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The People's Grocery,

63 West Bay Street,

Jacksonville, Fla. July 8 - 1886

Hon A. G. Curtin - Washington

Dr Sir:-

I addressed you some three weeks ago in the interest of Col McLean of Philada - Late of the 88th P.V., I take the liberty to again appeal to you in the same interest - I have just heard from a comrade that nothing has yet been done for our old Com'dr - Please allow me to call your attention to one little instance, when Lee, invaded Pennsylvania - in 63 - You as Gov. issued a call for all able bodied men to come to Hamsburg, Col McLean was then scarcely able to crawl having been sent home from his old regt the 88th, to die of Typhoid fever, He was just recovering, I was in Philada & recovering from wounds rec'd at Fredericksburg, I went to Col McLeans house talked the thing over with him and the next day we were on our way to Hamsburg - We called on you and he offered his services to you to serve in any capacity, either to shoulder a musket and command a company - I will remember your words to him, You said "Col you can serve me better than that, go down to Philada and bring me

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