul for three or four months and great labor night and day to the re-election of McKinley, my teachers are without pay and I want my friends as a sort of thank offering to help me out. Have you not so prospered that you can give me another lift? If so, please send me a check to this office.

Ever your loving friend,

Major-General U.S. Army (Retired)
Managing-Director L.M.U.
Nov 20th 1900

Gen. O. O. Howard
Managing Director
Lincoln Memorial University
Cumberland Gap Tenn.

Dear Sir:

Repling to yours of the 15th inst. I enclose my check for $500.00 for the uses of your school.

Yours truly

Bronson B. Tuttle
48 West 41st St.
Tuesday, Nov. 20th, 1894

General O. C. Howard,
My dear friend,

Our Society for Women’s Work would be
made happy indeed if
you would address them
for thirty minutes in the Parlor on Tuesday, Dec. 14th at
11:30 o’clock on some among
the Mountain whites, Indians
or any other missionary
topic you might prefer.
Awaiting your reply.

I am,

Most faithfully yours,

(Mrs.) Hamilton S. Gordon
Pres. Soc.N.Y.
Dear Mr. Howard,

I am ready to leave on the 1:35 train this afternoon to thank you again for your kindness and the fine care you have given me for the past month. May you be well and comfortable in your new home in Chicago.

6515 Harvard Ave
To O.C. Bright

G ordially,

Jessica B. Bright

Tuesday, Mar. 20, 1900.
General O. O. Howard,
Burlington, Vt.

My dear General:

I have just read an account in my Congregationist of the celebration of your seventieth birthday in New York. I want to congratulate you on your three score years and ten. I think that no three score years and ten have been spent with greater profit to our race. I have a little boy who is now ten years old. He will go into the future with the name he has borne for ten years Howard Whittier Wright. It connects your name and the poet Whittier's with the humble family of the humble race which you have done so much to liberate, encourage and elevate.

Wishing you a continuance of life, health and happiness,

I am

Very truly yours,

R. R. Wright
November 20th, 1900

General O. O. Howdy

My dear General:

I have just been so happy in my congratulations on the celebration of your eighteenth birthday in New York. I want to say some personal things in private. I think that you are very fortunate in having such a fine family. You have been very generous and kind, and you have been very patient with the people around you. I will write to you later about my trip to Europe. I hope you will continue to enjoy your family and the pleasures of life. I am sure you will. Take care of your health and happiness.

Very truly yours,

[Signature]
Nov. 20, 1900

Dear General:

I have made inquiry in regard to the matter and this is the report I receive:

The only $500,000 transaction that we had been able to find pertinent to the Bond purchase, as shown on pages 435 to 446 Howard Court of Inquiry viz:

334,000
250,000
Total $584,000.

This account (less certain payments) appears to have been redeposited in the U.S. Treasury.

The Bureau balance when closed on June 30, 1872 was $8,17, which was deposited to the credit of the U.S.

I will have a further search made and let you know.

Very truly,

[Signature]
#10 Elm Lawn, Dorchester, Mass.
Nov 20th, 1880

General O & Howard

Dear General,

It has been a long time since I wrote or heard from you. I believe I can reach you to the Kenedyere, I started from the

Boston on the 18th of June. I was there by the 21st and arrived at Home 8 days on my return

I hope to do much good with my hand

I am a big man now, and I

The Medical Society of Boston

I am very well, and I am glad to hear from you.

I hope to hear from you soon.

Yours truly,

C. R. Rollins, Esq.
The Cahuenga Indians, as far back as
by word of mouth by Cochis White,
was told to Jeffords that Cochis White
was 27 years and 1/2, and Cochis
began a certain age but you knew
the end of a Cahuenga Chief. He
Jeffords has guarded this
tradition closely until I pursued him
that I should be sure & he would
his history. That he was not doing any
thing dishonorable. You know he
heard past principals but I at last
persuaded him and I wrote the story
on the spot, after traveling back
to Los Angeles. I put in representing
and they 3 was carried to the
Northern Mission and went from
there to the shore old Captains
again but I have the best of that Japan
as written. Great stuff has made
its spirit like Mr. H. D. Underwood.
American Missionary Association,
Congregational Rooms,
Fourth Avenue and Twenty-Second Street, New York.

New York, Nov. 20th, 1900

General O. O. Howard,
30 West 59th St.,
New York City, N. Y.

Dear General Howard:

Please accept my hearty thanks for your favor of the 17th inst., acknowledging Dr. Roy's letter to me of the 12th inst., and returning the same.

It is very kind in you to give so accurately the incident connected with the review of the Army in Washington at the close of the war.

The discussion of the race question at the Congregational Club last evening was interesting and profitable. You made a very valuable contribution to the occasion in emphasizing the fact that no mistake was made in the early days in establishing schools in various parts of the South for the education of Colored men and women for leadership.

There has been so much said in recent years questioning the wisdom of the early efforts for the education and elevation of the Negro race, that it seemed very timely and proper that you should say what you did concerning the work which was done by the Bureau, and followed up by the Missionary and Benevolent organizations, at work for the Negro race.
The time has now come when an impartial and careful history can be written of the early plans and the development of the plans for the betterment of the condition of the Colored people in the South. I hope that you have already put on paper an historical account of the objects and aims of the Freedmens' Bureau and the work which has since been done.

It was a significant fact to me that in all the addresses made at the dinner at the Waldorf-Astoria, given in honour of your 70th birthday, the reference to the service which you rendered to the Negro race through the Freedmens' Bureau, was received with hearty sympathy and applause. This was very significant from the fact that there must have been in the audience persons who in the early days of the efforts for the Negro had little or no sympathy with the Government, or with the organizations that sought the care and protection of the Negro in his struggle for support and for an education. It seems as though a more considerate and appreciative sentiment now prevails towards the thorough education of the Negro, and that the best hope for him is in the use of the opportunities which he makes through the educational system of the public schools and the institutions established by the benevolent organizations working in his behalf.

I earnestly hope that you have already, as I say, made a careful history of the early efforts of the Bureau and the later developments, and given your testimony that no mistake has been made in the plans and in their development. Where have the leaders come from, if not from these schools and institutions planted for their education and training?
The time has now come again in my capacity as an expert to make a
statement of the early plans and the development of the plans
for the development of the cooperation of the Liberal people in the
South. I hope that you have already been informed about the
socioeconomic and social conditions in the Progressive Era and the
work that has been done.

I am a listener first and foremost in all these matters.

It was at the summer of the Washington-Easter! When I return to your
local government. I have reference to the time when you remember to
see what has been done in the Progressive Era. I am today writing
these new developments and their significance.

The case that has been made in the public has been heard, and in the
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with the government or with the government's support of the
and presentation of the Negro in the struggle for support and power in
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statement can be made about the tremendous cooperation of the Negro.
and that the past of the past has not been in the use of the opportunities
which have made progress and the achievement of the full potential of
and the appreciation expressed by the government and officeholders

work in the past.

I earnestly hope that you have already been a

constituent part of the early efforts of the present and the later
government and have your own contribution to make and the
progressive era and have made the people and the people
agreeable to you.

Come from me, if not from some speeches and statements that have
been
Gen. O. O. Howard.  

If you have not already completed an historical record  
I earnestly hope that you can give this matter your early attention,  
while you are blessed with health and strength and time, in the  
midst of your philanthropic efforts that press upon you at this  
time.

Sincerely yours,

[Signature]

Nov. 20th, 1900.
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Gen. O. W. Howard.

If you have not already completed an inventory report
I earnestly hope that you can give this matter your early attention.

I write you once more with feelings and sincerity and hope to the
where of your philanthropic efforts and please know you at this
time.

Sincerely yours,
[Signature]
Sir Howard

Dear Sir: - I hear that you have been ill. I am glad to hear that in my thoughts with heartfelt good wishes for you to your health and strength.

Yours truly,
[Signature]

P.S. I have been thinking of you and have been writing to Col. Kiffin. I was talking of you.
at this office I be able to write you my message.

May the good things that have your precious life for many years with kind ones, and to the family my hoping to see you soon.

Dearly.

Sarah A. Stansborn

Washington, D.C.

Rev. Freethica

1900
New York, Nov. 20, 1900.

Major General O. Howard,
Union Square, N. Y. City.

My dear General:

I want to congratulate you once more on the very successful and most admirable banquet that was given in your honor. Seldom has New York seen a gathering of the cleanest and most typical representatives of the class of men that make for righteousness in a community.

It was a just tribute, fairly earned by you. It pays in the long run to listen to the voice of God and shape our lives according to his teachings. Captain Mahan's tribute was very significant. I am sure God will be with you to the end.

Would you not be willing to come on some Saturday evening, to a dinner by the Brooklyn Clergymen's Union, at the Montauk Club, and talk for twenty-five minutes or so, on why you deem the army canteen a blunder?

These meetings are not for the public, no newspaper representatives are admitted. We have a dinner at 6 o'clock for an hour, and then have a talk for a half hour, and then questions. The Union is made up of twenty-five of the leading clergymen of the City; men like Dr. Hillis, Dr. Lyman, Dr. E. P. Ingersoll, Dr. Rhodes, etc. They meet every other week.

Could you come next Saturday two weeks, next Saturday four weeks, next Saturday six weeks, or next Saturday eight weeks? Kindly let me know, and I will adjust it on Saturday evening, when I meet with the Union.

We must do something to save our army in the Philippines and elsewhere from the scandal and destructiveness of strong drink. Kindly help to strike a blow in this direction by inspiring the teachers of the people.

Yours as ever,
Mar. 30, 1900

Mr. General O. Howard

United States, N.Y. City

Mr. General:

I want to congratulate you once more on the fine work you have done throughout your career as a public servant. Your work has been recognized by the Progressive and your influence is felt in the community.

It is a great pleasure to have you continue as our President. Your leadership has been most effective.

With your consent, I am submitting a draft of the message to be sent forthwith. You will see that it is in the best interests of the country.

I will be in New York to see you.

W. G. W. Will 20, 1900

For your information, the following is a draft of the message:

The President:
Theodore Roosevelt

This message was sent to the Post Office Department and published in the newspapers.

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[Signature]

DUPLICATE.
Dr. [Name],

As you can see, I have been working on the development of a project to improve the educational system in the Philippines. The project is called "Project Education," and its aim is to provide quality education to children in rural areas.

I have been meeting with local officials and community leaders to discuss the project. We have identified several locations that would benefit from the project, and we are working on a plan to implement it.

I would like to invite you to join our team and contribute your expertise in education. Your experience and knowledge will be invaluable to the success of the project.

Please let me know if you are interested, and we can schedule a meeting to discuss further details.

Thank you for your time,

Yours sincerely,

[Your Name]
November 20, 1900.

I am impressed to write you of a matter that has occupied my mind for several years, and that may develop into a movement of no small importance to the cause of Christ. As you are probably aware, there is a deep and growing conviction, possessing the minds of many earnest ministers and laymen, of the imperative need of a genuine, widespread revival of the Christian religion. There also exists quite generally an impression that the coming first year of the twentieth century will prove to be a time peculiarly favorable for the promotion of such a movement. A careful study of the history of God's dealings with His people in reviving grace proves that in every case where they met His conditions by making suitable preparation, God blessed them with great revivals. Such being the case, the writer believes if similar preparation is made at this time, similar blessings will surely follow. Exhortations to this end may arouse some to individual effort, but nothing short of a concerted movement under the leadership of the ministers and representative laymen of the Churches will ensure a National revival. With that thought in mind, the writer now calls a conference of representative Christians to meet in the parlor of the Twenty-third Street Branch of the New York Y. M. C. A., at three o'clock in the afternoon of Monday, December 3d next, for the purpose of considering the advisability of organizing for the promotion of a National revival of Evangelical Christianity through existing organizations and agencies. As one of the representative Christians of our beloved country, you are cordially invited to be present at the Conference. It may interest you to know that the proposed Conference has already been called to the attention of a considerable number of Christian leaders both in the ministry and in the laity, and has met with their approval. I enclose a printed sheet with extracts from a few of the letters received. Will you not kindly advise the undersigned if the suggested Conference meets with your approval, and also if you will attend the same.

Yours in His Name,

WM. PHILLIPS HALL
Lee Nov 20th,

My dear Paul Howard,

Yr. of 1902 just rec'd.

I am very glad to reply

that I have consulted

leading men here "the Post"

and all are very hearty

about your coming.

There will be a collection, a Thanksgiving offering
for Lincoln Memorial
University" which
they assure you shall
be at least 90

We shall use all means to give you a good
hearing. Mrs. and Sir

Smith, the chief people
here, invite you to
their house to
Thanks for dinner.
Your address will be the only one, leaving to you to adapt it to Thanks for day, and closing with your own appeal for the Union.

I will take care of Susie and, Sons.

Love, Mother.
By this means, I shall hope to be present at the Banquet, next Monday evening in Brooklyn.

Yours with much love,

[Signature]
I am sure we understand each other. for thanks giving day, and you to give the address of the day.
Office of the Appraiser of Merchandise,  
Port of Boston, Mass.,  
177 State Stree.  

Nov. 21, 1900

My dear General:

I mailed you yesterday a copy  
of the Boston Journal, containing your portrait  
and a sketch of the delightful 70th anniversary  
of your birth on the 8th inst. This has been  
mailed to Senator Hepburn, Dr. Peirce, H. B. James,  
Dr. B. W. Amy, Dr. King, other of your friends.  

I write now to ask that you  
see Senator Hepburn on your way down town  
to-morrow morning, either at his house or 42nd  
st. office, and urge him to accept the  
imitation of the time honored Massachusetts  
Club on Saturday afternoon, Dec. 22d  
"forfather's day".  

You will remember her saying  
to me if he will go to Boston I will be  

Present also. This you may tell him.  
He can reach 11:15 the same night at 11:15  
by taking the 11:15 train. This you have  
done I know all about it.
Office of the Appraiser of Merchandise,
Port of Boston, Mass.,

Gen. Howard #2

Tell him about the club of which Ex. Gov. Mr. Claflin is president, and Senator Taft and Secy. of Navy John D. Long are Vice Presidents.

You know our plain informal way of coming, right from our stores and offices, directly to the meeting. No mines, but a gathering of the best Republicans in the State of Massachusetts.

Enclosed find a letter for Mr. DePuy which please deliver when you call on him. I think if this can be accomplished, that Mr. Pilkett will come from Adams, and other strong friends of yours which may be of benefit to you and your cause.

Please let me hear early from you.


S.S. Blanchard
Dear Mr. [Name],

[Handwritten note]

Sincerely,

[Signature]

[Address]

P.S. [Handwritten note]
Young's Hotel,

Boston, Nov. 21, 1900
6 P.M.

Genl. O.O. Howard,
New York, N.Y.,

Dear General,

I reached Boston this noon and have seen two persons. Each gave me $100. The $100 I enclose is from a new person who had not heard of the University and I think he a good deal of money. I know her husband who died ten years ago he gave about $150,000 to Moody School at Northfield. I feel tonight...
as though it would pay for me to work in and near Boston for a month. I have not seen Mr. Blanchard yet. I enclose receipt to which please sign and return to me in care of A. J. Blanchard. I am obliged to keep some money for expenses, I do not intend to let my expenses run much over $125 per month, but I do not want to plan for them to be below that, I advance my own money when I start out and then pay it back. in this way I do not draw upon the institution directly. I will try and take your postcard and send some when I can. Yours sincerely Ed. Rainhill
Chas. F. Eager, Esq.,

Cumberland Gap, Tenn.

Dear Mr. Eager:

Mr. Bronson B. Tuttle of Naugatuck, Conn. enclosed me a check for $50. which was drawn to Col. Adams, Treasurer, so having had Col. Adams endorse it, I send it to you directly. I have receipted for it to Mr. Tuttle. I send it to you directly because you are so much in need of money for the teachers.

Sincerely yours,

O. O. Howard
Managing-Director L.M. U.

Retained Copy.
LINCOLN MEMORIAL UNIVERSITY,
Cumberland Gap, Tenn. Nov. 24, 1906

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

Dear Mr. Howard:

Your favor of 10th received a few days since, and today I have received a resignation which has been accepted and endorsed by a unanimous vote of the Executive Committee.

Trusting you will be successful in securing a liberal endowment for the university.

I remain,

Sincerely yours,

Chas. F. Eager

[signature]
Lincoln Memorial University

Campbell Gap, Tenn.

Dear [Name],

I hope this letter finds you well. I am writing to update you on the latest developments in our [department/program].

[Detailed information or news]

Please let me know if you have any questions or concerns.

Best regards,

[Your Name]
St. Louis, Mo., Nov. 21, 1900.

My Dear General:

At the request of the Executive Committee of the New England Society of St. Louis I extend to you a most earnest and cordial invitation to be present at the Sixteenth Annual Festival and Dinner of the Society, to be held on the Twenty-First day of December, Nineteen Hundred.

The Society do not wish to make this a formal invitation, but it is their earnest desire that you be present. Many of our members you may already know and all would greatly delight to honor you, and extend to you a generous welcome.

The Society would expect you to be their guest from the time you leave home until your return.

Hoping for a favorable response, I am,

Yours very truly,

General O. O. Howard,  
New York City.  
President,  
421 Olive Street.
To the President of the American Ephedrine Society,

Mr. President,

I wish to call your attention to the American Ephedrine Society as a possible agent of the executive secretaries of the American Medical Association and the American Pharmaceutical Association, and the American Society of Clinical Pharmacology and Therapeutics, to be held in December.

With reference to the Society's annual meeting in New York, I have been informed that the Society is planning to meet in the city of New York on the twenty-first day of December.

I would like to express my appreciation of your efforts to make this meeting successful. I am confident that the Society will receive a warm welcome from the members of the Association.

I am looking forward to your favorable response.

Yours very truly,

[Signature]

New York City
Los Angeles, Nov. 21, 70

Dear General Howard:

Will you kindly send me (if you have one to spare) one of the little booklets which you and your brother published at the going beyond - of your dear mother? I saw the one you sent to Mr. Campbell in San Francisco and "My mother's Hands" left a deep impression. How much duty is neglected by mothers - by women nowa days. "It would ruin my hands" is made the excuse for so much neglect.
Did you get my little annual note for your birthday?

Always—Phil. 1:3.

Flora
101 N. Broadway
Los Angeles
Calif.

If you can not send the booklet
please copy the poems and may I
use it at a mothers' meetings?
Dear General Edward:

My disappointment was intense, not being able to be a guest at the dinner in honor of your birthday. Your cordial invitation was the only one that I could not be present at. By my personal efforts I saw some fifty there, and among them some twenty Vansleve President, and I made it possible that they attended. The rest were principally Congress, so your idea was quite in vain and my efforts in vain. Col. Adams did not call the Congress together once to attend at the dinner, and many a time I intended to stay off the dinner a few hours before the Congress's list. In the midst of it all, I was the greatest part of the night at house attending the meeting of the First Union - Express. So you can see how I was situated. My spirits were better for you and my power was and is for you.

Yours sincerely,

Van Renselaer.
Registration Bureau
OF THE
Charity Organization Society of the City of New York,
UNITED CHARITIES BUILDING,
105 East 22d Street (COR. 4th Ave.)
TELEPHONE, 380 18th ST.
CABLE ADDRESS: "CHARITY, NEW YORK."

New York, Nov. 22nd, 1900.

Gen. O. O. Howard,
150 Nassau St., City.

Dear Sir:-

I send you herewith a book of Confidential Requests for Information Blanks. Will you kindly use them in referring cases to us for investigation?

The number (4009) stamped upon the blanks will serve to identify them as coming from you, and they need not be signed unless you prefer.

A fresh supply will gladly be furnished at any time upon receipt of a request from you.

Yours very truly,

[Signature]
Registrar.

Enc.
DEAR SIR:

I am writing to request a copy of the

report of your investigation

regarding the individual named in the

application that accompanied your

letter of appointment.

I have reviewed the relevant

materials and believe this information is

important for our ongoing review.

Thank you for your prompt attention to

this matter.

Yours very truly,

[Signature]

Register

Esteemed Sir: -

Yours of the 21st inst. just rec'd. will you kindly state what guarantee you would suggest to come to Danville, Penn. under our Ymca auspices to give an address to our men. - Feb. 22, 1901...

Upon receipt of your reply we will give your proposal immediate attention.

We are most solicitous procuring you.

Considering that some satisfactory arrangement can be made mutually beneficial.

I am yours respectfully.

C. R. Shihai, Ymca, Danville, Penn
Gen. O. O. Howard
Maj Gen. U. S. Army
150 Nassau St.
New York City
Dear Gen. Howard,

I do not know Mr. Hall, from whom I received a similar letter. The evangelical Alliance is arranging a general movement in the same direction. I wrote to him that I should be unable to aid him.

I will ask Dr.
Chamberlain to send you a copy of the Alliance circular.

Very sincerely yours,

[Signature]

Major Gen. C. O. Howard.
Nov. 22, 1900.

My dear General,

I cannot allow your appeal to go unheeded—I indeed, I wanted to get the chance to tell you at the dinner, that Mrs. Avery and myself would send two hundred dollars for the support in one year of a male and female student, as we read in the Mountain Herald in Oct. that this sum would do that much good. So please cordially check in that sum, and with good wishes for the success of your good work.

Yours most cheerfully,

S. P. Avery.
Dear O. O. Howard,

150 Nassau St., N.Y.

Dear General:

Referring to our conversation today, I find that on the 9th of February last, Mr. Huntington's check for $500. was given to Col. Adams, and Mr. Huntington's subscription for the Lincoln University canceled, all of which was in accordance with Mr. Huntington's understanding with Col. Adams as explained to you verbally today.

Yours truly,

[Signature]
Dear Mrs. Smith,

I am writing to inform you of the situation that has occurred. As you know, my husband and I are currently preparing for our move to New York. We are in the process of selling our house, and it is being advertised in the local newspapers. However, I am concerned about the impact this will have on our daughters' schooling and their future plans. Our oldest daughter is applying for a scholarship to attend a prestigious university, and I worry that the change in our family's financial situation may affect her chances.

Would you be able to provide any advice or guidance on how we can address this situation? I am also interested in any information you might have regarding the local education system and how it can support our children's academic goals.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Yours sincerely,

[Signature]

P.S. I enclose a copy of the advertisement for the house, which is expected to be sold within the next few weeks.
LINCOLN MEMORIAL UNIVERSITY,

Cumberland Gap, Tenn., Nov. 22, 1900.

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

Dear Gen. Howard: Your favor of 20th at hand with check for $350.00 for which I enclose my receipt.

I am glad that we have this much to pay to teachers, as they need them pay promptly.

Sincerely Yours,

Chas. F. Eager

Weit Aast Read.
Lincoln Memorial University

Campbell's Gap, Tenn.

Dear Mr. [Name],

I received your letter dated 30th of June. I am pleased to hear from you and I appreciate your kind words about my work.

It is true that I have been working hard, and I am proud of the progress that has been made. I have been working on a new project that I believe will be of great benefit to the community.

Please keep me informed of any developments. I look forward to hearing from you again.

Yours sincerely,

[Signature]
National Military Home, Ohio.

November 22, 1900.


Sir:

I recently happened to find your name in the World's Almanac, and am glad that you are still among the living comrades.

Do you remember the expedition sometime in 1863, sent out from Memphis to Moscos, Tenn.?

I had forgotten who was in command, but was told that you were at the time. I have been on so many expeditions at different times from Memphis, Tenn., and most of those times under different officers, it is hard to remember who was in command. But I will relate to you what happened on the particular expedition I now refer to.

I then belonged to Capt. A.M. Corbett's Battery, Co. W., 1st Mo. Light. One of our Serjeants, Thomas Young, was sent out with a foraging party, with two wagons and 9 men. We went on the road west of Moscos, about 8 or 10 miles, when we reached a farm-house, where the men began to eat corn. The serjeant posting a sentry and on the lookout. I went to the well to get a drink of water. I saw four officer's horses tied to trees in
front of the house. I not thinking that they were Confederate Officers horses so near to our
Camps. So I went to the house to get something to drink and of. I knocked at the door, received no answer. After a moment, I knocked again. The door was then opened, and to my surprise by an officer in a Confederate Captain's uniform. We pointed a pistol in my face and ordered me to surrender. Almost at some time I heard the front gate opening leading to the house. I stepped to the left hand side on the step as far as they would allow me, so that my face could see that I was covered with a pistol. The first person that the fire was in, and holding his pistol on the officer ordered him to drop his weapon or be dropped. As soon as the officer looked at the fact, I took my hip pocket from my pocket; I pointed them into the room and ordered the officers therein to throw up their hands. I then walked in and ordered them to lay down their arms near the door, one by one. We then marched them for other arms, and then marched them out to their horses, where we found that each officer had two pistols on their saddles. We then marched the officers to the wagons and brought the prisoners to the fort the 20th. Then they ordered us to
take the captured horses and arms to our Camp and to return them to your Hd Qrs the next day at 9 o'clock Am. There were 3 Brg.
Gaels and one Capt. thus captured. The Captains told me they belonged to the Eastern Army and were on 30 days furlough. As I stated before, there were eight men in this foraging party. Some told that Capt. Pio and young is dead. Three of the others died here and are buried in this Home Cemetery. One other died at Goshut. As the remaining three I can not trace. They belonged to Co. C, 2nd U.S. Sity. I was assigned to Co. M, 1st Mo. Sity in the fall of 1864. and joined Co. D, 2nd U.S. Sity in June, 1865. and in August, 1865. I was transferred to "K" Co. 1st U.S. Sity on account of P.C. of the 28 U.S. Sity, going to California. And I had but a short time to serve as my 5 years term expired on the 21st Nov. 1865 at New Orleans, La.

Sir: General Howard. I have heard of so many soldiers receiving Medals of Honor for braving all meritorious conduct for less than I have done. I wish you would be so kind as to assist me all you can in this matter. I feel that your evidence would be satisfactory in my behalf. Please to inform me how to go about it all. and I will be very thankful to you for advice.
I trust you will excuse the length of this letter to you. But I could not place the matter fully before you without going into the details of the case as I have done, to refresh your mind with memories which must be crowded with so many events incident to the years of the rebellion.

I trust that this may find you well, and that you may be spared, hal many years, as one of the prominent survivors of our struggle for national integrity. I would be pleased to receive an early reply here to as many accounts with your convenience. Very respectfully,

[Signature]

[Date: Oct 25, 185x]
My dear General:

I spent several days in Washington. I saw the President on the way back. He was very kind. He said he was glad to have me back in the country. I want to finish your wishes. I will see you next week when you are in town. I can plan further arrangements.

We are well.

Sincerely,

[Signature]
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Dated

To

Gen CO Howard

American Tract Society

150 Nassau St

May I expect you on Thanksgiving day? Wind immediate reply.

R. F. Sheville
Run to 11:
My eye injury.
Very much
Dear John,
I trust that this message finds you well. Although my vision is impaired, I remain
informed of the latest developments. Please extend my regards to all.
Yours sincerely,
E.D.
vote for me myself but my mental note was a straight Republican ticket. I'm sure have been tired out with campaigning but it must have been a great deal of satisfaction to you to feel that it had accomplished such great results.

As for myself how disappointed you must be in me - how much so I am in myself few know. Sometimes get very disheartened and think that I never

San Francisco
November 22, 1900

Dear General Howard;

Accept my heartfelt congratulations, although somewhat late, on your seventieth birthday and I pray to the All Powerful One to spare you so that we may often in the future wish you good blessing. Seventy years! - to me like me not one third as far on life journey.
It is hard to grasp the full significance of what a wonderful life you have had near General and what good you have accomplished among it. What aygmites, and others like me, who are all useless in the world, felt, when we compare our lives with such as yours. How proud I felt for you when I read the account of the dinner and speeches that were made in your honor at the Waldorf Hotel and how proud Peta and Bepo must have felt. I should have liked to have seen it all. Peta wrote me all about it. We have other reasons for congratulation—the election—wants it wonderfully great the way the people at the polls vindicated the grand and substantial policy of President Inc. Kimley. I commend...
little business and that I am just a quality that I felt ashamed of myself while I was with them. But Providence smiled upon me temporarily and I secured a position with the last firm here.

—This is Farrell, a really good firm both from the eastern colleges and graduates of the Boston University and Mr. Paufler and White men. They have an excellent man with them as well.

will amount to anything at all in the world, and when I think of the trouble you went to in my behalf and the absolute nothing that I have accomplished, I feel almost like giving up. I don't know what to do. When I landed in Seattle everything looked rosy and, as I wrote you, I thought it might be a good place for me to stay—yet I know what happened. There was no
This office in the town doing enough work to hire me and I come here to Disco. There
was no chance to offer for any action - it may have been better well - the
future alone will show that. Left behind me many friends, my
employers among them he far outdid his business
since he writing me for some information and
again writing me all success and regretting that I could not have
stayed in his office.

I arrived in Disco on the 18th of September
but found that seeking a good position was
going to be a most
shameful task - the West is a
road for a young architect
for travel - there since
discovered that most
men who had come
t here and who were
of any value at all
were compelled to return.
Will I get out and
"smelled" and in the
course of a few days
had received a position
with a firm doing a
Little Psalm Book —

"The Lord is my Shepherd, I shall not want."

I believe it, and I hope it all. I try to do right, but am afraid that I do not always succeed. How far I know all dear Benedict and I feel much relieved.

I want you to accept the little token I send you with this, a small token token from me whom you declared and known with your loving kindness and friendship, and who feels supreme pride and pleasure in being allowed to sign himself —

a Mr. Mayes who for thirteen years was employed by Mr. Kim. Friend and White and who among other notable things designs the interiors of the student college library and Sherry's Hotel New York. We are great friends as you can imagine likely being lost from New York and knowing mutually — a good many of our professors. I was told that they only had about two weeks with me when I went.
must hope that there will not. I have been
"resting" around the
last few days, and
while they promise me
something to do as soon
as work requires it,
there seems to be no
very little doing that
I may be compelled to
go to another town.
Perhaps Chicago. I have
saved enough money
to do it so that will
not handical me.
"The way of transgressors
is hard." But so I must
read nightly from your
Zwingly

Jnr. adopted Branchick

Williain Reid Smith

To Major General

Oliver Otis Howard

Jr. S. A.

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123 West 42nd Street

Nov. 22, 1900

Maj. Gen. O. O. Howard,
177 Broadway

Dear General,

It was recently voted to have the portraits of our
honorary members hang on the wall of our classroom.
We would be very glad to receive one of yours.

Kindly write name across front of photo and send

Yours truly,

Robert A. Shaw,

2 W 46 St.

[Signature preferred]
Dear Gen. Howard,

Yours of the 22d I at hand and I have signed and mailed the receipt you sign for me will agree with names and amounts given in my report to Mr. Eager. I asked him for what I take in and of course would report thus far: One $100, and to you. What I do not send to you or to Mr. Eager he charged to my expense account. I am glad Mr. Eager sent $1000 such men ought to be kept posted of the work and later they are likely to do more. Of course I make me account of him in my report. It is not strange he should not mention me I am only an "Agent" you know. And my work quite largely prospecting. I have not seen Mr. Blanchard. A day. Had a pleasant time with him yesterday. I hope to do something here but they not.

Most sincerely yours,
E. P. Fairchild.
Lincoln Memorial University
E. F. Fairchild, President
1900

[Handwritten text]

[Signature]
November 23rd, 1900.

General O. O. HOWARD,
150 Nassau St.,
New York City.

My dear Sir:—

Your letter of November 20th was duly received. The fact that your name is connected with the Lincoln Memorial University, is a guarantee that the Charity is one which ought to receive the general support.

Now, I don't know that I am meeting your wishes, nor do I know exactly what I ought to give to such an object. If the enclosed cheque for $500 does not seem to you to come up to the measure of what I ought to give, let me know, and I shall hope sometime to send you some more.

With the best wishes of an ardent friend of yours and a sympathizer in all your efforts to do good to men, I am,

Very truly yours,

T.E. Stillman
November 23rd, 1900

Mr. General O. Howard
100 Newark St.
New York City

My dear Sir;

Your letter of November 20th was
quick received. The fact that your name is
connected with the Lincoln Memorial Unit,
connected with the Lincoln Memorial Unit,
connected with the Lincoln Memorial Unit,
connected with the Lincoln Memorial Unit,
connected with the Lincoln Memorial Unit,
connected with the Lincoln Memorial Unit,

I am with much regret to receive the General
support.

Now I don't know that I am
meeting your wishes, nor do I know exactly
what I ought to say to such an offer.
If the expected order for $300

does not seem to you to come up to the
level of what I ought to give, let me
know, and I shall hope sometime to send you
some more.

With the best wishes of anagraph
I remain, ever as a subscriber in all
your efforts to go along to men I am
very truly yours,

[Signature]
Lee, Mass., Nov. 23, 1900.

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

Dear Sir:—In view of your being at Lee next week we are planning to reprint some of the matter in recent issues of The Congregationalist or Advance, and write to enquire if you have a cut of yourself, either half-tone or line cut, which we can borrow to use in connection with the matter. If so kindly send at once at our expense.

This we are sure will be very pleasant for our readers and will serve to increase interest in your visit here.

Sincerely,

Edward S. Rogers
Dear Mr. O. Dernon,

I must ask for your kind permission to use your prompt for our city's newsletter. I understand the value of this prompt and the effort that went into creating it.

If you could provide any assistance or guidance, I would greatly appreciate it.

Sincerely,

[Signature]

[Date]
Nov. 23, 1900

Dear O. O. Howard,

Dear uncle Otis:

The name of the poet who wrote "Flora McFlimsey" is William Allen Butler, and his address is Jonkres, N.Y. of which town he is a leading "citizen." He would be pleased to receive a nice note from you and I think would respond not only feelingly, but practically!

Your affectionate nephew,

Francis Gilman Howard.
MORTON TRUST COMPANY,

38 Nassau Street,

New York, Nov. 23, 1900.

Dear Gen. Howard:

I am in receipt of yours of the 21st and pleased to learn that Mr. Tappin will accept the Chairmanship of the Advisory Board of the Lincoln Memorial University.

I enclose a trifle as a "thank offering" and remain,

Very truly yours,

[Signature]

Gen. O. O. Howard,

150 Nassau Street,

City.
Dear Ken Howery:

I am in receipt of your note of the 3rd of May.

I am pleased to learn that Mr. Turpin will receive the appointment of the Assistant Dean of the Illinois Memorial University.

I enclose a copy of a letter to "Dr. Sauer, Attorney in Charge".

Very truly yours,

[Signature]

Gen. O. W. Howery

180 New Haven Avenue
"City"
November 23d, 1900.

Major-General O. O. Howard,

150 Nassau Street,

New York City.

My Dear General Howard:

The Kansas laws require, I am told, the signature of the President of a corporation, in order to effect a transfer of real estate. If you will kindly affix your signature, as President of the CONGREGATIONAL HOME MISSIONARY SOCIETY, to the enclosed, acknowledging the same before a notary, as indicated on the succeeding page of the document, I shall be greatly obliged. Our messenger will wait for this, and take it over to Mr. Washburn, for his signature.

Yours sincerely,

[Signature]

Treasurer.
Dear Dr. Funk:

Your kind letter in duplicate is just received. As probably one copy is for your files, I return it.

Thank you heartily for your appreciative words touching myself. If I only could live up to the standard you fix for me I would be contented.

I don't want to speak on the subject you give me, that is "why I deem the canteen a blunder. You know that I have not looked upon it just as you do. Therefore if you want me you might announce my subject some work for the twentieth century" and incidentally I will give my views frankly concerning the canteen.

Gen. Brooke and nine-tenths of the officers of the army believe and say that this army club, viz: "the Post Exchange" which includes what is called the Canteen, an arrangement for club entertainment having mineral waters, tea, coffee, ice-cream, oysters, &c., including light beer, has been and is a positive temperance institution; that more men are kept from going out to outside saloons than ever before, and that there is scarcely any drunkenness where it exists; but if the Y. M. C. A. will provide something better without the beer, he for one would welcome the provision.
A MONUMENT TO
ABRAHAM LINCOLN

OFFICE OF MANAGING EDITOR
NEW YORK CITY

Mr. Editors,

Your kind letter is cordially appreciated in your receipt.

I have been honored and delighted to hear from you. I have been particularly interested in your suggestions and have been considering them carefully. I believe that your ideas are sound and will be beneficial to our publication.

If you could send me more details about your suggestions, I would be very grateful. I am always open to new ideas and I am confident that your suggestions will contribute to the success of our publication.

Thank you for your interest and your support. I look forward to working with you in the future.

Sincerely,

[Signature]

P.S. I would like to hear from you soon about your plans for the new issue of our publication.

If you need anything else, please let me know.

Yours truly,

[Signature]
The young men (Y. M. C. A.) have put up a building on Governor's Island. That and the arrangement near the Navy Yard are demonstrating the possibility of combining the social and the Christian features to draw both soldiers and sailors away from the multitudinous pit-falls set for them. I depurate all fierce attacks upon good men like the President, the Secretary of War, Gen. Otis, Gen. Brooke and others who simply differ from me as to the best method of attaining temperance results.

With the foregoing understanding, if you want me, I will come and speak a half an hour on the subject "Some work for the Twentieth Century" and include my views of the army canteen, on Saturday at 6 o'clock Dec. 8th at the Montauk Club (Brooklyn Clergymen's dinner).

Very truly yours,
Lincoln Memorial University
Cumberland Gap, Tenn.

A MONUMENT TO
ABRAHAM LINCOLN

OFFICE OF MANAGING DIRECTOR,
150 NASSAU STREET,
NEW YORK CITY.

Nov. 23rd, 1900.

Dear Mr. Blanchard:

Last night I visited Senator Depew; waited a while till he had finished his dinner; sat down with him and pled your case just I think as you would have had me done, after the sanguine and cheerful letter. He seemed very favorable to going but intimated that he might be detained here on that day. He took your letter and said he would carefully consider it and let you know. After that he brought in his niece, Miss Paulding and his son and introduced them to me. We talked some about the L. M. U. and I let them have some circulars to chew upon. I guess he will accept. Certainly I hope so.

Do not forget to give the most cheery words to Mrs. Blanchard.

Very sincerely yours,
Last night I visited Senator Jordan; waiting a
while till he had finished his dinner and gone with him and his
brother-in-law that I think he would have had me gone.
After the dinner we talked about various matters and
war and peace and future and past and the future.

I have some other news to give you when I
expect I shall write you.

Very sincerely yours,

[Signature]
C. R. Shelhart,

Y. M. C. A.,

Danville, Pa.

Dear Sir:

I would rather not go to Danville for the 22nd of Feb., unless I can have subscriptions to the University at least to the amount of $150 and my expenses on and back, simply because I can do better here for this work to which I must now give my attention. If that can be done, I will gladly come. I send you our Mountain paper by the same mail and enclose another circular.

Very sincerely yours,

Major-General U. S. Army (Retired).

Managing-Director L.M.U.
Mr. Woodhull,

Yours of A. M. received.

I am pleased to see you have returned to the city of New York. Since I can have no correspondence to the United States, there is no point of 1890 on your expedition, and I cannot give any attention to the matter. I hope you will soon come and see you can understand.

Yours faithfully,

[Signature]

[Address]

[City]

[Date]
Mrs. Alice Rollins Crane,

10 Elm Lawn, Dorchester, Mass.

Dear Mrs. Crane:

In 1872 when I was in New Mexico at Tularosa just as I was about giving up the possibility of getting into Cochise's stronghold, which proved to be in the Dragoon range of Mountains not far from Dragoon Springs, Arazonia, I ran across the path of a famous scout. It was Jeffords to whom you refer.

He came in to the post at Tularosa, New Mexico, while I was there investigating some Indian troubles. He was called Capt. Jeffords. He agreed to go with me and take me into Cochise's stronghold. This he did. Everything that he told me concerning the Indians as to their whereabouts and their character proved to be true, and I found him truthful in all his statements to me, and have readily believed what he has said. In some things that you have sent me, I have found his memory at times a little faulty, placing your statements which you receive from along side of the written and printed record. But I believe that he remembers as well as most men on the frontier and that is saying much in his favor, and that he will give you the truth to the best of his ability, knowledge and belief.
I cannot advise as to what disposition you can make of the fact that you have obtained. It is difficult to get any circulation for books. It is better when you can to get some weekly like the "Outlook" or some monthly like "Munsey" to publish such wonderful facts and revelations as you have to make.

Hoping this will find you well, I am

Very truly yours,

Major-General U. S. Army (Retired).
I cannot decide on what proposition you can make.

I am a bit of you haveapatkan. It is difficult to get me

to the last time you have appeared. It is better now you can go out some more

on your last call. I hope you mean you can go out some more

thing you wanted to some country like "Seychelles" to happen.

With both yours,

[Name]

Editor-General U. & V.R. (H overseeing)