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Dear General Howard
Your letter has
just been received
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always - pleased - to
have you call - I at
present cannot set-
aside - any special
time - as I am ex-

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celebrating July - and
not quite done - of
my time - I will
always - be welcomed -
I enclose - a cheque -
for twenty-five dollars -
which I hope - will
help. It is small -
but all I can do
at present -

Hoping you - are

all well - and very
pleasantly settled
in New York - I am

Yours cordially
Elizabeth Agnew

July 26th 1901
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My dear Gen. Howard. Thanks for
personal letter just rec^d. Your own
handwriting is a blessing - and always
treasured up - God prosper you in all
the good things you have in hand. Shall
try to go Feb. 11th, but not certain. Am here a
few weeks - Pastor ill. Please send "Circular" of
Feb. 11th, to Chas E. Quackebush. 71 E. 92nd St.
With best love to you & yours. Devotedly, A. B. Merrill.

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Gen. O. O. Howard
150 Nassau St.
New York City.

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Cumberland Gap, Tenn., JAN 26 1901 190

My dear Fairchild:

Yours from Boston at hand. I note what you say about Dr. Lanning's request to have Mr. Myers go to Cuba, Halifax or elsewhere. Anything you can do to get this Myers matter fixed to stay will be a good thing.

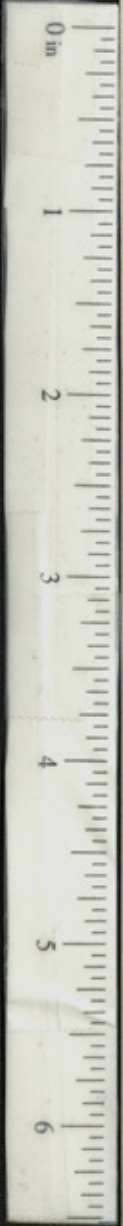
A little level-headed action last year would have saved all this tangle. Now I wish the world knew that there is only one way, the open, honest, and manly way.

Look at it any way you will, Mr. Myers should not be where he is a constant menace to the peace and

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CHURCHMAN, CHAS. L. 1890

My dear Sir,
I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 10th inst. in relation to the purchase of a copy of the "Lincoln Memorial" and in reply to inform you that the same has been forwarded to you by express of the 12th inst. at the rate of \$1.00 per copy. I am, Sir, very respectfully,
Yours truly,
Chas. L. Churchman



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I think after the 11th celebration
of you or Gen. H. can
get me appointment to
speak in some of the churches
I can prove to you what
I can do to interest people.
This affair will open the
way for just this kind of
work. I don't care where
the glory land. I want to see
something accomplished.

Suffy, is bad for regular diet.
Will give God the glory and
let men take what they want
themselves but the work
must go on. It will go on
when every Achary finds his
proper place. I feel this
in my very bones. With
prayers and good wishes
for all I am,
Yours fraternally John Hale Larry.

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LINCOLN MEMORIAL UNIVERSITY,

Cumberland Gap, Tenn., Jan 16, 1901.

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

Dear Gen. Howard: I have this evening written a long letter to Mr. Fairchild in regard to the Myers Sulfridge matter, and have requested him to show it to you. It grieves me so much to think that such obstacles are thrown in the way, and that the good work done by Mr. Myers in so many years is now being destroyed. I pray that the divine spirit will guide us in our consideration of this responsibility. I have refrained from saying anything about it before because his friends would think that I was prosecuting him, but as officers of L. M. U. I think it is our duty to act at once.

The first school month of the new century closed today, with a large attendance in all departments. The teachers will want their salaries in a few days. I hope you will be prepared to send me some money. We are trying to be as economical as possible, have paid the note in N.Y. except \$200⁰⁰ which was

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GEN. O. O. HOWARD,
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Sec. and Asst. Treasurer,
Cumberland Gap.

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Advanced by Mr. James who has sent me the
note and has written that he expects me to
send him the balance (\$200⁰⁰)

There is considerable due the merchants who
have been very kind, in not pushing their
accounts. So I shall be pleased to receive
in a few days all you can spare.

We hope that the celebration will be a
great success.

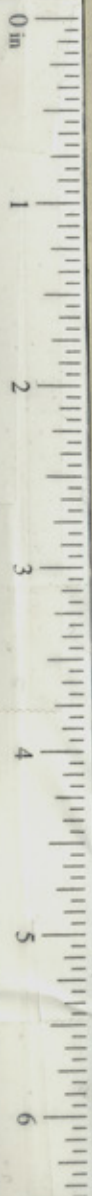
Sincerely Yours.

Chas. F. Eager Secy.

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Handwritten signature: Wm. M. G. ...



PRESIDENT'S OFFICE
PRINCETON UNIVERSITY,
PRINCETON, N. J.

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January 26, 1901.

Gen. O. O. Howard,
Care H. S. Howard, Esq.,
150 Nassau Street,
New York.

My dear General Howard:-

I thank you very much for your kind note of the 24th, and I regret exceedingly to say that it is impossible for me to accept your invitation to be present at the celebration of Lincoln's Birthday on the evening of February 11th at Carnegie Hall. I have already made an appointment to attend a Princeton alumni dinner in Baltimore on that evening. I am exceedingly sorry that I shall miss the pleasure which the evening would have afforded me. I am,

Very sincerely yours,

James F. Smith

January 26, 1901.

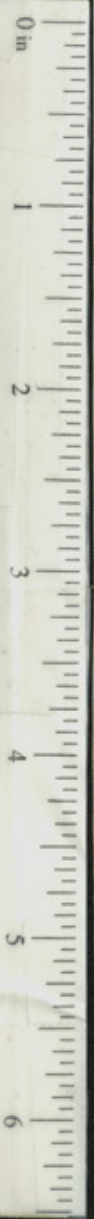
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Wm. L. G. Hale



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General O. O. Howard,

New York City, N. Y.

My dear General:-

I have just received your letter of the 25th, inclosing the opening chapter of the book. I congratulate you upon the success of this chapter. It is all right, is just as it should be, and promises remarkably well for an eminently readable volume. The only criticism I have to make is the brief allusion to your appointment as a cadet to West Point, which should, I think, include a brief narrative of your departure from home and your experiences on the way, with a few touches of your reception and experiences at the military academy, substantially as you read the same to me from that newspaper article when I called upon you. One's interest in the present chapter is well sustained until he comes to this period, where, owing to its abruptness, almost amounting to a hiatus, he feels a sense of disappointment and the thread seems to be broken. You explain this by alluding to the fact that you have elsewhere written in detail an account of this period; but I think that the narrative ought to be continuous, and that it will be a mistake to omit some details of this interesting period. We must never lose sight of your personality.

I would not advise giving very much space to a mere descrip-

Jan. 28th, 1901.

General O. G. Howry,

New York City, N. Y.

My dear General:-

I have just received your letter of the 28th, enclosing

the opening chapter of the book. I congratulate you upon the success

of this chapter. It is all right, is just as it should be, and promises

reliably well for an originally readable volume. The only criticism

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experience from that time and your experience on the way, with a few sentences

of your education and experience at the military academy, etc.

Finally, as you read the story to me from that newspaper article when I

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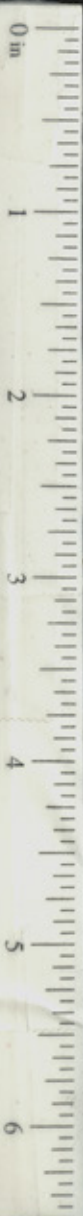
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I return the chapter herewith. You will see that it has been edited just a little. I hope that you will accord to me the privilege of doing this---a privilege that every author for whom I have published has always cheerfully granted and for which they have, in the end, expressed their thanks. There is far less to be done to your manuscript than any that I have had for a long time, and I wish to say how much pleased I am with it in this respect. Still, there will inevitably be little slips, obscure sentences, etc., which I always take pride in correcting, so that every book bearing my imprint shall be above criticism in this respect. I think that a book that is worth publishing at all is worth bringing out in the best manner. I want to make yours better than any book I have yet published.

I am very glad to get this chapter, I assure you. I wish I had the whole book now. Still, I realize that when you reach a certain point in the narrative it will be necessary to have access to your papers in Burlington. I think, however, that if all goes well, and you get along with the work as rapidly as I anticipate, I may begin setting the type in advance of the completion of the book.

Sincerely yours,

A. D. Worthington

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WAR DEPARTMENT,
Surgeon General's Office,
WASHINGTON,

January 26, 1901.

General O. O. Howard, U. S. A.,
150 Nassau Street, New York, N. Y.

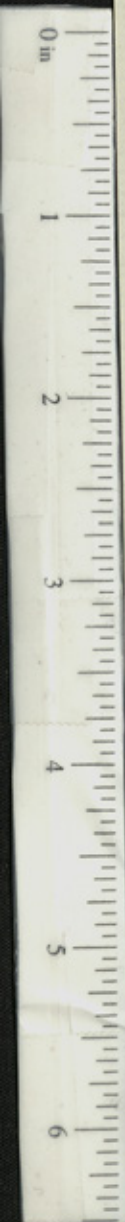
My dear General:-

I have received your letter of January 23d with reference to Dr. Gill, and in reply would say that upon my recommendation the Honorable the Secretary of War has waived the age limit in the case of Dr. Gill and he will be so informed.

Very sincerely yours,

Geo. W. Stearns

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WHITMAN, MASS., Jan. 28, 1901/

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

My Dear General:

It gives me pleasure to acknowledge your friendly letter of the 24th inst. I am glad you have not forgotten us and hope that the promised visit will soon be fulfilled.

In regard to Mitchell's History of Bridgewater, I think you could obtain them from the publishers, Little Brown & Co. of Boston. At the time I bought yours they were \$5.00 a volume but I think however they are now selling for \$4.50.

I thank you for sending the bit of genealogy. I should like you to sometime give me the dates of births, marriages and deaths.

Mrs. Howard extends her warmest regards and says tell the General she belongs to the same line that Abraham Lincoln descended from, the Hoskins family and has the distinction of having had ten ancestors in the American Revolution. If I can serve you in any way do not hesitate to instruct me.

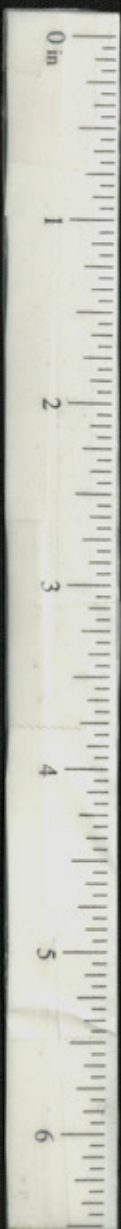
Hoping to see you here soon, I am,

Yours sincerely,

William J. Howard

Dear Mrs. Dancer;
please send
note & return
to me.

Yours truly
O. O. Howard
{ 150 Nassau St. N.Y.
Jan. 29th 1901



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New York Jan 28, 1907

To Genl. O. O. Howard:

Dear Genl. Howard:

Your more than
kind promise to give Thurs-
day ^{Evening} February 14th to me and
"my Boys and Girls" has
been received with gratitude,
and I look forward to that
visit with the greatest of pleasure.

I hope you may feel re-
paid for coming to us. We
will try to make it so. S

Thanking you for all
used honor, I am

Yours very truly
Margt. P. Pascal

Hamilton S. Peck,

ATTORNEY AT LAW.

BURLINGTON, VT.,

July 28 1901

My dear General.

Sent you "Grand old
Chattanooga" by express today C.O.D.
I am so glad when
Bertha said it was. She has good
memory. Received your invitation
to the Loudsboro birthday celebration, thank
you for your kindness. Wish I could attend
but fear I cannot. Very sincerely yours
Hamilton S. Peck

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Ross Hill, Va.

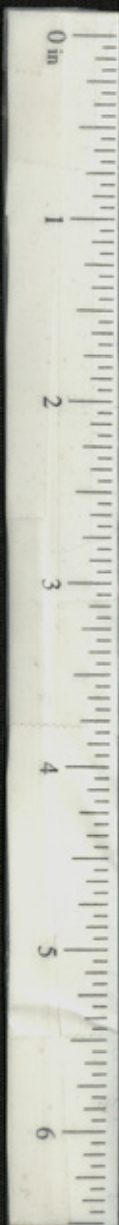
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Gen. O. O. Howard:

Dear Sir:

As a pastor who has seen the working of the Lincoln M. University at E. Gap, it gives me pleasure to bear testimony to the good work. It has been my lot as a Presbyterian preacher to live and preach in this part of the country for twenty three years. During that time we have had many agencies for the improvement of the people, such as R. R. &c., but nothing to compare with the prospect of good work as contemplated by the Trustees of Grant LEE Hall.

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I have even of my congregation
now in Grant St. Hall and it is
my privilege to visit & preach there
frequently and all are delighted
with the management of the
School.

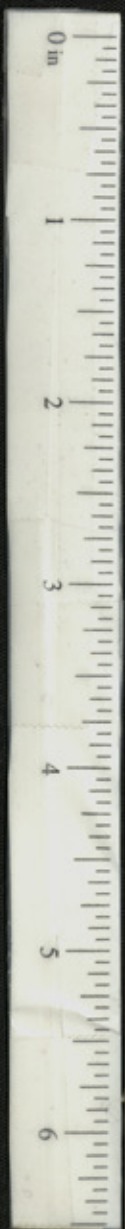
I know there has been some
friction in the conduct of
the School at Cumberland Gap
but do not think it will amount
to very much.

Hoping to meet you on some
of your visits to this section
of the country

I remain yours
Respectfully.

Rev. Isaac S. Anderson, Pastor of
the Presbyterian Church in
Lee Co. Va.

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Cumberland Gap, Tenn., Jan 28 190/

Dear General:-

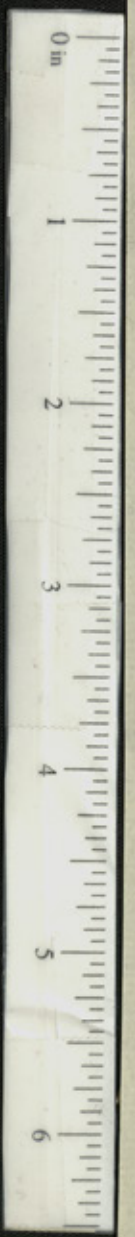
Yours of the 26th is re-
gard to Mr. Spencer at hand.
We will try and hold him here a
week or two in the hopes that
it may seem best to employ
him. I am going ahead with the
lumber, getting the logs ready for
the mill. I feel that we ought to
have faith enough to begin the
work and then go on as fast
as means are raised. No
matter how slowly we go on if
we only go. I send you a clipping
from the front page of the Sentinel
which was led to publish a dispatch
saying that our board had split its
they have corrected that and seem
ready now to do us justice. We
have a wily foe and the best
answer to all their folly is entire
ignoring their acts and keep on
building. One leading man, who
has kept supporting by his patron-
age, the Shewanee College has just
sent four of his children here
and he said to me "You just

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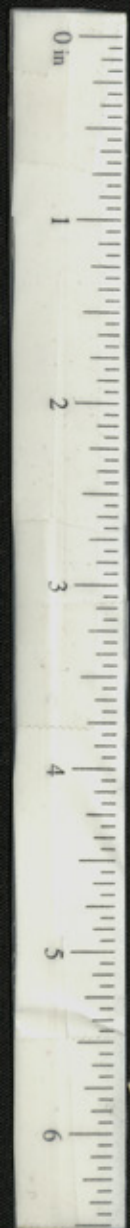
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Come down over country and
talk to our people and you
will get a host of students.

But we have all we can take
and these people will not
send to the Gap under any cir-
cumstances.

We have found a great friend
in the Rev. Anderson, of Rose Hill,
Virginia. He is a middle aged
man, worth from \$50.000 to \$100.000
dollars, quite close with it I
think, but he gives himself
and his time to the Master. He
preaches here once a month and
stays over night with us. He
rides this country, (unpaid) in
all sorts of weather, baptizing the
babies, marrying the young people,
visiting the sick etc. etc. He is
well educated, a fine looking
man and very clean in his
ways. I think he has been the
means of sending 10 or a dozen
fine young people here. He
would make a good man
on our board of trustees I think.
He is a Presbyterian by the way.
I think perhaps he will write
you some time.



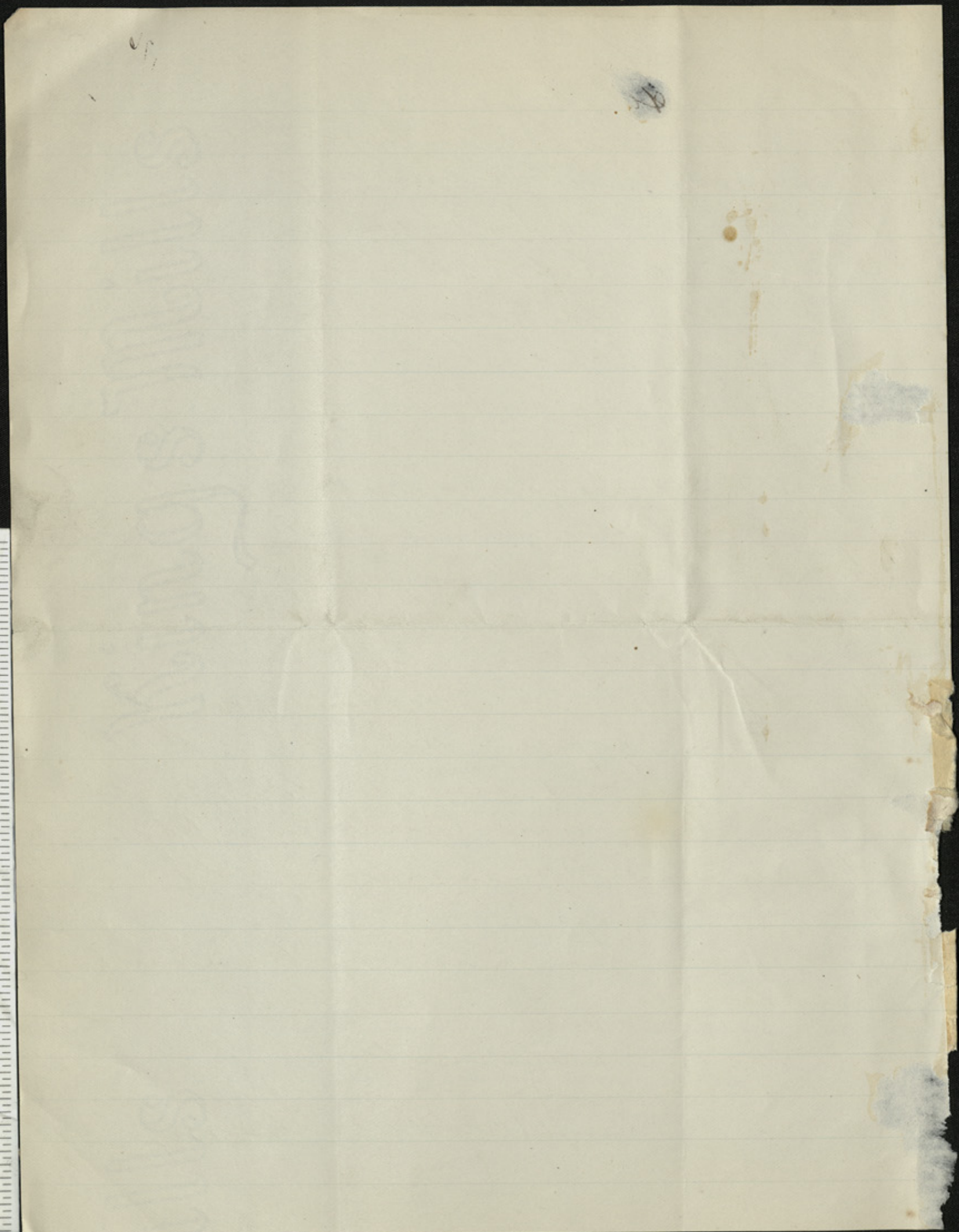
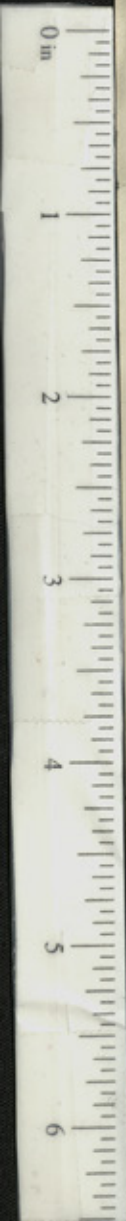
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Whatever he says you can rely ^{on}
upon. Although born in Virginia
he was educated partly in N.Y.
in the Union Seminary. I think
and he is what may be
termed a liberal Southerner.

Please tell your son that I
did not take the Kodak pic-
tures for you, but sent them
thinking they, or some of them,
might be serviceable, reaching
you earlier than those I
had taken.

Now as writing, millionaires,
I have some on my list of
friends. I have worked for the
"Common People" and am still
working for them, but I will
bring the new building before
the quins I see way. It
must cure.

Mrs L - sends kindest
regards.

Yours fraternally
Whittale Lamy,

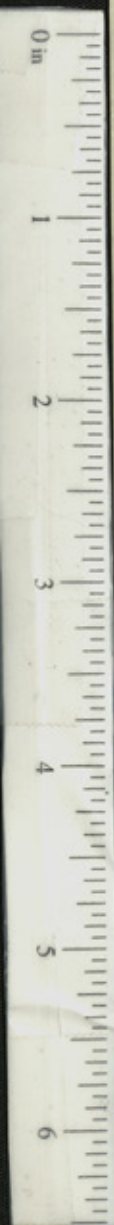


Petersville, Pa. of Silas Kerr. ⁴⁷⁶
Jan. 28-1901

Gen. C. C. Howard.

Dear Sir.

I have never heard for a certainty that Miss Emory of Bradford sent the \$5.00 promised for L. M. U. & only know she wrote she certainly would that week. I wrote you. Will you kindly let me know. That I may send my report to Mr. Eager. & if she has not I'll write her again as she had over told promised that day I spoke. before I left the toll. I have had to sort of give up the work for the present on account of my father Kerr's health but hope later to be able to do some work near home. Hoping you will rec'd the money & that I may soon hear I remain
Respectfully Yours
Ellas. D. Incher



Handwritten text, likely a signature or name, in cursive script, appearing faintly on the paper.

Louisville, Jan 29th 189
Ch. E. 19013

My Dear Gene Howard: I enclose brief notes of introduction to the leading New York Editors some of whom you doubtless know. Mr. Pulitzer may or may not be in town. If he is, you will need to ascertain just how and where he may be found. The same of Mr. Hearst. They are hard men to catch. The others are easy sailing. They are all friendly to me as I think will aid us all they can.

My present purpose is to reach New York (or Walpole, N.H.) Sunday evening, Feb 10th.

I shall require on the stage simply a flat top table about four feet high - an ordinary table mounted by a candle, or soap, box, with a cover thrown over will suffice. I want some illustrative extracts from Lincoln's words. No extra lighting or nothing on the table.

I shall try to fetch John Hay over with me from Washington, where I spent the preceding

weeks:

My Washington address will be Courier-Record
Bureau 1421 G Street as if anything occurs
to you, advise me there after Feb 1st.

Sincerely

Henry Watson

My dear G. O. Howard

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Gen. O. O. Howard.

Dear Sir.

I enclose
a reminder of your coming
here, — though I do not
presume that you need it.

We are looking for-
ward with interest to
what we know will be
a most enjoyable evening
for the Church and town.

I would be pleased
if you would let me
know what train you
are coming on and
whether you plan to ac-
cept our hospitality for
the night. There is a
train leaving at 9⁴⁸ for
New York that you could
take if you so desire; or
we will give you the best of
welcome in a Christian home.

that we are finally free.

Yours truly

F. B. Upson

Hamersmith N. J.

Jan. 29, 1901

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FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH,
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BINGHAMTON, N. Y.

Jann. 29th, 1901.

My Dear General:

Your lecture is announced for Monday evening, Feb. 18th. Your Home Missionary Address before the Association is the next day.

I surely want 100 large Lithos-such as you furnished the Lecture Bureau people. I have taken the entire responsibility of your coming & it must be well advertised. The week previous we have a "Winter Chautauqua in the city with lectures galore" it will take more advertiseing to rouse our people. Please send me the Lithos as soon as may be. We anticipate with great joy your coming. Mrs. Waters will write you about it. With regards,

Wm. Waters.

Jan. 22nd, 1901.

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1433 Josephine St.,
Denver, Colo.,
Jan. 29th, '01.

Gen. Howard,

Dear Sir:-

I have just received your letter,
and I am very sorry that
"the Pony Express" did not reach
you. However, I shall try again,
and in same mail with this
send you another copy of Vol. I.

I was sorry to learn that it
was not your staff officers ~~that~~ to
whom my grandfather pointed out
certain points on the field from the ~~of~~

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I shall certainly try to get
"Henry in the War". I should
like very much to read it.

I don't think they have the book
in town here. It is not in the
library, and I have not seen it
for sale in the stores; but I'll
write to Lee & Shepard themselves
in regard to it, in the course of a
week or two.

Hoping that this time the
Pony Express will reach you,

I am,
Yours Sincerely,
William Arnold Jacobs.

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College eupola on July 1st, 1863.

We are all going back to
Gettysburg next June, and I
expect to take a great many
photographs of points of interest
on the battle field. When I
was back in 1897, I took pictures
of the head-quarters of Lee's, Meade
and Lee, and a few others.

Have you seen the book, "Gettys-
burg Then and Now", by J. M. Van-
derolice, published by Dillingham
& Co., New York?

I received a copy for a Christmas
present. It is very interesting,
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