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BURLINGTON, VT., January 2, 1908.

Hon. W. Murray Crane,  
U.S. Senator,  
Washington, D.C.

Dear Senator Crane:-

I want to commend to you Dr. J.S. Wright, M.D.  
He did most faithful service in the Army as hospital steward and  
in other capacities. At one time he was attached to my clerical  
force in Washington, where he gave special satisfaction for his  
efficiency; and was <sup>subsequent to that work</sup> a surgeon attached to a hospital. He was crip-  
pled in his usefulness by the loss of his arm. He will give you  
a clear cut transcript of his record.

I recommend him to your kindly attention and favor. He will  
explain to you why a special act of Congress may be necessary to  
give him a reasonable pension <sup>recorded to</sup> to his rank and service.

With <sup>every</sup> consideration and regard, I remain,

Very sincerely your friend,

O. O. Howard  
Maj. Gen & U.S. Army

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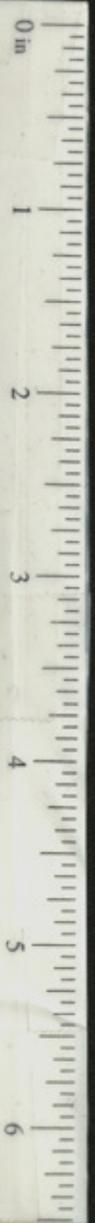
U.S. Senator,

Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 27th inst. in relation to the bonds of the U.S. Government, and in reply to inform you that the same have been forwarded to the proper authorities for their consideration. It is to be regretted that the same have not yet been returned to you, but it is expected that they will be so in a few days.

I am, Sir, very respectfully,  
Your obedient servant,  
John D. Long, Secretary of the Treasury.



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OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY.

EAST NORTHFIELD, MASS., January 6, 1908.

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

My dear General Howard:

Thank you very much indeed for your kind letter. I have not yet seen a copy of the book which you have recently brought out, but I shall certainly be very much interested in reading it, and will do so at an early date.

My wife joins me in cordial regards and best wishes for a Happy New Year.

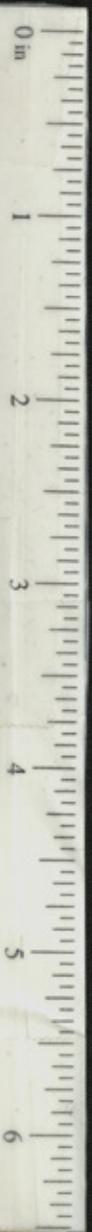
Very sincerely yours,

*D. L. Moody*

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JOSEPH H. CHOATE  
JOSEPH H. CHOATE, JR.  
60 WALL STREET  
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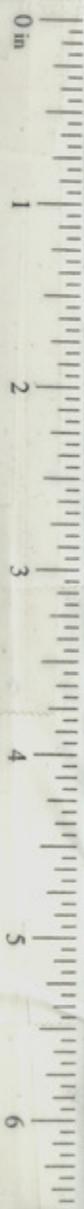
My dear Gen. Howard:

I was perfectly delighted to get your note of January 4, stating that the meeting for the Lincoln Memorial University at Carnegie Hall on the evening of Lincoln's Birthday, at which I was to preside, was given up. The number of such occasions now is overwhelming.

Yours very truly,

*Joseph H. Choate*

Gen. Oliver Otis Howard,  
Burlington, Vermont.





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.....January 9, 1908.

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Burlington, Vt.

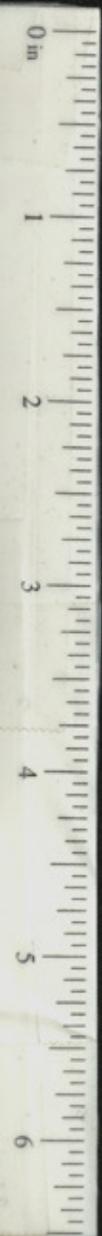
Dear General Howard:

I am very glad that you can come to our meeting on January 20th at 2 P.M. The meeting is one of the most important that we have ever held. Matters involving half a million dollars for the college come up for action.

I have just made arrangements at the office of the Treasurer to have all your expenses paid. If by any possibility anything should prevent your coming, please telegraph me. We count absolutely on your presence to make a quorum.

Faithfully yours,

*Wm. D. W. Hyde*



ROYAL COLLEGE



THE UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO

United States Circuit Court,  
District of Oregon.  
J. A. Sladen, Clerk.  
Portland, Oregon.

Portland, Oregon, January 10, 1908.

General Oliver O. Howard, U. S. Army.  
Burlington, Vermont.

My dear General:

It was very good of you to think of us on New years day, and to write me your first letter in the new year. And it is good to hear from you, and of all your immediate family, who are all very dear to us. Sorry to hear of sickness, but in that severe winter climate you must expect attacks to penetrate your armour of resistance. You should have made your home in this section, where people live forever or until they dry up and blow away.

However, you seem to have held your own individually, and I see nothing in the way of abatement of the vigor that used to wear us younger ones out many years ago.

I have had great pleasure in reading your Autobiography, much of which was familiar to me, but it revived old memories wonderfully, and brought back to my mind much that had got lost in the labrynth of recollections. I am glad you wrote it. You have said much of myself that is not deserved, but it is none the less pleasant to read. It will always be a comfort to me to have it by me, and has proved already an encyclopoedia to me of our national history.

You wrote it in an admirable Christian <sup>spirit</sup> for I wondered at the mildness of much of your criticism, and the tender manner in which you handled many who deserved stronger language. Hooker, for instance, and the Chancellorville affair, and you even speak most kindly of that rascal Miles. But, on the whole, you have done well to deal with them as you have, for you have entirely disarmed hostile criticism.

I saw and read the Pacific Monthly article to which you refer. I do not know the writer, but of this you may rest assured, that the older officers of the army, and old residents of the Pacific coast, know the true facts in that case, and the younger generation who become familiar <sup>with the</sup> campaigns, all have a proper appreciation of your management of the Nez perces campaign. I have heard young officers of the army, who have studied ~~the campaigns~~, speak in great admiration of that wonderful campaign.

It is more than a month ago that I ordered your other work, on the "Hostile Indians", thourhg Gill & Co. here, but have not yet received it. I have harried them about it again, that they may hurry the matter, but I suspect that its being a subscription work has delayed their getting me a copy.

I have not been able to find Mrs. A. Louise Ackerson, for whom you sent a letter to my care, though I have diligently enquired of every source, including Wakefield and other old residents. I am keeping it until I see Grace, but she lives off in the country a long ways from town, and the weather has been very stormy for a long time, and so have not seen her or any of the family for weeks.

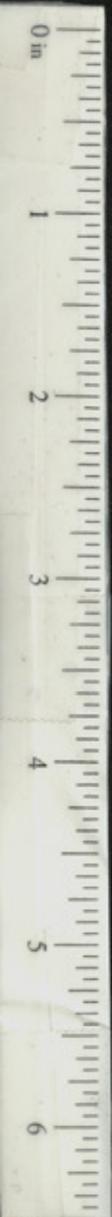
She usually comes in to our house every little while, but I expect the stormy weather has kept her at home, though it is pretty bad weather that will scare Grace out of going anywhere if she wants to go. She has a good deal of her father's disposition in that direction.

Dear General, Mrs. Sladen joins me in love to every one of you, Mrs. Howard, Harry and his good wife, and to your own dear self.

Very sincerely yours,

J. A. Sladen

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General O. O. Howard, LL.D.,  
Burlington, Vermont.

*Brunswick, Maine,*

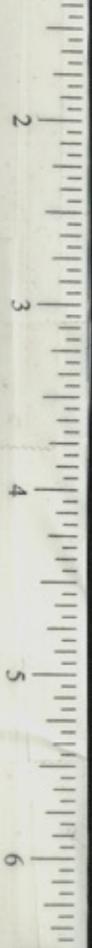
January 14, 1908.

Dear General Howard:

We are counting on your presence to make a quorum  
Monday, January 20th, at 2 P.M. Quorums of both Boards are assured.

Yours very truly,

*Walter Hyde*



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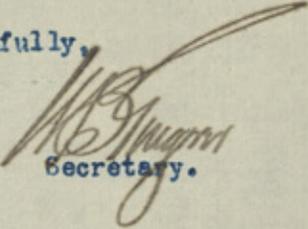
Gen. O. O. Howard,  
BURLINGTON, Vt.

Dear Sir,-

Mr. Johnson has your letter of the 17th  
inst.

He directs me to say in reply he is pleased  
to know you are to speak in Cleveland on the 12th  
prox., and although the demands upon his time are  
just now very great will be glad to see you when in  
the city.

Very respectfully,

  
Secretary.

Jan'y 18, 1868.

Gen. G. O. Howard,  
BURLINGTON, Vt.

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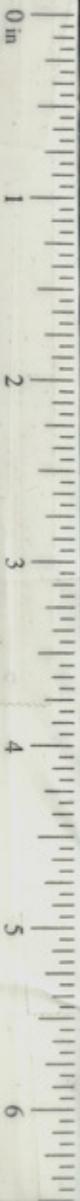
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Very respectfully

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Burlington, Vt., Jan 20, 1908.

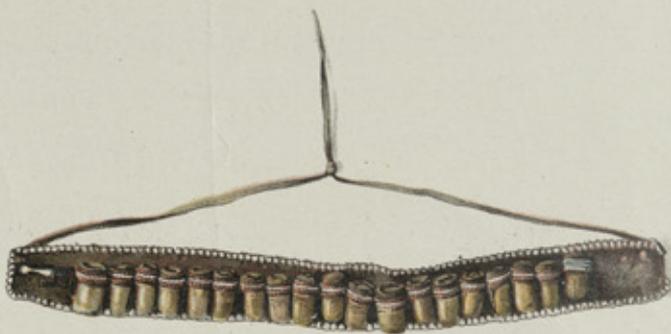
Dear Mr. Worthington:-

I enclose some newspaper comments on my book "My Life and Experiences Among Hostile Indians." My friends without exception pronounce the work of absorbing interest. In it I have endeavored to tell the story of my life and personal experiences among the many Indian tribes with which I came in contact in four Indian wars as military commander, as well as among other tribes with which I had to do in times of peace. These extensive experiences are given with much care in this book and in no other. They are not included in my Autobiography. I excluded them from that work, and by foot notes simply referred the reader to this narrative for an account of my Indian campaigns and experiences.

Very sincerely,

*Q. Q. Howard*

Major-General U.S. Army, Ret.



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*For Description see page 17*

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than we do.

It was so kind of you to send the congratulatory letter, but it was characteristic, - always trying to make others happy.

The information concerning Lincoln Memorial University was cheering. I read your interesting paper in the Mountain Herald, the organ of L.M.U. - my son sends the papers to me as fast as they come to New York.

Prof. Fairchild has written twice & my son writes weekly, sometimes he gives me information about the finances; he told me of the legacy of Ellery Fozman, of \$50,000. What a blessed work is being done in that institution, - great, grand, noble; - its value grows upon us.

We are meeting no Americans, mostly French; a few English. With much respect, Darwin K. James.

Hotel Continental,

Hyères-les-Bains, France, July 22/08.

226 GATES AVE.

BROOKLYN.

General O. O. Howard, }  
New York. } Dear friend,

Your favor of 7<sup>th</sup> inst. was duly received. Your surmise as to the meaning of the expression, "fiftieth anniversary" was correct. If my son had used the words, "Golden Wedding" you would have recognized his meaning at once, you having celebrated the event in your own married life.

How marvelously good our Heavenly Father has been to us to spare his unprofitable servants & grant them so many years of happiness.

This last year has perhaps been the happiest, for we have been constantly together; in the ordinary home life we really see little of each other; we have led such active lives, Mrs. J. - has been away from home

quite a good deal for her great society, the Woman's Board of Home Missions of the Presbyterian Church, - she has been the practical head almost from the first year, - the organization is twenty eight years old, - the first year they gathered five thousand dollars, - for last two years the income has reached over half a million dollars each year.

To keep her going I have had to take her out of the U.S. three times, prior to our present trip, & have left her and the children over here in Europe for a year or more each time, - just to recuperate. - She is too deeply interested in affairs in her own country, to be quiet. She was badly used up when we left on the present trip. She was pushing the fight for the reusacting of Senator Reed Smart & trying to help Senator Dubois of Idaho, this, in addition to the customary duties in connection with the Home Missionary Society.

She is really improving very much this winter & we are now planning to be in New York early in April.

She with three others of the family spent the winter of 1897-8 in Hyères; it is a headquarters for Roses, Violets &c, in the line of flowers, for Paris, London & Berlin, besides the early vegetables sent to Paris. A train leaves each P.M. for the north, largely laden with flowers; it is an interesting neighborhood, historically & physically; we make daily excursions along the tracks, over the hills & through some villages; the Crusaders had a strong fortification upon the hill in our rear; this Hotel is located upon its southerly slope. The Moors were also located here in this part of Southern France as well as in Spain. Probably, however, you know all about the Riviera country better.

EDWIN GINN  
G. A. PLIMPTON  
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Dictated by

E. G.

29 Beacon Street, Boston,

January 22, 1908.

My dear General Howard,

I am reading your autobiography and history of the war with a great deal of interest. The story is told so concisely and so entertainingly.

I want your advice on the establishment of my International School of Peace. I am sending you copies of my address at Lucerne and at the convention last April in New York City. You may already have copies of the former. I am just now giving a great deal of thought to this project of mine and would like all the suggestions you can give me along practical permanent lines. I hope when this school is actually launched that I shall be so fortunate as to secure you as one of my lecturers.

Very sincerely yours,

Edwin Ginn

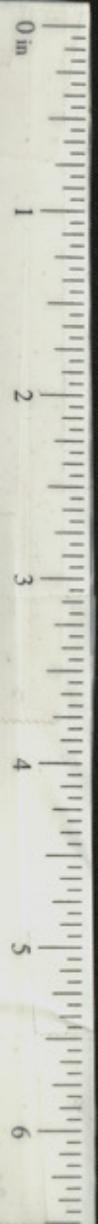
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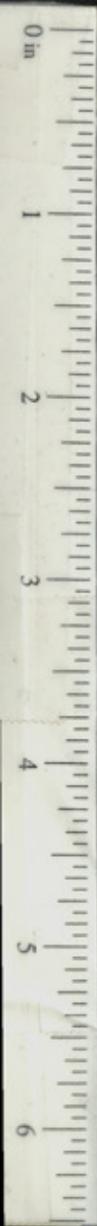
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38 ORMOND PLACE

BROOKLYN, N. Y. *Jan 24* 1908

My dear General Howard,

Your fascinating 'Memories'  
are on my shelves to stay & every word  
I have read with interest & profit. It is  
a soldier's style, simple, direct & telling,  
I will be a treasured Memorial in the days  
ahead. I send you my hearty Congratulations  
they & remain yours ever  
S. Parkes Cadman

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UNITED STATES SENATE.

Washington, D.C., January 25, 1908.

Gen'l Oliver O. Howard,

Burlington, Vt:

My dear General.

I have yours of January 25, with enclosure. I will introduce a bill for the relief of your man but the chances of a favorable report are very small. I presume that there are 5,000 cases now before the Pension committee and they are obliged to scatter their reports trying to deal equitably between the States. Each Senator and Representative cannot expect to have more than a half dozen in the session. I have already presented of the Special Acts fiftyfive or sixty. Compliments of the season to you and yours.

Sincerely,

*Wm. F. Smith*



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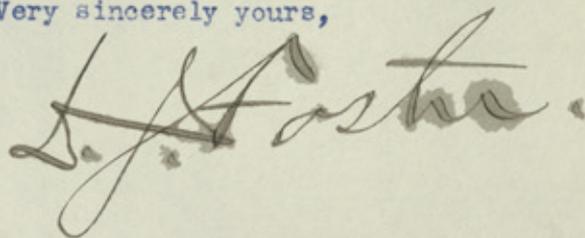
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
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February 6, 1908.

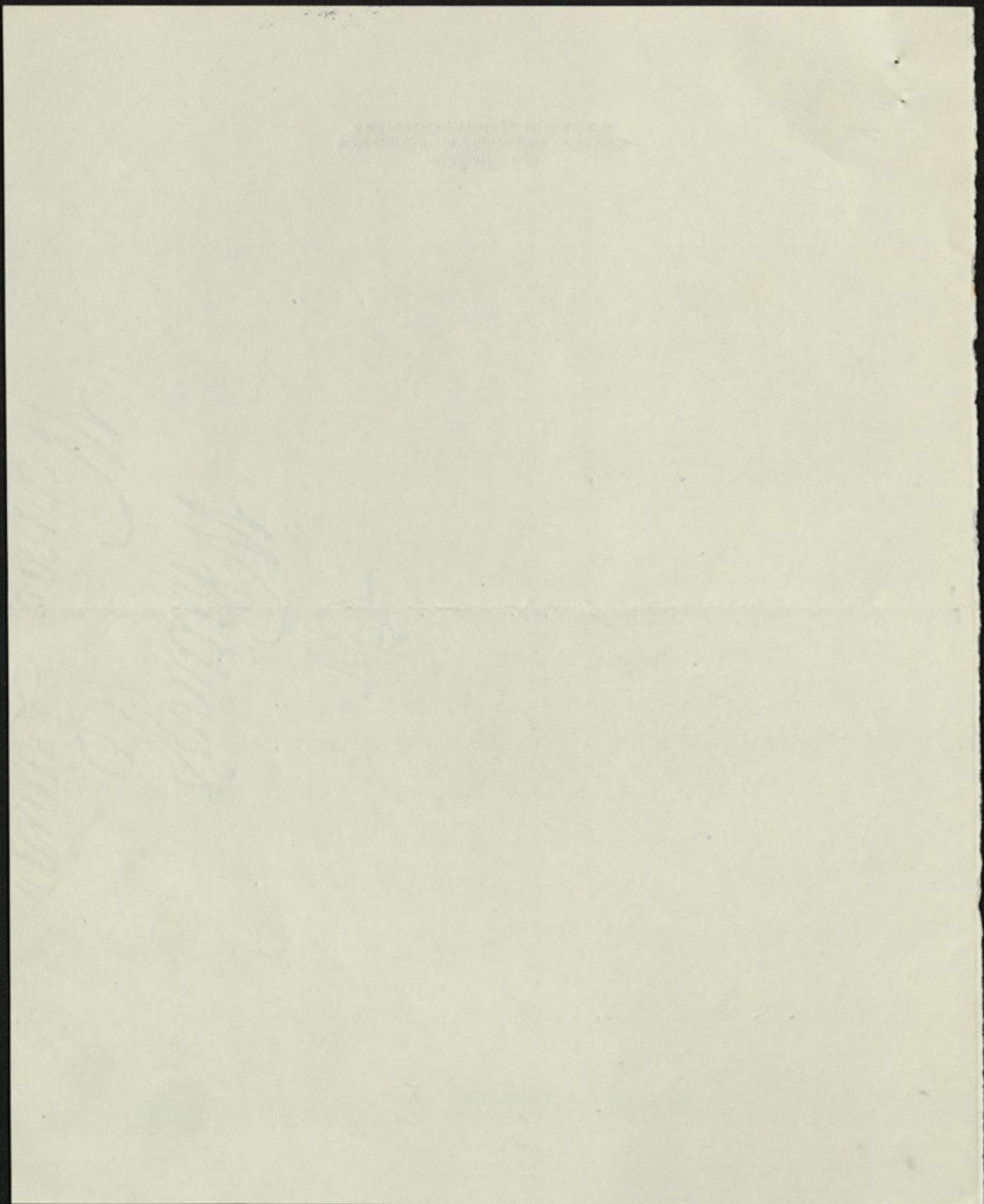
My dear Mr. Howard,

I thank you for your kind letter of the 4th instant with reference to my bill in behalf of your father, General O. O. Howard. I can only hope that we may succeed in getting the bill enacted into law. I am ordering a Congressional Directory sent you. Mistakes sometimes occur in sending out these documents. If you do not receive this book in the course of a few days, write me again.

Very sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "L. A. Foster". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, sweeping flourish at the end.

H. S. Howard, Esq.,  
Burlington,  
Vermont.



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Col. H. P. Kingsbury*

Washington, D. C. Feb. 6, 1908.

Dear Mr. President:-

In accordance with your wish expressed to me this morning, I write you in the interest of the promotion of Colonel H. P. Kingsbury, the Colonel of the 8th United States Cavalry. You will remember that General H. W. Slocum commanded General Sherman's left wing, as I did the right wing in all his operations from Atlanta to the sea and through the Carolinas till after the surrender of Generals Lee and Johnston, - all this in the closing part of the Civil War. Slocum and I were very intimate. Colonel H. P. Kingsbury married his daughter a most worthy child of worthy parents. Kingsbury was for several years on my staff and under my command; in energy and ability he is very like General John Gibbon, a man of great energy and marked ability. I have watched him through his different grades and have always had a good account of him particularly from my son who fell in the Philippines and from General Wotherspoon who served with him in many a campaign. I give him my unqualified approval for promotion to the rank of Brigadier General. If General Slocum were living nothing could gratify him more than this worthy advancement of his son-in-law. But neither General Slocum nor myself would recommend an officer except for qualities adequate to the

Washington, D. C., Feb. 6, 1908.

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rank proposed.

Very respectfully, yaur obedient servant.

*Olin O. Howard*

Major General, U. S. Army.

retired.

Rank proposed.

Very respectfully, your obedient servant.

Major General, U. S. Army.  
Retired.

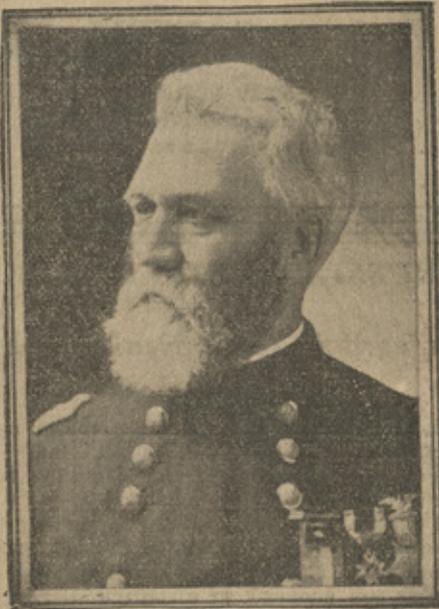


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## VOTES HIGH ARMY RANK

*Senate for O. O. Howard on Retired List as Lieutenant General.*

Washington, Feb. 6.—The Senate passed a bill to-day placing Major General O. O. Howard on the retired list of the army as a lieutenant general. General Howard is the only officer now living who commanded an army during the



**MAJOR GENERAL OLIVER O. HOWARD.**

The Senate yesterday passed a bill placing him on the retired list of the army as a lieutenant general.

Civil War. He also has received the thanks of Congress for meritorious services.

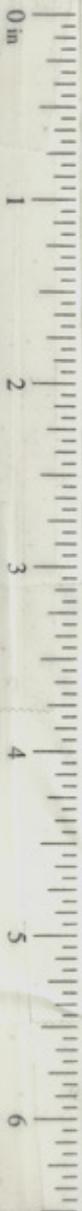
General Oliver Otis Howard is a native of Maine, where he was born in 1830. At the age of twenty he was graduated from Bowdoin College. He then obtained an appointment to the Military Academy at West Point. He was fourth in his class in 1854 and was made a second lieutenant in the ordnance department, seeing his first service at Watervliet, N. Y., and at the Kennebec arsenal, Maine. The next year, with the rank of first lieutenant, he was made acting professor of mathematics at West Point.

When the Civil War broke out he offered his services to his country and went to the front as colonel of the 3d Maine Volunteers. He commanded a brigade in the first battle at Bull Run and was made a brigadier general soon afterward. He took part in many battles, among them being Fair Oaks, Antietam, Gettysburg, Chattanooga and the Atlanta campaign. He was appointed major general of volunteers in 1862 and a brigadier general of the regular army for his work with Sherman in the march to the sea.

After the war he was head of the Freedmen's Bureau for nine years. In 1877 he engaged in Indian fighting, commanding the expedition against the Nez Percés. General Howard was superintendent of the Military Academy at West Point in 1881-'82. He afterward commanded the Department of the Platte, at Omaha; the Department of the Pacific and the Department of the Atlantic. He was retired with the rank of major general in 1894.

General Howard is the founder and now is president of the board of directors of the Lincoln Memorial University, at Cumberland Gap, Tenn. He is the author of a number of books, and recently wrote his war reminiscences. The degree of LL.D. has been conferred on him four times, and the French government made him a Chevalier of Honor in 1884.

*Dear General Howard  
Accept my sincere congratulations  
for an honor richly earned.  
Truly yours  
Wm. S. Johnson*



A few hundred thousand  
 accept my sincere congratulations  
 for an honor richly earned.  
 Truly yours  
 Wm. Brewster

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**RUSSIA AND TURKEY.**

*Engaged in Game Neither Wishes to Push to Limit.*

St. Petersburg, Feb. 6.—The reports of a Turkish mobilization in Armenia and the threatened movements of troops on the Russian-Persian frontier are admitted by the General Staff. It is not known yet whether this action on the part of Turkey is directed against Russia, and measures so far taken by this country are confined to certain precautionary dispositions of units within the Caucasus.

Foreign diplomats here believe that Russia and Turkey are engaged in a game which neither is desirous of carrying to an extreme, although Turkey might be willing to go far, depending on the supposed weakness of Russia because of her quarrel with Austria over the Macedonian question.

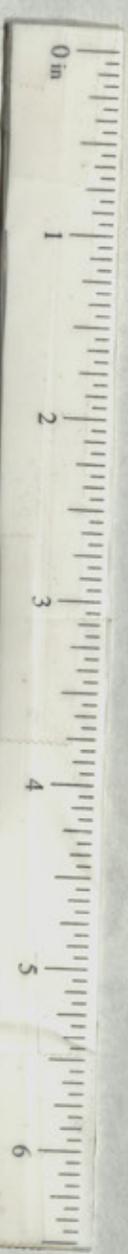
The prestige of M. Iswolsky, the Foreign Minister, has suffered severely on account of the defensive attitude that Russia has been compelled to assume in this matter, Austria's defection over Macedonian railroad construction and the failure to establish stable order in Persia, but the anticipated retirement of the minister is attributed here more to the interior situation than to international influences. The attack on M. Iswolsky is part of a general campaign the Pan-Slavist leaders have been conducting against the government. The Conservatives also are dissatisfied at Russia's failure to play a bigger role in the world's diplomacy, which would turn attention from home troubles.

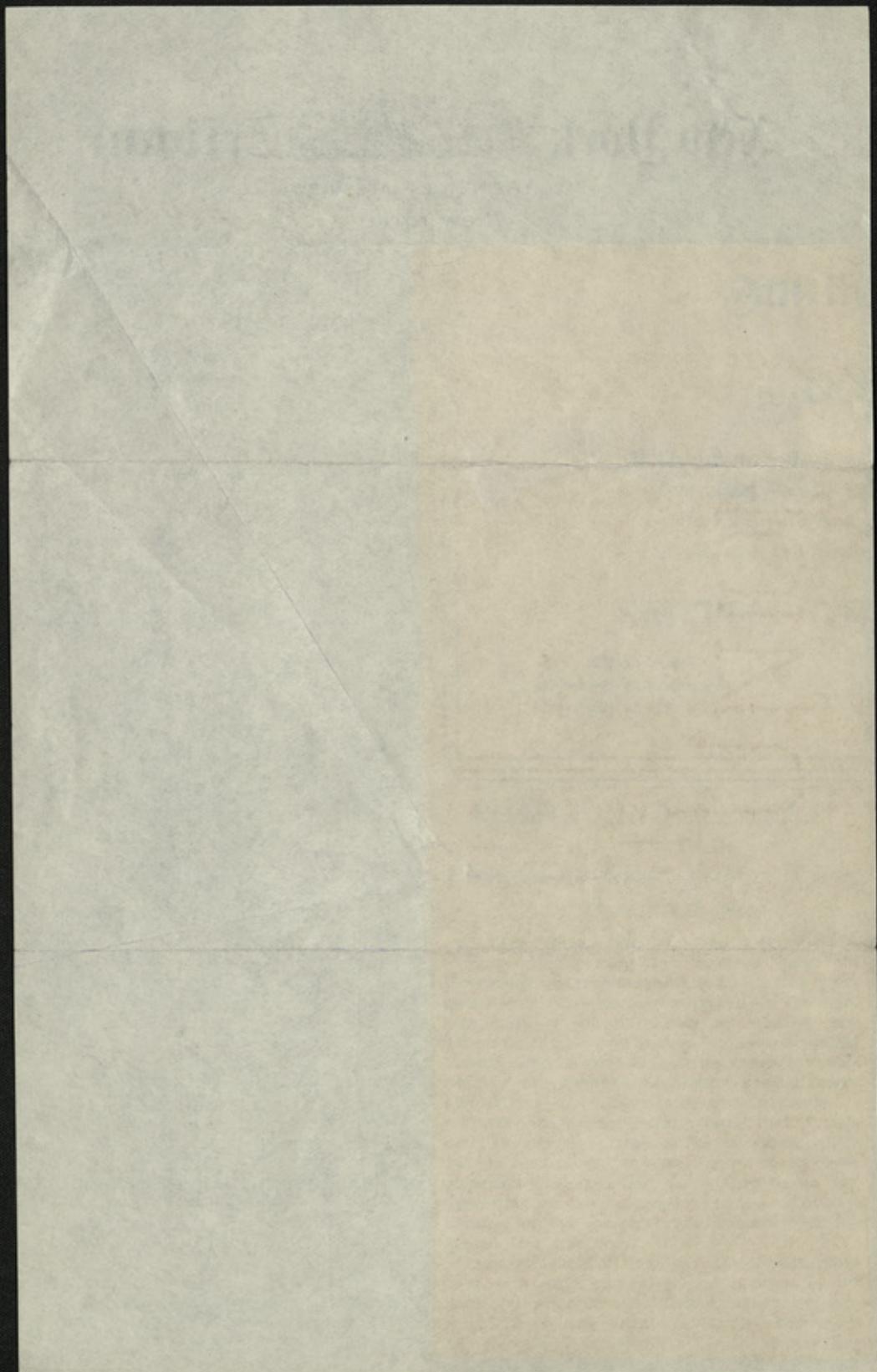
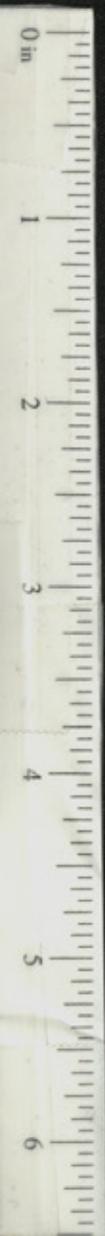
**NO BRITISH WARSHIPS FOR PACIFIC.**

London, Feb. 6.—The Associated Press is officially authorized to declare that there is absolutely no truth in the report telegraphed from Halifax yesterday that the British squadron in the Pacific is to be materially increased. No changes whatever are being made or are contemplated in the China squadron, and the British government has not the slightest intention of replacing the old Pacific fleet, which formerly had its base at Esquimault, B. C., and which is now represented by a solitary sloop of war.

**FEWER GERMAN GOODS COME HERE.**

Berlin, Feb. 6.—The exports to the United States invoiced by Alexander H. Thackara, the American Consul General here, since the beginning of the financial disturbances in America are from 20 to 40 per cent less each month when compared with the corresponding month of the previous year. In December, 1907, they amounted to \$849,133, as compared to \$1,077,479 in December of 1906. For January, 1908, the figures are \$813,886, as compared to \$1,265,354 for January, 1907. For the three months ended Jan-





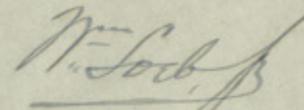
THE WHITE HOUSE  
WASHINGTON

February 7, 1908.

My dear General:

Your letter of the 6th instant, in behalf of Colonel Kingsbury, has been received and laid before Secretary Taft for consideration in connection with previous correspondence sent him, on which he is to send the President a recommendation.

Very truly yours,



Secretary to the President.

Major General Oliver O. Howard, U.S.A. retired,  
156 College Street,  
Burlington, Vermont.

THE WHITE HOUSE  
WASHINGTON

To Mr. [Name]

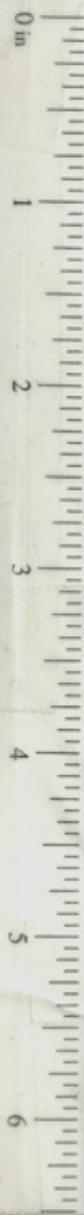
My dear General:  
Your letter of the 10th instant, in relation to

Colonel [Name], was received and has been  
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Very truly yours,

Secretary to the President.

Major General Oliver O. Howard, U.S.A., retired,  
The College Street,  
Burlington, Vermont.



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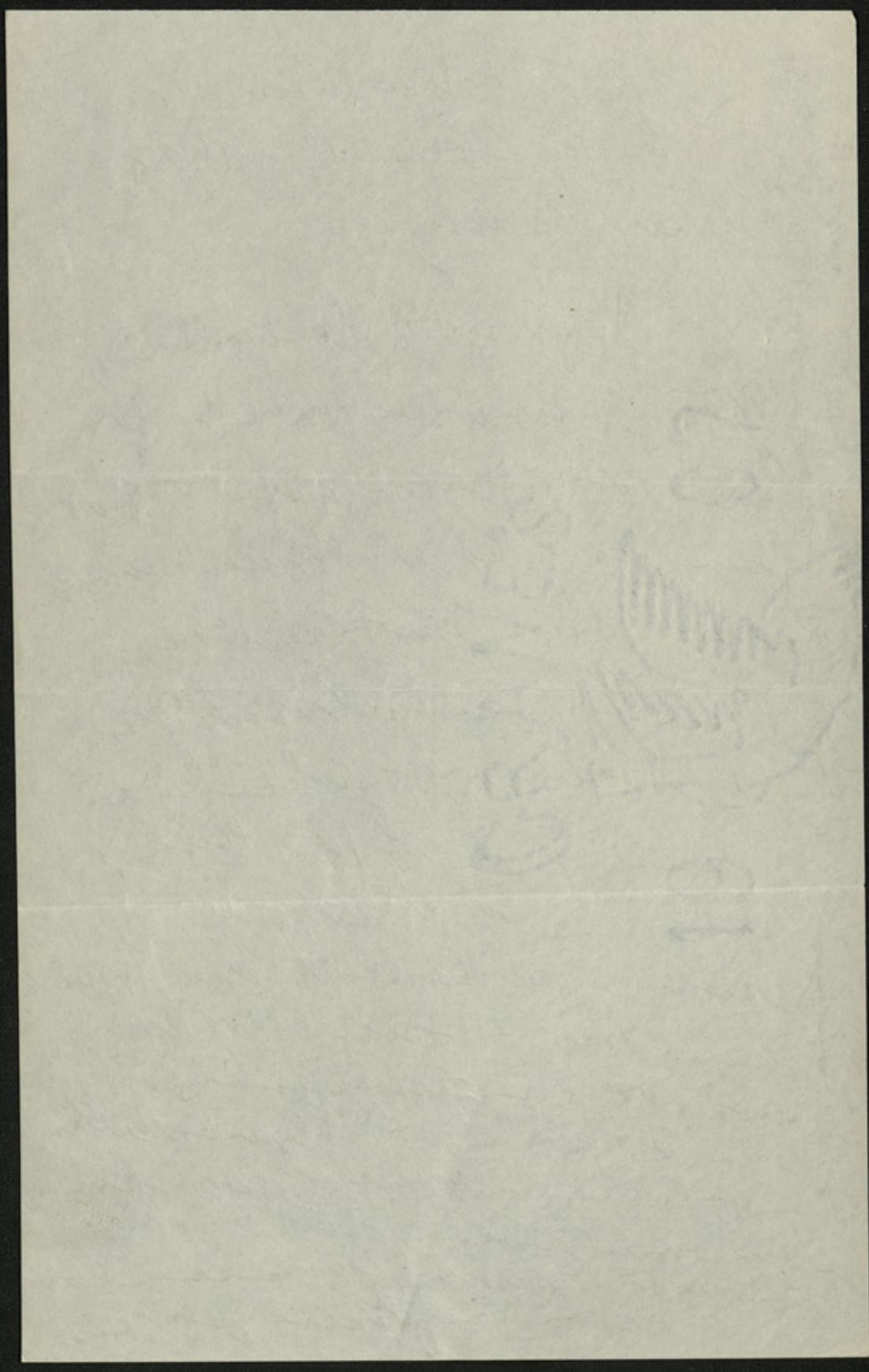
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Cleveland O.  
Feb. 12 1908

Dear Harry:

I forgot to write  
that I drew a check for  
25- at Washington - for  
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after I had met all <sup>demands</sup> <sup>made</sup>  
there. I am grateful  
for Governor Comstock's \$50.  
I shall have \$100 here &  
expenses to New York -  
Several "Scholarships" are <sup>now</sup>  
used. And I have worked  
hard for the university. I  
am to speak at Plymouth Ch.  
for S. T. of Amer. Revolution -  
Tomorrow P. M. I start back  
Gibson to Mammy. See  
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152 College Street

Burlington, Vt. February 13, 1908.

My dear General Howard:

The Ninth Vermont Regiment are to hold a reunion in the hall of Brooks Post, G. A. R., Montpelier, on the afternoon and evening of February 25, and as a member of the executive committee it gives me great pleasure to invite you to be present, and speak to the members of the Association, every one of whom will be delighted to hear a word from the last of the great commanders of the War for the Union.

Should you be unable to attend, and would kindly send me a line to be read at the campfire it would please the comrades exceedingly.

Awaiting your early reply, believe me, with high esteem,

Sincerely your comrade and friend,

*T. S. Peck*

Maj. Gen'l Oliver O. Howard, U.S.A.,

City.

*P.S. on hand*

*Jim you Peck, I will be  
o.o.h.*

*Voila!*

February 23, 1902

Central National Bank  
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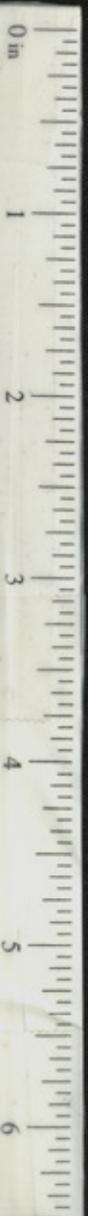
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Dict. to C.  
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14 February 1908

Mt. Oliver Otis Howard,  
Burlington, Vt.

Dear Sir:-

We are now preparing our books for 1908 and I am anxious to make this the best list we have ever issued.

If you have any book mss. not yet placed I should like to have an opportunity to examine it. It doesn't matter what sort of mss. you send, so long as it possesses literary value and "salability"--I know just how difficult a combination this is, but if your opinion and the verdict of my readers agree, I think we will be able to make arrangements that will be entirely satisfactory.

We are just perfecting plans by which our books go on sale the day of publication with several hundred dealers, thus covering the entire country in the most systematic manner possible.

We have laid out a most complete advertising campaign and our own five magazines, each occupying a distinct field, also put us closely in touch with a very large buying public.

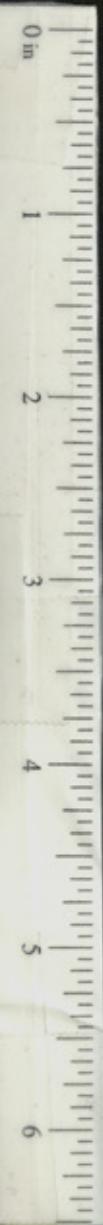
I have gone somewhat into details as I want to enlist your co-operation in building up a list worthy of the "push" we shall put into it.

I trust I may have the pleasure of hearing from you at your earliest convenience.

Faithfully yours,

*Richard G. Badger*

*Read  
Horn at point*



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**Howard University**  
Washington, D. C.

February 25, 1908

My dear Gen. Howard:-

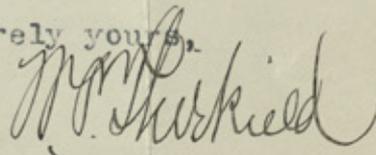
Permit me, with your many friends, to congratulate you on the recent honor bestowed by act of Congress, all of which you so richly deserve. Rest assured that Howard University, which is honored in bearing your name, rejoices in every mark of esteem that comes to you.

Would it not be possible for you to be with us before the end of the year, when we could have a public meeting testifying to the high esteem in which you are held by the students and friends of this University. You will be glad to know of the prosperity of the institution.

With cordial good wishes,

I am,

Sincerely yours,



President.

Gen. C. C. Howard,  
Burlington, Vt.

