March 22nd, 1901.

Dear Mr. Montgomery:

The hour of my departure has come so that we will have to change our arrangement. The statement that you three gentlemen agreed to make in writing has not arrived, neither has any answer come to me with regard to space in the Exposition grounds at Buffalo. As I shall be away now till the middle of next month I suggest that you first satisfy yourselves that this is actually the log house in which Lincoln was born. Second, that the ranches, whose pictures you have, were connected with it. Third, that you yourselves go on and put up the building in Buffalo, if the permission comes, using my name to secure advantages, especially that of transportation. As a compensation to me for the use of my name, &c. or any work that I may do, grant the Lincoln Memorial University whatever of the net proceeds you can afford.

If you wish it, I can secure the care of it by the nearest G. A. R. Post and thus lessen expense. My secretary, Miss Ellis, will show you any answer that may come from the ground, or facilitate you in any way to carry out your project.

Fully believing in your integrity I am willing to grant you the benefit of my name and influence, but as I must leave now I cannot enter into any other arrangement however desirable until my return about the 10th of April.
Very truly yours,

Major-General U. S. Army (Retired)
FREDERIC W. TAYLOR,
Director of Concessions,
Superintendent of Horticulture, Forestry,
Foods and Their Accessories.

PAN-AMERICAN EXPOSITION 1901
BUFFALO, N.Y., U.S.A.

March 22, 1901.

O. C. Howard,
Major-General U.S. Army, (Retired.)
150 Nassau St., New York, N.Y.

My dear General:

I have yours of the 19th inst., and am much interested in the project you mention. I am inclined to think that the best plan would be for you to arrange with the concessionaire of the Old Plantation, to let him have your Lincoln Cabin, making such arrangements as would be mutually satisfactory. I would suggest that you write to Mr. E. S. Dundy, in care of this office, regarding the matter. Mr. Dundy is the concessionaire, and will I am sure be glad to take the subject up with you. Mr. Dundy, by the way, is the son of Judge G. S. Dundy, who was on the bench at the time you were in charge of the Department of the Platte.

Assuring you of my desire to render any assistance that may be in my power, I beg to remain

Very truly yours,
H. G. Howard

I have just come off the trip you mentioned to Chicago and the

work this trip is practically the same as you described. I am not sure

how much longer it will take. I am getting a good idea of the

work and am sure that the next time we come this way we will

be able to do it more efficiently.

I am sorry to hear of the accident at the office. I will do my best to

write as quickly as possible. I have a lot of correspondence to do and I

wanted to get it out of the way before I left. I am sure that the workers

will be glad to have me back and I hope to be back as soon as possible.

I am just about ready to leave Chicago and will be in touch with you

soon. I am sure you will be at the office of the department at the

time I am supposed to be there. I hope to meet you then.

Yours truly,

H. G. Howard.
My dear General:

I am in receipt of your very kind and interesting letter of the 20th instant, and heartily thank you for the information you have furnished. The correspondence on this subject bears conclusive testimony to the importance of having a well trained body of inspectors and a recognition of the heroic services they have invariably rendered wherever and whenever occasion required. Could you tell me of any others who could give such instructive reminiscences?

Thanking you again for your courtesy, I am,

Yours very truly,

[Signature]

General O. O. Howard,  
150 Nassau Street,  
New York City.
Dear Dr. C. O. Howard,

New York.

Dear Sir:

I have just been reading with great interest an article in a New York paper in regard to Lincoln University in eastern Tennessee. Can you refer me to anything further or send me a catalogue of the institution? I wish to know more about it.

The work at Berea, Ky., has appealed to me in much the same way. But as yet I know very little of the whole matter. Some years ago I spent a summer in western North Carolina and have ever since been interested in the 'American Highlanders.'

Yours truly,

W. M. Spalding.
My Dear Gen. Abbot,

I received a letter from you yesterday, also one this morning. Your Tuesday evening was subject in the Transcript-Office, and they just sent me the Transcript-office and all about to send you some copies as per your request. I hope you will all have them in good time.

Cordially,

C.H. Spalding.

A sweet soul has passed into the great unknown.
Knoxville, Tenn. March 23, 1901.

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

Dear Sir:

I called at your Office when I was in New York some three weeks ago and was very sorry not to find you in. I understand that one of the Cumberland Gap parties who resigned from his connection with the Lincoln Memorial University, is making an effort to be reinstated. I only want to say to you that you do not want this man connected with the University in any way whatever and if you desire further particulars, I can furnish you with them.

Yours very truly,

[Signature]

[Handwritten note: “See our good friend Blackford has gone to his reward”]
LINCOLN MEMORIAL UNIVERSITY,
Cumberland Gap, Tenn., Nov. 28, 1901.

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

Dear Gen. Howard: Your letter of 18th at hand, announcing the sad news of Col. D.S. Blachards death, which is a severe stroke for us all who met him last summer and enjoyed his presence here so much.

The teachers and students represented by Prof. Bronson and Peaced and the Executive Committee have today formalized expressions of sympathy to Mr. Schoon over to his mourning family.

Yours,

Chas. F. Eager
Lecturers.
S. PARKES CADMAN.
DR. P. S. HENSON.
DE. A. W. LAMAR.
ELLEET HUBBARD.
FRED. N. STONE.
JO. M. HERVEY.
SAMUEL PHELPS LELAND.
RAFAL PARLIGETE.
MILFORD RIGGS.
MRS. FRANK WILDE.
C. E. MAXFIELD.
JOHN L. BRANDT.
FRED. V. HAWLEY.
NACY MOORE WATERS.
MADISON C. PETERS.
JOHN URI LLOYD.
COL. L. F. COPELAND.
BISHOP CHAS. R. CALLOWAY.

Entertainers.
MONTAVILLE FLOWERS.
ISABEL GARCHHELL, BRIERER.
S. J. CONVERSE.
SAUNDERS TABLEAUX D'ART CO.
The EXCELSIOR ENTERTAINERS.

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MENDELSSOHN MALE QUARTETTE.
INTESTATE GRAND CONCERT CO.
HANK-PARKER LADIES QUINTETTE.
MR. & MRS. HUGH McGIBBENS.
GLEN HALL (TENOR).

EUSTIS-BALLENBURG BAND.
CHARLES W. CLARK (TENOR).
MAXIE HISEM DEMOS (Mezzo).
RECESS TUDOR (SOPRANO).
OSCAR J. EHRMANN, (BARITONE).
INDIANA UNIVERSITY GLEE CLUB.
KATHERINE KLAERL (MEZZO).
INNES AND HIS BAND.
PARKE SISTERS STRING QUARTETTE.
ROMEO FRICK (BARITONE).
ASA M. SHERIDAN (BARITONE).

Dear Gen. Howard:

Your favor reached me a few days ago. I had already sent your instructions to N.Y. and I presume they have been forwarded to you. Your date at Denison is $200/ $100. and Wednesday, 27th, Nevada, Iowa, with W.H. Payne, $100. The others dates have fallen thro' and I cannot tell you how much I regret it. I held the time for Mrs. Woodbridge at Duluth for some days, and she has just informed me it has fallen thro'.

Hope to do better again for summer and next season. Believe me

Yours Very Truly,

[Signature]

I will be in Chicago next Friday and Saturday, at my office, 609 Steinway Hall.
Staunton, Pa. Nov. 24, 1861

Gen. A. E. Howard,

Dear Sir,

I find Miss Grace Emory did send you the 50 cents to meet you at school and you were to send her the name of the girl who needs the benefit of the scholarship.

I am anxious to help her. I have written Miss Emory

Emory out of 2 M. W. ale or her people are very wealthy and she is specially interested in the Mountain White work. I wrote her if I had gone back as I expected it would have been as nice for her to come down to commencement at Cumberland and Gap. If she wrote back it might be arranged yet. But of course I cannot go back just for that. Miss Emory is such an efficient worker and if a little attention was given whole help the Homers Club of
Bradford / the chut through Miss E. effort
the one scholarship they may do more.
Gen. Howard I feel sure in a week or two
I shall be released from the care of any
father. Do you think it advisable to
try to do any further work for the school
I find I could not interest people and
tell the attention as long as I could talk.
but some how I don't feel I know how
to arrange anything or get a chance at
people. Yet I can very much interest in
the work of the W. U. I especially. Yet I felt
sure my duty for the Harvest has been
with any father. Gen. Howard don't you
think this work presented at Chorlton-
ought prove of some or great value to
the school while they never take collections
you would reach so many people that
perhaps would help financially. I heard
Mrs. Booth present her Prison Work &
know she received 5000 dollars. Have
felt as anxious to know what you need &
the Carnegie Hall Meeting. Hoping the work is
progressing. I pray God may enable
the school to prosper the school. Pray pray pray your Ellah I cher.
Beatrice, Neb., Mar. 25, 1901.

I was glad to see in the Christian Herald of
2/5 inst. some account of your University, so
I want all the information you can give me about this "Noblest Monument to build". Please send me your Catalogue & every published statement you have that you are giving to the public. I am interested in this. Do the school for both white & blacks, or for the colored people alone? What is the location & magnitude of your conception in this work. I had not heard of this thing before this hour. I write you at once. Hope to have an early reply. With best wishes,

C. L. Barber.
Postal Card. One Cent.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

This side is for the address only.

Dear Col. O. O. Howard,

Office of Lincoln Memorial University,
150 Nassau St., Room 1303-4,

New York City.
My dear General Howard,

Where are you, and where have you been these past two months? I have been quite ill, and I suppose I might have died if you would not have known me!

Will you come and dine Friday evening at seven o'clock? Dr. and Mrs. Cole of Bangor—Dr. Cole is a nephew of my husband—are in town for a few days and have promised to dine

[Handwritten notes at the bottom of the page]
My telephone No. is 1884, Madison Square.
I will be at home between 1:30 & 2:30; or
the clerk will take a message for me.

With me that evening, Dr. Cee,
I am sure would like to meet
his Uncle's old friend.
I will write on my envelope to
return this if you are not at home;
for if you cannot come, I want
to ask some one else to meet Dr. &
Mrs. Cee. But I hope you can come.

Sincerely yours,

Elizabeth H. Elyham.

Monday, March 25th

247 Fifth Avenue.
Cincinnati, March 25, 1901.

General O.O. Howard,
New York City.

Dear Sir and Companion:—

I am sorry to say that I failed to meet your daughter and her friend, Mrs. B., on Friday, the 15th. I went to the train, which came in on time, and scanned every face for a suggestion, and displayed my Loyal Legion Rosette for recognition, but none came, and I was forced to depart disappointed.

I am disposed to look upon your consent to be with us in May as final, and ask you to say to what toast you will respond, and the sentiment to which you will speak.

Very truly yours,

Recorder.
Dear [Name],

I hope you are well and that all is well in your life. I trust that your recent travels have been pleasant and that you have been able to relax and enjoy yourself.

I wanted to reach out to you about an important matter. As you know, we have been working on [specific project/issue] together, and I believe that we are making significant progress towards our goals.

However, I believe that we need to address some issues that have been arising in our collaboration. Specifically, I have noticed that there have been delays in our communication and that some of our deadlines are not being met. I understand that there may be challenges that you are facing, but I believe that we can work together to find solutions and overcome these obstacles.

I am committed to our success and I believe that we can achieve our goals with the right approach and effort. I would be happy to schedule a meeting to discuss these issues further and to work out a plan to move forward.

Please let me know your availability and let’s work together to ensure that we are moving forward in a timely and effective manner.

Thank you for your time and attention to this matter.

Best regards,

[Your Name]
Brooklyn Borough, N. Y. City, March 25, 1901.

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

Dear General:

I am much delighted to get your letter. At the public meeting at the Armory you will doubtless be called upon and also at the Banquet, but you need no preparation.

Yours sincerely,

Horatio C. King
March 25th, 1901.

Gen. O.O. Howard,

150 Nassau St.,

New York City.

My dear sir:-

We certainly appreciate your kindness in accepting our invitation for Monday evening April 8th. We shall have present that night those who have contributed toward the erection of the building, also a number of people whom we want to interest in giving money toward the payment of the debt. We shall consider it quite a help if during your address you will speak upon the value of a building of this character to the city, inasmuch as it will be the center of all religious, moral and educational influences. I think your second subject, "Our new needs of Christian education", would be the best for this occasion. I shall send you a detailed program later.

Thanking you for your kindness, I remain

Very Sincerely yours

[Signature]

General Secretary.
Mar 25, 1907

New York

Dear Genl. Howard:

I hope you enjoyed my Boys debate or orldie. Last month that you will feel willing to lend your inspiring presence at again on the anning of Friday, March 29th, when they will debate upon Arbitration. We have invited Genl. Wheeler and sincerely hope that he may know us - as you will by coming. “Mark Swaim” has promised to be with us - hoping for a memorable evening. Sincerely yours truly, 

Pascal
Revealed March 25th 1901

Dear Sir Howard,

I have been suffering with neuralgia and today the upper part of my face is badly swollen. I hardly think I shall be able to leave home this week. I have not heard from Dr Lanyon since the 12th. He did not seem pleased with my visit to the library. I wrote him that I was not prepared for the strong feeling I found against him and I thought his use of hard words was a mistake. Mr Myers writes that he expects to go to California in June or July. He wants to pay his debt first. He is now at Clifton Springs.

He writes that he heard of a petition to stop after some 700 or 1000 had signed it. Mr. Eager had written me of it and is very anxious for a copy. I wish he had one. Most sincerely yours, Ed. Franklin.
Dear Gen. Howard:—

Yours of March 21 at hand.

I am writing you that I must write no longer for Mr. Fairchild. I have received several pledges for rooms in the new building. Yesterday I obtained several leases for several rooms in the Central Church in helping furnish the conference. They may also take a room. I wish you could dictate a short letter to Rev. S. R. Shapleigh, 36 Boylston St., Boston, telling him that I am in S. F. and very busy, some time to attend the funeral of Mrs. Bigelow. I met Mr. Blanchard in camp very near where the conference was held. He represents the L. & W. of Achorn.

Mrs. Achorn thinks we should recognize theodosia board of Boston, adding, volunteeers that will take a line interest. We are unable to get the Board, and as Mrs. Blanchard is taken away, we shall have to ‘fide a way’ as soon as possible. I wish we might find a Wesleyan plan. I wish we might find a Wesleyan plan. I wish we might find a Wesleyan plan. I wish we might find a Wesleyan plan. I wish we might find a Wesleyan plan. I wish we might find a Wesleyan plan. I wish we might find a Wesleyan plan. I wish we might find a Wesleyan plan. We have also a letter from Mr. Spencer who is no longer in the case. I am sending the letter you. I have many other
along these lines. "In weaknesses rectifying
those who oppose themselves in a test
that comes often deep, we find, but I shall keep
meet such a storm before but I shall keep
free. He foresaw it. Mr. Fairchild did not
help matters in his visit to the Gap.
Wife needs to consult and go
then they do.
I am sorry yours that Fruit
did not get in. I must have it and
thereafter.
I expect some to be in New York.
If you see Mr. Fairchild before the
landmark is casting with him that
he did not get of free view of
the situation at the Gap.
Now General, I believe we will
work things out all right. I am
to sorry you are in pain. He
often think of and pray for you.
Her your sake I wish her patient
and peaceful.

Yours sincerely,

[Signature]

[Name]
LINCOLN MEMORIAL UNIVERSITY,

Cumberland Gap, Tenn., 190

[Handwritten text]
Webster Groves, Mo. March 25, 1901

Gen. A.O. Howard,

Dear Sir, I have just read "The Noblest Monument to Lincoln," Chicago Herald. I am a native of E. Tenn. But I had not heard of the Lincoln University. I am greatly interested in the description given in the Chicago Herald, but I cannot discover where it is located. I never heard of Cumberland Park before. Will you be kind enough to give me the county and P.O. address of this institution, or Cumberland Park.

Yours, as ever, C.C. Hart.