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General O. O. Howard,

Dear General Howard: We are securing expressions from several of our public men touching Decoration Day -- a few words of an inspiring nature, to keep vigorous the reverence underlying our national memorial. The symposium is to appear in our Memorial Day issue.

If it is not trespassing too far on your kindness, might we ask if you will write us a few lines, including the lines over the desk in the Chapel at West Point -- "Righteousness exalteth a nation, but sin is a reproach to any people."

Very truly yours,  
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By William E. Sanford.

Ans'd.  
O.O.H.

April 3

Dear General Howard: We are receiving your letter of the 2nd inst. and are glad to hear from you. The public has been touching the question of the day - the words of an inspiring hymn, to keep vigorous the reverence underlying our national motto. The symposium is to appear in our Memorial Day issue. It is not too late to appear in our Memorial Day issue. I will write up a few lines, and give the lines over the desk in the hall at West Point - "The National Anthem" is a noble, but it is too late to appear in our Memorial Day issue. Very truly yours,  
David C. O'Connell



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Gen. O. O. Howard,  
1 Broadway, N. Y.

Dear Sir:-

We have mailed as requested,  
copies of the current issue of THE INDE-  
PENDENT containing your article on "Our  
Suicidal Chinese Policy" to Secretaries  
Hay and Cortelyou and to each member of  
the Senate and House of Representatives,  
and hand you herewith our bill for the  
same.

Very truly yours,

THE INDEPENDENT,

*J. E. McKim*

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Gen. C. O. Howard,

Brooklyn, N. Y.

Dear Sir:-

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Very truly yours,

THE INDEPENDENT.



ISIDORE ISAACS, Adjutant.  
890 E. 165th St.

JOSEPH H. STINER, Colonel.  
Grand Opera House Hall,  
23rd St. & 8th Ave.

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Grand Opera House Hall,

23rd Street and Eighth Avenue.

New York, April 10 1907

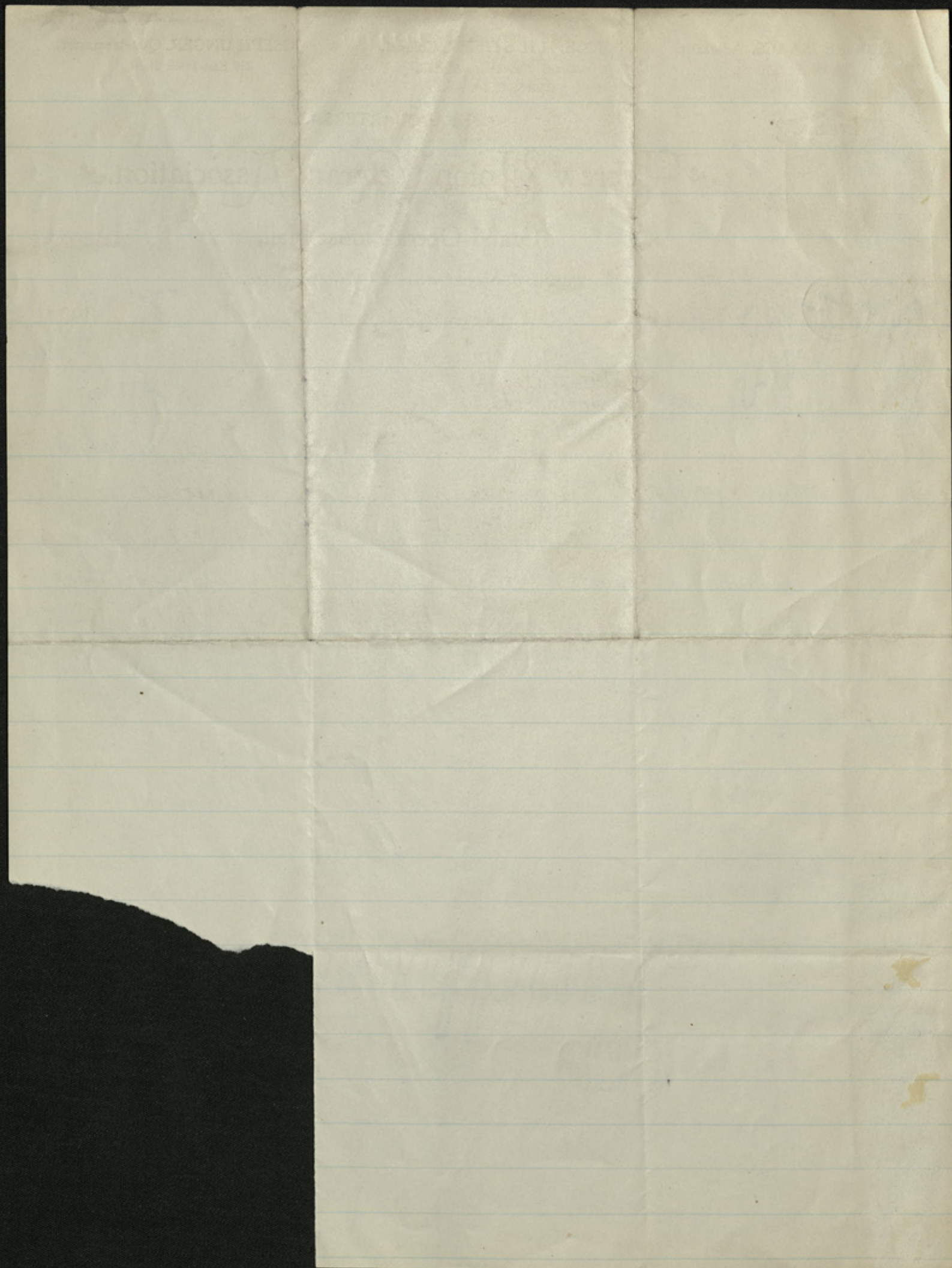
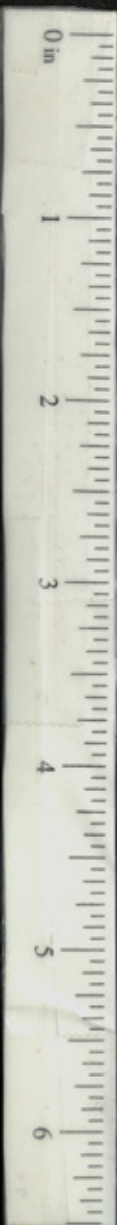
Gen O. O. Howard.  
Dear Sir and Comrade.

Will you kindly inform me at your earliest convenience when & where a committee of the above named association can call to see you in regard to a matter of vital importance. If you could make an appointment for Saturday afternoon say about 2 o'clock would suit the committee. Hoping to have a speedy reply

I am yours in T. C. L.  
Isidore Isaacs  
Adjutant

890 E 165 St.







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UNITED STATES SENATE,

COMMITTEE ON PENSIONS,

WASHINGTON.

LAH

April 10, 1902.

My dear Gen. Howard:-

I have your extremely kind note of this date in reference to the talk I made in the Senate yesterday on the subject of Chinese exclusion. I am delighted to know that you approve of the position I have taken. Although I am not at all inclined to personal conceit, I beg to request that you take time to read the entire speech. If you have not a copy of the Record at command I will be glad to procure one for you.

With high personal regard and best wishes, know me to be,

Cordially yours,

*J. H. Gallinger*

Gen. O. O. Howard,

Washington, D. C.



UNITED STATES SENATE

COMMITTEE ON PENSIONS

WASHINGTON

and  
O. A. P.



Gen. O. O. Howard  
Burlington Vt.  
My dear Genl.

Arkansas City Kansas  
April 11, 1902

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In an article written by you four or five years ago on the battle of the 22nd July 1864 in front of Atlanta and in which Genl McPherson was killed, you referred to Hood finding, unexpectedly, the 78th Ohio Inftry Regt. 3 or 4 miles in the rear of our then front of McPhersons line. It was really the 68th Ohio - and as Aid to Gen. Scott by his order I took the Regt. - 68th Ohio - to Gen. Leggetts 3rd Div. Hospital to guard it from guerillas, as was supposed but really the advance of Hoods army, and this Regt. was the first that Hood found larger than a picket and before striking the 116th - Dodge - Corps - and when the fighting was fairly on Gen. Logan ordered this Regt. to re-join its Command at the front, which it did and withstood several charges during the evening and did the last fighting of that day.

This much is an introduction to myself. I am a member of the Assn of The Army of Tenn. and now an applicant for Postmaster at Arkansas City Kansas as a veteran of 61 & 65 and thought from your knowledge of the incident of the 68th Ohio Regt. you might say a word that would help my military record and thus help me to a position I have fairly earned. I met you here 5 years ago with the "Alger" party. Was a member of 78th O.V.V.S. Leggetts in Logans Div. afterwards Leggetts and the first to enter Vicksburg Miss.

I feel that if the republican party is not going to give the Veteran the preference it ought not to promise it. If you can say a word or write me a line Genl. I can assure you it will be remembered and appreciated. I am competent was for a time Acting Commissary of Leggetts 3rd Div. 17th A.C.

With best wishes Genl I am

Fraternally yours  
W. M. Sleeth



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THE HEARST SYNDICATE  
15 SPRUCE STREET  
NEW YORK

April 11th, 1902.

Mr. H. S. Howard,  
Burlington, Vt.

My dear Sir:-

I am greatly surprised at letter received to day and I am sincerely sorry there was any hitch in the arrangement for General Howard's meeting with Mr. Hearst. I introduced General Howard to Mr. Hearst's **Private** Secretary, Mr. O'Riley early in the afternoon and it was left to him to make the arrangements for the meeting later on in the evening. I supposed it had been done as I did not see Mr. Hearst after, he having sailed the following morning.

Regretting the miscarriage of arrangements, I remain,

Sincerely yours,

C. D. Warner  
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THE NEW YORK PUBLIC LIBRARY  
ASTOR LENOX TILDEN FOUNDATION  
455 FIFTH AVENUE  
NEW YORK, N. Y.

April 11, 1901.

Dear Sir:-

I am greatly surprised to learn that you have received the letter of the 10th inst. regarding the matter of the New York Public Library. I have been very busy lately and have not had time to write you more fully. I am sorry that I cannot do so at present. I have been very busy lately and have not had time to write you more fully. I am sorry that I cannot do so at present.

Very truly yours,  
J. P. Morgan





DR. STRONG'S  
THE SANITARIUM  
SARATOGA SPRINGS NY

April  
4 - 12 - 1902

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

Dear General:-

As pastor of the M. E.  
Church at North Ferrisburg I write  
to ask if you could give our Epworth  
League an Anniversary Address some  
Sunday Evening in May. Theme of  
your own choosing. Though it would  
be especially helpful if you would  
lead along Citizenship lines.  
We can assure you a good company  
of listeners and good care.

A dozen years ago when I as  
a layman was President of the  
Troy Local Union of Christian Endeav-  
er Societies I had the promise from  
you then at Governors Island.

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of a speech you never had op-  
portunity to give. Now that I  
am coming at you so close at  
hand, I hope you will be able  
to bless our young people.

We will fix our date to yours  
in May if you will come and  
stay with us.

Sincerely yours.  
Geo. J. Simmon.



*Louisville & Nashville Railroad Company.*

*President's Office, Louisville, Ky.*

*Milton H. Smith,*  
*President.*

April 12, 1902.

Gen'l O. O. Howard,  
Burlington, Vermont.

Dear Sir,

Yours of the 31st ultimo.

Enclosed please find pass in favor of yourself good between Louisville, Cincinnati and Cumberland Gap. I regret to advise that under our rules we cannot issue pass in favor of yourself "and one".

Yours truly,

*M. H. Smith*  
President.

Enc



NY-1 Bureau  
April 15, 02

For file

Dear father:-

Glad to forward  
said pleasant letter -  
All well here - I am  
to prove in your  
uniform so as to  
help Miss Haven get  
on with the portrait in  
your absence -

Aff. pr

Harry



Attended to.  
O. Q. H.

101 W. 78<sup>th</sup> St  
New York City  
April 12/1902

Mr. H. S. Rowell,  
Private Secretary,

My dear Sir:—

Your favor of the 9<sup>th</sup> is at hand  
and I thank you very much  
for the kind interest you have  
taken in the matter. Please extend  
my thanks also to your esteemed  
father, my dear old Commander  
but as it is quite uncertain whether  
he can be here or not on the 5<sup>th</sup>  
of May next, and as it is necessary  
for the Association to know the  
ones, we have determined to make  
other arrangements for that occasion.  
Perhaps some time in the fall  
when agreeable to the General &  
when he is in the City, he may  
favor us with one of his interesting



addresses. =

Now as far as any aid we  
might extend to the Lincoln  
Memorial University, I regret to  
say we have a mortgage debt  
upon our church of \$75000, which  
it will be necessary to remove,  
or at best considerably reduce, at  
once, to insure a successful con-  
tinuance of the church. Efforts  
are now being made to do this,  
and you can readily see that  
it would be impossible to raise  
the \$50 or \$100 towards the expenses  
of the worthy enterprise you mention.

With kind regards to them  
I remain,

Very truly yours,  
George W. Mindel.



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4/14/02.

Major-General O.O.Howard,

Cumberland Gap, Tenn.

Dear Gen. Howard:

In response to your favor of April 12th we are  
sending, without any charge, copies of each of your books to  
the Lincoln Memorial University.

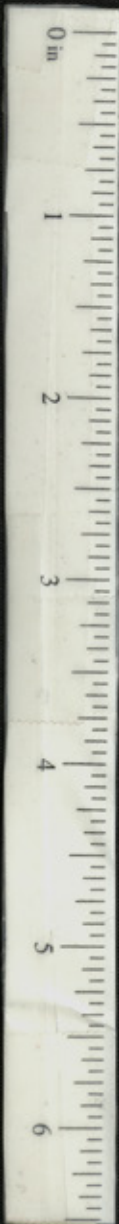
Very truly yours,

Lee and Shepard.

W. F. Gregory



For file





GIRL INDUSTRIAL HOME  
GRAND MEMORIAL  
CUMBERLAND - TENN.

4 - 14 - 02

Friend C. C. Howard

My Dear Sir & Son.

As I go to the Cafe

Early this A.M. I will return by 10 o'clock.

Should you or your friends desire to  
go to Solomon's care this P.M. soon after 2  
P.M. kindly let the bearer know that I  
may stop by Mr. Eager this afternoon.

Very  
Yours

F. E. Skelton



For File





GEORGE E. WORTHEN, ADJUTANT.

CHARLES COWLEY, COMMANDER.

CHARLES A. DONAGHUE, QUARTERMASTER.

HEADQUARTERS

## B. F. Butler Post, 42

DEPARTMENT OF MASSACHUSETTS, G. A. R.

Lowell, Mass., April 15, 1902.

Major General Oliver O. Howard,

Dear Sir:— Since you spoke of Willie Hardie's death in your last address in this city, it has haunted me so that I want to mention it in my forthcoming book on the military and naval operations on the coasts of Carolina, Georgia and Florida, 1861-'65. If you please, I should like a copy of Gen. Stephen H. Lee's note to you. What house was it, and where was it, which he wished you to protect? What wound did the bay receive? and when did he die? I heard (perhaps from a Confederate source,) that you called on the bay, prayed with him, and comforted him, and sent his body by flag of truce to his father. Is all this true? If so, then, truly, war has its moments, as well as its horrors.

Sincerely Yours, Charles Cowley.



J. L.

Was not Bentonville the first  
battle in which Willie fought?

Can you give me the p.o.  
address of the widow or  
any child or other relative  
of Major General J. D. Hower?  
He was born in Lowell,  
and was in the march  
to the sea and through the  
Carolinas.

The enclosed card shows  
Fort Sumter as it now is.

Mr. H. John was once the Mills  
House, the headquarters of  
Gen. R. E. Lee.



but I still feel dazed  
& unable to decide  
what is the best  
I am just drifting  
along - I have often  
thought of you in  
your sorrow and  
wished that I could  
have done something  
for you. I was going  
to Mrs. of Grace's box.  
To give her my love  
& sympathy when you  
write - With a  
great deal of love  
back to you

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The glim in the  
April 16<sup>th</sup> / 1902  
My dear Gen. Howard,  
I must tell you  
how much I appreciate  
hearing from you. And  
I wish that I could tell  
you that I had a home,  
and could invite you  
all to come and see  
me, for I love, and am  
interested in each and  
all of you. I was  
so glad to hear of  
your daughter's birth.

My sincere  
affectionately  
yours  
J. L. J. J. J.



I should love to see them  
I can hardly realize  
that they are old enough  
to go to boarding school.  
After our game sorrow  
I brought the three  
youngest children  
down here on a farm,  
ten miles from Warren  
to. The people are kind  
and good to us, & the  
season I came was beautiful  
it was an easy, pleasant  
place, and I thought  
I would be willing to  
stay until I could get  
a little to head before  
doing anything else.

Bishop. I feel the many kind wishes  
 which you & Mr. Nichols have for the  
 College, and my personal hope, one of my  
 friends is interested in the Phys.  
 and High School near West Cambridge  
 and my other friends are with a  
 new school near the city. I feel  
 that I shall be able to make  
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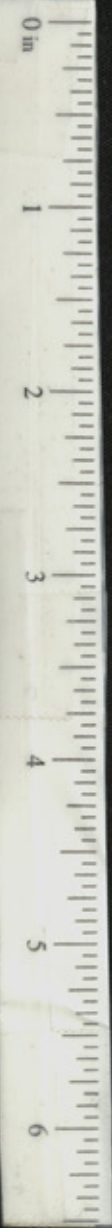
Chicago, Apr. 17, 1902.

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

My dear brother:-

I am just back from Florida, and I feel anxious to know if you have heard anything from the Secretary of the Interior concerning your request for an appeal. Did you get my letter sent in care of James? This contained a letter addressed to the Secretary, and prepared for your signature, and also a letter to the Senate Committee to be sent to Senator Mason, together with copies of 9 affidavits. All but two of the latter were new ones. I have still another affidavit from Dr. D. R. Brower, who is a celebrated physician of Chicago, and a member of the Loyal Legion. He had never before given me a statement; but this time he has taken oath to his treatment, and stated that the disease which caused the deafness caused the later illness, and his death. Dr. Brower is highly respected by the medical profession throughout the country, and is a specialist in brain and nervous diseases. I intimated to you his reason for not giving an affidavit before, but this time he examined the certificate given by the surgeon of Capt. Wilson's regiment at the time of his illness, and after he saw that the Captain had had a very severe case of typhoid fever after the battle of Pea Ridge, he concluded that the deafness and head trouble and the whole impairment of the nervous system was traceable to that. This was always my contention, and when Dr. Brower got the facts clearly before him, he deemed that terrible illness a sufficient explanation for the deafness. This conclusion by so eminent an authority was a great relief and gratification to me.





THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
IN SENATE  
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Gen. O. O. H.

He had the care of Capt. Wilson at one time, and his prescriptions were followed for some time afterward, Mrs. Wilson tells me, usually with good effect in the way of palliation of the bad symptoms, but never resulting in any permanent or substantial benefit.

If you see fit, you may make use of the facts and even of the language used by Dr. Brower in another letter to the secretary, simply intended to call his attention to the fact that I have an entirely new affidavit not mentioned in your former letter, and so urge him to consider an appeal.

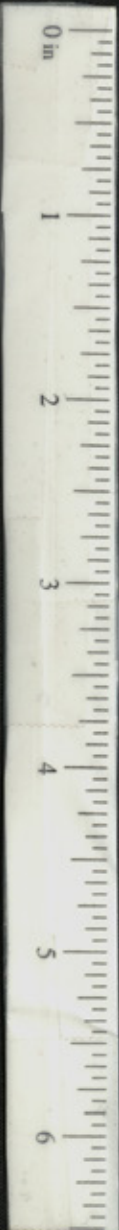
Now that there is a new Commissioner of Pensions <sup>there</sup> will be still another excuse for gaining a new chance for the widow, and by it submit to an entirely new tribunal some eight new affidavits,

Affectionately your brother,

C. H. Howard, per,

J.M.F.







when I sent my card  
and we talked the  
matter over and General  
you know my dear  
husband as well I am  
sure a few words from  
you would be of great  
assistance and anything  
you can do will be  
greatly appreciated by me.

Yours Respectfully

B. S. Miner.

April 20<sup>th</sup> 1962

The Mayor

Dear Sir.

Dear General Howard  
I enclose a list  
which has been referred  
to Senator Wetmore Chair  
man of the Committee  
on Library. He told me  
there would be only one  
objection to the passage  
of bill. not wishing  
to establish a precedence  
but I think it a wise  
measure as there are so

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few of our Generals whose names are  
unmarked and men of Congress  
should appropriate a thousand  
dollars or more to erect monu-  
ments to their memories they  
would not miss it and it need  
be but a very small recognition  
of the service <sup>which</sup> they rendered their  
country. The General has been  
dead for thirty two years and  
before I die I want to see some-  
thing to mark his resting place.  
It would have been done years  
ago but I have never had the  
means to do it with as I have  
nothing in the world to depend  
upon but my penance. General  
Dodge was with Senator Webster