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Sept 14th 1863

Head Quarters 2nd Brig. 1st Division

No. 541
Savannah Ga. & Other Citizens
Selham Tenn.

Complain that a Company
recently organized by Captain
Bivney in Grundy County Tenn.
are harassing without authority
peaceable and quiet citizens &
committing depredations and
outrages upon the citizens

Head Quarters 2nd Brig. 1st Div.
Near Chattanooga Tenn.

Sept 4. 1863.

Respectfully forwarded for the
information of the Genl Comd
the Department

A. D. Wagner

Brig Genl Comd

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Head Qtrs 1st Division

21st A.C. Sept 5th 1863

Respectfully forwarded

-eds- M. J. Moss,
Adjutant
General

Adjutant General

Shellmound Sept 5th 1863

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by L. C. Litteredus
Maj. Genl. Comd.

New Pelham La Sept 21st AD 1863

Genl G D Wagner

Dear Sir we the undersigned Citizens of Grandy County & vicinity of Pelham beg leave to state our grievances (as a people) to you and respectfully ask that you take such steps as you may think the nature of the case and circumstances demand since your departure from this neighborhood the Company recently organized under Capt Brickley have assumed authority to arrest quiet citizens without any charge whatever have taken private property such as young horses and mules (not in any ^{way} suited for the service) and appropriated them to their own private use all of this to us seems unwarranted and wrong and hoping that we have some claims to protection from the Federal Government - especially against men who have gone further in the Rebellion than any of us would that wrong without any compulsion whatever - and when their old associates have to quit the country they throw themselves upon the mercies of the Federal Government join the loyal Army - and are now prepared in ^{the} ~~their~~ ^{their} assumption to deal with citizens and their property generally - as they were wont to do with the property of the hated Union man as they were pleased to style them while in the Rebel Ranks - but we do not allude to the entire company for some men in it have never been identified with the rebellion nor do we believe they have been engaged in the above mentioned practices but a number

have the proof of which can be estab-
lished beyond question hoping that you
will at an early day give the subject
the entire you may think it demands and
make some disposition of the said Buckeye
company which will give relief to the
country - we have the honor to be -

Very Respectfully
Your Obedt Servant

To
Gen. G. D. Vrenger

S. P. Goodman
Thos Harrison
Isaac Rust

A. S. Goodman

J. G. Walker

J. J. Witt

Wm. Coattree

Wm. Cleveland

John Winton

William G. Surke

Anderson Winton

John W. Smith

James Winton

Wm B Gack

Richard Bailey

S. S. Tucker

John Warren

James Sartain

L. J. Laine

Wm Campbell

J. G. Laine

S. S. Tucker

Wm M. Cox

David Sanders