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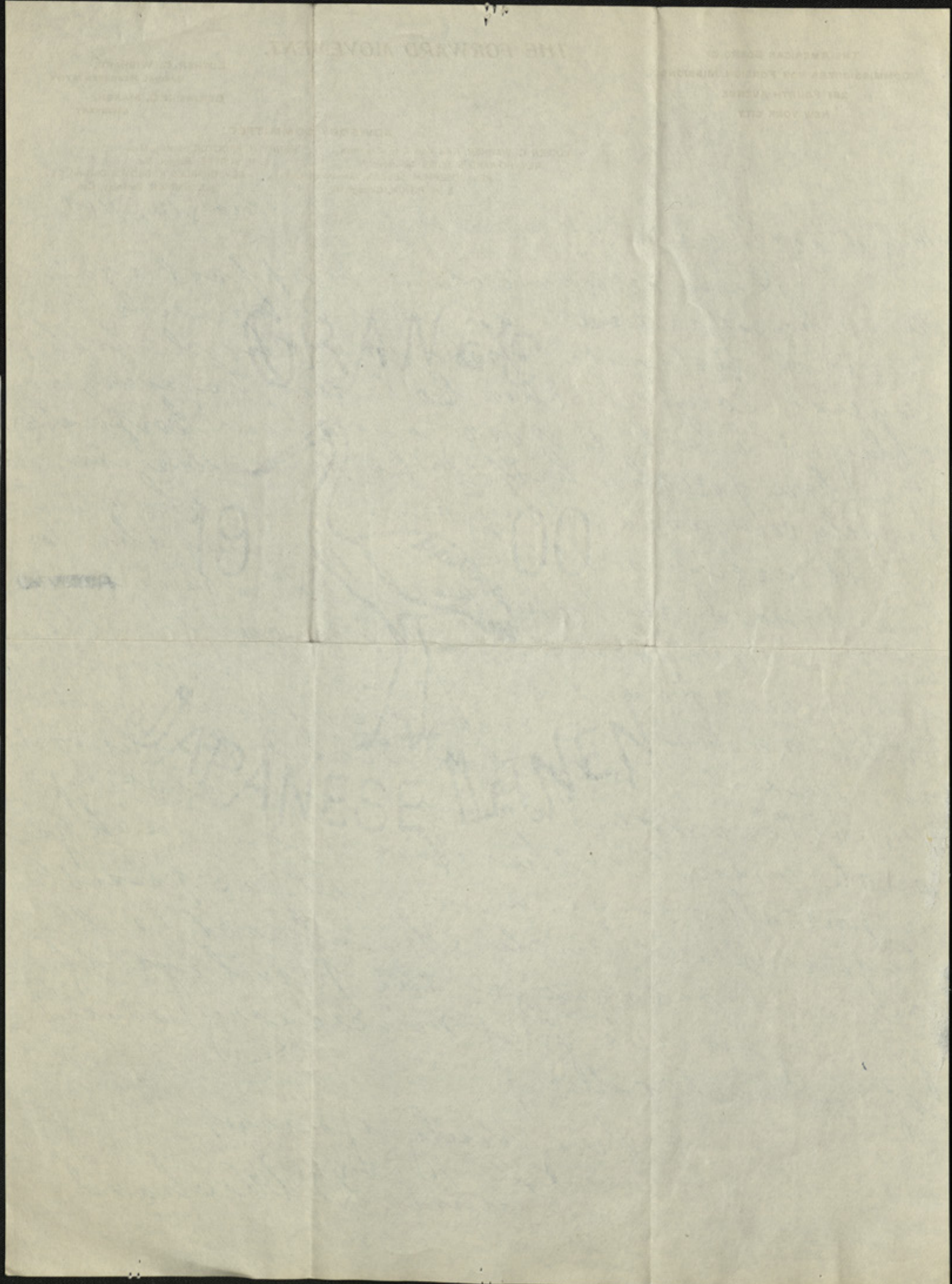
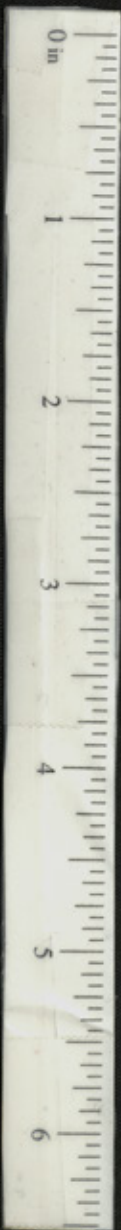
J. L. BARKER, Berkeley, Cal.

My dear General Howard,

May 16, 1901

I am very reluctant to appeal again to so busy a man as you to ensure several delegates from your church to the General Council. Our Committee, however, is obliged to look to every one of our corporate members for this help. The Committee is largely composed of very busy men, who at great sacrifice of time are pushing the Forward Movement which the Board has committed to them. We never shall see our churches fully awakened on foreign missions until we have in every church at least one man pledged to stand for the work. We believe this Council will raise up such men. We therefore again ask you to put this case as strongly as possible before your church. The church will certainly recognize the privilege of joining in the first missionary council of the new century.

Very truly yours,
Luther D. Wishard.



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Madison N.J.
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Gen O. O. Howard
N.Y. City.

My dear Sir. -

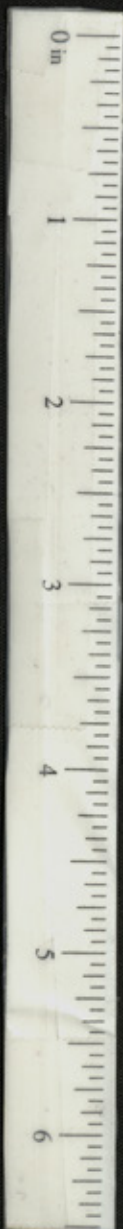
The Young Mini-Christion Assn.
of this place holds its Anniversary
meeting the latter part of this month.

We are looking for a speaker,
and your name has been suggested to us.

Will you kindly let me know your
terms. If you desire you could re-
turn to the City the same night though
we would be glad to entertain you.

Our Association is poor so that
we cannot afford to pay as much
as we would like to. We would
like an address of say 35 minutes.

In case you can to come let me
know on what terms and what your
open dates are for next week or
the week after. Yours Sincerely, Herbert K. Saxe.



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PRINCIPAL'S OFFICE.
R. W. SWETLAND.

May 16, 1901. 190

Gen. O. O. Howard,
Burlington, Vt.

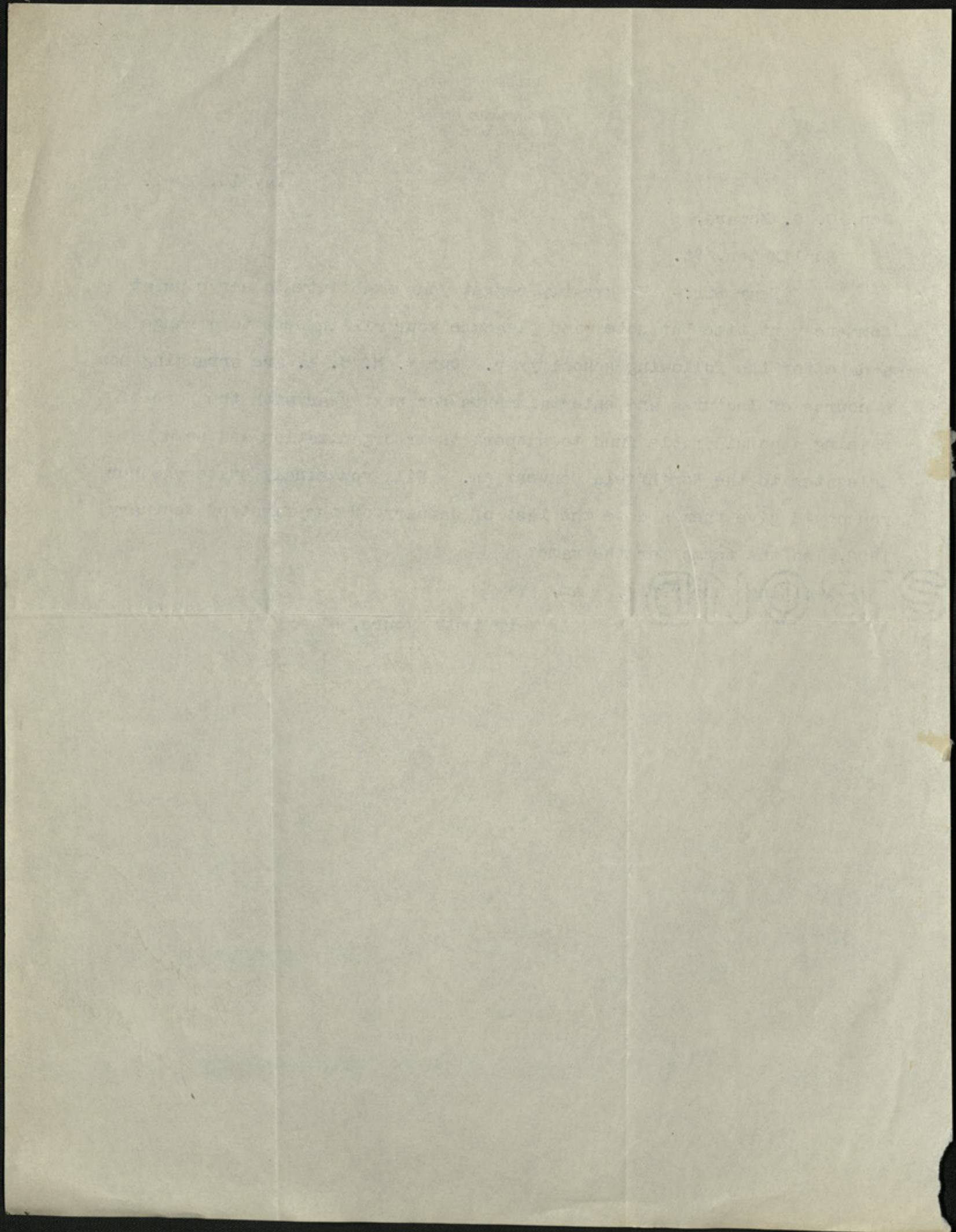
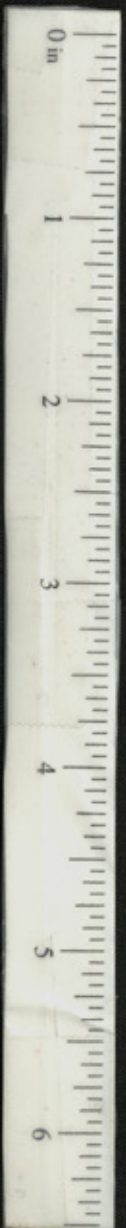
Dear Sir:- We greatly regret your inability to serve us at Commencement time but note with pleasure your willingness to arrange a date for the following school year. Our Y. M. C. A. are arranging now a course of lectures and entertainments for next year with the hope of raising a considerable fund to support their organization and send delegates to the Northfield Convention. Will you kindly state whether you could give them a date the last of January or the first of February 1902, also the terms for the same?

Awaiting your reply, I am,

Very truly yours,

R. W. Swetland

as per
\$1.00
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NEW HOTEL BELLEVUE,
BEACON STREET.
HARVEY & WOOD.

Boston

Thursday P.M. 16th

My dear Gen. Howard.

Do you remember
Mrs. Rowland: at whose house
you were in Lee? with me -
the minister's ~~at~~ wife. This
is my grand-Dr. & Mrs. Row-
land have a daughter, ae. about
20 years, who is graduating this
Summer at Oberlin - She has
stood well in her classes,
and is otherwise a person
of good appearance, good

Character, and good sense.
She wishes your consideration, in an application
to teach at Lincoln University.
I promised to see you per-
sonally about it, and ~~find~~
you are gone. Will you kindly
attend to it, and write me, or
Mrs. Rowland, at Lee, what
further to do -

I know her personally,
and believe she would

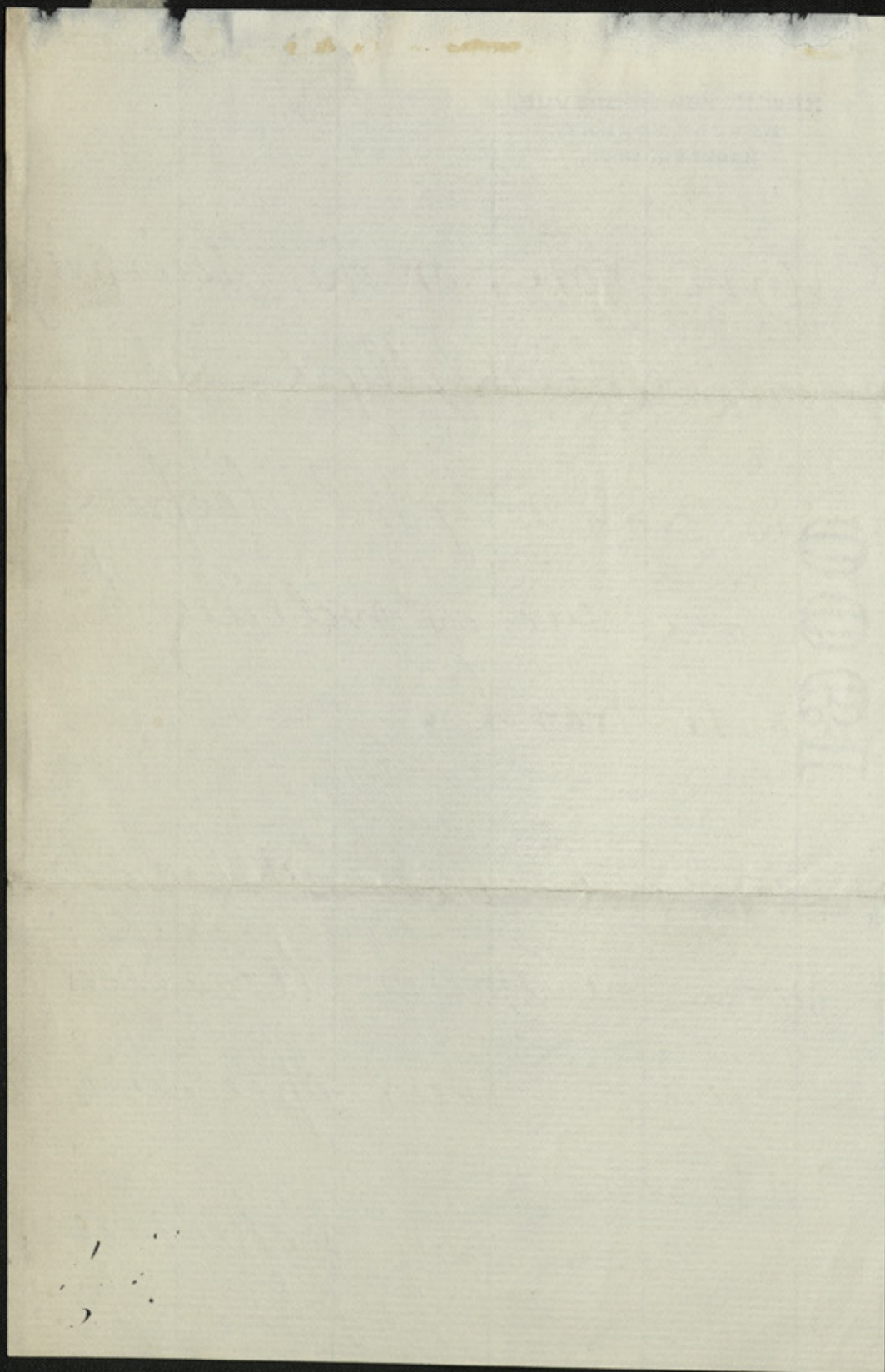
NEW HOTEL BELLEVUE,
BEACON STREET.
HARVEY & WOOD.

Serve you, or the Unionist,
well & faithfully.

She has a good dispo-
sition and is willing to
work hard.

I regret your withdrawal
from the House Miss. Seely.
I enjoyed your opening
address.

Yours very respectfully,
A. D. Shirrell.



Answer

The Young Men's Christian Association
of the City of Waterbury, Conn.

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May 16 1901

Mr. H. L. Howard
Burlington, Vt

Dear Sir, Will you kindly
send me some clippings etc about
General Howard and his worthy
record as a soldier etc that I may
use them in newspaper items.
I desire to have the information
accurate though I have heard many

things in the way of general information about him.

Our Eighteenth Anniversary is to be a Union Service of the various denominations in St. John's Protestant Episcopal Church of this city with a full Boys choir etc. at 4 P.M.

Yours very sincerely
Robert S. Ross

P.S. I would like to have Genl. Howard entertained in the home of our President unless he prefers to be at the hotel.
The lithos. have come. Thank you. R.S.R.

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THE BOSTON, QUINCY, AND FALL RIVER
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ROOM 72, 113 DEVONSHIRE STREET.

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BOSTON, May 16 1901

Dear Mr. Howard
There is an effort
by litigation to ruin our BQRR Co
and it is necessary that I see and
consult with you please inform
me what day you will be in
New York or Boston that I and
our directors may consult you
and possibly use you as a broker
with the leaders in the industry
is important. With much
Respectfully,
E. H. B. B. B.

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May 16. 1901
Lincoln Memorial University
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Dear Friend:

It affords me great pleasure to forward to you herewith my check for \$ 5⁰⁰ the amount contributed towards your excellent work by certain readers of THE CHRISTIAN HERALD, as per detailed report on page 463 of our issue of May 15 1901

Yours in His Service,

L. Klopsch

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May 22, 01

"THE DISCIPLES, EVERY MAN ACCORDING TO HIS ABILITY, DETERMINED TO SEND RELIEF UNTO THE BRETHREN." Acts 11:29.

Gen. O. O. Howard
Burlington, Vt.

D. APPLETON & COMPANY.
PUBLISHERS.
75 N. 4TH AVENUE.
NEW YORK.

May 17, 1901.

General O. O. Howard,
#156 College Street,
Burlington, Vt.

Dear Sir:-

We have received your letter of the 15th in regard to the late Dr. Howard's manuscript. Lest there should be any misapprehension, we are writing to say that we think it very doubtful whether an English publisher would take up this book. We certainly should not care to publish it independently. Should it be possible to make favorable cooperation with an English publisher, we ^{might} ~~should~~ be disposed to take the book up. This cooperation, however, would be a necessary preliminary. We feel that the book is not likely to have a very large sale and it must be classed as doubtful. We think that in justice to you we should be very careful not to give the idea that an examination of the manuscript in England is likely to result in its acceptance.

Very truly yours,

D. APPLETON AND COMPANY,

R.H.

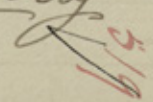
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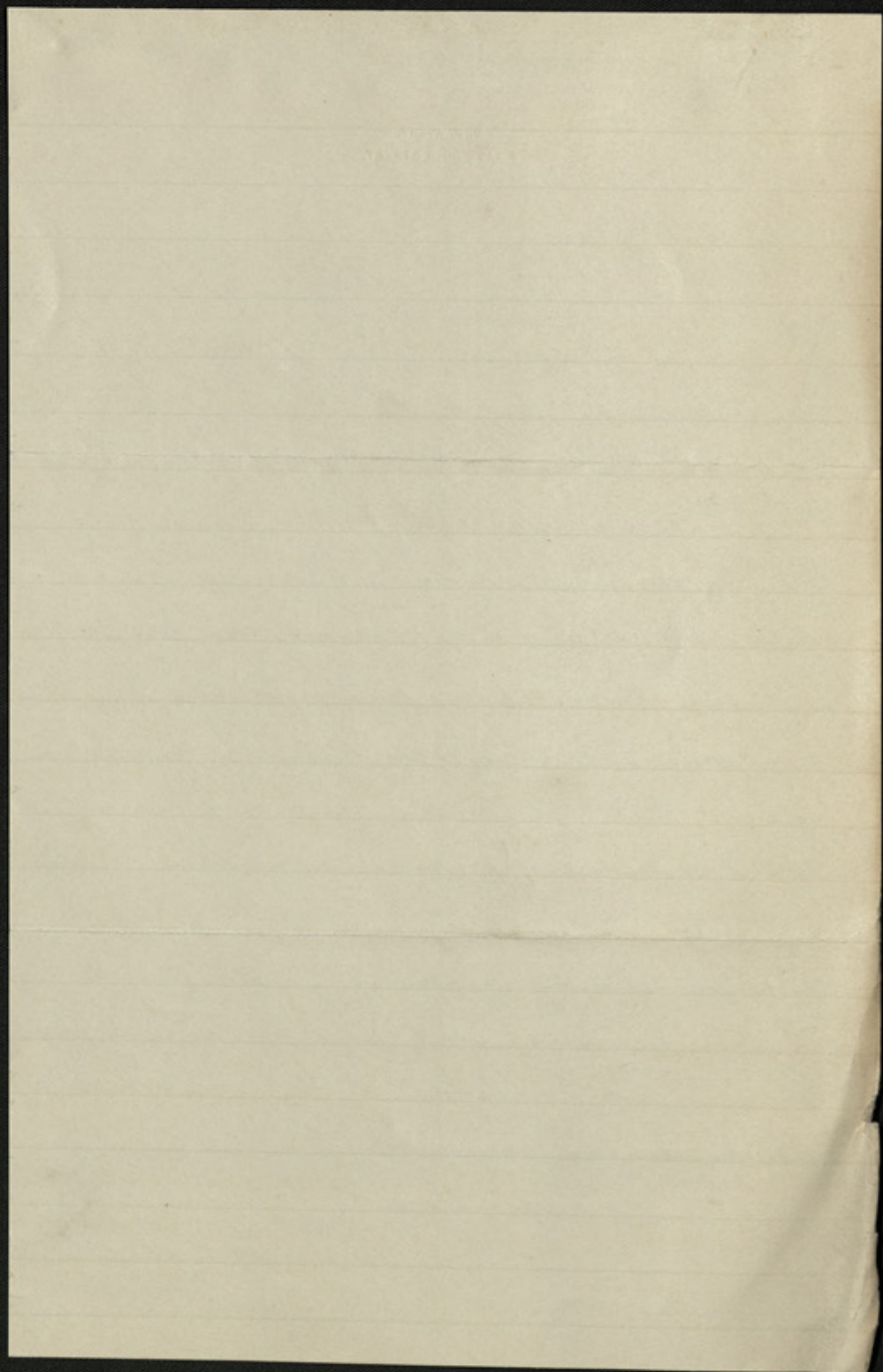
May 18-901.

Dear General Howard -

In regard to the girls building for the Lincoln University, I can assure you that the six thousand dollars, required for that purpose can be handed over soon - You need only say that "A. family" - subscribe for the good object - The name will be furnished in time, all the "family" want to know, is that you have not found any other family! and that you are still in the market, also can and will keep "mum" With much regard from us, and admiration for your love and self-sacrifice in the good work in which you are engaged.

Sincerely yours

Samuel P. Avery'
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1.30 TO 2.30 P.M.

NEW YORK,

May 18 1901

Mr. H. F. Howard,
150 Nassau St.

Dear Sir,

In reply to your
favor of 14th inst. I think
it would be well to
send me the type-written
copy of Dr. Howard's m.s.
and let Dr. Roosa and
me look it over.

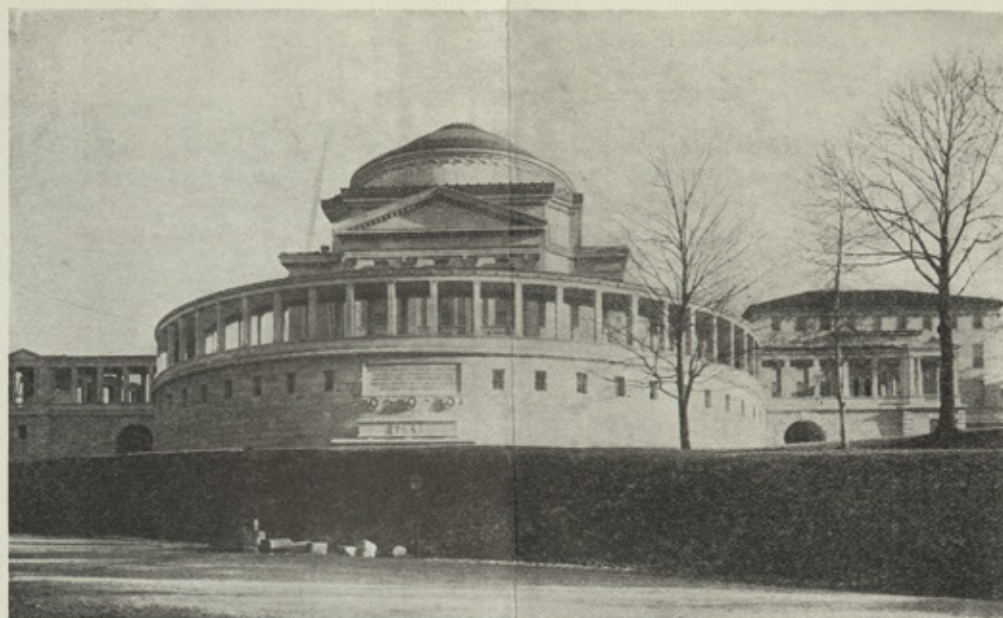
I feel sure, practically,
that the best plan would
be to guarantee Appleton
& Co against loss, and

make the best terms you
can with them for pub-
lication, using the legacy
for that purpose.

You are very
kind in wishing that
I might share the beau-
tiful country environment
you are enjoying.
I hope within a fortnight
to be at my sea-side
cottage home at Eilberon
so we shall both be
out of the dust and heat
of the city.

Yours sincerely
A. H. Smith

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THE HALL OF FAME
General view from Sedgwick Avenue and Hall of Fame Park

NEW YORK UNIVERSITY SENATE

Gen. D. O. Howard

NEW YORK, May 18 1901

Dear Sir

On May 30th the exercises described on enclosed sheet are to be held at University Heights.

While the National Association of Naval Veterans will have two representatives here to unveil the tablet to Admiral Farragut, the Grand Army, two to unveil General Grant, the Daughters of the Confederacy, two officers (from Florida & North Carolina) to unveil General Lee's — We want some representative soldier to be "Dean" of this particular section, and to make the announcements, adding brief remarks of 4 or 5 minutes.

No one would be so acceptable to us as yourself — Can you give the

afternoon of Decoration Day & this
work. If so, I shall be pleased to
send you further information, with the
announcements to be made by you, on
behalf of the Soldiers & Sailors' Section

Sincerely,
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Henry M. Warburton

Chancellor of

New York University.

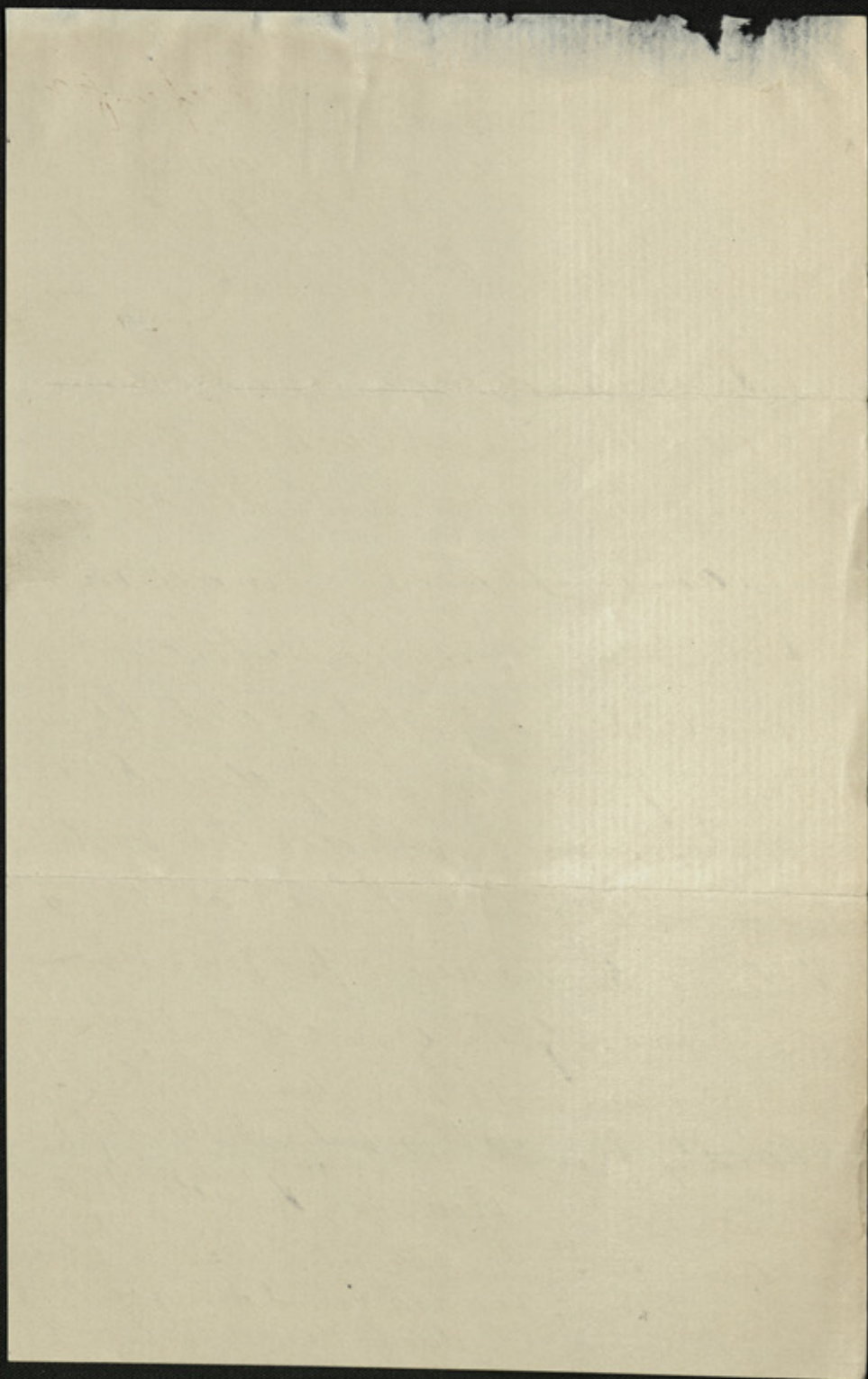
General Schepard is to be here to
unveil the tablet to Lincoln
on behalf of the Logan Legion

ST. JAMES RECTORY,
PAINESVILLE, OHIO

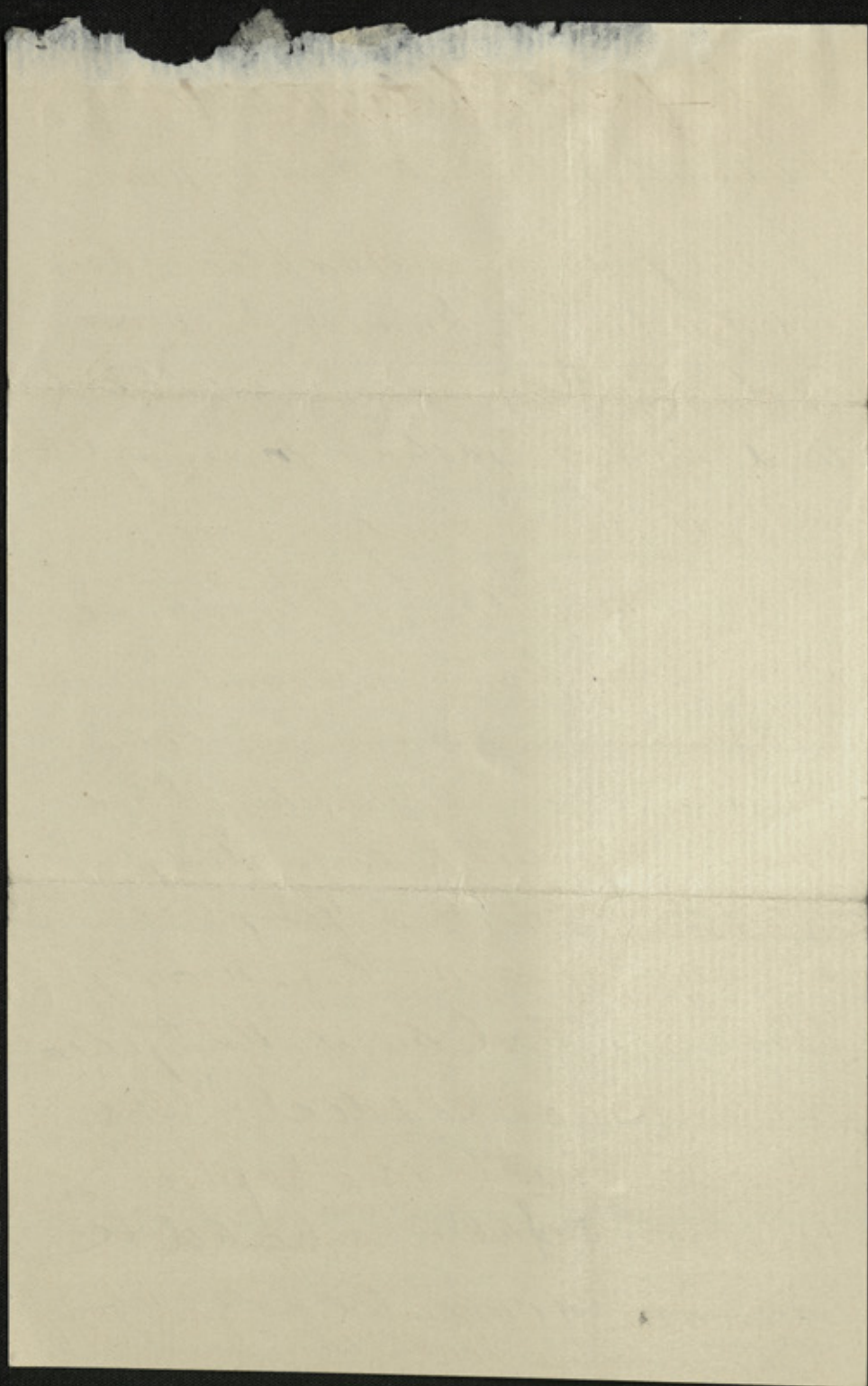
May 18/98,
Dear General Howard,

Mar and mom am I im-
pressed that God has told you
to send for me - with his help
I may ^{be} a Moses - small in!

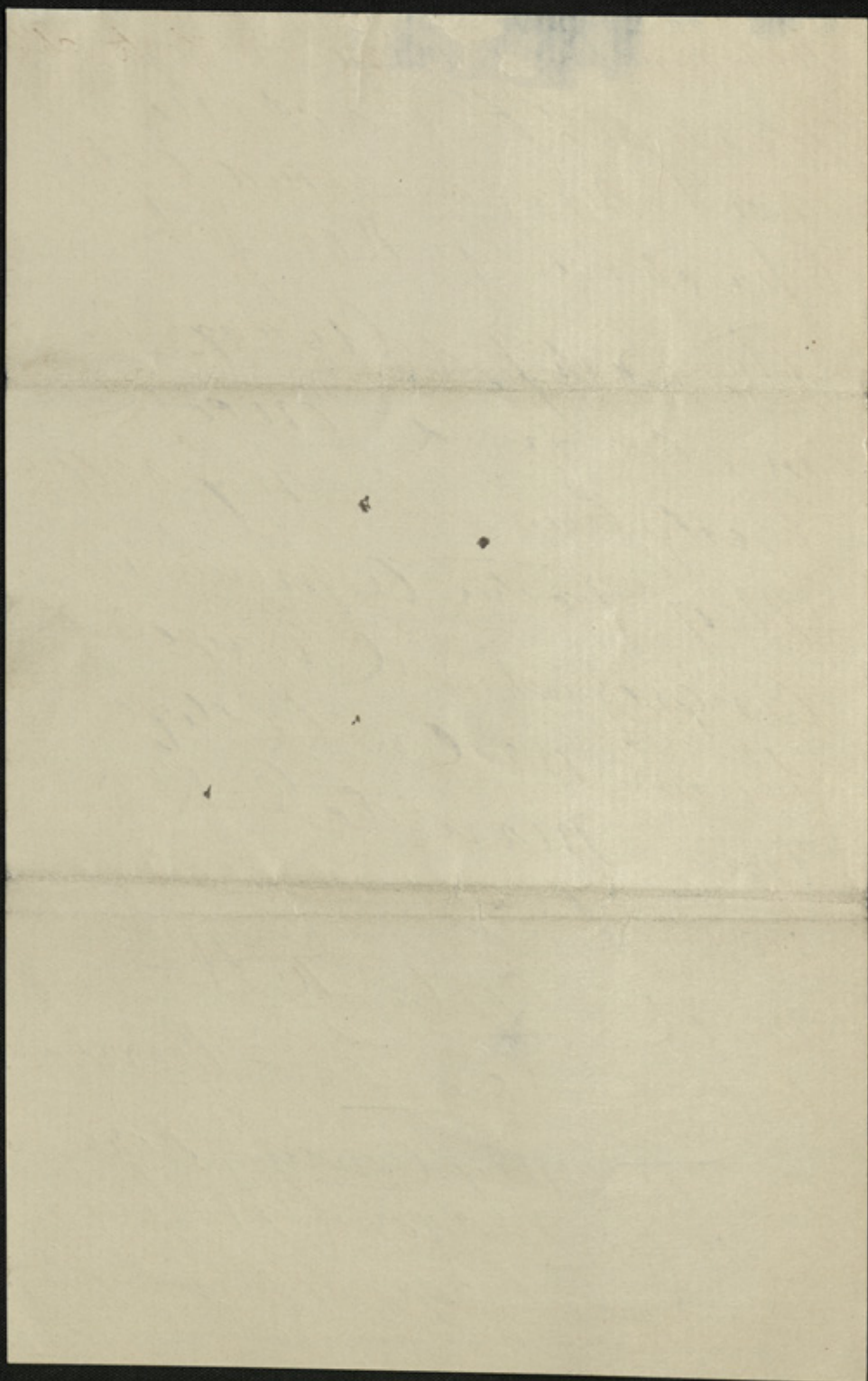
Yeh I feel as in sufficiency
for such leadership as did he -
And my roots are very deep here.
However we must get the insti-
tution on a good financial basis.
I desire this as much for your sake
as possibly the good of the work -
which otherwise will be a failure!!
Hardly born - like infants Ephraim
"Do soon I'm done for, wonder I was
begun for!" Can't we get a lien on John
D. Rockefeller? He was a friend of my father's
Our neighbor in Cleveland - His brother a book



keeper for Mr Lexter's wife's father -
Naturally I begin to think of wives &c
It may surprise and please him
and others to know of the non
sectarian Character of our Board
and the high motives governing all
I enthrone not only the work
itself - Mountain whites - Lincolns
own - their "terra incognita" -
My speeches and sermons in Cabins
Mountain schools &c where I have
spoken. Their aptitude for study -
and the other fine young men
and women from the towns nearby -
but I like the Church Unity idea
of our Board - ideal - "One
Lord one faith - one baptism -
One God & Father of us all &c -
I am well acquainted with our
Church people in Phila - Lewis Beaman &c



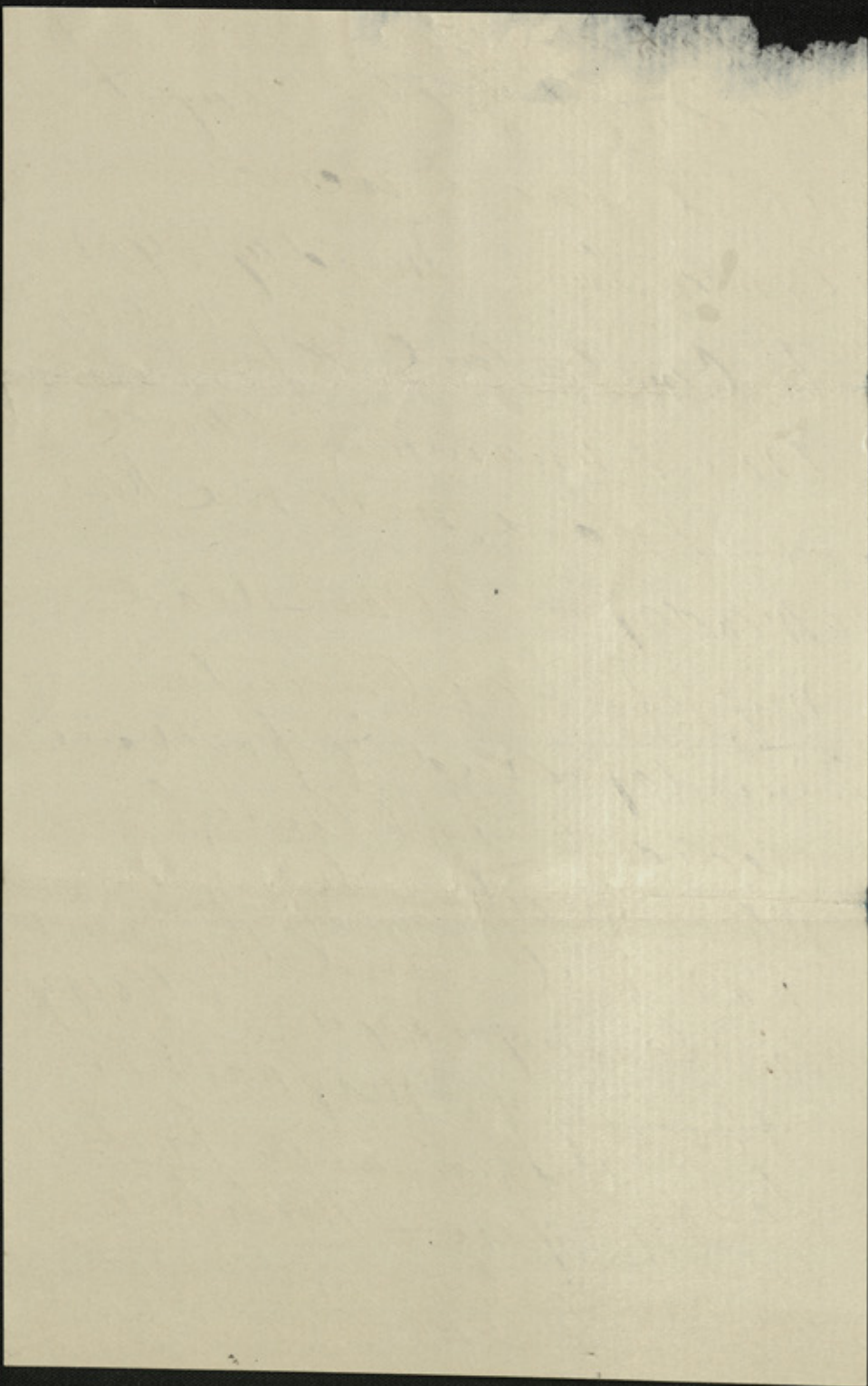
Not however acquainted in Boston ³
We ought to reach Pier -
port Morgan and other
Churchmen of New York -
The Bishop of Chicago is
an old friend - once a
Presbyterian like myself.
My father a prominent
Congregational Evangelist
known well in College
town. Marcella C. Rock-
ford Ill. - Hillsdale
Mich. - Letta K. H. -
Oberlin &c. Lee - Merri-
weather. My Cousin ^{is} nomi-
nee for Mayor of St Louis.
His Parents - Great Confederate
of Memphis Tennessee - Grant Lee



ought to appeal to mothers here. ⁴
Haden & better stay &
attend the Worcester
Convention Tuesday & go
to Cumberland Gap. ^{Wed. P.M.!}

Am I unanimous choice
of Board, will be here
Monday — I can read
my report at Convention
Tuesday — And if perchance
elected to Genl Convention
which meets in California
next Fall — ^{may} thus meet
the leading lay men & clergy.

Possibly you may want Dr
Larg & remain at the post
another year — Meantime
we can look around — God
grant that we may be "wise" ¹⁸⁹⁹

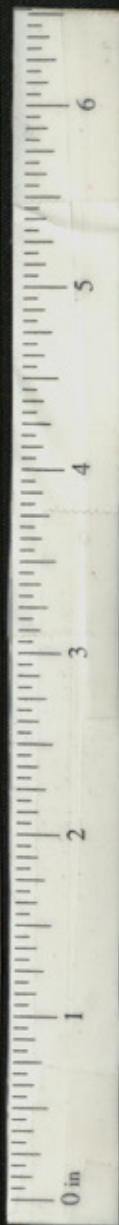


as serpents and harmless
as doves" I really do not
know any thing of the fiction
All are my friends - and ought
to remain -

The Board with ^{out} me can take ac-
tion - before I come, I will not
however try to meet you Wed-
nesday if I am not unani-
mous choice and all determin-
ed to stand by the powers that be -

If this not rec'd - until late
Monday night or Tuesday Am
work me Can Trinity Cathedral
Charlottesville - where I go for our an-
nual - Diocesan Convention - I feel I
could leave Tuesday - I think that I can
hardly reach Middleburg before 5:45 P.M.
Wed. - Excuse please hurried writing to get this
late Sat. mail - Loving regards to each and all
Genl. O. C. Howard, Sincerely yours
J. B. O'Connell

P.S. Wish I could hear from
Mr James - I trust that
all the titles to our property are
O.K.



OFFICE OF
FRANK PLUMLEY,
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW,
NORTHFIELD, VERMONT.

May 13, 1901.

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

Dear General Howard:-

I am in receipt of your esteemed favor of May 7th and take this first opportunity to acknowledge it.

I shall take great pleasure in presenting the name of the party you mentioned and indeed your letter indorsing him to our committee in connection with Dewey Hall.

I am pleased to be favored a word from you and hope that you are enjoying good health and fair comfort.

With sentiments of high esteem, I remain

Yours very truly

Frank Plumley

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Ansrd

Mrs. Henry I. Bowron,
Regent of Mohegan Chapter
Daughters of the American Revolution
requests the honor of your presence
on Chapter Day

Monday the twenty-seventh of May
at eleven o'clock
at the residence of

Mrs. Frederick Potter,

Meadow Hall, Ossining-on-Hudson.

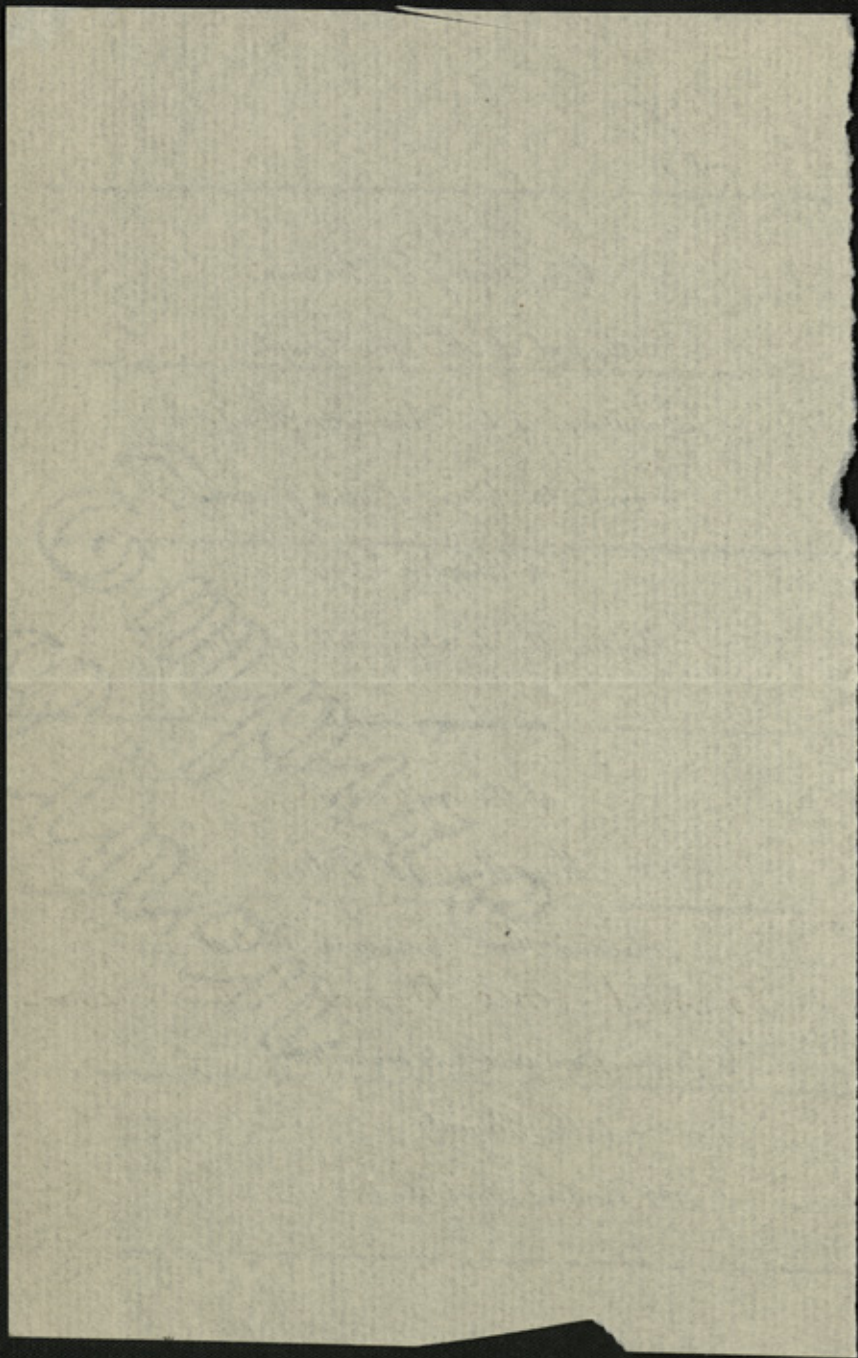
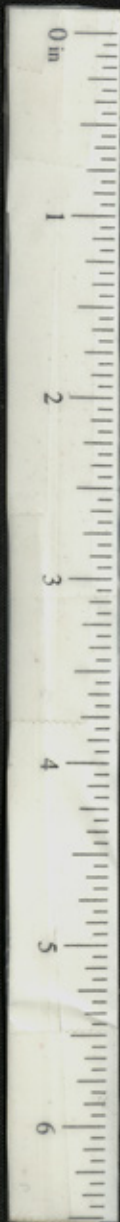
To wit- Mrs. Donald M^{rs}. Lean

The favor of an answer is requested

to the Regent,

327 Central Park West.

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a favorable reply to the
invitation, particularly as
the guest of honor
will be Mrs. Donald
McLean. I also
trust you will grant
my request to say
a few words to the
Chapter and its guests,
it will give me the
greatest pleasure. I
have had the privilege
of hearing you speak
several times. A. L.



General O. O. Howard,
Dear Sir,

I sent you a few
days ago an invitation
to attend a reception
given by Michigan
Chapter, Daughters of
the American Revolution,
Occurring N. Y. May,
27th at 11 A. M. I
trust I am ^{to} have

City Chapter and the National
Society of New England Women,
and I trust you may be able
to arrange to be present on the
27th of May.



Very cordially yours,
Elizabeth W. Brown
327 Central Park West -

May 20th 1901

Mrs. Henry S. Brown
Regent-Wisconsin Chapter

260 Clarendon St,
Boston.

Dear Gen. Howard,
Mrs. Hammond
received your two
letters and was
very much pleased
to hear from you.
Fennie has received
the book you so
kindly sent her
and asked me to
thank you very
much for it. Mrs.
Hammond had a

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a very pleasant
reception, on Saturday
though it was a
very stormy day.

Mr. Ward gave a
very interesting talk
on his work in the
South. Mr. Hammond
came up from Maine
Saturday night, and
left again this
afternoon. Mr.
and Mrs. Hammond
are both very

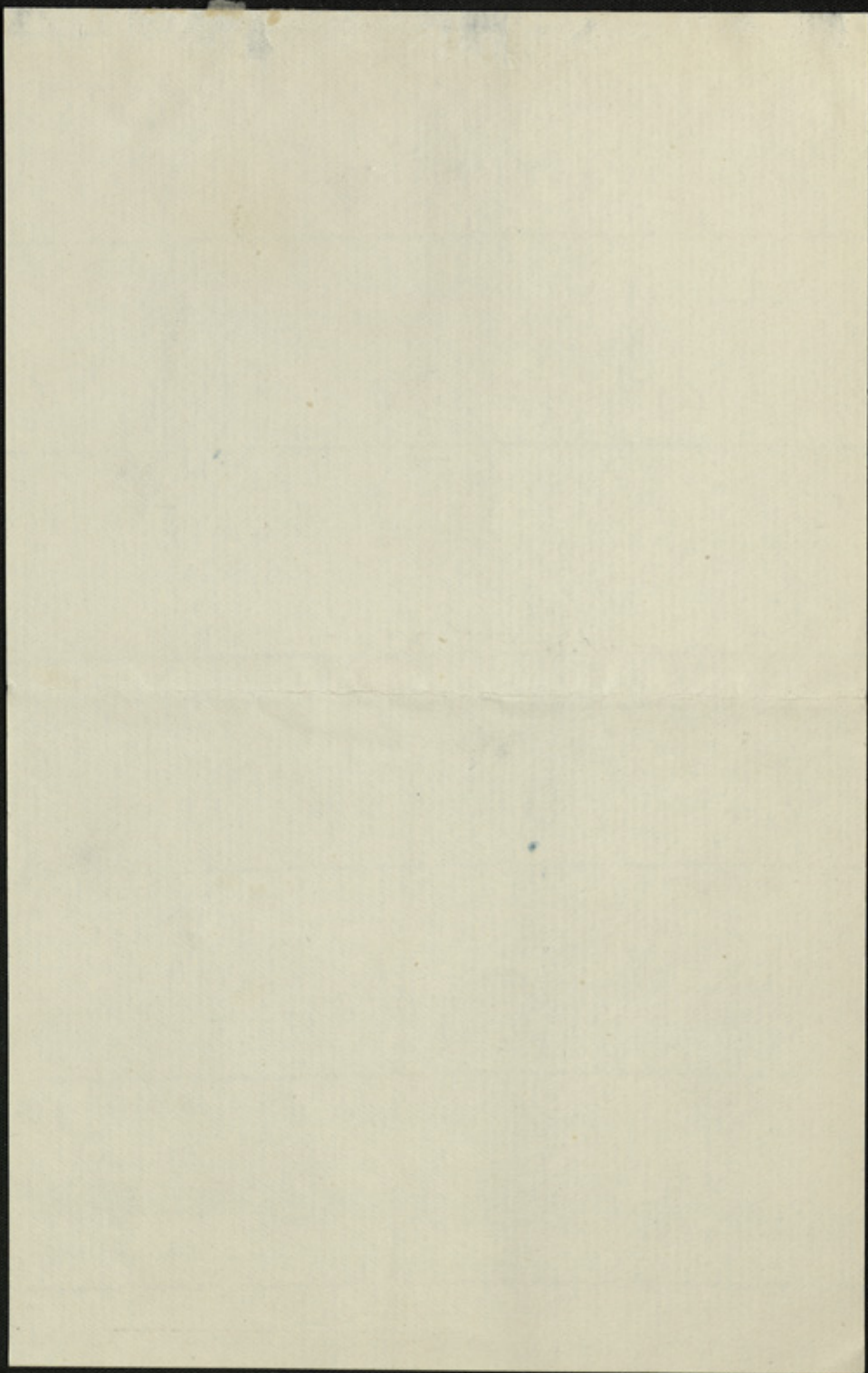
well, and send
their best wishes
to you. We have
had a great deal
of rain these last
few days. The foli-
age on the trees, and
shrubs has been
greatly benefited by
it.

Yours very sincerely
Julia C. Collins

for
Mrs. J. W. Hammond

May 20th 1901 - - -

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General Office, 3 West 29th Street, New York.

May 20 1901

Dear General Howard,

My friend J. F. Thompson
 cashier of the Seaboard Note Bank has just
 telephoned me asking me to secure his
 request to you in relation to your going
 out to Newark (or rather Rosenville) next Friday
 night and presenting the Cadet Co. of the
 M. E. Church with Polars.

Mr M. S. Darrin the President is a fine
 liberal fellow and so is my friend
 Thompson. I believe it would be a good
 thing for you and for all concerned
 if you could go.

I should esteem it a personal favor
 if you could grant the request.

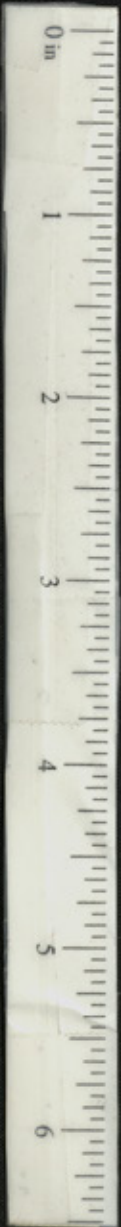
Yours cordially
 W. E. Louger

Good &

recommended

J. H. H. as a

substitute W. E. Louger May 21



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Major General O.O. Howard,

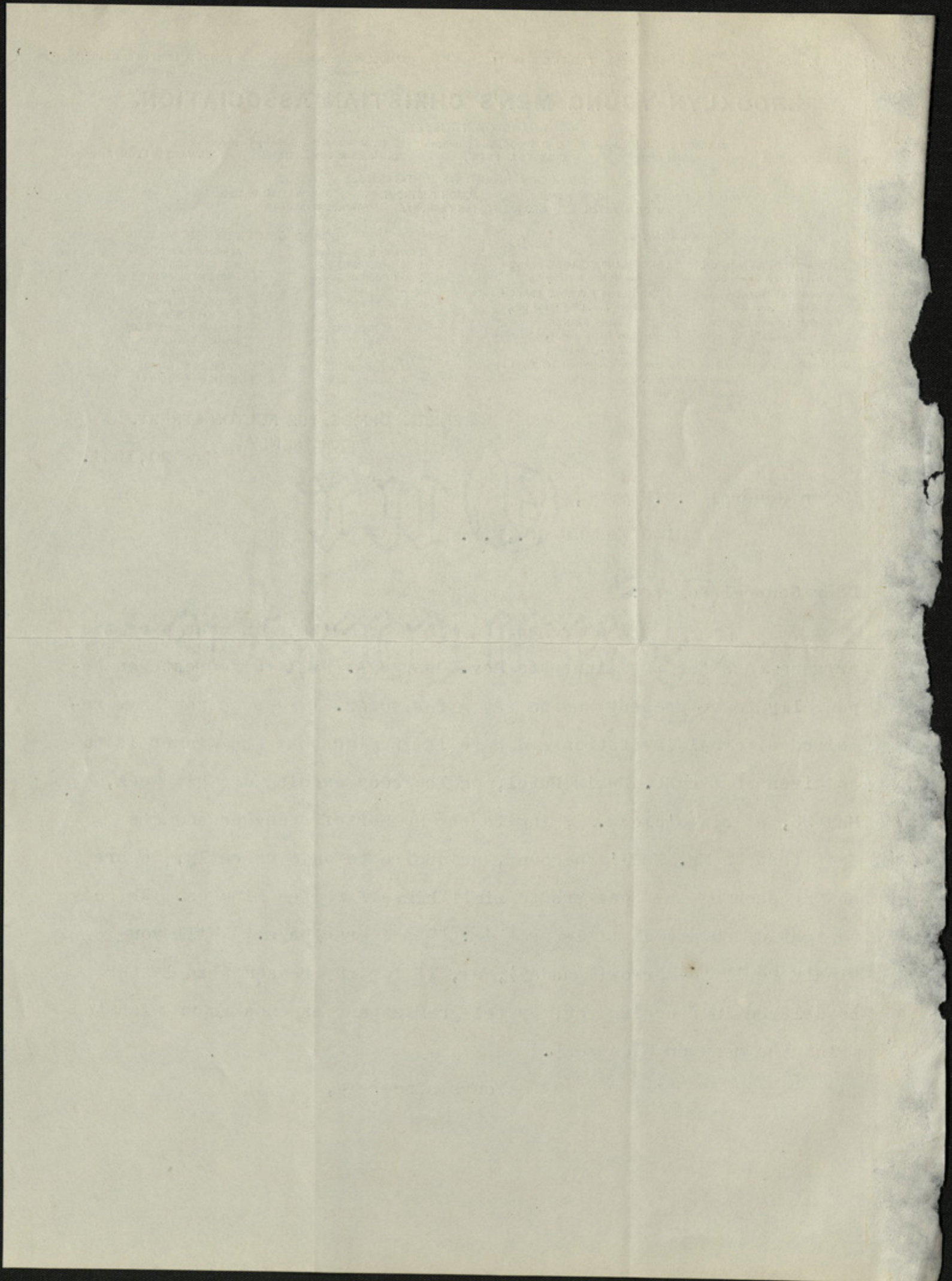
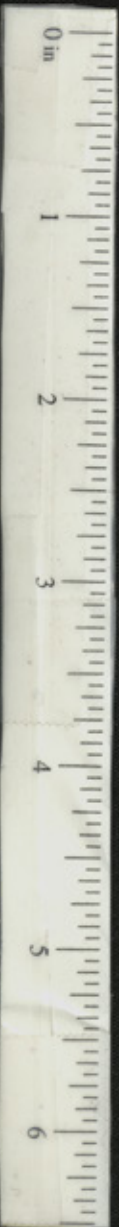
150 Nassau St., N.Y.

Dear General Howard:-

I am requested by the committee in charge of the arrangements for the dinner to Rev. George A. Hall to request you especially to be present and to say a few words. I suppose you have received a formal invitation and have it in mind that the dinner is to be given at the St. Denis Hotel, on Thursday evening of this week, May 23, at six o'clock. Owing to the number of speeches and the fact that on Mr. Hall's account, we desire to adjourn early, we are asking each of the speakers to limit himself to ten minutes. We had thought of some such title as this: "Washington Days." Will you kindly reply to-morrow (Tuesday), or, if for any reason this letter is delayed in reaching you, by telegram at our expense as we wish to print the menu on Wednesday.

Yours sincerely,

Edwin F. See



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Rutland, Vt., May 20, 1901.

Gen. O. O. Howard,

New York City.

My dear Sir:--

We are anticipating your being with us next Sunday the 26th inst and have arranged to hold the service in the Congregational Church at 3.30 P.M.-and will have for our "Guests of Honor", the Robert Post, Robert Relief Corps, Company A/, V.N.G., Spanish-American War Vet. and the City Troop.

There has been many inquiries as to whether you would speak in the evening and at a meeting of the Pastors of the Methodist, Congregational and Baptist Churches this afternoon they asked me to extend to you and invitation to speak to the Christian people of this City at a Union gathering in the evening. An evangelistic talk I know would be of much help and if your strength permits we feel that it would do much good. May I enquire what time you expect to arrive?

Believe me to be,

Very truly yours,

Cameron Beck,

General Secretary.

*Ans'd
to write must
be given
H May 22*

MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

TO: THE SECRETARY OF THE BOARD OF CHURCHES
FROM: THE SECRETARY OF THE BOARD OF CHURCHES
SUBJECT: [illegible]

RE: [illegible]

Gen. O. O. Howard

New York City

My dear Sir:

We are anticipating your being with us next Sunday
the 28th inst. and have arranged to hold the service in the Congre-
gational Church at 8.30 P.M. and will have for our "Guests of
Honor", the Robert Post, Robert Heller, Corp. Comp. and V. I. G.
S. I. A. M. and the City Troop.

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attending premises we feel that it would do much good. May I
express to you our hope that you will accept our invitation.

Believe me to be,

Very truly yours,

John J. [illegible]

