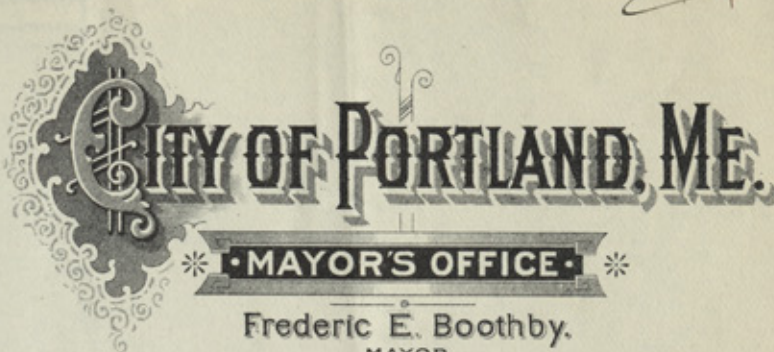




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Portland, Maine, Aug. 6---1901

Gen'l. O. O. Howard,

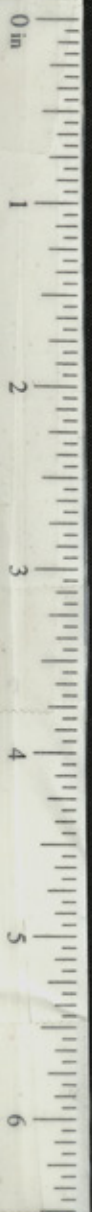
Burlington, Vt.

My dear General---

I see by the papers that you are coming down to Leeds during Old Home Week, and it would be a great pleasure to our citizens if they could have a chance to see and hear you at their meeting which is to be held at the City Hall, Portland, Thursday evening August 15th, and should this happen to be the day at Leeds I did not know but what you would be through in season to connect with our afternoon train leaving Leeds Centre at 3-35 P.M. I can assure you that it would be a great pleasure to the people of Portland if you can see your way clear to accede to our request.

Yours very truly,

Frederic E. Boothby
MAYOR.



Portland, Maine, Dec. 6--
Dear Mr. O. Howard,
I have just received your letter of the 4th inst. and am
glad to hear that you are well. I am also well and hope
this letter will find you the same. I have been thinking
much of late about the future of our country and the
state of our Union. I feel that we are in a very
critical position and that it is our duty to do all
in our power to preserve our Union and our
Constitution. I am sure that you will agree with me
in this. I am, very truly,
Your friend,
Wm. O. Howard

Wm. O. Howard
Portland, Maine

MEMORANDUM



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Lincoln Memorial University,
Gen O. O. Howard Burlington Vt

Dear Friend:

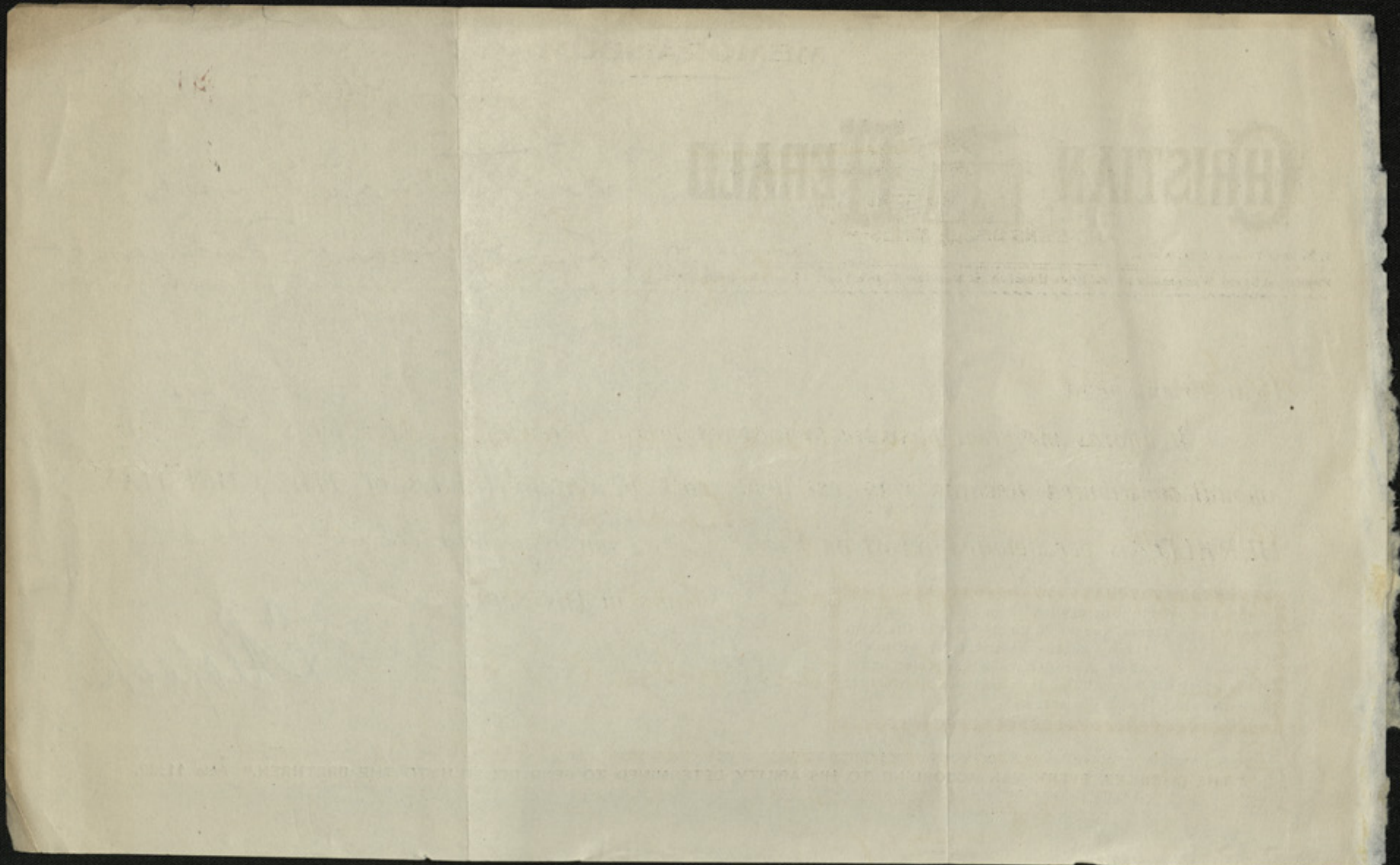
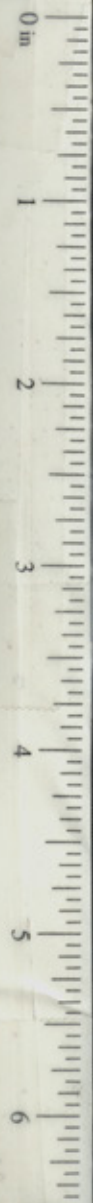
It affords me great pleasure to forward to you herewith my check for \$ ⁵¹⁰ the amount contributed towards your excellent work by certain readers of THE CHRISTIAN HERALD, as per detailed report on page 672 of our issue of July 31. 1901

Yours in His Service,

L. Klopsch

If, when writing your acknowledgment of the accompanying remittance, you would kindly put it in the form of a letter of thanks to the contributors, we might occasionally publish your letter in the columns of "The Christian Herald," and thus, perhaps, still further help the cause you represent.

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



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GEN. C. H. HOWARD, MANAGING EDITOR
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N. F. HOWARD

FARM, FIELD AND FIRESIDE
MASONIC TEMPLE
CHICAGO

August 7, 1901.

Dear Brother:-

After you had gone I thought of many things that I would have liked to confer with you about. It is almost too bad, when you ^{are} ~~are~~ so near in these days, not to spend at least one night at Glencoe. I realize that the days are becoming fewer and fewer, that we shall be together at least in this world.

I have been requested to prepare a paper on Gettysburg for the Loyal Legion. I wonder whether you have any copies of your lecture that you could loan to me with safety. There is no haste about it as it will be many months before the paper is wanted. What I would like would be to dwell mostly on the first day's battle; unfortunately I have not in my possession the rebellion records.

I wrote a review of the life of Gen. Mead for the Chicago Tribune a while ago. I find that life of Mead very much prejudiced against you, apparently run by a Hancock partisan. He is evidently some Pennsylvanian and not an officer: I should say not even a veteran of the Civil War in any capacity. The book is full of full some praise of Mead of Hancock and of almost all Pennsylvania officers.

D. Appleton & Co. have sent me a copy which I will review for our FARM, FIELD & FIRESIDE and will send you a copy.

Affectionately yours,

C. H. Howard

P.S. The publishers L. R. Hammersly Co., 49 Wall St., New York city, have written asking me for one of my photographs also one of you from which they desire to make photographs for their large book. If you have a good one that you are willing that they should make use of, I have reason to think that they will do the work thoroughly. They do
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not ask that we shall take a copy of their work still we may desire to have a copy and in that case I should much prefer to have your portrait with the other leading officers.

C. H. H.

D. M. BANGS,
P. O. BOX 164,
WATERVILLE, MAINE.

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My dear General;-

I take the liberty of enclosing to you, a letter which Doctor Hyde wrote me some time since; the letter explains in part my purpose of publishing a volume of stories, experiences and incidents, connected with the service of Bowdoin Alumni, during the Civil War.

Such a work would not be complete without an article from your pen, and I sincerely hope that you may find time to give me a chapter of your experience; drawing from your well stored memory of the thrilling events which made History, from '61 to '65.

Very respectfully,

Your obedient servant,

Dennis M. Bangs.

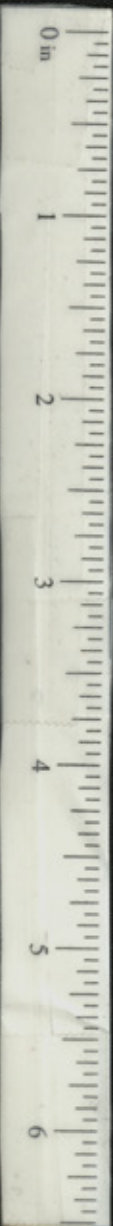
Class of 1891 of Bowdoin.

To

Major General O. O. Howard,

Burlington, Vermont.

WATERVILLE, MAINE, August 7th, 1901



My dear General:-
I have the honor of enclosing to you a letter which
I have just received from the Hon. the Secretary of the
War Department, in relation to the letter existing in your
possession, which relates to the value of services, experience and
education, and the services of the Hon. the Secretary of the
War Department, during the Civil War.
I have also enclosed to you a letter which was written by
the Hon. the Secretary of the War Department, and I sincerely
trust you will find it of great value to you, and I am
glad to hear that you will find it of great value to you.
The Hon. the Secretary of the War Department, during the Civil War,
has been very successful in his efforts to secure the services
of the Hon. the Secretary of the War Department, and I am
glad to hear that you will find it of great value to you.

Very respectfully,

Your obedient servant,

James M. Smith

Class of 1841 of New York.

Major General A. A. Howard,
Washington, D.C.

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"Hancock Point, Maine. Sept. 4th, 1900.

"Dear Mr. Bangs:-

"The work you propose would be interesting and the college would be glad to have such a volume prepared. Thomas Hyde's book is a good example of the material it might be expected to contain.

"On the other hand, experience prompts me to warn you that such a book would not be expected to pay for itself; that it would have to be published at the authors expense; and that the sale would be limited; unless it should prove to be a work of genius and get a hearing, independent of its local constituency; for college loyalty seldom goes to the extent of buying books, and most literary ventures on local college ground are financial failures.

"You can of course afford to disregard this aspect of the matter; and I hope you will. But I ought to tell you of it, and then wish you all success.

"Faithfully yours,

"Wm. DeW. Hyde,"

Copy of letter from Doctor Hyde, to the writer, when the subject was first discussed.



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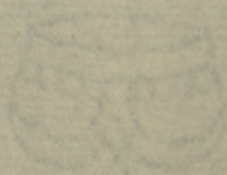
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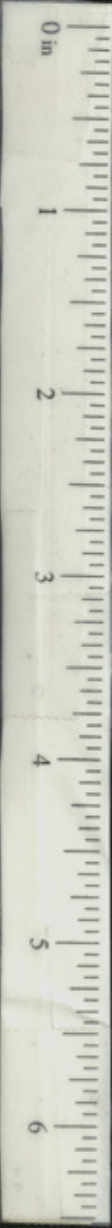
My dear Anna:

Will come & preach
as you suggest, if there be no
unforeseen prevention. I'll take
your suggestion for about the
sermon & preach on "Man Building
and Soul Training".

Kate has written from Mother.

I am glad you are all at home
and safe. The pleasure of seeing you
& hearing the General will always
abide with me. To see him is a
benediction. With love

N. M. Walsh



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My Dear Gen. Howard:-

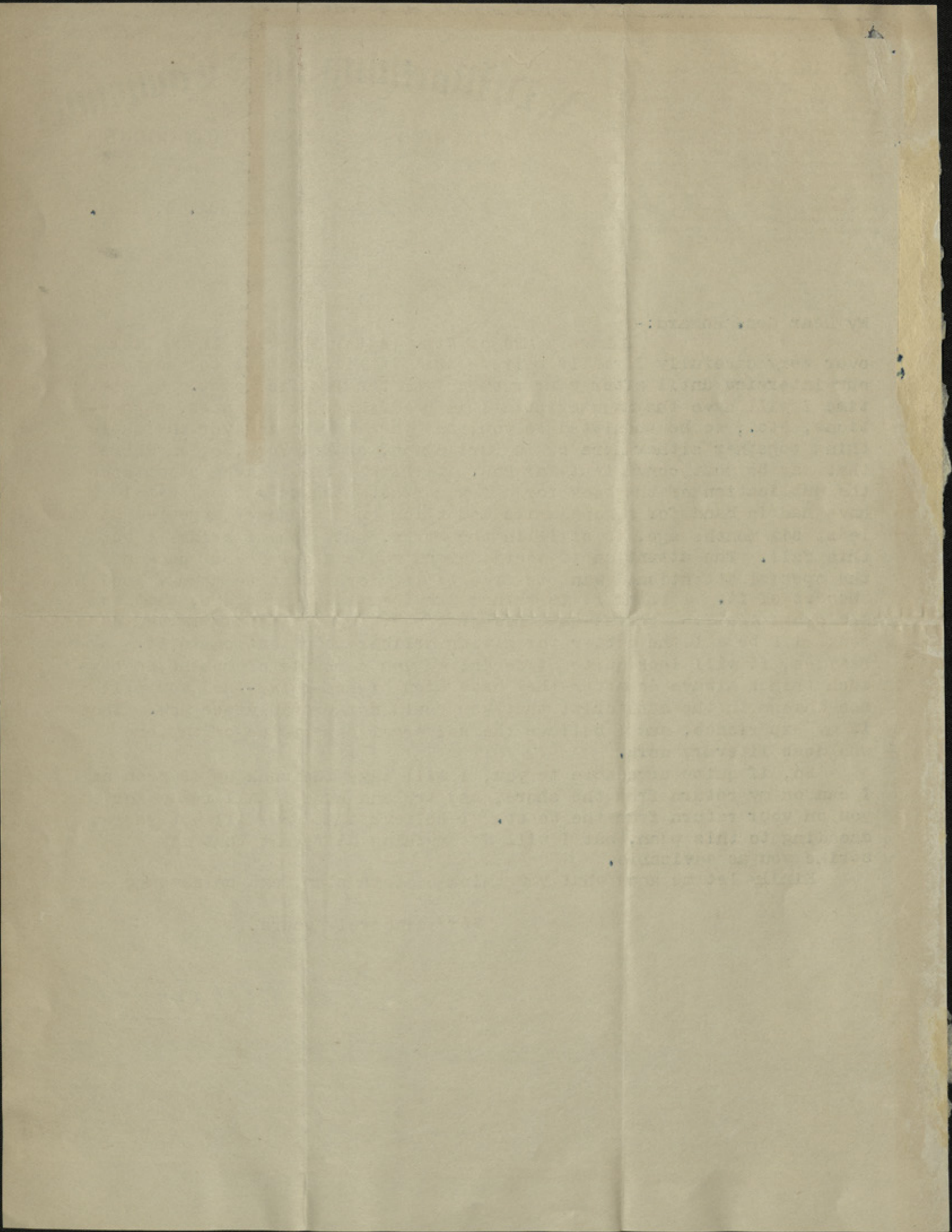
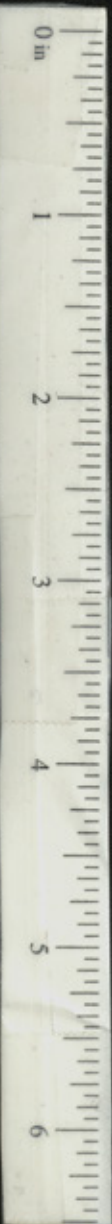
I have yours of 7th. After thinking the matter over very carefully I really believe that it will be best to postpone our interview until after your return from the Pacific Coast. By that time I will have the manuscript all in good shape, with notes, suggestions, etc., to be submitted to you, and then we can go over the whole thing together either here or in Burlington, or New York, or anywhere that may be most convenient for you. I think I shall have to postpone the publication of the book for a few months, because a book that I have had in hand for a good while and which ought to have appeared at least six months ago, is still in the works, but I shall bring it out this fall. The attention it would demand would deprive your book of the special attention I want to give to it, for I want to make a good success of it. I think it is rather providential, therefore, that we are prevented from coming together just now, for I honestly think the book will be all the better for giving deliberate attention to it. Besides, it will look quite different to you a couple of months hence--such things always do after they have been pigeon-holed--and you will see things in the manuscript that you could not probably see now. That is my experience, and I believe the universal experience of any one who does literary work.

So, if quite agreeable to you, I will take the book up as soon as I can on my return from the shore, and try and have it all ready for you on your return from the Coast. I believe that you will not regret acceding to this plan, but I will do anything different that may strike you as advisable.

Kindly let me know what you think of this plan, and believe me

Very sincerely yours,

A. D. Worthington





8-8-01.

Gen. O.O. Howard,
Burlington, V.T.

Dear Sir:-

Will you please forward me at your earliest convenience a copy of the oration to be delivered by you on the 15th. inst. at Leeds' centennial exercises. Should it so happen that you do not have two productions of the same and are not able to copy conveniently, if you will forward me the original I will return it to ^{you} by Tuesday, Aug. 13, providing that it reaches me by Saturday or Monday at the latest.

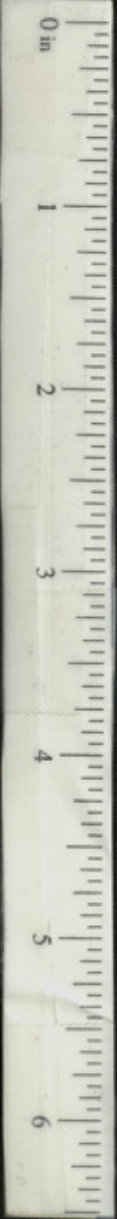
Also kindly forward a photo of yourself to be used in connection with the same.

Very Truly Yours,

J. Osborn Faulkner.

P.S. Speech will not be published until after delivered. J.O.F.

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Dear Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 15th inst. in relation to the delivery of the books of the Library of Congress, and in reply to inform you that the same have been forwarded to the proper authorities for their consideration. It will be forwarded to the Library of Congress as soon as possible, and in the meantime, I will endeavor to have the books delivered to you as soon as possible.

Very respectfully,
John A. B. [Signature]

Tarun K. B. ¹⁹⁰¹
Main

Mrs. George Warren Hammond.

Dear General Howard. August 9. 1901.

True visit to Leeds Mr.
it near at hand I think the 15th
which is next Thursday - May I
hear definitely that you & your son
"Harry" will give us a little call to

The Hamilton. When & where may we
260 Clarendon St. Boston.
Cor. Commonwealth Avenue. Meet you? U.S.
Sincerely Trs. Ed H

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Boston
47 Court St
Aug. 9, 1901

My dear Mr Howard,
My Eighteenth
birthday will occur on
tomorrow the 10th day
of August.

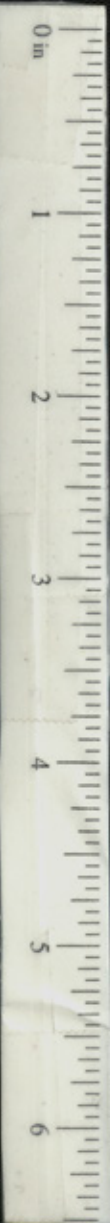
I am sending some
birthday presents and
desire to include the
"Lincoln Memorial"

Shall I send it to you
wherever - it will be a
check for 500. \$ Yours truly

John M. Clark

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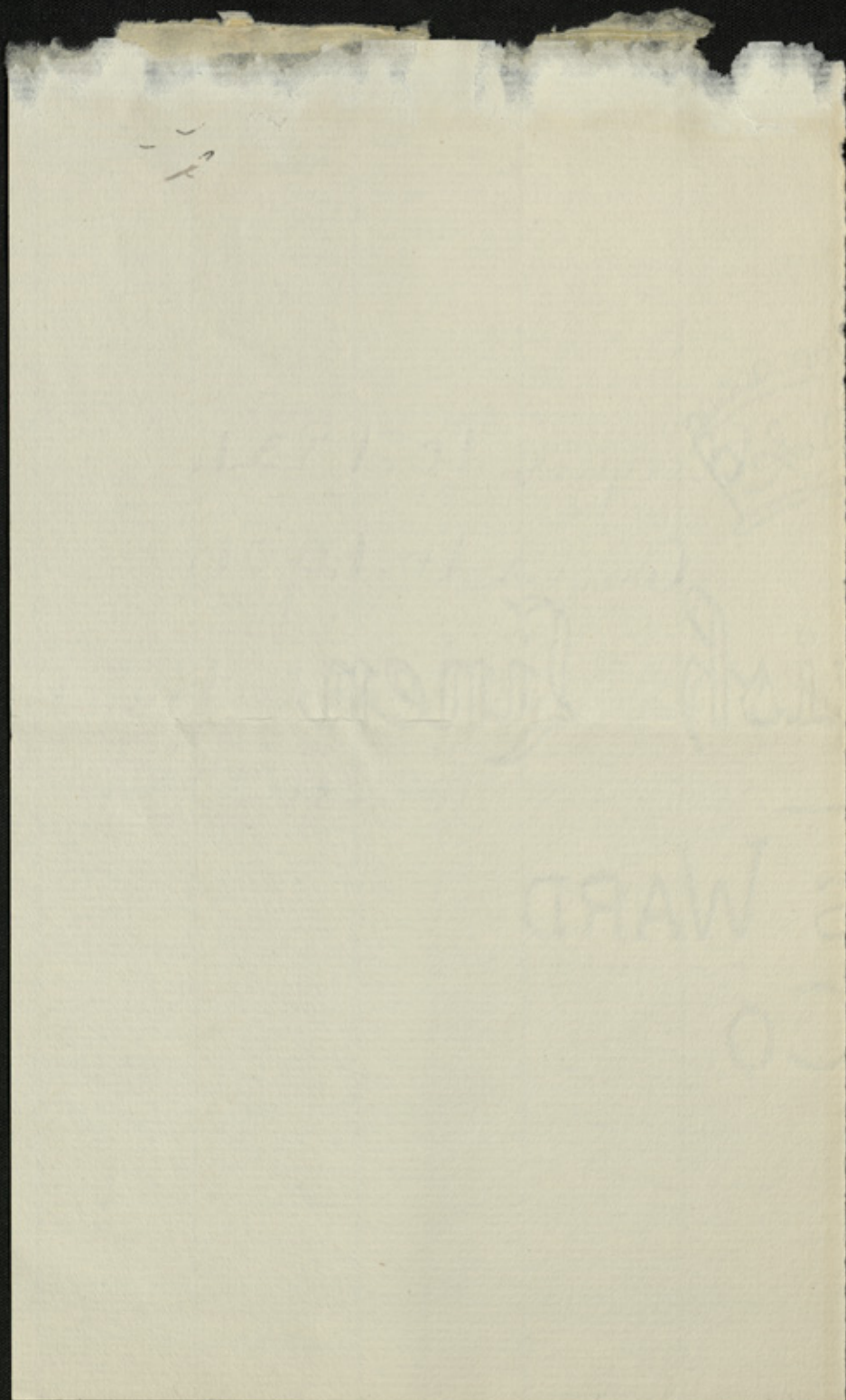
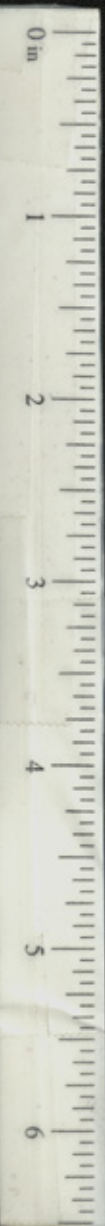
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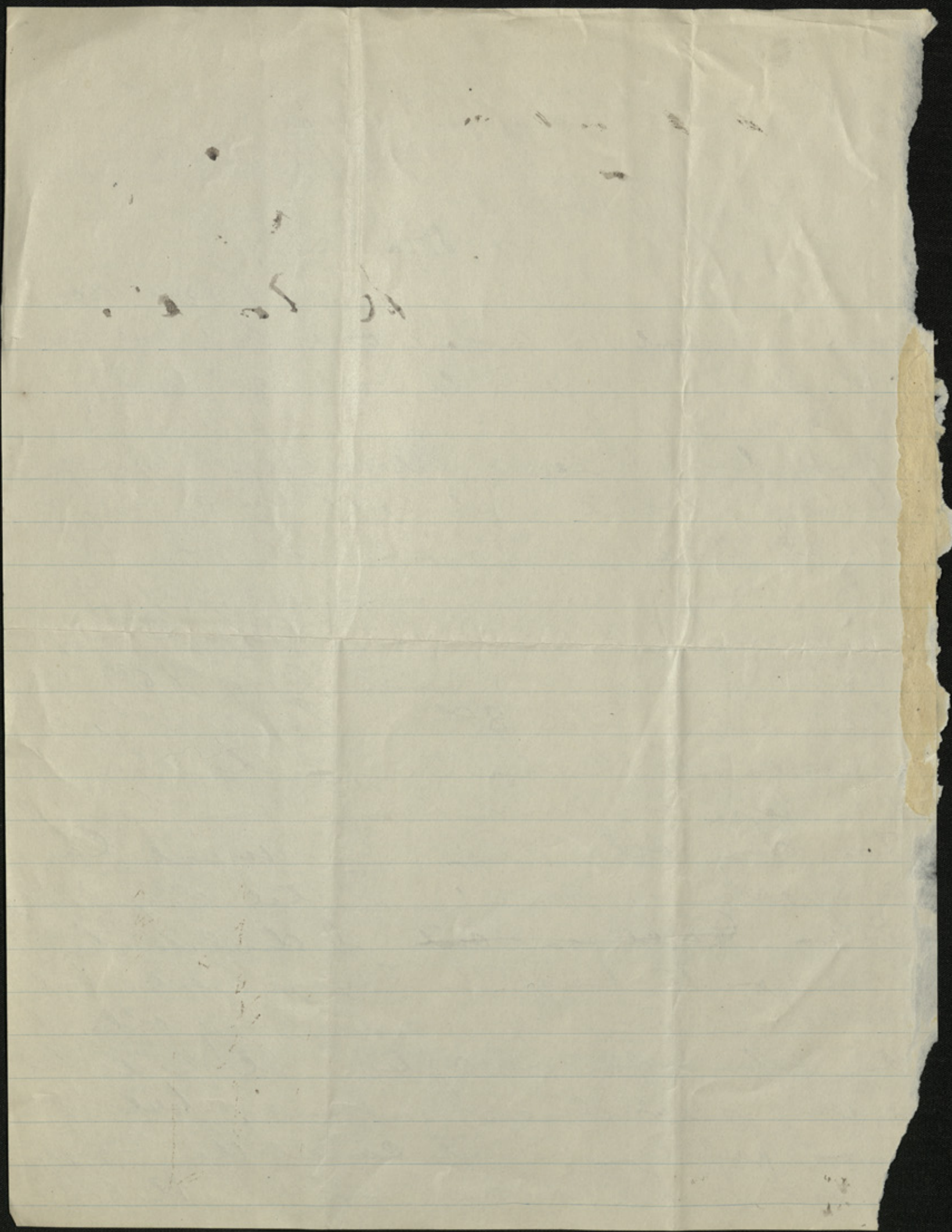
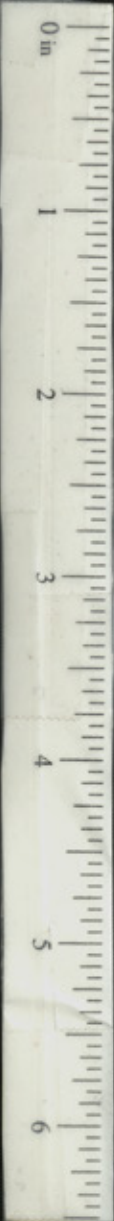
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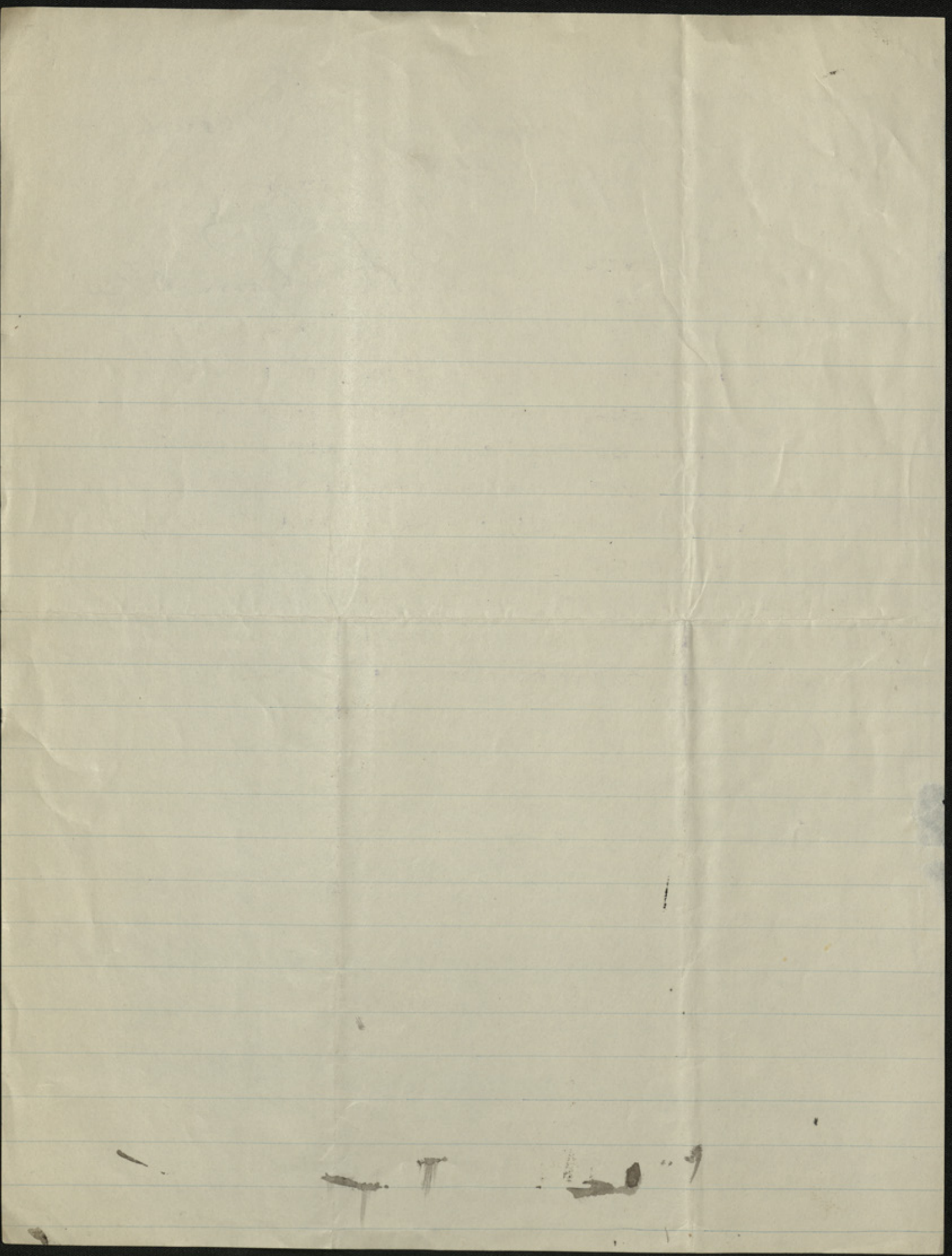
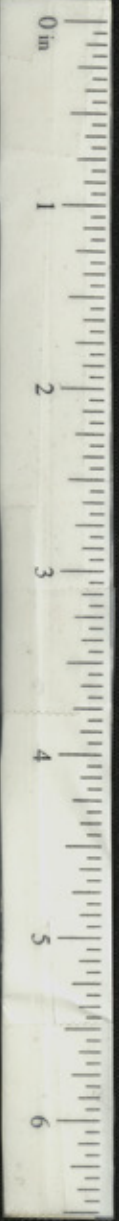
Dear Sir;

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Your request is indeed an urgent one, but we are obliged to arrange early and get out programmes for our Camp meetings and have specially advertised your being present. It will be a very great disappointment not only to the Camp meeting going people but to many G. A. R. men. Our Camp meeting begins & must Aug 26th & holds till Sept 8th - Sept 2nd, a Monday is Labor Day, - the day we can hope for much larger numbers than any other day. We must have a speaker of eminence that day - 2.30 P.M. - ~~Could you not~~ I dislike to urge you to keep the engagement, but we cannot have the address any other day either before or after. It will be a very great disappointment, but if you feel you must, cancel the engagement please let me know soon that I



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may do the best I can to secure
some one for the day. Monday
2 P.M., Sept. 2nd

Very Truly
E. R. Thomsen



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CLEVELAND, O. Aug. 11, 1901

My dear Comrade Howard

Referring to yours of April 30th in
relation to Camp Fire in Cleveland so
noted right L.A. - I trust you will now be
able to assure me of your presence
- I have arranged for you to break out the
Pack - and by special request of a
Camp Fire by Colonel Woods

Very truly Yrs
Geo. O. Howard
This is a copy
of your Camp Fire

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100 Keweenaw Ave St
Winnipeg

JOHN O. WINSHIP

ROOM 27 AND 28 E. LEXINGTON ST
BOSTON, MASS. U.S.A.

July 11, 1901

My dear General Howard

Referring to a specimen of the
relation to Court House in
that respect. I have been
able to answer you of your
- I have compared your drawing with
- that - and of course you are
certainly better than I am.

Very respectfully,
John O. Winship

Shelburne Vt. August 12, 1901.

To

Major General

OLIVER O. HOWARD, U. S. A.

Dear Sir ; =

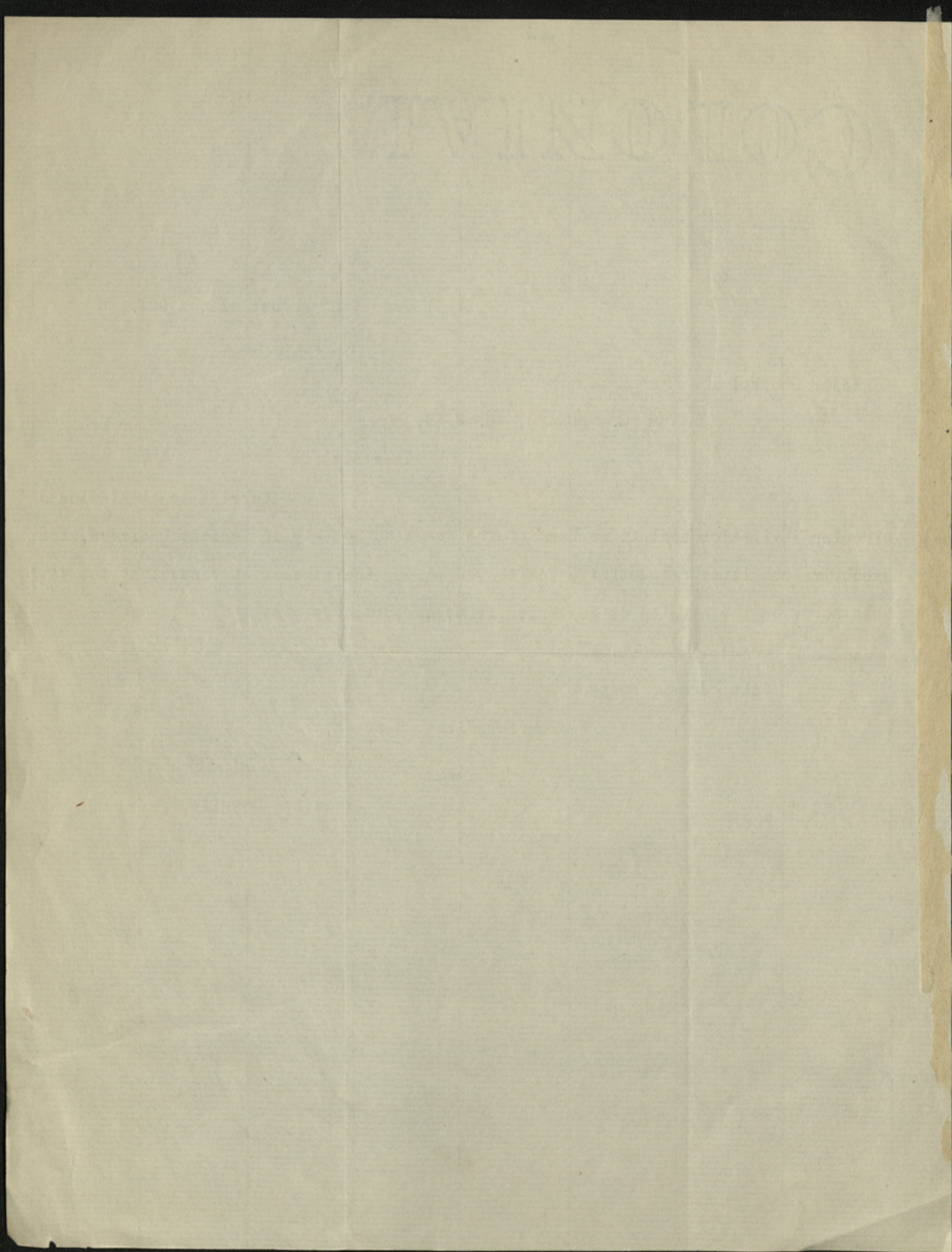
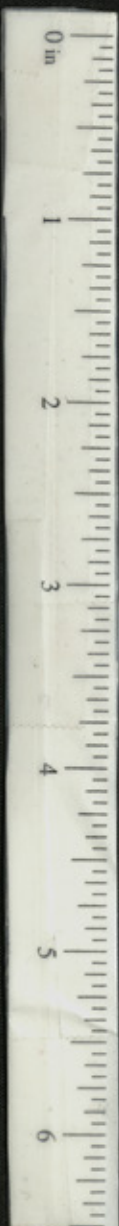
Referring to the inclosed circular invitation sent to members of The Re-Union Society of Vermont Officers, the executive committee respectfully invite you to be their guest at banquet at the Van Ness House on the evening of September fifthand to occupy a seat upon the stage during Mr. Roosevelt's oration.

With Great Respect,

Your Obedient Servant,

J. L. Barston

Chairman of Executive Committee.



5.9 Pomeroy Lumber
Tuckahoe, Mass.

My Dear General,

We were so
glad to hear that
you were to be in
Hartford. and were
enough to call upon
us. We want to see
you very much.

As soon as your letter
came with the good
news. Alice wrote
me - wishing to
see you in N.Y.

We did not know
how to reach you ~~159~~

in any other way.

Let me feel to get
that. & send to
that end in case
of me. Everything is
hoping you will re-
ceive promptly - and
will come here - as
early as possible.

Alice is out this
A. M. doing errands
for me - or she would
have written again.
but I did not like
to delay sending
another mail over.

hoping to see you here soon.
With love & wishes for you
& remains

Very sincerely

A. E. Knickerbocker

Aug. 12th.

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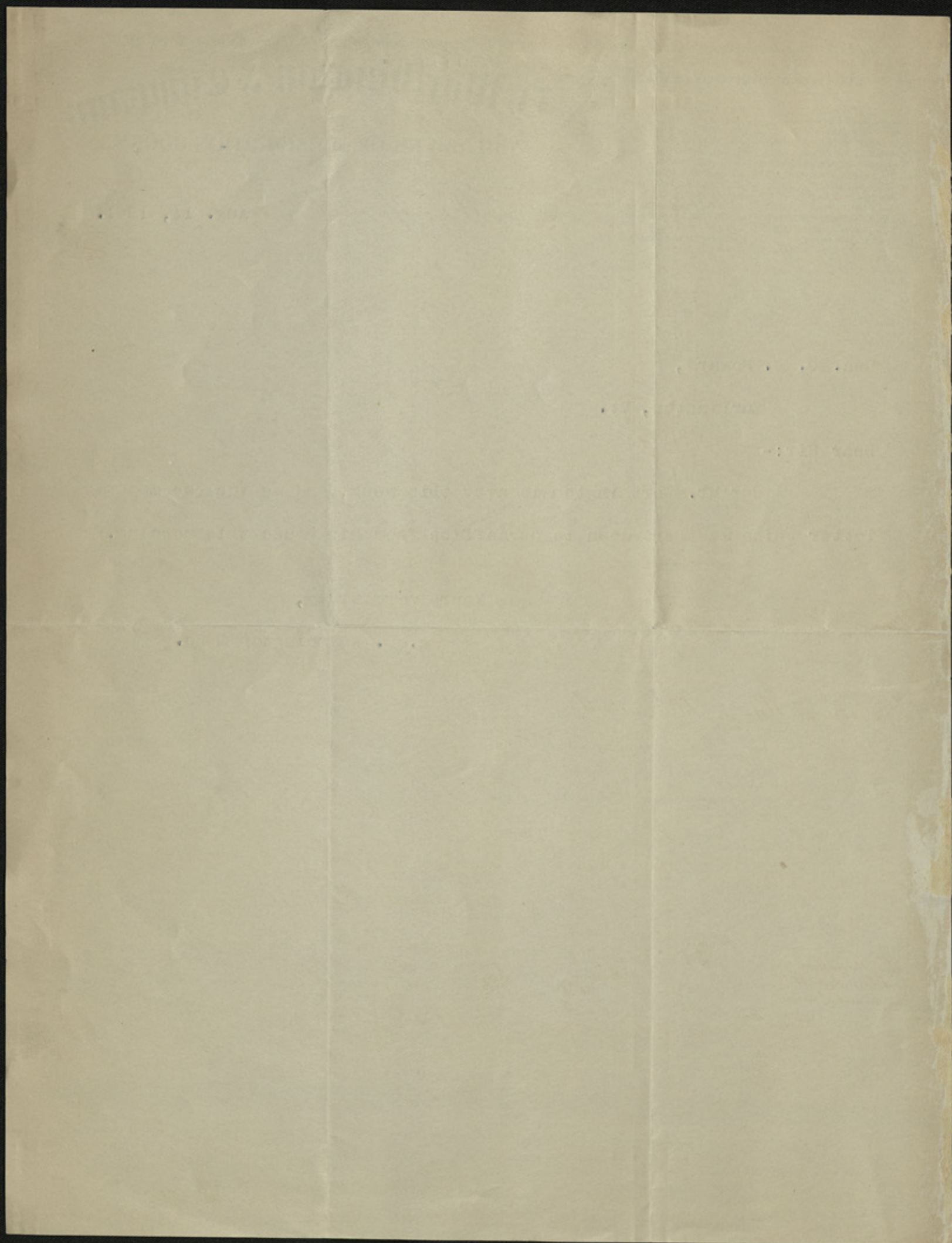
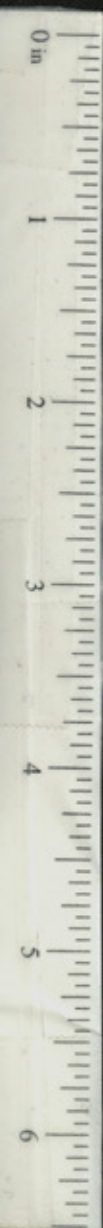
Dear Sir:-

Our Mr. Worthington is away this week, and we inclose a letter which was sent down to our office from his house this morning.

Yours very truly,

A. D. Worthington & Co.

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JAMES E. COCHRANE,
CHAPLAIN.

Second Regiment Infantry,

National Guard of the State of Maine.

Camp Hill, Augusta.

SPRINGVALE

Aug. 14

1901

Maj. Gen. O. O. Howard.

Dear Sir:

Permit me to send you an informal but very cordial invitation to visit the Second Regt Inf. N. G. S. M. in camp at Augusta. I doubt not you will receive an invitation from those higher in authority. But I, as a Monmouth man by birth, and the son of one who attended the old academy with you in years gone by - Margaret Heath, - mentioned the fact of your presence in Monmouth this week, to Col. Newcomb commanding the Second Infantry; and he requested me to send you a pass to camp and to assure you of most cordial welcome.

May I add that I have from boyhood days, in the time of the Civil War, taken a great and increasing interest in our own great, Christian, Commander from the State of Maine.

"Governor's Day", so-called, is Thursday, when
Governor Hill makes his official visit
to this encampment.

Please pardon the informality of
this letter.

Sincerely Yours,

James E. Leachman.
Captam 2nd Inf, N.C.S.M.

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FROM

YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION

NORTHEAST CORNER MASON AND ELLIS STREETS
SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.

August, 14, 1901.

Mr. Harry S. Howard,
Burlington, Vermont.

My Dear Friend Harry Howard:--

Your letter of August 7th. at hand.

We should be most pleased to have your Father lecture under our auspices Friday evening, October 18th., if we could arrange the price. Lectures do not take here, as you well know, and last time your Father lectured for us we lost about \$35.00. We don't care to make money, but we object to loosing it. Our Committee will be willing to pay your Father \$75.00 for Friday evening, October 18th; the General to pay his own Hotel and traveling expensed. I think I might be able to locate him at other points in the State also. Please let me hear from you at once.

With kindest regards to your Father and Mother, I remain,

Yours very sincerely,

H. J. McCoy

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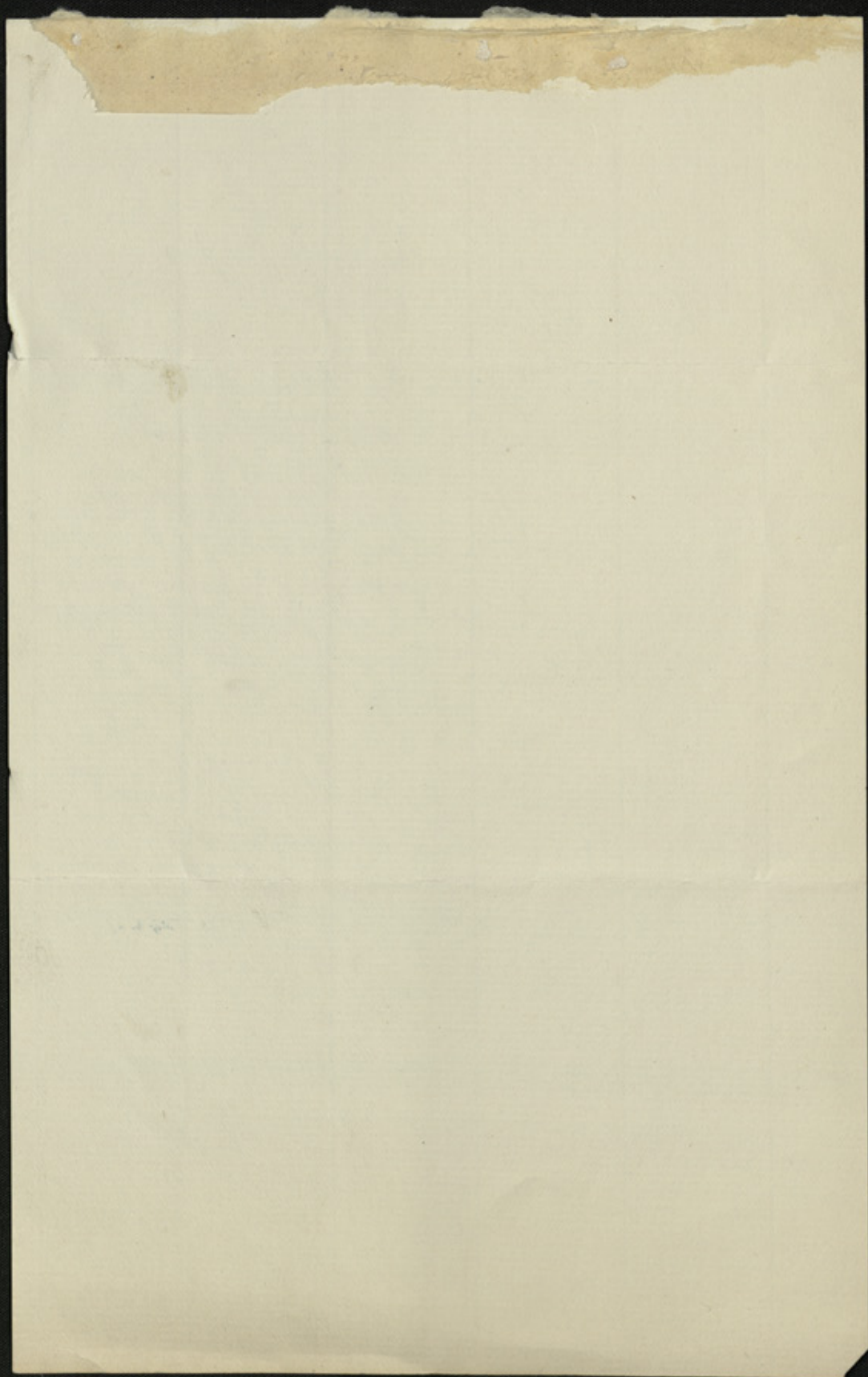
Billerica Mass

Aug. 14, 1901

Gen. Q. Q. Howard,

Dear General Howard:-

I wish to write you a few lines in regard to my declination of the position offered by the Board for the coming year at Cumberland Gap. It has not been through want of interest in the work that I have not accepted the position - I have simply felt that I could not do so and come out whole financially at the end of the year. It is my expectation to resume work in the pastorate as soon^d

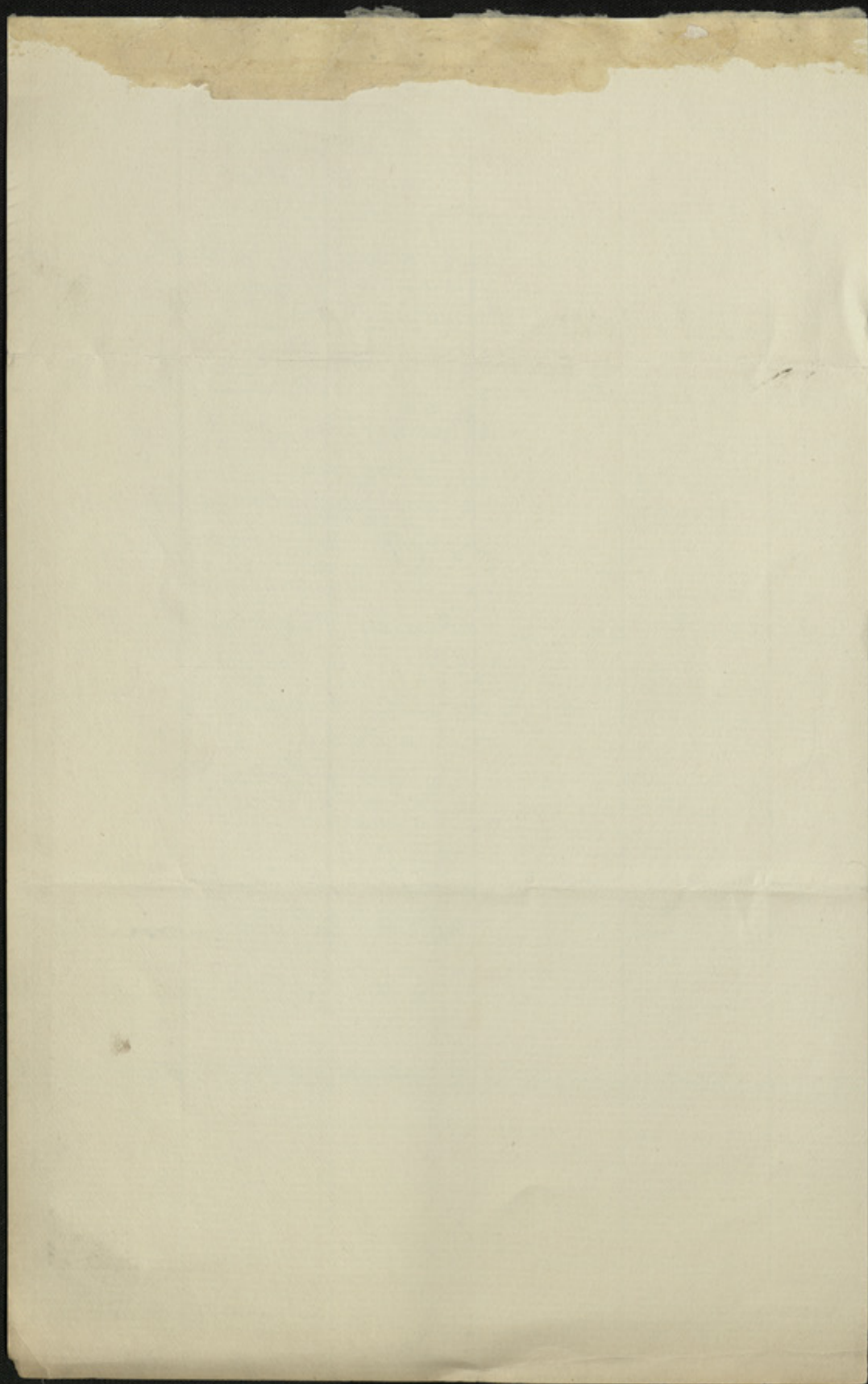


as opportunity offers. May
I ask you for any state-
ment that you may feel
justified in making con-
cerning my connection with
the Lincoln Memorial University
during the past year. - Such
a word will be of great value

- Always with sincere inter-
est in the success of the
University I am

Very truly Yours
John Elliot Bowman.

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Wednesday,

General C. C. Howard, -
We notice by the
papers you are to be
in Leeds, tomorrow.

My Mother, Mrs Dr.
Wiggin, is with us,
and an invalid, -

If you come to Auburn,
we would like to have
you dine with us, as it
would give Mother so
much pleasure and us
all.

Sincerely,

Mrs. John W. May-

9 Laurel Ave.,

Auburn,

Maine.