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Brigadier General R. D. Williams, Lexington, Ky.

My dear General:

I know that you will be surprised to hear from me. I reached home about May 8th, and since that time have been very busy on the morning paper here, the Advertiser. I hope you have been well and that you are enjoying life.

I have applied to the Vice Chairman, Executive Committee, The American Red Cross, Washington, for a position in the publicity department of the greater Fed Cross when it is formed after peace is effected. I had a letter owning receipt of my application, but stating they would place my application on file as it is now too early to send men from this country.

I would be glad if you would write them a letter

- one to Mr. Davison if you know him - calling their
attention to my application, and making whatever recommendations you see fit. I remained in Germany with the
Army of Occupation until the Rainbow Division left, then
came on to Paris, stayed there two weeks - until April
14 - and then sailed for New York City. You know, of
course, that my work out there was, first, opening supply
warehouses at Treves, Mayen and Coblenz, after which I