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Acknowledges receipt, with thanks, from Mr.

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of the sum of \$ 4230⁰⁰/₁₀₀ as a contribution towards its purposes.

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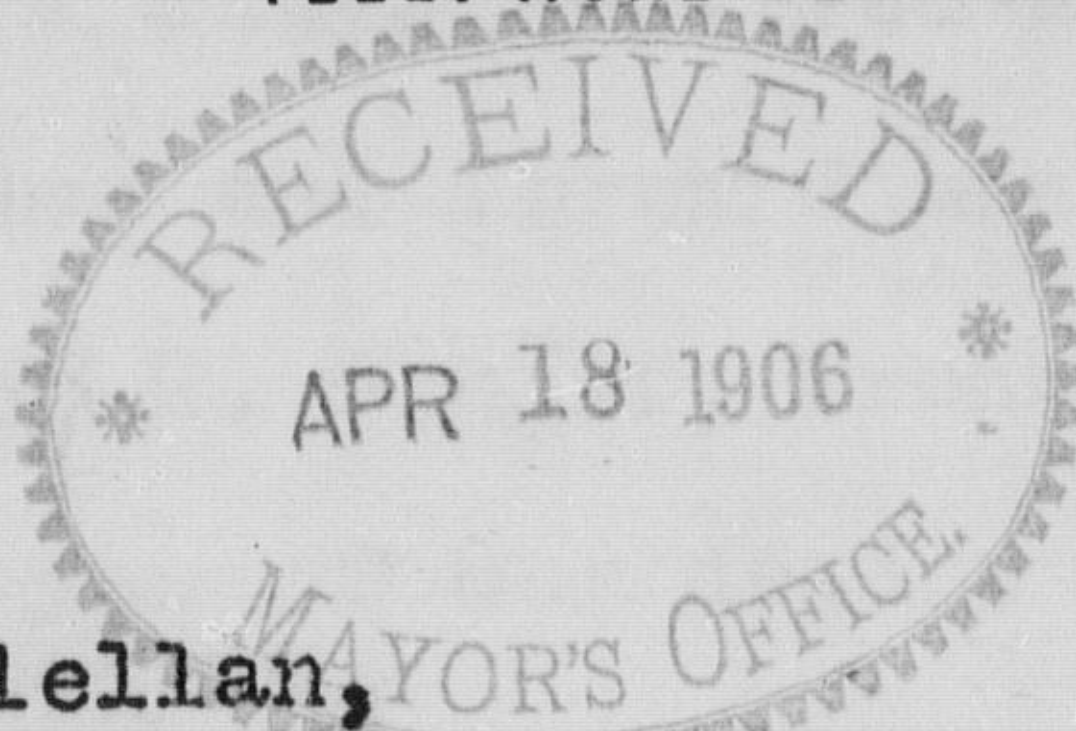
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April 18, 1906

Hon. George B. McClellan,
10 Washington Square, North,
New York City.



Dear Mr. Mayor:-

In view of the terrible calamity at San Francisco, the people of New York will probably be in the spirit to make generous contributions for the relief of the homeless and suffering, and as Chairman of the Executive Committee of the New York Branch of the American National Red Cross I want to let you know at once that the Red Cross Society stands ready to take charge of this matter and receive and forward any funds which may be contributed.

As you know the Red Cross Society has been entirely re-organized within the last year, and has a strong Central Committee at Washington with the President of the United States and other prominent officials standing for its sponsors. Our New York State Committee has as its Chairman Hon. William Cary Sanger, and our Executive Committee is composed of thoroughly representative men and women. Mr. Jacob H. Schiff, of Kuhn, Loeb & Company is Treasurer.

The President has designated the National Red Cross as

the proper body to receive funds for the Japanese Famine relief, and we stand ready to help you in any way in our power in the present emergency. I do not want to give any uncalled for advice, but I would suggest that if you desire to make an appeal to the citizens of New York City, that you designate the Red Cross Society as the one to receive and forward whatever gifts are made. Money can be sent to Jacob H. Schiff, Treasurer, 500 Fifth Avenue.

Assuring you of our desire to cooperate with you and help you in any way in our power, believe me,

Very sincerely yours,

Cleveland H. Dodge

Chairman, Executive Committee

I shall be at my office (Telephone 985 John) in the morning, in case you desire to call me up, or would be glad to call on you if you care to see me about this

C.H.D.

7 WASHINGTON SQUARE.

Dear Mr Mayor

Mr Mully &

Mr Rejz both phoned
me this evening &
I understand you
make an appointment
for tomorrow morning
at 9.45. which I will keep.

I think it well for
you to have information
as to the extent of need
before organizing any
relief measures here

If there be no
business sections and
not to any extent among
the poor there may
be little need. In the
case of the Baltimore
fire - such was the case
and Baltimore declined
outside aid. The same
was true of Patterson
at the time of its
destructive flood. Let
us be helpful not hysterical

Sincerely yours

Wm Loe Robert W. Forest

P. H. DeForest



No. 7. April 18 / 1906

My dear Mr. Mayor



I have just received word from Messrs Robert W. de Forest and Mr. Nathan Bijur asking me to make an appointment to meet you to-morrow in behalf of the suffering people in San Francisco - As you know the three will represent the differences charities - and stand ready to help make an effort to lighten the terrible blow which has fallen on San Francisco

Will you be home on is
there any place we can
meet you to - night

If you will call up
the "phone I will explain
further - I will send
word to the other

Gentlemen when I hear
from you -

Please let me hear
from you ~~at once~~
as soon as possible

Yours sincerely
J. P. M. M. M.

Tom Mulry



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APPOINTED BY THE MAYOR

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

FOOT OF EAST 26TH STREET

NEW YORK CITY April 23, 1906.

Hon. Frank M. O'Brien,
Secretary to the Mayor,
City Hall, N. Y. City.

My dear Mr. O'Brien:

Your letter of the 21st instant, requesting that the names of Mr. George Stemler, 48 West 4th Street, and Mr. Samuel J. Bloomingdale, of Bloomingdale Brothers, 60th Street & Third Avenue, be added to the membership of the California Relief Committee, has been received and will have attention in accordance with the wishes of the Mayor.

Permit me to advise you that I have not yet received the names of the other members of the Committee added since the original list was made public by the Mayor. In order to keep the records correct, I shall be greatly obliged if you will kindly send me such additional names.

Respectfully yours,

Robert W. Hebbard
Secretary.

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APPOINTED BY THE MAYOR

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FOOT OF EAST 26TH STREET

NEW YORK CITY April 30, 1906.



Hon. George B. McClellan
Mayor of the City of New York
City Hall
N. Y. City.

Dear Sir:

You will, no doubt, wish to know that up to Saturday we had sent what we considered an appropriate answer to every letter referred to us from your office, or otherwise received, with relation to the work of this Committee.

We are gratified to know that the work is now falling off and that we can give more attention to our regular duties.

Respectfully yours,

Robert W. Hebbard
Secretary.

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APPOINTED BY THE MAYOR

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FOOT OF EAST 26TH STREET

NEW YORK CITY

May 2, 1906.



Hon. George B. McClellan

Mayor of the City of New York

City Hall

N. Y. City.

Dear Sir:

Please to note that Hon. William Sohmer of this Committee desires to be addressed at Nos. 1 and 3 Third Avenue, this City, instead of at 170 Fifth Avenue, his former address.

Respectfully yours,

Robert W. Hebbard
Secretary.

A.K.