

Cincinnati, July 18 1864.

Joseph H. Barrett Esq.

Dear Sir

A few days since Harry Borden called on me with a letter you wrote to J. G. Mitchell - regarding him, and I promised that I would write a line to you in his behalf. Until now the Compensation has been totally inadequate, and Borden has been compelled to do all the work himself - now he has an assistant. He works very hard, I know, and I think he ought, under the increased salary here an opportunity to show what he can do, when assisted. The work has increased as you know, immensely. There are numerous complaints. Many of these are unreasonable - most of them

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I have not yet received your letter of the 14th inst. and the remedy for the latter, and I understand, I will be glad to see you - I expect to see you in a few days. I am very truly  
yours  
Richard Smith