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December, 3 1886: To Lucinda L. Merriss Cornell

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S., West 3,886.

Mrs John Cornell
Westerville Ohio

Madam

Information has reached me that you very likely have a good prospect for a Pension & perhaps some bounty -

If you will enclose to me your husbands discharge or send me a description of his date of enlistment (full name) Co. & Regt. date of death or discharge or both, for what cause, & where he enlisted & where discharged I will send you a blank application for your signature & acknowledgement & will at once forward to Washington D.C. There is no expense to this, until

(over)

Pension is granted, & then the
Pension laws fix my fees, which
can in no case exceed 25\$
If your application fails I lose
my labor

Without permission I refer
as to integrity & perhaps competency
in business affairs to your townsman
Capt. Kellar.

Very Respectfully

John Radbaugh