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Chicago, Dec 14 1869

Mrs J. C. Stevenson
Galveston Texas.

Dear Brother,

Yours of the 8, is just received and glad that you assisted Genl Davis in the election. We are still uncertain whether he is Governor, but hope so. Please give some definite information on that point. How is it that your tuition fees are so small. Do you receive the $4.00 per month. Would not receipts such as we use in Miss please the pupils and help to make them prompt? In the general absorption in politics, is religion forgotten? Tell me about your S. S. describing minutely some single

Sabbath. Do you have family
prayers at the house?

Please do not rely on
Maj. S. Do all the writing.

I will enclose a draft &
receipts for $50—

Yours truly
O. O. Howard.

per O. O. H.