My dear General,

I find the enclosed paper on my desk, which, I think, I shall fram[e] from your Man. Book. Thank you very much, and I should like to send you the enclosed and to say that you are again very much engaged to my boys and girls.

I am most necessarily yours,

R. F. Holbrook
Dear General Howard:

Mama said she knew you when she was a little girl. I am very interested in Civil War and am reading about it now. The book said that at the Battle of Fair Oaks when you got your arm wounded you met General Kearney who had had his left arm wounded some years before and said, "We will buy our gloves together, Kearney." Did you really say it? How many men were there in your brigade? We have got the map you drew about the battle of Gettysburg when you were here one night.
What body of troops did you command at Gettysburg?
Mama sends love to Lessie and all

Your friend
Fred Burgert

131 Marshall St.
Portland, Ore.
Fort Hamilton, New York,

January 1, 1901.

Mr. H. S. Howard,

150 Nassau St., New York City.

Sir:

In reply to your letter of yesterday, I have the honor to inform you that the arrangements and the compensation suggested therein are entirely satisfactory to me. Some twenty-two members of the band will be available. I will inform Mr. Frank, the leader of the 5th Artillery band, of the project, and of the proposed conference between Mr. Damrosch and himself.

Very respectfully,

[Signature]

Colonel 5th Artillery.
Gen. O. O. Howard,

150 Nassau st., New York City.

dear Gen. Howard:---

In response to your esteemed favor we are sending to the American Tract Society for the Soldiers' Library one copy of each of your three books published by us. We assure you that we are very glad to do this.

In connection with the taking of our inventory it has come to the notice of the manager that no settlement was called for by you last year, and consequently none made. We were in Europe several months, and supposed that the matter had been attended to during our absence, which was during the usual time for such payments. We therefore find ourselves in your debt on account of "Henry" and "Donald", not as much as we could wish, as the public are past feeling the same interest in war-time stories, however excellent, that formerly existed. The revision of "Donald's Schooldays" seems likely to secure a more or less continued sale and prove profitable. When the affairs of the new year allow us to complete the making up of our authors' accounts, we shall be glad to balance accounts with you.

Wishing you a very happy new century, we are,

Very respectfully yours,

Lee and Shepard.

W. F. Gregory.
Dear Mr. Headquarters,

I am pleased to learn that the American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals is considering the purchase of our property. As you know, the building was originally donated by Mr. and Mrs. John Doe as a memorial to their late daughter, Mary Jane Doe. The property has been used for educational and research purposes for many years.

In connection with the transfer of the property, we are writing to ask if it is possible to have the deed to the property transferred to the Society in the name of the donor, Mr. John Doe. We have been advised that such a transfer would be in keeping with his wishes and would allow the property to continue to serve the purposes for which it was intended.

We have enclosed a copy of the deed to the property for your review. If there is anything else we can do to facilitate the transfer of the property, please let us know.

Sincerely,

[Name]
[Address]

PS: Please let us know if you require any further information.
Sunderley City 0  11/1901

Dear Sir,

I write you for information in regard to who commanded the Army of the Tennessee & 175th Illinois here on 4 prior to the 22nd of July 1864. I am having a dispute with one of my old comrades in regard to this matter. Hence this letter. I contend that Gen. Blair commanded the 175th Illinois. Gen. McPherson commanded the Army of the Tennessee. The other party contends that Gen. McPherson was in command of the 175th Illinois & Gen. Blair command the army of the Tennessee prior to the 22nd. Please inform me as to which is the correct one.

Yours truly,

[Signature]
Jasper, Ga., Jan 1, 1921
Gen. C. A. Howard

My dear General,

There comes a time in the life of most men, when the body needs a friend, or friends. That time, General, has come to me. I surely need the influence and help of friends. I had four boys, whom I had carefully educated and started in business; but I have lost them all. Not one left to counsel or help me. Two of them died in government service, and left each a family of small children wholly unprovided for. Congress has never made any provision for the widows and orphan children of men who lost their lives in the Railway mail service. My youngest son was killed and burned up in his car. I have been doing the best I could to care for those thus left penniless, until I can carry the burden no longer. Our home is mortgaged, and the obligations past due; and I have no means to meet them. I laid the matter before the President...
Many months ago, and he very frankly told me that I was carrying burdens that the government ought to assist me in bearing. He told me that he would provide for me with some suitable position, at the earliest possible hour. But time has passed on, and nothing has been done for me. Now, there is an opening where the President can help me. There is to be a Chaplain appointed at the Federal Prison at Atlanta, Georgia. Of course this would be every way suitable for me. There will be many applicants for the place. I am now asking these officers, under whom I have served, to see the President for me, or write him, and ask him to give me the place.

My dear General, will you help me in this matter, either by seeing him or writing to him, and ask him to give me the place. I feel sure he would give the place to one who has served the Country by faithful service, than one who has never done a day's work for the government. General, I will be more grateful to you than I know words to tell you. What is done must be done quickly.

Yours respectfully, 

S. M. Merrill, W.S.
Subject: Relief maps of Gettysburg


Jan 1, 1901.

Major General C.D. Howard,

Portland, Me.

General — To introduce myself, I commanded the 150th V.T. (Brooctails) at Gettysburg, where I lost an arm on July 1st.

I am just finishing a few relief maps of 5 X 5 miles of the Battlefield of Gettysburg, and if you are to be in Boston, New York, Pitts' or Washington in a week or ten days, I would much like to have you see and give me your opinion of it.

The map is drawn or modeled on a scale inch to 600 ft. — vertical scale inch to 100 ft. All farm houses are shown, also woods, roads, water and the famous stone walls. If you will so favor me, please let me know whether you are likely to come here or any of the cities named above.

I am, Very respectfully,

Geo. S. Kudler, Esq.
U. S. Soldiers Christian Aid Association.

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New York, Jan. 1, 1901.

Dr. W. H. Howard, U. S. A.

Sir:—We very much regret that we have lost time on
Monday to meet your representative, having to leave
town hastily, but we will
be very pleased to see him
tomorrow (Wednesday), or
the Thursday, and will give
him every facility in the

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way of explanation and explanation of our work. The court of the battle of inquiry, and are always glad to meet any interested persons. We beg to state that we are still sharp in the conflict, the suffering occasional defeats, and often dotted and found in full retreat, but, by the grace of God, as often able to make our stand.

Hoping you are your well, this season, we are to,

Reg'dapply Yours,

The [illegible]

[illegible]
My Dear G. Howard:—

A happy New Year to you. May you enjoy for many years the blessed fruits of your service to mankind.

I received your letter containing congratulations and request for offering. You have done so much for one that it has long been my desire to show my appreciation in a good substantial manner, and I will now let you into what was a secret. At Fullerton we have a plan to organize a large faith meeting & present the cause of Jesus Christ. It was our plan to call this meeting.
During the old century, not a subject
smallpox has come over the town & all public
meetings are prohibited. Lehigh Board is taking
an active part in the matter & I think that
as soon as the health board allows counsel
have a good offering to send.

Be wanted to let you have this offering as
a few years surprise, but now that it is
out may I not ask a little help to finish
my speech. Some literature giving history
and characteristics of these people you know.

Again wishing you perfect & best blessings
& long life I remain

Yours
Bill.
The Thirty-first Annual Dinner of the Bowdoin Alumni Association of New York will be held at Hotel Manhattan, Madison Ave. and 42d Street, Wednesday Evening, January 16, 1901, at 6.30 o’clock. Members will confer a favor by notifying the Secretary before Saturday, January 12, of the number of tickets wanted ($4.00 each).

F. H. Dillingham, Secy., 76 West 85th Street.
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Burlington
Office of the Appraiser of Merchandise,  
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2 January, 1900.  

My dear General:—

You asked me one day when you were here with reference to Arthur F. Estabrook, Esq., a banker, who was so cordial to you last year and became your subscriber for $100. If you will write one of your characteristic letters to him and send it to me at once, I think that might be duplicated. He leaves Boston the last of the week and this must be attended to by return mail.

I had a very pretty letter from Bessie this morning, acknowledging the receipt of the simple Christmas gift sent over by you.

The news from Des Moines is very encouraging and matters are moving on successfully.

Kind regards to all at home and at your office, and with the compliments of the season, I am

Very sincerely, yours,

Maj.Gen.O.C.Howard,  
New York.
247 Fifth Avenue
Jan. 2 - 1901

My dear General Howard,

General Lee's daughter, I whom I spoke to you is coming to spend this next Sunday with me and will come and dine with us at seven o'clock on Saturday.

Major Gen'l Lee's died many years ago and this is his only surviving daughter—the last of his family.

Sincerely yours,

Elizabeth Kendall Upham.
Dear Mr. Toward:

I have had the honor and pleasure of meeting you, and grasping the hand nearest your heart, and it is the established boast of this baby--now left behind--that he once sat in your lap. All of which occurred when you visited our Oklahoma Chan-nagua Assembly some years ago, and were stopped at our tent as you passed out the grounds under escort of our old Col. Van Hoven. D. Gillen, then president of the assembly and now located in Iowa.

All of this preliminary to saying, if you have not been interested in and stirred up by the published accounts of the investigation concerning Cadet Root's experiences when at the Academy I have a suspicion that the peculiar circumstances of the investigation one--muddling speaking some mental gymnastics--an economical use of the truth--the underclass traditions with strain and being--frilly as precedent--I have pondered if the idea is altogether to criticize to have it physically
Kansas City, Mo.

10/29/98, 12:00 P.M.

Dear Mr. Andrews:

I am writing to express my gratitude for the kind and generous assistance you have provided in this matter. Your efforts have been invaluable, and I am grateful for your continued support.

I wanted to notify you that we have decided to proceed with the project as planned, and I look forward to working closely with you to ensure its success.

Please let me know if there is anything else I can do to assist you.

Sincerely,

[Signature]

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Safe for a medium strength boy to enter there, even granting that he is inclined to be a physical coward.

There should certainly be other
and more and more of getting rid of
them and more creditable to his
confidence. That I have greatly admired
and indignant assault. The people
of the supposed American and prevailing with
the extent it seems Danish and having to
the institution and resenting often enough to
get a clear or aggregative of men without
as a mixture of publics. I have been
mildness that some clean enterprise
magazines would draw out an artist's
out the subject, from my hand. What
believe in something should be paid by the
right person, and further if there have
after dismissal of single and
instructed in. And it is not
and wholesome influence. All my
Respectfully R. J. Waddell
Albany, N.Y.
A good friend, Mr. Smith, has asked me to write a letter to you. I have had the pleasure of knowing him for many years, and I must say that he is a very kind and generous man. He has always been there for me, and I am grateful for his friendship.

I have been thinking about your recent illness, and I hope that you are improving. I have heard that you are receiving the best care possible, and I am sure that you will recover soon.

I am also aware of the challenges that you are facing with your business. I understand that it is difficult to manage a large enterprise, but I am sure that you will find a way to overcome these challenges.

If you need any assistance, please do not hesitate to contact me. I am always here to help.

Best regards,

[Signature]

P.S. I hope to hear from you soon.
Dear General:

Last September the Ex. Com. voted to drain Mr. Spencer. I have hired him a day or two at a time in special cases since. He has just called on me stating that he had been offered $120.00 per month at Sept. in Texas. If we build, he is invaluable. As he laid the old foundations and quarried the stone and can teach the boys how to labor on stone etc. He will stay here for 75.00 per month. If we had the money to build I should know just what to say. As it is I hate it.
lose hold of him, but do not care to take the responsibility of asking him to stay by it.
I know you must be busy, but if you think he had better be held until me.

Firs Fraternally,

John Hare Larry.
January 2 1901

General O. O. Howard,

150 Nassau Street,

New York City.

My dear General:

Your letter of December 28th is just before me this morning. I find now that it will not be possible for me to accept the invitation to preside at the Lincoln Birthday celebration on February 11th. I regret this exceedingly as I hoped to be able to so arrange my engagements as to enable me to do so.

With kind regards, I am,

Sincerely yours,
January 2nd, 1901.

General O. O. Howard,
150 Nassau St.,
New York.

My dear Sir:—

I am in receipt of yours in behalf of the Lincoln University. I am already interested in three or four educational institutions in which I am a Trustee, all of which are in a very similar position to yours,—all short of money, and all begging for it, that I feel that whatever I can give in this direction is due to them.

Regretting my inability to help you at this time,

Yours truly,

[Signature]
Cranes

Vein

Parchment
Long Branch City, N. J. Jan. 2

Dear Sir,

Since I wrote to you I have been quite sick and am not yet able to arrange for the lecture. I am afraid she can not have it in Jan. any way, but will let you know if we do decide.

Yours respectfully,

P. A. Smallix
Maj. Gen. O. O. Howard
250 Nassau St.,
N. York City.
Lincoln Memorial University

Cumberland Gap, Tenn....Jan. 8, 1906

Mr. Geo. O. Howard
New York City.

Dear Gen. Howard: The different departments of Lincoln Mem. University opened again yesterday, and I am happy to say, with very flattering prospects. Many of the young men who have been out teaching have returned and brought others with them. The greatest question that confronts us now is how to take care of them. Grant-Lee is filled to the limit. How much we need another building near there.

The little disturbance has nearly all blown over, many of the boys have returned. We have had some diplomacy and tact to mend matters, that ought to have been done by Dr. Larry, but now we hope everything will proceed more smoothly.

Wishing you good luck for the work.

Sincerely yours,

Chas. F. Eager
3rd Jan 1901

Gen. O. O. Howard
36 West 59 St.

Dear Sir,

In repairing your scabbard some of the engraving was erased. We have restored as much as we could but are undecided about the date and mood the much obliged if you will advise us concerning it. My respectfully

[Signature]

Taylor
Knoxville, Tenn., Jan'y 8, 1901

Genl. O. O. Howard.

During the year of your active interest in Educational affairs or Cumberland Pap. it has not been my privilege to meet you. Before time, I learned, from two talks of yours having been in our city, I have not seen you since you presided at our Chiv. H. M. Meeting in Washington City.

A few years ago, when you recognized me as a "Companion," from my Sargent's Sargent, I have no Command.
From thirty members we came. We went on window
100. Then came business failures.
A big \( \text{UP} \) division was eliminated from the Southern system, and
we lost employees, offices, etc.
Now times drove our people
all new citizens, back in many cases. While, for the Southern
Church, if there was financial loss, it did not mean decrease of
members.

Don't let you have knownAlready
I all this. My report have
needed to be in mission strong.

Influence. We have succeeded
assisted by our Broadway Branch,
for we knew we must appear to
practically compete with other
City Churches. Our people near
missionaries, from the first identified
themselves with all the other
first work. Pilgrim Church by
its actiive representatives. Teachers
Virtually. Cathedral Home. New City
Hospital. Women's Association
Y.M.C.A. etc. In myself, always
Southern people and churches have
been cordial. Brother and sister
friendship have had. Thanks.
The Church Building has been paid for. It must be continued do. The Home Board is the same. Dr. Clark looked in on in about ten years ago. Dr. Macomber was here some right to no representatives of other churches here were. It was a Sunday.

My warm friend and my Dr. A. J. B. was a dear fellow worker in Syria. My last year spent a July. We were blessed with a welcome. We had a small Children's Church and A. M. A. over 6-10 with no complaints. Sunday School and Congregation for a great extent of country. First as we have a small Colonel Church here and A. M. A. over 1-10 we spent our time in the region south west.
Chaplain V. Rep. N. S. S. J.

A Southern University (U. of I. in our city) honored me by a D. S. degree. I am Chaplain of the

Dean of Presidents' Club of D. S. P. and Honorary Member 1st Class.

Come I thought it wise to beg you to face the fact I refer to there to illustrate a little

more of how Pilgrim Church is recognized and all that goes on, as it will give me pleasure to

enjoy the privilege of calling on you if in the city. I think this week in your

formal Coffee may help us to meet you.

Sr. Ross - Oct. 19, 05.

Now Dear Uncle Howard,

do you wonder that we feel as if we at least have music

and that when we learn more and then the the rendering

of a peculiarr borderless and made me sing!

I hate to suggest any work to you but if we can we have you at some convenient time to

fire in a Lecture. It would

as in your part.

A Democratic Governor ap. prominent me a year ap.
Cambridge Jan. 3, 1901

Will you, however favor
Mr. Whittimore by writing
his signature on a slip saying
"Enclosure received," and
sealing it back in the directed
envelope, to be kept
with other valued autographs?

Jan. 3, 1901.
Jan. 4th, 1901.

New York,

Gen'l. O. O. Howard,

30 West 59th Street,
New York.

Dear General Howard:-

Whatever may transpire constraining a separation in work or co-operation in affairs wherein you and I may be deeply interested, I shall never cease to have a profound regard for my Commander of the 4th Army Corps. We may have views at variance and our methods differ, but my admiration and deep regard for a brave soldier will always remain with me.

I desire to thank you cordially for your warm expressions of regard.

My resignation from the Treasurership of the University was, you remember contemplated a year or more ago, and I feel that it is best that I should be relieved from a number of offices I now hold in various organizations.

With kind regards to Mrs. Howard and your family, believe me,

Yours very truly,
Boston Jan. 4, 1906

Dear General,

Will you acknowledge the enclosed $5.00 check to Edward Miles Abbott
450 Fremont Building
Boston, Mass.

The Miss Stapper letterread. Thanks. With best wishes.

Gen. O. D. Howard. J. P. Hancock.
Jan. 4, 1901.

Dear Gen. Howard,

If not

health, which has not been good for two years, will permit, I shall be happy to serve for the cause in the way you propose.

If you choose to issue conditional acceptance of service, I suppose a conference would be advisable, in order to determine what would be appropriate in the way of a selection.

Awaiting a reply, to give pleasure on this 3.
points of view;
Very respectfully,
Your obedient servant.

[Signature: R. Roberts]

I have not heard from
Maj. Paul.
Boston,
74 Huntington Ave
Jan. 4, 1901

Dear Gen. Howard,

I am going to write you a little note for fear you may be wondering why your picture does not come.

I was much pleased to receive your order for the "Madonna" and quite surprised when one night (quite late too) after I had started to retire, Mr. Blanchard called.
brought me the money from you. You know Mr. B. well enough to know that I had to fix my back hair and come in over him or he would have come in and seen me!

At once I ordered some photographs mounted, as I was all out of that subject, and they had to print them. If there was also a delay because they mounted them on white cards when I ordered brown. And so I have been much slower than usual in filling an order that I wanted to be especially prompt.

As I had to wait for some colors, that are slow to dry I can't send it by mail till it is hard so it will be a week or a little more before you get it.

But you will know I shall not delay now as I got the pictures.

I was much pleased with the result of my exhibition and have been quite busy since.

Wishing you a very Happy New Year and much joy in this new century.

Very Sincerely, -

Louise Adams Guild
HEADQUARTERS

GEN. LAWTON POST

Civil War Veterans.

Officers 1901.

Commander, CHAS. WAINWRIGHT.
Senior Vice Com, ORRIN J. RANDLETT.
Junior Vice Com, AMOS SOUTHWICK.
Quartermaster, CHAS. O. PULSIFER.

Adjutant, ROSECO DORLE.
Officer Day, JAMES MORGAN.
Officer Guard, WILLIAM SHARROCK.

Lawrence, Mass., Jan. 5, 1901

Gen. O.O. Howard

Dear Comrade,

I can hardly claim an acquaintance with you although I had the pleasure of exchanging a few words at Framingham in 1863 and again at Burlington four years ago during the session of the Army of the Potomac, and at Burlington last year and can refer to Gen. Thos. S. Peck and C.P. Smith old school mates of mine for further information.

I have been for thirty years a citizen in one of the mills here employing about 4500 hands. Why I write you at this time is in order to extend an invitation to attend a memorial and patriotic service in Beverly May 30th and to deliver the address on the occasion. The will occur in the open house in the evening after the regular exercises of the day are over. As we are an independent body of civil war veterans at present, not yet affiliated with the G.A.R. we do not wish to interfere with the memorial exercises that are held under the direction of the local post, but to supplement them by a patriotic meeting purely for the benefit of the large foreign population of the city, more than a majority of its 70,000 inhabitants. These are from every European country and many of them have yet to learn the first principles of loyalty to the state. Our organization with its experience received from
service in the Civil War is well qualified to enter upon a campaign of education in their behalf and have already done something in this direction as you will see by the paper mailed you. Should you accept all expenses will be paid and you will have an audience limited only by the capacity of the opera house probably even at least. Hoping your reply will be favorable I remain... 

Yours fraternally,

Chas. Fraymroth Conn.

Gen. Lawton Post.
Private.

DEPARTMENT OF STATE.

WASHINGTON.

January 5, 1901.

My dear General:—

I am extremely sorry that I see no prospect whatever of being able to attend your great meeting on the 11th of February. A great many reasons prevent, among which the chief are my press of occupations here which makes even a day's absence a source of considerable inconvenience, and, secondly, my bodily health, which dissuades me from anything but the most necessary travel.

I know you will have a most edifying and enjoyable evening, and the loss from my absence will be altogether mine.

Yours very sincerely,

[Signature]

Gen. C. C. Howard,
15C, Nassau Street, New York.
Jan. 5, 1901

Dear General,

I have the enclosed check to the credit of your "Boston Visit". I hope it all in all you will not consider the Boston visit a failure. Your autograph for Whitman's Poems was received by Miss Stappen and greatly pleased her. She will acknowledge to you. You may accredit to Arthur F. Estabrook Esq, 35 Congress St., Boston, Mass., Enr.

Gen. O. O. Howard, S.S.B.
Jan. 5, 1901

Dear Mr. Estabrook,

Enclosed find a note from Sen. O. C. Howard which is in accord with our conversation when I saw you last. Your last contribution was $100. A check to order of Sen. Howard I will forward if you desire.

With compliments of the season,

Yours, Very Sincerely,

P.S. B. Lanchard

A. A. Estabrook Esq.
Transmit with Kinloch.
Dict. S.V.W.

Major General O. O. Howard,
Managing Director Lincoln Memorial University,
150 Nassau Street, New York City.

Dear General Howard:

Thank you for reminding me of my promise to give the Lincoln Memorial University $100.00, which please find herewith.

Your zeal for God and humanity will find success in your work, I feel very sure.

Your friend,
January 8th, 1907

Dear General Howells:

Thank you for referring me to my proposed biography and for your letter of November 10, 1906, which please find herewith.

Please note that my next projected work will be successful in your work. I feel very sure.

Yours truly,

[Signature]
Boston, Mass., Jan. 5, 1801.

Gen. I. O. Howard,
150 Nassau St.,
New York City, N. Y.

Dear Sir:

At the request of the Hon. S. S. Blanchard we forward you by to-days mail a couple of pictures from one of your negatives, same being a particular kind for which, we understand, you have immediate use.

Yours truly,

[Signature]
Jan. 5, 1901.

My dear General,

Thank you for your note in answer to mine.

Yes, we have a telephone, 2484-79th St, and I shall be happy to see you then, whenever we can arrange a meeting.

Yours respectfully,

[Signature]

[Handwritten note: 18 9]
Hartford Life Insurance Co.,
Hartford, Conn. January 5, 1901

Gen. O. O. Howard,
150 Nassau St.,
New York, N.Y.

Dear Sir:

We note your new address as above, but must ask you to personally execute the change-of-address card which we herewith enclose, and then return the same to us for the proper filing in this office.

It is contrary to our rules to make any alteration in an address on our books without having in hand authority over the personal signature of the person insured.

Yours truly,

[Signature]

#14816 #54308.
1814 S Oxford St.
Brooklyn, N.Y. Jan. 6, 1906

Major, Gen. O.O. Howard
U.S. Army - Retired -

Sir,

I hereby beg you will favor me with your autograph an enclosed cord.

As one of the few surviving generals of our great war, I desire very much to add your autograph to my collection. Hoping you will oblige me in the matter,

I remain

Yours very truly

Wallace W. Harrell