

my dear General Howard

We anticipate seeing and
hearing you Monday March
tenths before the Phelps. Club.
The personage opens its doors
to you and a cordial welcome
awaits you, or if you prefer a
room shall be secured at
"The Columbian". Kindly advise me
in the matter. The Christmas
are liable to be late the one
due in Pittsburgh at 6.10 P.M.

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is sometimes three hours late
so please plan accordingly.

Have you a "small cut" that
you can forward at once at
our expense for use on the

"Souvenir programmes"?

I believe your subject is
"Thomas of Chichimanga" which
we have advertised accordingly

Respectfully but cordially

Laurence Phelps

Leominster Mass

July 26 - 1902

P.S. Our Treasurer will pay
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New York,

Dear General Howard:

Will you be in this
City about March 9th, if so we would
like you to take part in our
Second Anniversary Exercises which
we plan to hold in Carnegie Hall.

I am sure you will be
interested in the work which continues
there which you began when com-
manding officer at Governors Island.

Our principal speaker will be
Asst. Secy. of War William Cary Sawyer.

Since you left Governors Island
no meetings were held in Castle
Williams and practically nothing done
in the garrison until you came in.

Last month our meeting average

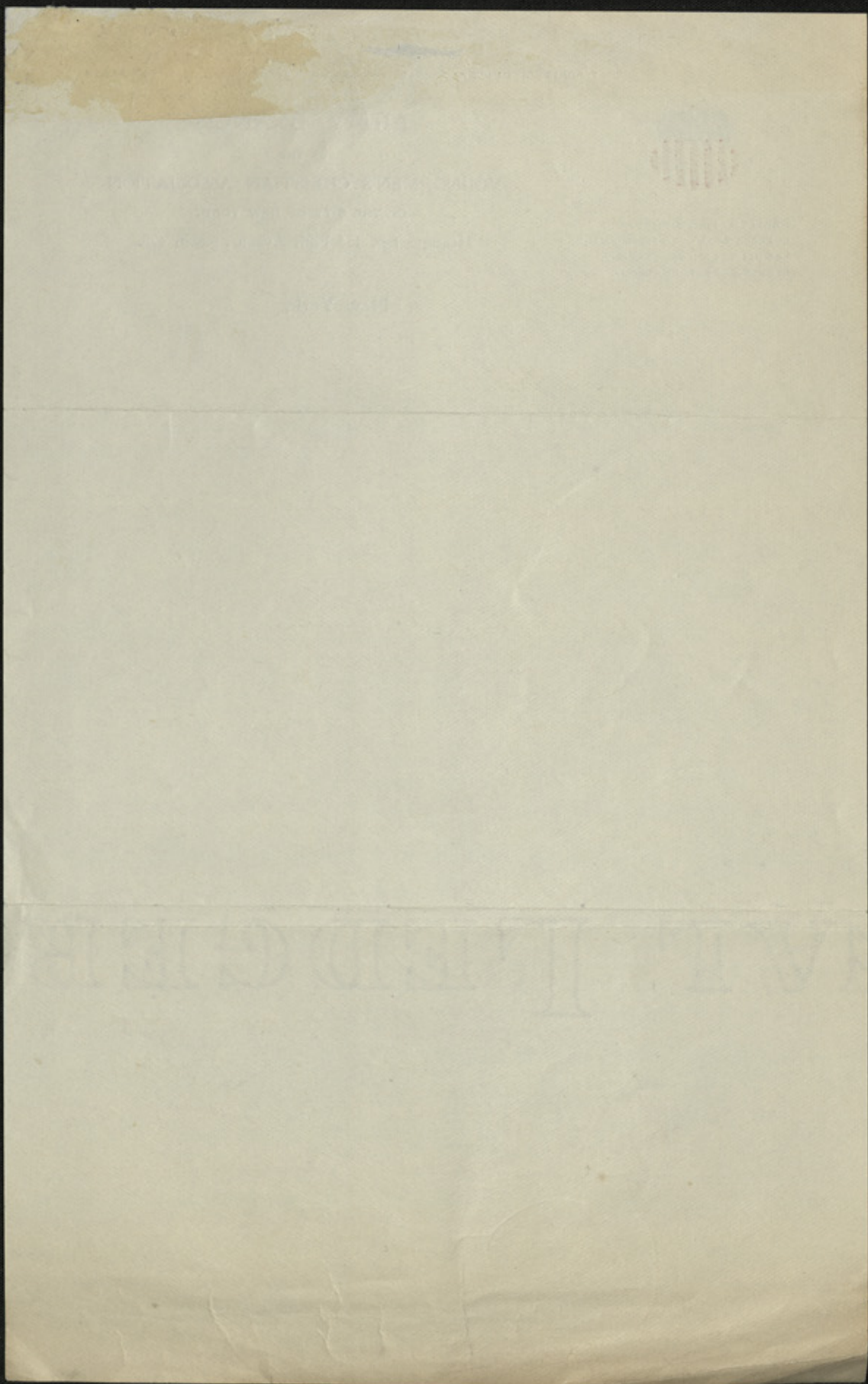
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General O. O. Howard,
Burlington, Vt.

Dear General Howard,-

Your letter of the 24th inst. from Farmington, Conn. has been received and I have sent a Bible, according to your request, to Fred C. Chamberlin, Wallaston, Mass. and enclose herewith bill for the same. Please bear in mind that this figure is net to you, and not to be quoted to any other person.

Very cordially yours,

L. Klopsch



10-10-1941

Dear Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 10th inst. and in reply to inform you that the same has been forwarded to the proper authorities for their consideration.

I am, Sir, very respectfully,
Yours obedient servant,
J. H. [Signature]

10-10-1941

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General O. O. Howard
Burlington, Vt.

My Dear Sir:

Not having heard from you as yet, I take the liberty of again writing you in regard to our Mass Meeting next Sunday evening, that I might give you an idea of our program. Our music will be led by the First Presb. Church orchestra, several selections by a mixed quartette and a song or two by the audience, this will be the opening then we shall have your address of about forty minutes this will be followed by one of our local Pastors with about a ten minute talk then by a local business man who will also give about a ten minute talk and wind up with an appeal

for fledger, now that I might help you
in just what to say I might tell you
of our needs, First that the public may
realize the great importance of this work
for the building up of character of our
boys and young men, seeing that they
are so surrounded by temptations and
evil influences at just the years when
they are the most susceptible to such
influences, first by giving them a sound
body with our Baths and Gymnasiums, a
sound mind by our Libraries, reading
rooms and Educational classes and a
spirit by our Bible classes and religious
work, which will help them to grow
up to a manhood with which they
can honor their God and the city in
which they live, And second, what it
means to our civic life to have such
men as its representation, If you have
not already answered our telegram will
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ask whether you can be here, Sat
evening, if so that we could have
an informal reception at the Hotel
for you. Let us know what time
you expect to arrive.

Sincerely Yours
W. A. Horn.

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De
"Following up Lee"

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Chicago, Feb. 26, 1902.

General O. O. Howard,
Burlington, Vt.

Dear brother:-

It seems a long time since I heard from you, though Chancey, in a recent letter, mentioned seeing you, and a day or two ago I received the L. M. U. Herald, evidently from you. I wonder if you have been reading the war-articles as they came out month by month. On the first of February we finished the Battle of Gettysburg. Your account of the following up of Lee afterwards is so very interesting I have concluded to publish that also, though our program, as first marked out, was not intended to include some of the minor articles.

I write you particularly today with reference to the Council of War, held, as you give the account, to consider whether we should give battle again while the enemy was still on the east side of the Potomac. In your article you have not given so full an account of this Council, as I should think might well be brought out at this period. You only mention Wadsworth as one of those who voted in favor of an attack, he then being in command of the First Corp. I want to ask some questions and possibly may correct some statements I have made in an editorial paragraph relating to the Council. You said that there were three who voted in favor of the attack, and six corp commanders against it. I always understood that you and Pleasonton voted for it, but I thought there were others; at least one other. I was present outside of the tent, that is, it is my impression that the Council was held in a tent, and not in a house. Am I correct? You speak as if it were in the vicinity of Funkstown. Is this the exact locality?

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My impression is quite strong that you said to me afterwards that Mead was in favor of renewing the battle; but that he said that the vote of such men as Sedgewick, and, I think, one or two other veteran officers had great weight with him, and decided him against fighting. Now, I can only make out six other corp commanders by counting French, who, if I remember correctly, had come into the army just after the battle of Fredericksburg in command of a contingent of volunteers, which had been gathered up for reinforcement. My memory makes the number about 3000. I do not call to mind that it had been organized as a corp d'armee. Counting French, the other five, of course, we all remember as follows: Sedgewick, Sykes, Humphreys (I suppose he had now come into command of the Second Corp after the wounding of Hancock) Am I correct? Birney (Am I right that he succeeded Sickles) and Slocum. Did French vote not to attack? I have a lingering impression that as his troops had not been in the battle, he favored fighting. Still, this needs confirmation. The Third Corp was very badly used up, and I presume that Birney voted with the majority. I remember Sedgewick's vote, but how about Slocum's? The one I have most doubt about is French. If he voted with the three mentioned in favor of an attack, that would leave five to four, and Mead's vote would simply make it even, and a tie. Of course, in a time so remote one can not trust unaided memory, and it is possible I have in some way confounded a Council of War at Chancellorsville; but my impression, is very vivid as to Sedgewick, and to Mead saying that the vote of the old officers' influence, I observe that your modesty prevented you mentioning your own name, which was well enough ten or fifteen years ago when the rest were all living; but we owe it to history to bring out



BOARD

The first thing I noticed when I stepped out of the car was the cold. It was a sharp contrast to the warm blanket of the car. I looked around, trying to get my bearings. The street was empty, the only sound being the distant hum of traffic. I took a deep breath, feeling the cold air fill my lungs. I started walking, my feet hitting the pavement. The ground was wet, reflecting the light from the streetlights. I walked for a while, feeling a sense of purpose. I knew I was on the right path. The air was crisp, and the stars were visible in the night sky. I felt a sense of freedom, a sense of being alone in a vast world. I walked until I reached the end of the street, where I stood for a moment, looking back at the way I had come. I felt a sense of accomplishment, a sense of having reached my destination. I turned around, ready to go back, but I saw a figure in the distance. It was a person, standing still, looking towards me. I stopped, my heart racing. I watched as the figure moved closer, their face becoming clearer. It was a woman, her eyes fixed on me. I felt a strange sense of familiarity, as if I had known her for a long time. She took a step forward, and I felt a pull towards her. I walked towards her, my heart pounding. She reached out, her hand touching mine. I looked into her eyes, seeing a world of emotion. She smiled, a small, gentle smile that made my heart melt. I felt a sense of peace, a sense of being home. I took her hand, and she led me to a small, dimly lit room. I sat down, feeling exhausted but happy. She sat next to me, her hand resting on my shoulder. I looked at her, feeling a sense of wonder. She was beautiful, not just in appearance but in her spirit. I felt a sense of connection, a sense of being understood. I looked up at the ceiling, feeling a sense of awe. The room was simple, but it felt like a sanctuary. I closed my eyes, feeling a sense of calm. I was safe, I was home. I felt a sense of peace, a sense of being understood. I looked up at the ceiling, feeling a sense of awe. The room was simple, but it felt like a sanctuary. I closed my eyes, feeling a sense of calm. I was safe, I was home.

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all the facts. I will enclose proof of the paragraph I have written, and if it is not correct in every particular, please answer and I can. In putting the article into the weekly, have it conform to your corrections. You will observe that I sign editor so that you would have no responsibility personally for it, but still I desire to be absolutely accurate. There is one other little point: I observe that the type as in the old article mentioned a Captain Sharra, in two or three places. But in one place it is "Sharras". Which is correct?

Affectionately your brother,

C. O. Howard

P.S.

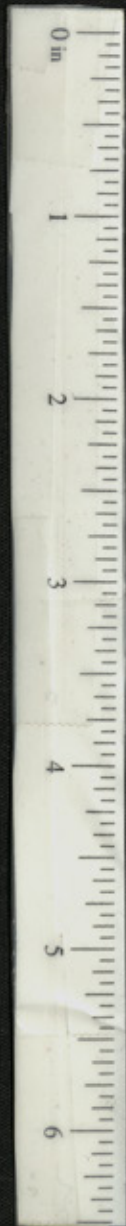
Are you all well at home? Please remember me very kindly to Harry, Bessie and sister Lizzie. Ask Harry if he can do anything to get us the advertising of Wells, Richardson & Co., as they often put out a new line of advertising at this season.

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They could have their choice -
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New York, February 27, 1902.

General O. O. Howard,
Burlington, V^t.T.

Dear Sir:-

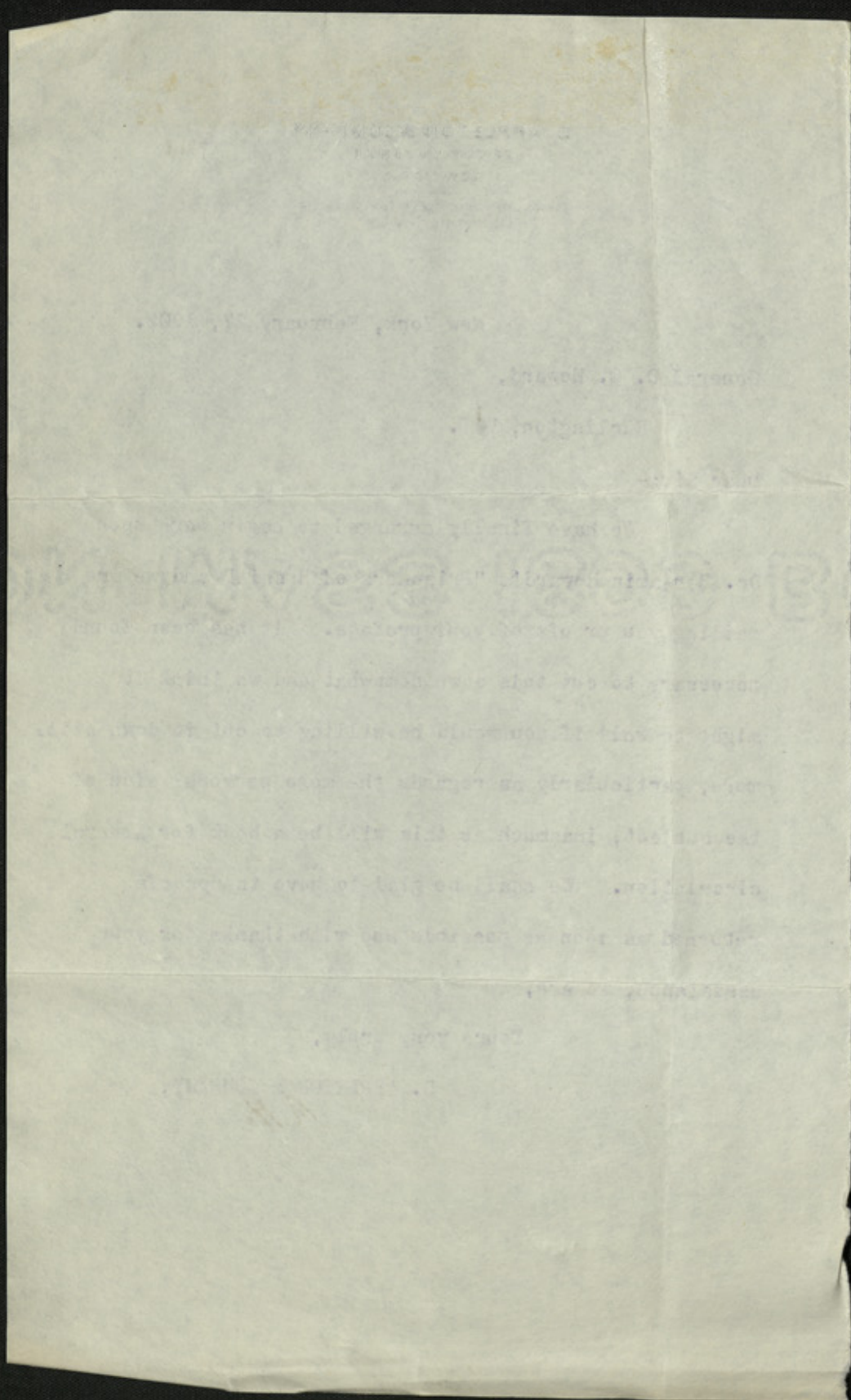
We have finally arranged to begin work upon Dr. Benjamin Howard's "Prisoners of Russia" and we are mailing you proofs of your preface. It has been found necessary to cut this down somewhat and we think it might be well if you would be willing to cut it down still more, particularly as regards the more personal side of the subject, inasmuch as this will be a book for general circulation. We shall be glad to have the proofs returned as soon as possible and with thanks for your assistance, we are,

Yours very truly,

D. APPLETON & COMPANY,
A.H.

Recd Mar 5.

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GUY CARLETON LEE, PH. D.

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IN REPLYING TO THIS
LETTER MENTION No. H-789.

BALTIMORE, MD., U. S. A. Feb'y 27, '02.

General O. O. Howard,
Burlington, Vt.

My dear Sir,-

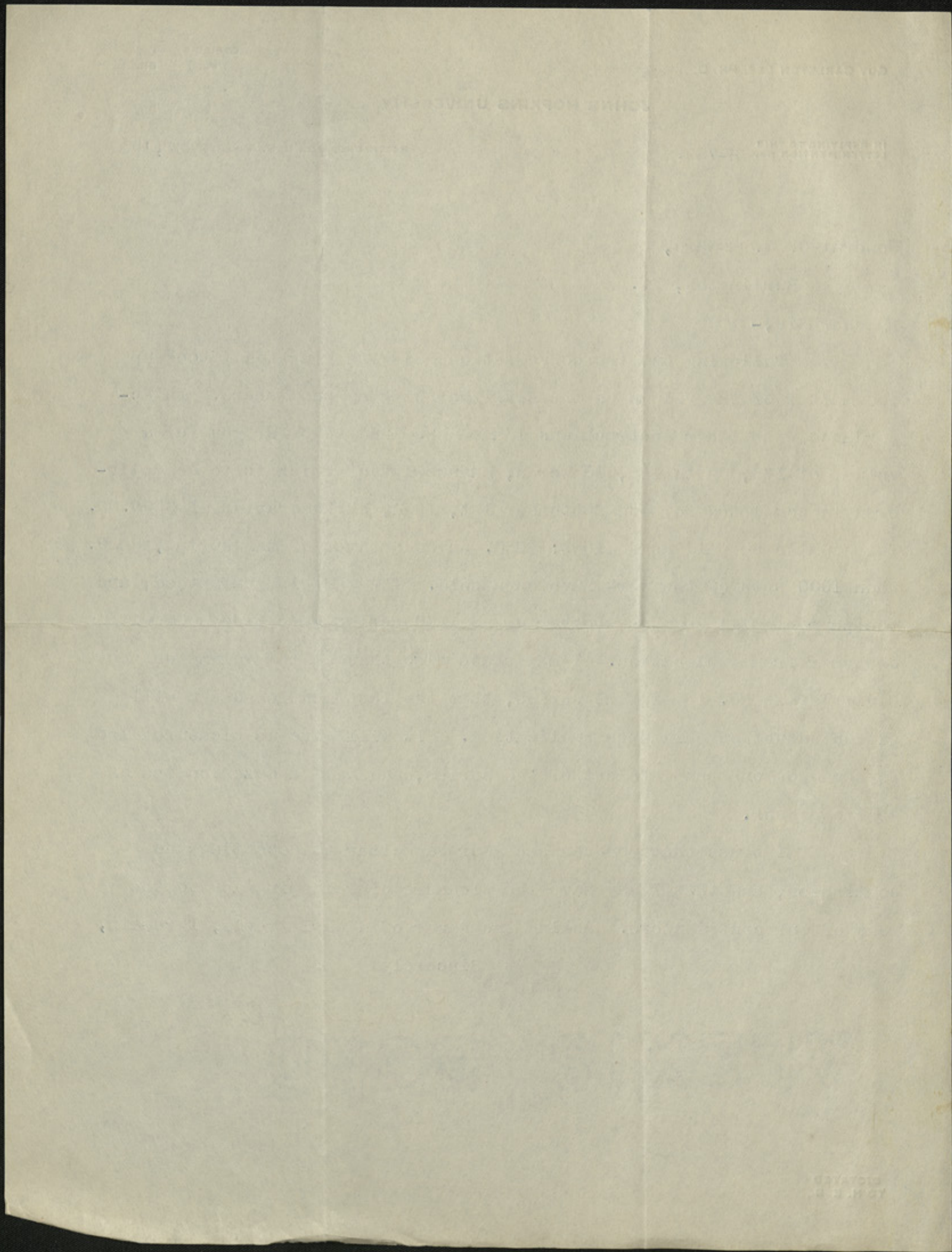
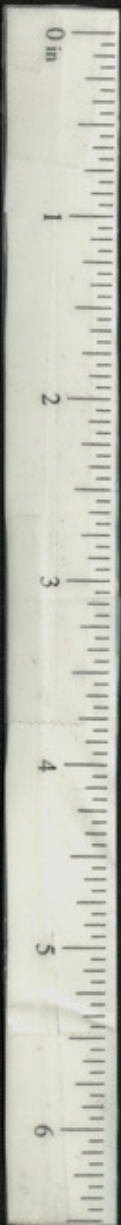
Following out the conversation had with your son I took up the matter of the volume on the Civil War with my publishers. In accordance with their instructions I am authorized to offer you for a volume of 175,000 to 185,000 words, manuscript of which is to be delivered in completed form on September 1st, 1904, and honorarium of \$500.00. This sum to be paid as follows: \$250. on acceptance of manuscript, \$250. when 1000 sets of the work have been sold. The sale is guaranteed, and the payment will be made, whether or no 1000 copies have been sold, within one year from publication. I may state also that as the volume on the Civil War is No. 16. in the series, that the last mentioned sum will without doubt be paid upon publication. It will give us pleasure also to send you one complete set of the series, and half a dozen copies of your own book.

I trust that you can see your way clear to accepting the commission, and that I may have the pleasure of welcoming you to the rank of our contributors. Asking the favor of a early reply, I remain,

Sincerely

Fry Carlton Lee

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New York Feb. 28/02
Gen. O. O. Howard,
Burlington Vt.

Can you preside at Carnegie Hall March ninth wire reply.

Geo. A. Sanford,
156 Fifth Ave.
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FARM, FIELD AND FIRESIDE
MASONIC TEMPLE
CHICAGO

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Chicago, Feb. 28, 1902.

General O. O. Howard,
Burlington, Vt.

Dear brother:-

I over-looked returning to you the letter of brother Dell, which please find herein. It was very interesting to me, and I should like very much to see that identical letter, written by you in the winter of 1842. I should think that you would like to secure that, and perhaps have a fac-simile made.

I have not heard much from you of late, but received a letter from cousin Alice a few days ago in answer to one I wrote to Chancey. She mentioned that you were very busy still. I never heard whether you had any success in celebrating Lincoln's birthday in Boston. I would like to know about it.

You speak very kindly of Kitty, but I think got a mistaken impression, as we all did at one time: that she was gaining rapidly. For fourteen weeks I received not a line from her, and scarcely a word. But about a week ago, or so, she went to a Sanatorium at Arlington Heights, Massachusetts, near where brother Rowland's home was, and she was better almost immediately after going there. So much so that she has now written three different letters in her own hand. The trouble, as I suppose you know, is, in its manifestations, more mental, though we believe it has a physical basis. The doctors, and Burt with them, agreed that it was better for her to leave her father's house, in fact, be separated entirely from all her friends. And we have tried this although it seemed almost cruel, but as it has

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January 1, 1900

Mr. J. M. Smith,
Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:

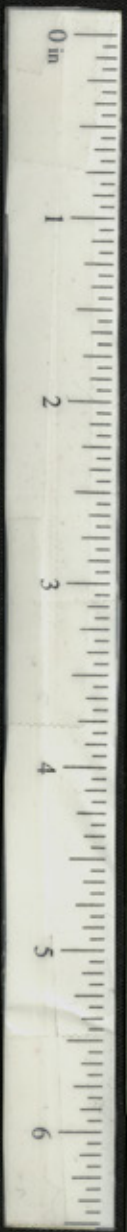
I have been very much interested in your letter of the 29th, and in the account of the work of the Committee on the Study of the History of the United States. I should think that you would like to see the report of the Committee, which is now being prepared. I have not seen it yet, but I have been told that it is very interesting and contains a great deal of valuable information.

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O. O. H. #2.

turned out, the doctors were right.

I wrote a few days ago with reference to a paragraph in the war articles which is just about to come out. I could not get the proof to inclose that day, but will put it in this letter.

I hope you will write me fully on that point.

Affectionately your brother,

C. H. Howard

P.S. A letter from Kitty today
(Saturday) tells of your very
welcome visit to her. It did
her good - L. Hibbs

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LOWELL, MASS., Feb. 28, 1902.

*Recd
Mar*
Gen. O.O. Howard,
Burlington, Vt.

Dear Sir,-

I have received your favor of recent date with reference to the railroad fare.

There is no disposition on my part to deal closely with you but it was a good deal of a strain for us financially to have you come on the basis which you did and we do not feel as though we can pay more than was agreed.

I have written to Mr. Morse about the matter a second time and he has sent me the correspondence which he had with your son concerning the arrangements. In a letter of Jan. 7, 1902, he states that "because of so many calls and just such pressing invitations he has been forced to ask all Associations fifty dollars to cover his time and expenses. For addresses through the week he received one hundred dollars and expenses." In a letter of Jan. 11, 1902, he states that "Gen. Howard is willing to speak twice on Sunday for the fifty dollars as he would be glad to spend the day with you." In a letter of Jan. 17, 1902, he says, "Gen. Howard directs me to reply and say that your arrangements for him to speak at Nashua and Lowell for fifty dollars, the terms agreed upon, are satisfactory to him." In a letter of Jan. 21, 1902, he says, "Please hand the fifty dollars to Gen. Howard after his address."

It seems from these letters that the matter was clearly enough understood that there was to be no extra charges for expense.

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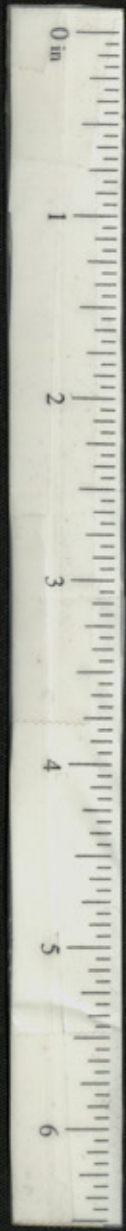
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Gen. O. C. H.-----2

Mr. Morse informs me that he entertained you at a hotel and there was no charge here for entertainment. It seems to me that we have done all and more than we agreed.

I regret very much that this misunderstanding has taken place.

Yours Truly,

M. C. Williams

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