Boston August 13, 1864

My dear Mrs. Cook,

Please present to the Ladies of the "Soldiers' Aid Society," our sincere thanks, for the box of bandages, received yesterday. Nothing could have been more acceptable; they are faultless, being well rolled, primed and marked.

Although bandages are our chief need, we hesitate to urge them, where we are not sure of their correct manufacture, the number received is therefore, limited while the demand is very great.

The rapid decrease of our funds reminds us of our reliance upon our Friends in the Country to them we must look for our supplies for the present. And have much reason for gratitude in the assurance of their continued favors.

Very truly yours, S. Williams, Ex. Com.