

HEADQUARTERS OF THE SALVATION ARMY,
101, QUEEN VICTORIA STREET,
LONDON, E.C.

Novemth 16th 1883

Dear Sir Baldwin,

I received your further
letter. I thank you for
your kind help in the
case of Head, you will have
seen from the papers that
we have succeeded in getting
him made a first class
insubordinate, but not, I
am sorry to say until after

a great risk of doing him
harm. It seems to me a
brutal thing to take away
a man's underclothes —
that is, not punishment,
but torture, to which
even the vilest criminals
ought not to be subjected.

As to the private
part of your letter, there
is no doubt substantial
truth in what you have
heard. Head however
did not act in any shape
or form upon evidence

which was not absolutely
verified under his own
eyes. Indeed, it was in
consequence of his intense
desire to see the thing
done actually, that he
got into the Armstrong
difficulty at all.
With kind regards

Believe me
Yours faithfully,
M. Mansel Prouse.

Sir Baldwin Leighton
Lodge Park, Shrewsbury.