CALUMET PLACE,
WASHINGTON, D.C.

Feb. 20th, 1888.

Mr. A. C. Swanson.

Dear Sir:

I thank you for the badge and wish you to thank those who donated time and labor for the design. Illinois Civil War soldiers can wear that badge with pride. It is not likely such a bio can be
Claimed by many other states in the Union take them all in all. Would it be asking too much if should say I would like to have two of them if you can I will get them for me.

I was much pleased first over the colon of the commencement in org and the generally ornaments. I am so anxious to see them.