

Washington D.C. June 29/89

My Friend Judge Turgei:

As I was reduced from \$1,400 per annum to \$900, and subsequently promoted to \$1,000, under the Cleveland administration, I am now an applicant for reinstatement to my former grade, if not to a higher one in the U.S. Pension Office; therefore I write to ask you to favor me with a letter commending me to the Secretary of the Interior.

I have letters from Congressman Cheatham and Mr. Nichols and others and would be glad to get one from you.

When Mr. Nichols requested my promotion under Genl. Black he referred to your letter now on file and asked him how could he ask to have a protégé of Turgei's promoted under his administration, Mr. N. being then a member of Congress, he promoted me as above stated, notwithstanding that former recommendations do not suffice now, hence this request.

Very Truly Yours
 Osborne Hunt Jr.