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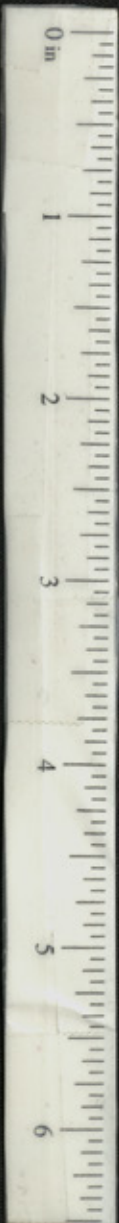
My dear General Howard:

I want to  
thank you for dropping in here  
as you did the other day with Mr.  
Seligman, and I want to repeat  
that I am much interested in your  
brief articles of reminiscences  
of some of the leading characters  
of the war whom you knew, like  
Lincoln, Lee and others. When  
can I have a glimpse of some  
manuscript from you in this line?

Yours sincerely,

*R. W. Gilder*

General O. O. Howard.



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General O. O. Howard



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House of Representatives,  
Committee on  
Expenditures in the Department of Commerce and Labor,  
Washington.

January 11th, 1906.

Dear General Howard:-

My resolution regarding the medals has been referred to the War Department. It is the usual procedure, and I would suggest that you write the Secretary of War, enclosing a copy of the resolution, and explaining its purpose, and the interest of the old soldier in it. I can see no objection to it, and if the War Department sees no objection I am sure we shall get favorable action in the near future.

With personal regards, I am,

Very sincerely yours,

*D. J. Foster.*

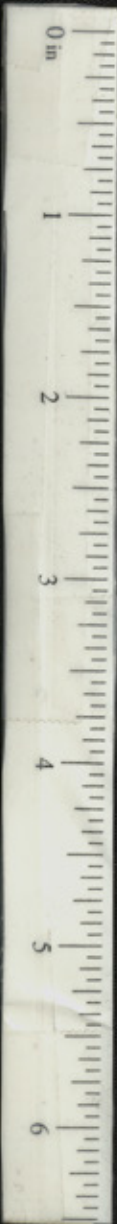
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Experiments in the treatment of gonorrhea and syphilis  
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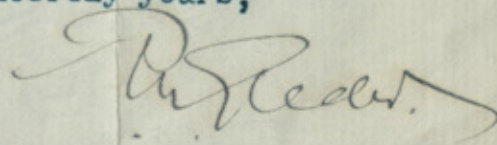
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General O. O. Howard,  
Burlington, Vermont

My dear General:

With regard to the little sketches sent in, we like them, but are a little bit disappointed in some of them from the lack of more personal contact with the subjects. With regard to the Lincoln sketch, we fear it would be necessary to omit the story that Sickles told you, because there is some talk of our printing that from his own hand. This has already been before us, and we hope to do so. You speak of a sketch of General Sickles himself. We should like very much to see that, and the other sketches you have in mind.

Sincerely yours,





Attended to

January 20, 1908.

General O. O. Howard,  
Burlington, Vermont

My dear General:

With regard to the little sketch-  
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be necessary to omit the story that Stickles told  
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a sketch of General Stickles himself. We should  
like very much to see that, and the other sketch-  
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Sincerely yours,

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January 27, 1906.

Dear General Howard:

Many thanks  
for the additional incident with  
regard to Lincoln, which has been  
placed with the manuscript.

Sincerely yours,

*R. W. Gilder*

General O. O. Howard,  
Burlington, Vermont.



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United States Senate,

COMMITTEE ON IMMIGRATION,  
WASHINGTON, D.C.

February 5th, 1906.

General O. O. Howard,

Mills Bldg., 9th Fl., Room 11.

New York City, N. Y.

My dear General,-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your note relating to the Canaan Postoffice and hasten to say in reply that you have done precisely the right thing in calling it to the attention of Representative Haskins, as the appointment lies wholly with him. It will, however, give me pleasure to speak to him of the matter.

Sincerely yours,

*H. Dillingham*



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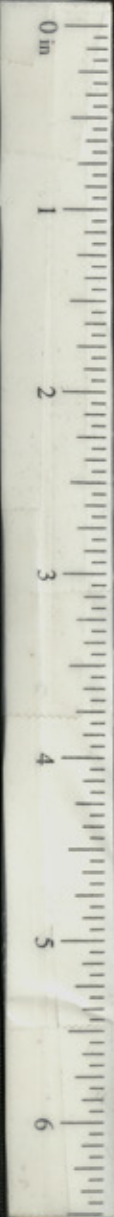
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ISAAC GUGGENHEIM  
71 BROADWAY  
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February 5th, 1906.

General O. O. Howard,  
Mills Building, 9th floor,  
NEW YORK CITY.

Dear Sir:

I beg to acknowledge receipt of  
your kind favor of 2nd inst. regarding the  
Lincoln Memorial University at Cumberland  
Gap, Tennessee.

The calls upon me for different  
charities are so great, that I beg you will  
excuse me from contributing in this direc-  
tion.

Yours very truly,

Isaac Guggenheim  
for Allen



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Dear Sir:

General O. O. Howard,  
Mills Building, 9th floor,  
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February 8th, 1906.

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G. P. PUTNAM'S SONS  
27 & 29 WEST 23<sup>RD</sup> STREET  
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24 BEDFORD STREET, STRAND,  
LONDON.

February 13, 1906.

Dear General Howard:

I find that the various associations, committees, and causes in which I have already assumed responsibility have absorbed all the money I have available (and rather more than I properly had available) for public purposes.

I shall be ready to make a contribution of, say, twenty-five volumes for the Library of Lincoln University, in case you advise me that books can be utilized, and will tell me at what point the package should be delivered.

I am honored by being included (although without due foundation) among the "alumni" of Bowdoin College.

With best wishes for the success of

your undertaking, I am

Yours faithfully,

*Geo. Harvey Putnam*

General O. O. Howard,  
Mills Bldg., Room 10,  
City.

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PROCTOR, VT., February 19, 1906.

Major General O. O. Howard,  
Burlington, Vt.

Dear Mr. Howard :

Our eldest daughter has been in Miss Masters' school at Dobbs Ferry for the past three years. We expect her to complete her work there the coming Summer and desire to put her in a school in Boston for a year or two. We have been looking up the Commonwealth Avenue School, conducted by Miss Gilman and Miss Guild. I see your name among the references. I should appreciate it very much if you would write me what you think of the school for a girl nineteen years old. She would be a boarding scholar.

Very truly yours,

*J. A. Proctor*



February 12, 1908.

Major General O. Howard,

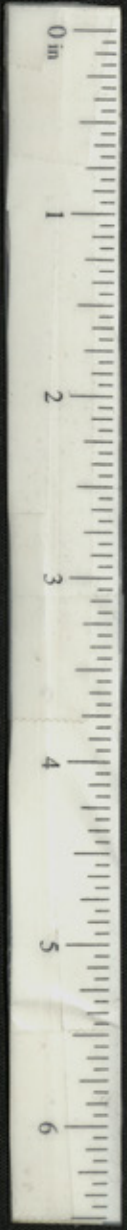
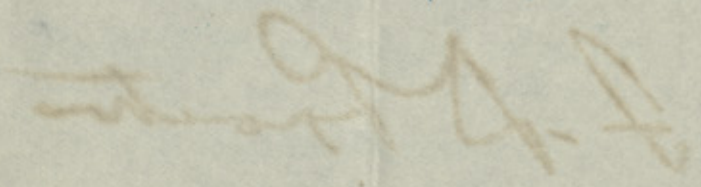
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Howard:

Our eldest daughter, Miss Helen Howard, is now attending school at Johns Hopkins for the past three years. We expect her to complete her work there this coming summer and then to go to a school in Europe for a year or two. We have been looking up the German-Swiss Lyceum School, conducted by Miss Eiden and Miss Gaild. I am very much interested in it. I would appreciate it very much if you could write me what you think of the school for a girl.

Sincerely yours,

Very truly yours,

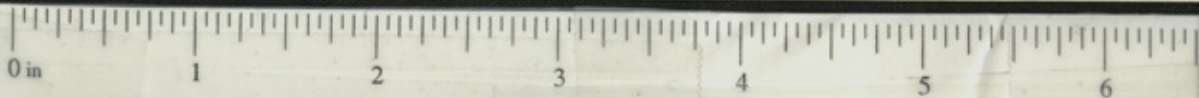




275 College Street.  
Burlington, Vermont.

Dear General Howard:

Your stirring  
description of the battle  
and especially one suggestion  
you gave that evening has  
inspired these lines. Please  
attribute to poetic license  
any discrepancies which  
may occur such as the  
"golden hair" of the

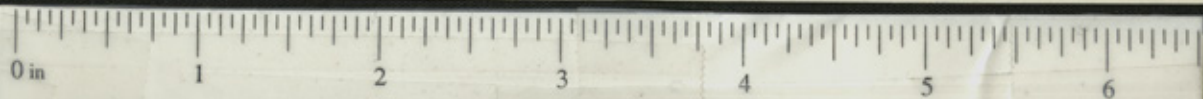


maiden and her white gown  
of which I have no certain  
evidence.

The poem is a slight  
but sincere tribute to "the  
gallant leader of Cemetery  
Ridge."

Very sincerely your friend  
Theodora Agnes Peck.

February 26, 1906.

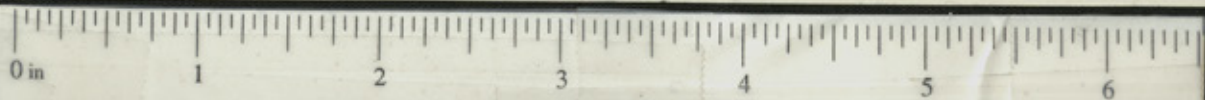




Pressing onward, pressing upward, to defend the menaced border,<sup>2.</sup>  
Where their blood should flow more crimson than the crimson of  
the bar!

At a gate a maiden lingered, down the dusty highway  
gazing,  
Saw the lifted banner glowing, saw the gleam of shining steel,  
And she leaped across the gateway, and her snowy kerchief  
raising,  
Waved it with her young heart leaping, beating high with  
ardent zeal.

Golden-haired among the maples, like a fair-faced flower<sup>3.</sup>  
tossing,  
Isleing hither through the meadow-land beneath the  
tempest's breath,  
So she waved her snowy banner, while she watched the army  
crossing,  
Crossing through the peaceful valley to those sunny hills  
of death.



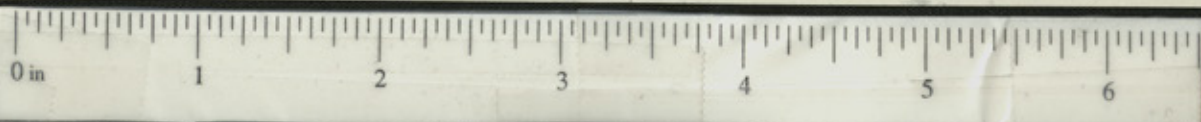


Brave young eyes met hers in greeting, gray-haired men<sup>4.</sup>  
their heads bent low,  
And the gallant leader, smiling, watched her with his eyes  
alight,  
Till the long blue lines swept onward like a torrent's  
ebb and flow,  
And her white-clad figure vanished like an angel from  
their sight.

### Gettysburg

This incident of the Battle of Gettysburg was related  
by General Oliver Otis Howard, the gallant commander of  
Cemetery Ridge, to whom this poem is dedicated with the  
sincere admiration of the author.

From the sun-baked Southern valley marched the war-worn  
hosts in order,  
With their splendid flags above them, stained with battle,  
lit with stars;





Though the armies long have vanished, deem ye not  
     the field forsaken,  
 Though the guns are mute forever, and the sword hangs  
     lone and still,  
 Though they sleep in graves unnumbered, yet their spirits  
     shall awaken,  
 And the mantle of remembrance folds in splendor  
     all the hill!

By Theodora Agnes Pack.

Ah, there on yonder sunset hills the North and South  
     are fighting,  
 And souls are passing forth to God through mortal  
     strife and pain,  
 For yonder speaks the iron Death, the fair young summer  
     blighting,  
 And the harvest fields are garnered with the garner  
     of the slain.





The shells like fiery javelins wound the valley with their scars,<sup>6.</sup>  
For upon yon hill of sorrow has the fearful storm had birth,  
And the men are falling, falling, hosts unnumbered as the stars,  
For the friend of War possesses the sweet Paradise of earth.

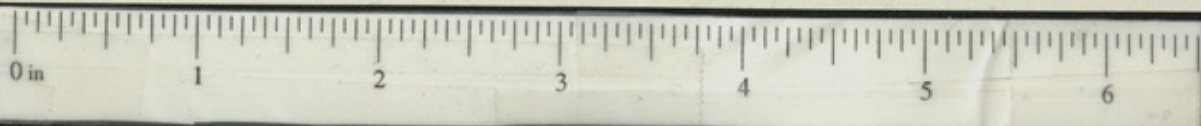
+ Cemetery Ridge, commanded by General Howard, where  
the first day's fighting raged as fiercely, on July 1, 1863.

Come, O Night, and afread thy shadow, light thy candles<sup>7.</sup>  
o'er the sod,

Still the anguish and the aching, breathe the message  
of release,

Light the spirits of the martyrs who have heard the trump  
of God,

Trod the short, sharp road to glory, won the endless  
camp of peace!





United States Senate,

WASHINGTON, D.C.

March 26, 1906.

Dear General Howard:

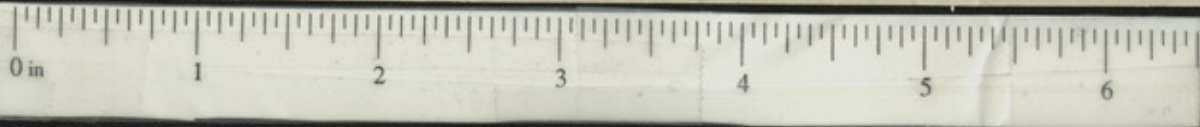
I have, as you know, introduced an amendment to the army bill to put you on the retired list as a lieutenant general. At the same time the House is abolishing that office, and I fear it may be difficult to get the measure through, but will do the best I can.

Have prepared a brief on it and submitted to the Committee on Military Affairs, and have been before the Committee.

Very truly yours,

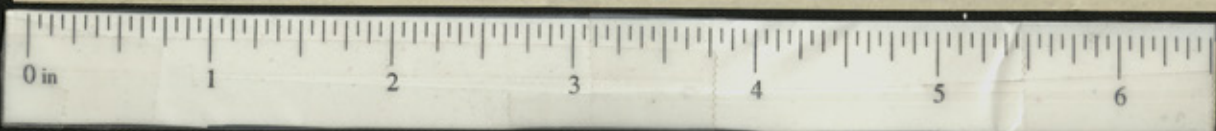
*Reuben Proctor*

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





George Washington



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Gen. O. O. Howard,  
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Dear Sir;†

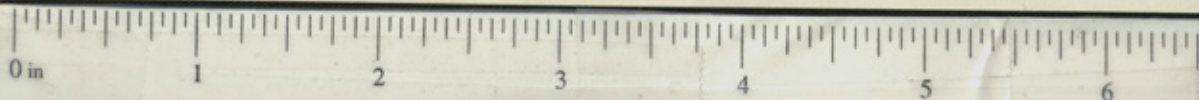
Confirming my promise to you while riding to  
Essex Jct. in the cars some time since I now enclose  
check for \$25 to be used for your work.

With kind regards, I am,

Yours respectfully,

Dic. C. P. S.

*C. P. Smith*





April 8, 1903.

Gen. O. C. Howard,

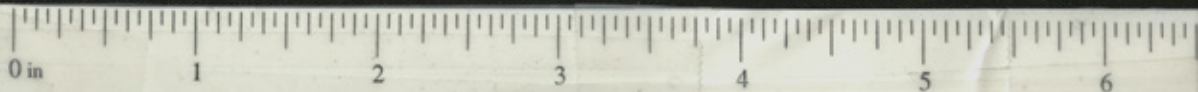
City.

Dear Sir:-

Continuing my promise to you with regard to  
the matter of the same time since I have enclosed  
check for \$50.00 to be used for your work.  
Very kind regards, I am,

Yours respectfully,

W. C. Howard.



N.Y. office  
Apr 230 1906

Dear Harry

Have sent the receipts  
for signing them.

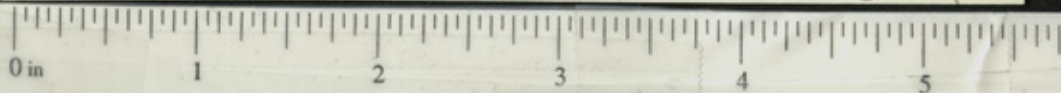
Have just finished the  
first of the series of five  
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can't go. Seligman says  
yes, & will go because I  
love you. His symphony

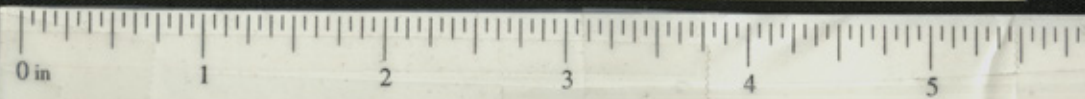
anniversary (a tribute  
in part to Rachmaninoff)  
as good as good could be -  
Mette loved. am very well -  
& attended the funeral of

Henry Wood & Beecher Howard. He was  
greatly beloved - the old time's for good -

give him to call - soon.







WAR DEPARTMENT,  
VICKSBURG NATIONAL MILITARY PARK COMMISSION,  
VICKSBURG, MISS.

June 18, 1906.

Gen. O. O. Howard,  
New York City, N. Y.

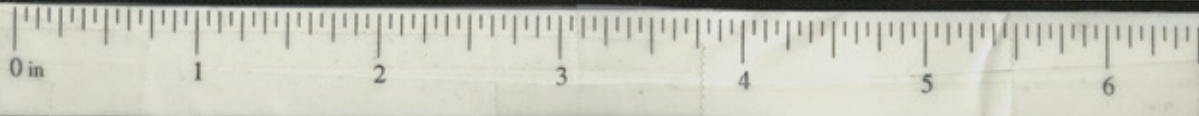
My dear Gen. Howard:-

I write to thank you for your prompt reply in identifying me as your class-mate, and as Lieutenant in the 4th United States Artillery, in the Florida war, against "Billy Bow-legs."

I hope you are well, and that our Heavenly Father will hold you tenderly in the hollow of his hand for the balance of your days. Sincerely,

Your class-mate and friend,

*Stephen D. Lee*





June 18, 1906.

Gen. O. O. Howard,  
New York City, N. Y.

My dear Gen. Howard:-

I write to thank you for your prompt reply in identifying me as your class-mate, and as Lieutenant in the 4th United States Artillery, in the Florida war, against "Billy Bow-Jones." I hope you are well, and that our Heavenly Father will hold you tenderly in the hollow of his hand for the balance of your days. Sincerely,

Your class-mate and friend,

