

Lowell Mass., Oct. 28/89

Gen'l Green B. Hamer,

Commissioner of Pensions,

Dear Sir:

I have known

Osborne Hunter since 1874, when he came to our town, delivered an address here and was entertained by me. He impressed me then as a very bright and promising young man and my later acquaintance with him convinces me that he is a man of decided ability and high character.

He has been for years an Examiner in the Pension Office and he seeks promotion to the position of Principal Examiner.

I believe that this Republican administration will act wisely, if they recognize our allies by some substantial appointments.

There are some eight millions of colored people in the country and where they are allowed to vote they are Republicans. Here is a colored man eminently qualified for the position he seeks and I bespeak for him your favorable consideration.

Very respectfully

Wm. D. Moore

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Pension