

Office Mil Board
Austin Texas
May 23^d 1864

Myers Wheat + Fletcher
Gentl-

By your order we send
the details you request - you must send us a
descriptive list of these men - If they are now in
the C.S. service we cannot detail them - The
descriptive list should give name - age - residence
also state the purpose for which the detail is
required, and if for hauling cotton you must
state that he can & does transport or least
forty bales at once time - These details are
subject, at once to be recalled is the above is
not complied with - Should any of these
persons belong to the C.S. army we have no
authority to detail & if any of these do belong
to it the detail is void -

Your attention is respectfully
called to the foregoing -

W. B. Pearce
J. J. Holman
Mil Board

Office M. B. Austin Tex. May 23^d 1864

L. F. Fletcher

Tr. Apts. B.M. Co -

Sir - Yours of 16th received, all the details
asked for by your Co, have been granted excepting
Mr Needham, which is herewith enclosed.

These details are made subject to be recalled
if we are not at once furnished with a descriptive
list of each man giving his name, age, & residence
also state for what purpose the detail is asked for,
and if it to be transport even the fact that he can
transport 40 bales, at least, at one time, must
be stated. Should any of these men
belong to the Confederate Service, we cannot
grant a detail to such & it is at once void
Your attention is called to the above -

Respect &c
W. B. Pearce
J. J. Holman
M. B.