

Northern Bank of Kentucky,

W. Dent

Lexington, Feb 27 1862.

Provost Marshall of Louisville

Dear Sir

Some Citizens of this and the adjoining Counties, learning that the prisoners taken at Fort Donelson, who went from this section of Kentucky, are badly clothed some being nearly in rags, have got some clothing and desire to send it to them. W. Hart Gibson who will hand you this accompanies the goods to see to the delivery of them to the proper prisoners. I informed him that I did not presume there would be the least difficulty in getting the goods to Indianapolis and to his being there enabled to have them properly delivered. If there are any formalities requisite or any obstacles, will you please let W. Gibson know, and I hope you will do what may be conveniently in your power to facilitate him in accomplishing the humane objects of the contributors.

Respectfully

W. C. Johnson

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