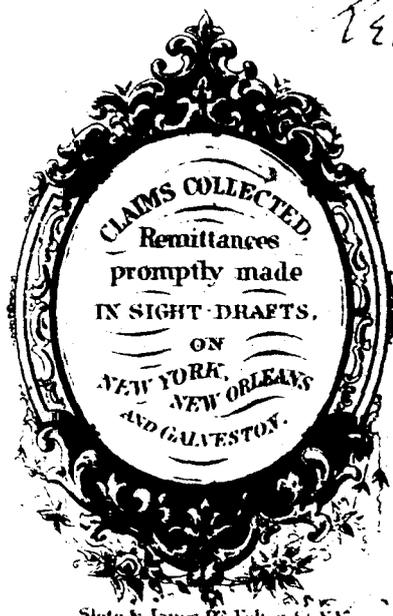


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Oct 14th 1879

Alon A. Blosser, Compt.
Austin

Dear Sir, Enclosed we send applications of Pandora D. H. R. & George W. Petty for Pension under Act to act - the facts of the case was a form of affidavit & it came hard to get him to understand that it was only his certificate of the offer being duly made before him - we trust the people will not be deemed prejudicial to these old Veterans. I propose the offer without charge to them with pleasure & would like to have the proper certificate has trust that will do in these times as the best we can get in that line I have known these applicants since 1839. I have lived in this Co. & I had the donation of R. N. Beck