

78th Ohio Veteran Volunteer Infantry Regiment

Regimental Book C

Transcripts

-[C004]-

Head Quarters 78th O.V.I

Bolivar, Tenn. Aug 20th 1862

Special Orders

No. 16

A. Regimental Court martials is hereby appointed to meet at the quarters of Capt. L.W. Bumyn 78th Regt. O.V.I. on the 21st day of August 1862 at 10 O'clock A.M. or as soon thereafter as free & calls for this trial of Corporal Herbert Hairy of Co. F 78th Reg. O.V.I. and such other prisoners as may be brought before it.

Detail for the Trial

1 Capt.	John W. Bumyn	Company K.	78 th	O.V.I.
2 1 st Luit.	John P. Wilson	“	A.	“
3 1 st “	Hugh Dunner	“	F.	“
4 2 nd “	C. D. Munson	“	B.	“
5 2 nd “	B. E. Robert	“	E.	“

Luit. Byron E. Roberts will be Judge advocate. No other officers than those named can be assembled without manifest injury to the service.

By Order of

M.D. Leggett

Col. 78th O.V.I.

Comdg 1st Brig.

H.S. Abbot

A. Adjutant

Head Quarters Army of the South War.

Camp at Helena Ark. Aug. 20th 1862.

Special Order

No. 266.

V. Private John Blunk Co J., P. Thomas L. Jackson Co. F and James H. Lemmon Co. G all of the 78th Regiment Ohio Inftry. Cols, will report without delay to their respective company commanders proceeding to Memphis Tenn. And report to the Comdg. Officer of that fort for further orders.

By Command of

Major. Genl. Butis

H. F. Butis

A.A. Genl.

Head Quarters 78th Regt. O.V.I.

Bolivar, Tenn. Aug. 21 1862

Special Order

No. 17

First Sergt. Samuel Hankirk of Col. F 78th Regt. O.V.I. Having made further apologies to his superior officers for his disobedience and disrespectful language is hereby released from arrest and will immediately return to the duties of First Sergeant of Co. F.

By Order of

M.D. Leggett Co. 78th O.V.I.

H.S. Abbot

A. Adjt.

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Head Quarters 2nd Div. Dist. Of Jackson

Bolivar Tenn. Aug. 25 1862

Special Order

No. 126

Capt. Dewer B. Nulton, Co. I, 61st hds, Capt. Chad Stephain, Co. I, 42nd hds, Capt. Henry C. Ferguson, Co. I 23rd and. Luit Mortimer A Highey. On March 15th down and Luit. John. O.V.I Co. H. 18th Ohio are hereby appointed a Board of appovement to appraise Captains horses. The board will inact all the officers of Capt. C.C. Williams A.A.L.W. at 8 O'clock A.M.

on the 27th inst. And proceed to ask upon such animals as way be provided and by Capt. Williams.

By Order of
Col. M.M. Brocken
Comdg. Div.

M. S. Reinbal

Capt. A.D.L.

Head Quarters 2nd Div. Dist. Of Jackson
Bolivar, Tenn. Aug 30th 1862

Special Order

No. 138

Small bodies of the enemies cavalry have been diverted and at different points near our pickets and a large force is reported in our vicinity. The Commanders of Brigades will, therefore hold their commanders in readiness for action on the shortened notice and by personal inspection see that the men of the different Regts. **Corticating** their commands are provided with ammunition.

The commanders of the Pickets of the different brigades will be instructed by their respective brigade commanders to use the greatest diligence to see that the pickets are properly posted and instructed.

By order of
Col M. M. Brooken
Comd. Fort.

Fmors Wilson

A.A.A. Genl.

Head Quarters Department of the Miss.
Sept. 3rd 1862

Special Orders

No. 319

Luit. Col. B. F. Hawkes 78th Ohio Vols. Being absent from his Regiment without authority is hereby mustered out of the service if the United States to take effect. May 23rd 1862.

By Order of

Maj. Genl. Hallek

S. M. Preston

A.A. Genl.

-[C008]-

Head Quarters Dist. Of West Tenn.

Jackson Tenn. Oct. 1st 1862

Special Orders

No. 300

XII. A Military commission is hereby appointed to meet at Bolivar. Hardin Co. Tennessee on Friday the 3rd day of October A.D. 1862 or as soon thereafter as practicable for the trial of E.P. Mohead and such other prisoners as may be brought before it then being no civil loyalty courts to which the Civil offenders with which they are charged can be referd for trials.

Detail for the Board

Brig. General James C. Search

Colonel John A. Davis. 46th Regt. Ohio Vols

Col. M. F. Force 20th Ohio Vols.

No officers except those named can be assembled without manifest injury to the service.

By Order of

Maj. Gen. U.S. Grant

John A Rollins

A.A.G.

Head Quarters 2nd Div. Dist. Of Jackson

Bolivar, Tenn. Oct 3rd 1862

Special Order

No. 5

Commanders of Brigades in this Division will report (in their Morning Report) the number of negroes employed as company servants and negroes as they appear on their respective company books. That they may draw rations for them. The negroes for each company are limited by orders heretofore issued from War Department to form cooks and 1 wagoner to each company. The Negroes must be actually employed in the capacity designated.

By Order of
Brig. Genl. L. F. Ross
F. A. Dallam
A.A. Genl.

Official

E. N. Owen

A.A.A. Genl.

-[C009]-

Head Quarters 2nd Div. Dist. Of Jackson

Bolivar Tenn. Oct. 3rd 1862

Special Order

No. 23

IV - All Buildings in the town of Bolivar now occupied for Regimental hospitals will be forth with reported and turned over to Maj. Harrison Surgeoner of the 68th O.V. M. and acting Division Surgeon to be employed for Post Hospitals.

Hospitals hereto will be used for regiments and the sick who cannot safely remain in tents will be sent to the Post Hospital.

By Order of
Brig. Genl. L. F. Ross
Commanding Div.

F. A. Dallam

A.A. Genls.

Head Quarters 1st Brigade Ross Div.

Bolivar Tenn. Oct. 3rd 1862

Special Order

No. —

The Brigade will drill at 8 o'clock this P.M. on the same ground used for that purpose
Oct. 1st 1862.

The adjutant of each regiment will act as Lueit Col. During the drill.

By Order of
M.F. Foven Col.
Comdg 1st Brig.

E. N. Owen
A.A.A. Genl.

Head Quarters 2nd Div. Dist. Of Jackson
Bolivar Tenn. Oct. 3rd 1862

Special Order

No. 24

II Commanders of Brigades & Detachments will issue orders for all available teams belonging to their respective commands to report tomorrow morning at 7 o'clock to proceed on a foraging expedition.

Report to Division S. M.

By Command of
Brig. Genl. L. F. Ross

Official
F. A. Dallam
A.A. Genl.

-[C010]-

Head Qtrs. 2nd Div. Dist. Of Jackson
Bolivar Tenn. Oct. 4th 1862

Special Orders

No. 25

II- The sale of horses by officers or soldiers to citizens is hereby prohibited. Any violation or attempted violation of this order will be punished by the **Hizun** of their horses and money paid or agreed to be paid and also by the arrest of both the offending parties.

No officer or private will be permitted to keep more horses than allowed by regulations and any private of cavalry will be allowed to keep more than one horse.

Commanding officers will be held responsible for the strict enforcement of this order.

Commanding of cavalry companies will be held accountable for disposition of horses made by discharged soldiers of their companies.

By Order of
Brig. Gen. L. F. Ross.

F. A. Dallam

A.A. Genl.

War Department
Adjutant General's Office
Washington August 22nd 1862

General Orders

No. 115

Colonel Rodney Mason 71st Reg. Ohio Volunteers is by order of the President of the United States cashiered for repeated acts of cowardice in face of the enemy.

By order of the Secretary of War
E. D. Townsend
Act. Adj. General

Head Quarters 2nd Div. Dist. Of Jackson
Bolivar Tenn. Oct. 5th 1862

Special Order

No. 26

II- Commanders of the 12th Wisconsin, 17th Illinois, 78th Ohio and 5 companies of the 23rd Ind. Regiments will have their commands ready to march immediately with one days rations in their haversacks and will report to these Hd. Qtrs. Without delay.

By Order of
Brig. Genl. L. F. Ross

F. A. Dallam

A.A.G.

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Head Quarters 2nd Div. District

Of Jackson. Bolivar Tenn. Oct. 5th 1862

Special Order

No. 26

II- Ordering you to have your command in readiness to move is hereby revoked.

By Order of

Brig. Genl. L. F. Ross

F. A. Dallam

A.A. Genl.

Head Quarters 2nd Div.

District of Jackson

Bolivar Tenn. Oct. 12th 1862

Special Orders

No. 32.

All horses and mules and other property in this command taken and brought in on the late expedition will be turned over to the orig. Master of the division with a statement of where and from whom it was taken so far as such statement can be made.

This order will be executed by 2 O'clock this P.M. and the orig. Master will at that hour report to the Hd. Qtrs. Army Regiment detachment or batteries which have failed to comply with it and also the amount and description of the property turned over.

By Order of

Brig. Genl. L. F. Ross

F. A. Dallam

A.A. Genl.

Head Quarters 78th Reg. OVI

Bolivar Tenn. Oct. 18th 1862

Special Order

No. 25

Bishop D. Staff Sergt. Co. D. 78th Regt. O.V.I. is hereby reduced to the ranks for neglect of duty in learning his past and going to sleep while acting as Sergt. of the Camp Guard on the night of Oct. 16th 1862.

By order of

Z. M. Chandler

Lt. Col. Commdg. 78th Reg. O.V.I.

H. S. Abbot

A. Adjt.

-[C012]-

Head Quarters 78th Regt. O.V.I.

Bolivar Tenn. Oct. 18th 1862

Special Order

No. 26

II- Sergt. Aby B. P. Hager Co. F 78th Regt. O.V.I. is hereby detailed to act as Ordnance Sergeant of the 78th Regt. O.V.I. and will immediately report to **Post** Douglas for Duty.

III- Private J. L. Smith Co. E. 78th Regt. O.V.I. is hereby detailed as regimental tailor and will be exempt from all details while the regt. is in camp.

By order of

Z. M. Chandler

Lt. Col. Commdg. 78th Reg. O.V.I.

H. S. Abbot

Head Quarters 2nd Div. District of Jackson

Bolivar Tenn. Oct 24th 1862

Special Order

No. 36

Commdg. Officer First Brigade you will detail from your command one regt. with one days rations in haversacks to report to Capt. Whitlock Division forage master, at the department of L. L. Williams A. A. F. now at 6 O'clock A. M. tomorrow Oct. 25th.

The officer in command of the Regt. detailed will report in person to the Head Quarters for instructions this morning.

By order of M. L. Sanderson

Col Commdg. Div.

F. L. Gleason

A.A. Adj.

The Commdg. Officer of the 78th Regt. Ohio will comply with the above order.

M.D. Legget

Col Commdg. 1st Brigade.

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Head Quarters 2nd Div. [faded]

Jackson Tenn. 22 Oct 1862

Special Order

No. 13

A board of examiners to engine into the offering fitness and emulsification of chaplains of regiments and hospitals within this command stationed at Bolivar Tenn. On Thursday the 31st instead at 10 O'clock A.M. or as soon as then after as may be practicable.

Detail for the Board

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|-----------------------|--------------------------------------|
| 1. Col. John Funar | 13 th Ills. Vol. Infantry |
| 2. Col. M. D. Leggett | 78 th Ohio Vol. Infantry |
| 3. Lt. Col. W. Hunter | 32 nd Ills Vol. Infantry |
| 4. Maj. F. G. Peat | 17 th Ills. Vol. Infantry |
| 5. Capt. Fred. Mead | 14 th Ills. Vol. Infantry |

It will be part of the duty of the board [faded] to report as to whether the appointments of chaplains has been made in conformity with the requirements of [faded] act entitled on act to define the pay and [faded] of certain officers of the enemy and for other purposes [faded] July 17th 1862 and published in general orders no. 17 [faded]. Washington HQ. and forward as record of their proceedings containing a clear and direct statement of their findings in such lede duly signed by the members of the board conenley to these Hd. Quarters.

By Order of Maj. Gen. Hubbard

[faded] by [faded]

A.A.A.

Official

E. N. Owen

A.A. Adj.

Head Quarters 2nd Div. Dist. Of Jackson

Bolivar Tenn. October 24th 1862

Special Order

No. 36

Commdg. Officer 1st Brigade you will detail from your command one regiment with one day rations in haversacks and report to Capt. Whitlock Div. Forage Master at the Department of [faded] A .A. at 6 O'clock A.M. tomorrow Oct. 25th 1862.

The officer in command of the Regt. detailed will report in person to the Head Quarters for instructions this morning.

By order of
M. L. Sanderson
Col Commdg. Div.

F. L. Gleason. Adj.

The Commdg. Officer of the 78th Regt. Ohio will comply with the above order.

M.D. Legget
Col Commdg. 1st Brigade.

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All men left in his command and called three times daily. No person will be allowed to leave the camp without his permission and he will be held strictly accountable for all property left in his care and for the good condition of the men.

By order of
M. D. Legget
Col Commdg. Brig.

E. N. Owen

A.A. Adjut.

Head Quarters 78th Regt. O.V.I.
In the Field Dec. 4th 1862

Special Order

No. 36

II T. M. Stevenson Captain Co. "E" 78th Regt. as Senior Caption in the regiment, is hereby ordered to act as Sr. Colonel and will at once enter on the discharge of the duties of that office in the Regt.

III John. T. Ramsey Caption. Co. "H" 78th Regt. as second captain in rank in this regiment is hereby ordered to act as major and will at once enter on the duties of that office in the regiment.

Z. M. Chandler

Lt. Col. Commdg.

Head Quarters 78th Regt. O.V.I

Camp Near Oxford, Miss, Dec. 4th 1862

Special Order

No. 38

Capt. T. M. Stevenson, First Lueit N. W. McLarty, and First Sergeant Archibald [Steward] all of Co. "E" 78th Regiment O.V.I are hereby placed under arrest and will immediately report in person to Col . M. D. Legget Commdg. 2nd Brig'd 3rd Division.

By Order of

Z. M. Chandler

Lt. Col. Commdg.

H. S. Abbot

Adjt.

Head Qrts. 78th Regt. O.V.I Oxford Dec. 6th 1862

Special Order

No. 39

Win Speer Private Co. "A" 78th Regt. O.V.I. is hereby detailed to report to Lueit. J. C. Douglass A.A.Q. M. as a teamster at 3 O'clock A.M. tomorrow morning with three days rations.

By Order of

Z. M. Chandler

Lt. Col. Commdg.

H. S. Abbot

Adjt.

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Head Quarters 13th Army Corps

Department of the Tennessee

Oxford. Miss. Dec. 7th 1862

Special Order

No. 16

2nd Luit. James H. Anfelneau of Company "H" 63rd Regt. Ills. Is hereby dismissed the service of the United States with a forfeiture of all pay and allowance for straggling from his company and regiment in the uniform of a private and taking with him enlisted men of his sergeant in violation of position orders to take effect this day. The date of his straggling

By order of

Maj. Genl. U.S. Grant.

John. A. Rowthis

Asst. Adjt. Genl.

Official

E. N. Owen

A.A. Adjt.

Head Qtrs. Centre Army Corps.

Oxford Miss. Dec. 7th 1862

Special Order

No. 64

Parties of men from the 63rd Regiment of Ills. Vols. Were found today from two to four miles west of camp plundering houses and destroying property.

The commanding officer of the 3rd Div. will therefore direct Colonel dno D. Stevenson to place a strong guard around the camp of the 63rd Regiment Ills. Cols. Confining every officer and soldiers of the Regt. within camp limits for forty eight hours or until such time as the commanding officer can ensure a degree of discipline which will prevent the disgraceful straggling and pillaging of their men.

By Order of

Mah. Gen. McPherson

M. T. Lelark

A.Adjt.

E. N. Owen.

A.Adjt.

This order will be read on Dress Parade.

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Head Qtrs. 13th Army Corps
Department of the Tennessee
Oxford Miss. Dec. 9th 1862

Special Orders

No. 18

Women and children are hereafter to be excluded from the army in the field.

Wing commanders will see that all now with there perspective commands are sent to Holly Spring on some point north of that place Negro Women and children and unemployed men will be sent to Chaplain F. Eaton Supt. Contrabands Grand Junction, Tenn. who will provide for them.

This is not intended to exclude authorized **Loundreper** Hospital nurses or officers servants of which wing and division commanders are empowered to judge of the expediency of retaining.

By order of
Maj. Gen. U.S. Grant
(signed) John. A. Rowthis
Asst. Adjt. Genl.

Official

E. N. Owen

A.A. Adjt.

Head Quarters 78th Regt. O.V.I
Near Oxford Miss. 10 Dec. 1862

Special Order

No. 40

James E. Fleming Co. "A", Mathew Jerrett Co. "D", Fletcher S. Bumm Co. "E", Henry Burkhaun, Thomas Rodgers, and Richard Cusick Co. "F", James Graham and Jacob Hague Co. "G" Private in the 78th Regt. O.V.I. are hereby detailed to report to the Head Quarters of Captain DeGolyers Battery for duty immediately to serve while the battery remains attached to this Brigade.

By order of
Z. M. Chandler
Lt. Col. Commdg 78th Ohio

A. W. Search

A. Adjt.

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Head Quarters 2nd Brig. Div.
Dec. 10th 1862

Special Order

No. 10

IV- The Commanding officers of the 78th Regt. Ohio Vol. Infantry will detail (8) eight men to report at the Head Qrs. Of DeGolyers Battery immediately to serve while the Battery remains attached to this Brigade.

By Order of
M. D. Legget.
Col. Commd.
2nd Brig. 3rd Div.

E. N. Owen

A. A. Adjt.

Head Quarters 13th Army Corps
Department of the Tennessee
Holly Springs Dec. 7th 1862

Special Orders

No. 42

Corporal John Hall Company "J" 78th Ohio Volunteer Infantry is hereby detailed for special service on U.S. Military Rail Roads and will immediately report in person to the colonel George G. Pride Chief Engineer U.S. Military Rail Roads in charge of Mississippi central R.R. for Duty.

By Order of
Maj. Genl. U.S. Grant

T.S. Bowers

Actg. Asst. Adjt. Genl.

Head Qrs. 2nd Brig. 3rd Div.

Oxford Miss. Dec. 10th 1862

Special Order

No. 11

II Col. You will hold your command in readiness to move at seven o'clock tomorrow morning with camp and garrison equipage two days cooked rations in haversacks and 40 round of ammunition on the persons of the men.

By order of M.D. Legget

Col. Commdg. 3rd Brig.

E. N. Owen

A.A. Adjt.

-[C038]-

Head Quarters 78th Regt. O.V.I.

Camp Near Abbeville Miss.

Dec. 27th 1862

Special Order

No. 44

The Order arresting J. C. Douglass Lueit. And R. Q. M. for disobedience by general order no. 15 issued from Head Quarters 2nd Brigade is hereby revoked. He not having the order up to the time of his arrest and having admitted that he had no authority for passing one of the new and upon the statement that he was acting Brigade Quartermaster at the time.

By Order of

Z. M. Chandler

Lt. Col. Commdg.

H. S. Abbot

Adjt.

Head Quarters 13th Army Corps

Department of the Tenn.

Holly Springs Miss Dec. 28 1862

Special Field Order

No. 19

Lueit. Patterson Shark Co. "D" 30th Ills. Inftry. Is hereby appointed acting commanding of substances of this brigade and will perform the duties of that office until further notice.

By order of M. D. Legget

Col Commdg. 2nd Regt.

E. N. Owen

A.A.Adjt.

Head Quarters 13th Army Corps

Department of the Tenn

Holly Springs Miss Dec. 2[off page]

Special Field Order

No. 35

II- Foraging parties will leave for the use of families and their servants a suffieint supply of provisions for sixty days, and where families have a **lias** supply on hand no part of it will be taken as long as a supply beyond this is found in the country within reach of the army. This order is not however to be construed to deprive the soldiers of his actions whilst the country affords it. If suffering must face on ore on the other the wagon must leave in.

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III- Hereafter no homes will be taken for the army purposes except by order of post or chief quartermasters, and no buildings will be assigned except for storage purposes. Hospitals and to offices entitled to quarters under existing orders or these having special permits from district commanders or higher authority to occupy homes.

III - The exception in paragraph one of special orders No. 32 is here by extended to include commanders of army corps things and such staff officers as have an immediate connection with troops, Regimental surgeons must remain in camp with their regiments.

IV- Chiefs of Staff Department will see that all officers of their respective departments remain with there staff **meaplagued** to issue the same at all times when called upon.

By Order of

Maj. Genl. U. S. Grant

John A. Rowthis

Asst Adj. Genl.

Head Quarters 78th Regt. O.V.I

Camp Near Lafayette Tenn.

Jan. 13th 1863

Special Order

No. 43

II- Randolph C. Custin Private Co. "B" and teamster 78th Regt. O.VI. at the request of J. C. Douglass and R. Q. M. 78th Regt. O.VI. is hereby returned to his company for duty.

III- Henry C. Bogus Private Co. "B" 78th Regt. O.V.I is hereby detailed extra duty and will report to J. P. S. Springs wagon master immediately.

By Order of

Z. M. Chandler

Lt. Col. Commdg.

H.S. Abbot

Adj. 78th Regt.

Head Quarters 78th Regiment O.V.I

Camp Near Lafayette Tenn. Jan. 16 1863

Special Order

No. 46

Cpt. G. D. Manson C. "B" 78th Regt. O.V.I. is hereby placed under arrest and will immediately send his sword to these Head Quarters for disobedience of orders.

By Order of

Z. M. Chandler

Lt. Col. Commdg. Regt.

H.S. Abbott

Adj. 78th Regt. O.V.I

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Head Quarters 78th Regt. O.V.I

Moscow Tenn. January 10th 1863

Special Order.

No.

Private Joseph L. Ceyer of Co. "A" 78th Regt. O.V. I. is hereby detailed as "Hospital Nurse", and will report in person to Surgeon James S. Reeves of the 78th Regt. O.V. I. immediately.

By Order of

Z. M. Chandler

Lt. Col. Commdg.

78th Ohio Infantry

H. S. Abbott

Adjt.

Head Quarters Department of the Tenn.

Youngs Point La. Feb 12th 1863

Special Field Order

No. 2

I- The nature of the service the army is now called on to perform making it impracticable to transport or provide for persons unemployed by government the enticing of negroes to leave their homes to come within the lines of the army is positively forbidden.

They should be permitted to remain at their homes and in pursuance of the recommendations of the precedent in alleges where allowed to remain and later for reasonable wages, Three at present within the lines will not be turned out but in future in the **fid** in person whether white or black, who are not duly authorized to pass line of sentinel will be permitted to enter or leave camp.

II- Wherever the service of negroes are required details will be made by army corps commanders for the purpose of allocating them and they will be registered provided for and employed in any endeavor with law and existing orders.

III- The habit too prevalent of arresting citizens beyond the lines of the army and bringing them into camp without charges is prejudicial to the service and must seek be continued. Then citizens are arrested hereafter without charges being prefunded warrenting the arrest the citizen will be turned outside our lines and the officers or soldiers caning the arrest will be confined and otherwise punished at the direction of a court martial.

IV- No flag of truce will be allowed to pass our outposts. Army messages received by it will be required by an officer and accepted and the flag directed to return immediately. All answers to such messages will be sent under own flag of truce.

V- Attention of Army Corps Commanders is particular called to the 41st, 42nd, 46th, and 67th

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articles of war which will be rigidly enforced.

By Order of Maj. Genl. U.S. Grant

John A Rowthis

A.Adjt.

Head Quarters 3rd Division 17th Army Corps.

Memphis Tenn. Feb. 13th 1863

Special Order

No. 23

II- An immediate investigation will be made by regimental commanders into the cause of absence of the enlisted some of their commands at the [faded] of the 18th of august 1862. Directed in general order no. 92. Of date July 31st 1862 of War Department.

The Names of those found to be unaccountably absent will be reported to the Head Quarters that they may be restricted on the Rolls and those found to be absent without cause will be so reported that an order may be issued stopping their pay.

In the investigation attention is directed to paragraph 2nd [unintelligible] order 92 above sanctioned.

By Order of Brig. Genl. Cm. n. Logan

R.R. Lowers

A. A. Adjt.

Head Quarters 3rd Division 17th Army Corps

Memphis Tenn. Feb. 14th 1863

Special Order

No. 25

It appearing that the following named enlisted seen of the 2nd Brig. Col. M. D. Legget Commanding.

Corpl. Peach Moore, Henry McCreary, musicians James Douglas, private Aaron Robinson, Wm S. Spear, Leo W. Wilson, J.R. Wilson, and David Wilson Co. "A". Sergt. McDanial, Private Silas Gates, Isaac Dame, Daniel Horne, Geo W. Lay. Larris Moore, S. Osmond, Ben Sutles, and John W. Spring Co. "B". Aaron Riley, Jesse Hogatt Co. "C". Thomas

M. Had, Wm. J. Frazier, Wm. T. Fox, Levi Lurer Co. "D". Levi M Bailey, [Faded], Fletcher Brown, Henry Davis, Thomas James, Sam M., Bomblet H., [Faded] Wiley, John Remedy, W. A. Chapplear Co. "E". [Faded] Wm. Allen, Private Mathew Bay, Musician James F. Bay, Private Albert Bedell, David [Faded], John Seane Co. "F". Privates Bales M. Wirral and Kelsey Little Co. "G", Sergt. R. Brown, Private John Allen, Peter Richards, John Davidson and [Faded] C. George Co. "H". Privates W. M. Smith, and George Mathew Co. "K" 78th Ohio Infantry.

-[C048]-

II- All Cotton hereafter seized now at this point will be immediately turned over to Cpt. Klinck on purpose receipts being given.

III- All orders from subordinate commanders in authorization hereof are hereby revoked

By Order of Maj. Genl. McPherson

W. Clark

A. Adjt.

Head Quarters 2nd Brig. 3rd Division

Lake Providence LA Feb 27th 1863

Special Order

No. 14

In consequence of the pressure of duties upon the Col. Commanding 2nd Brig. Making it impracticable for him to draft changes and specifications. Luet. J. C. Robinson Co. D. and Luet. F. D. Camothers Co. "K" 78th Regt. Ohio Infantry are ushered from once and will resume their duties.

By order M. D. Leggett

Col. Commdg. 2nd Brig.

E. N. Owen

A.A.A. Genl.

Head Quarters 2nd Brig. 3rd Division

Lake Providence LA, Feby. 27th 1863

Special Order

No. 12

Maj. J. T. Ramey 78th Ohio Vols. Is herby detailed for special duty until further orders and will report to Col. M. D. Legget at there Head Quarters at 6 O'clock A.M. tomorrow.

By order of M.D. Leggett

Col. Commdg. 2nd Brig.

E. N. Owen

A.A.A. Genl.

Head Quarters 17th Army Corps Dept. of Tenn.

Lake Providence LA. March 16th 1863

Special Orders

No. 31

It having been represented to the Major Genl. Commdg. That the soldiers have in many cases wantonly destroyed the grist mills in the vicinity or so injured them as to ensue great expense to the government in repairing there and fitting them up from the use of the army it is therefore ordered.

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That any soldiers who shall injure such mill shall have the amount of damage so sustained to the Gov't deducted from his pay on the first month of his regiment and shall issue such other punishment as the maj. Genl. Commanding may direct.

Officers in charge of foraging parties are parties are particularly enjoined that it is there duty to punish and promptly report any violation of this order.

A proper regard for the welfare of the command should prompt any good soldier to a cheerful obedience hereof and merit him to necessary endeavor to bring any offender to punishment

By Order of Maj. Genl. McPherson

W. Clark

A.A. General

Head Quarters 17th Army Corps

Dept. of the Tennessee

Lake Providence LA March 3rd 1863

Special Order

No. 36

No horse or mule, m Cotton or property of any description will hereafter be shipped from this port without a permit from a division commander [faded] of the port. comstusegired by Quarter master J. G. Klinck.

Any Violation of this order will subject the offender to arrest and punishment together with confiscation of the property.

By Order of Maj. Genl. McPherson

W. Clark

A. A. Genl.

Head Quarters 2nd Brig. 3rd Division

17th Army Corps

Lake Providence La. March 3rd 1863

Special Order

No. 16

1st Lieut Jesse Patterson of Co. C. 78th O.V. I. for repeated acts of drunkenness is hereby under arrest and will be deliver his sword the the office in command of his regiment and will confine himself closely to his tent, except when obliged to leave as to answer the demands of nature – but in no case will he leave the camp of the 78th Regt. except when the summons of court marshal until released from arrested.

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Officers of the Boats and army violations thereof will be prompley reported to the commanding officer on the transports who will forthwith arrest and sed the offender to the provost marshal, Memphis, Tenn. To be dealt with for disobedience of orders

By order of Major Gen. McPherson

Wm. Y. Clark

A.A. Genl.

Head Quarters 17th Army Corps

Department of the Tenn.

Lake Providence LA. March 31st 1863

Special Orders

No. 3-3

A board of examers is hereby appointed in pursuance of Sec. 10 of an act entilted “An Act to authorize the employment of vols” approved July 22nd 1861 and published in general orders no. 48 War Dept. series 1861. To examine the capacity, qualifications. Propriety of conduct, and efficiency of such officers of this command as may be reported to them

Brigadier Genl. M. M. Crocker

“ “ Jno. D. Stevenson

“ “ Y. E. S. Ransom

“ Colonel Leo N. Robbins 8th Regt. Wis. Vol. Inftry.

“ Jno. H. Mattby 46th Regt. Illinois Vol. Inftry.

will constitute the board.

The Board will convene at the Head Quarters of the 3rd Brigade [unintelligible] Division. On the 13th day of April A. D. 1863. At 10 O'clock A.M. and will continue their examinations until every case brought before them is disposed of.

By Order of Major Gen. McPherson

W. Y. Clark

A.A. General

Head Quarters 2nd Brigade 3rd Div.

17th Army Corps.

Vista Plantation March 31st 1863

Special Order

No. 26

General Order No. 49 War Dept. Washington Feb. 28th 1863. Will be read at the head of each regiment and company once each week during the month

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of April 1863.

By Order of M. D. Legget

Col. Comdg. 2nd Brigade

E. N. Owen

A.A.A. Genl.

Lt. Col. Z. M. Chandler

78th Ohio

Head Quarters 3rd Division 17th A.C.

Vista Plantation LA. April 2nd 1863

Special Order

No. 54

Cpt. A. L. Muller 78th Ohio Infantry, Capt. G. D. Munson 78th Ohio Infantry and Lieut. Jno. Ohio Infantry are hereby appointed a board of Survey having in ruin the conditions of seven hundred and ninety four (794) pounds of bacon issued by Capt. Wells Co. S. 3rd Division to the 68th Ohio Infantry on April 1st 1863.

The board will meet at Head quarters 68th Ohio Infantry at 10 O'clock April 3rd 1863.

By Order of Brig. Gen. Jno. A. Logan

(Signed) R. R. Mounes

A.A. Genl.

Head Quarters 68th Reg. O.V.I.

Vista Plantation LA.

April 3rd 1863

In pursuance of Special Order No. 52

From head Quarters 3rd Div. of date April 2nd 1863. (A Copy of which is hereto attached) the board met at the appointed time and place and proceeded to examine 794 lbs. Bacon issued to the 68th Ohio Infantry on April 1st 1863 by Capt. L. B. Wells C. D. 3rd Division and report as followed. We find the Bacon in quantity correct (794 lbs.) but in a state of putrefaction. We therefore recommend that an order be issued by the proper authority condemning the same and ordering its disposition.

Respectfully Submitted

Capt. Army L. Waller 78th O.V.I.

Capt. G. D. Munson "Co, B." 78th O.V.I.

1st Lieut. F. Own. "Co. H" 78th O.V.I.

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Head Quarters 17th Army Corps

Department of the Tennessee

Lake Providence La. April. 13th 1863.

Special Orders

No. 63

V.- Brig. Genl. E. S. Dennis is temporarily assigned to the command of the 2nd Brigade 3rd Division.

By Orders of Major Genl. Jas. B. McPherson

Wm. W. Clark

A.A. General

Official

E. A. Owen

A.A.A. Genl.

Head Quarters 3rd Division

17th Army Corps.

Steamer Superior April 17th 1863

Special Order

No. 62.

Co. "C" 79th Ohio Infantry Cpt. Miles Commanding is hereby detailed as division pioneer corps and will be relieved from regimental guard and fatigue duty until further orders

By Orders of Maj. Genl. Jno A. Logan.

R. R. Townes

A.A. Genl.

Head Quarters 2nd Brig. 3rd Dib.

17th Army Corps.

Vista Plantation La. March 28th 1863

Special Order

No. 24

Special Orders no. 37 Hd. Qurs. 3rd Division 17th Army Corps March 27th 1863 assessing damages to the amount of two thousand dollars for depredations committed by different parties belonging to this command in burning a certain cotton bin and other property connected with it and requiring the commanding officers of the Brigade to a certain portion of the tax on each regiment connected with the raid upon the said cotton bin and cause the amount of assessed against each regiment to be placed on their next muster rolls against the officers and men except such officers and men of regiments engaged.

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Who were absent at the time seen or with other proper leave – the amount so stopped on the pay rolls to be paid over to an officer who will be designated hereafter and who will turn over the amount to the Assist. Quarter Master of the 3rd Division for the use of the Govt. excepting – one hundred dollars which shall be paid to P. L. Wald a loyal citizen of Illinois in compensation for cotton seed consumed by the fire.

The Col. Commanding having investigated the matter hereby exonerated the 30th Regt. Illinois volunteers from any connection with the affair but is convinced that 20th, 68th & 78th Regt. Ohio Vols. Were all more or less involved at least to the extent of disobeying positive orders against the destruction of private property and he feels chagrined and mortified that said Regts. Should have so needlessly tarnished their fair fame for discipline and good orders by such a wanton act of vandalism.

The Col. Commanding regrets the necessity of making officers and men in said regiments who are entirely innocent of any participation or sympathy with such unsoldierly and disorderly acts share the punishment of the guilty but the general commanding the division decreed it necessary to the enforcement of good order. It is therefore ordered that of said two thousand dollars, eight hundred dollars shall be assessed upon the pay rolls of the 20th O.V. I., Six hundred (\$600) dollars upon the pay rolls of the 78th Reg. O.V.I.. The commanders of said Regts. Will attend to the enforcement of this order: the officer who will be hereafter designated will attend the pay tables and receive the amounts so stopped on the rolls of each Regt.

It is hoped that this may prove a sufficient admonition to prevent the recurrence of any similar acts by this command in the future. A wanton destruction of private property will in no way and in the restoration of peace and must result only in making more bitter and unnatural strife between the two sections of our country and will greatly and unnecessarily increase the expensive of treasure and blood.

By Order of M. D. Legget

Col. Comdg. 2d. Brigade

E. A. Owen

A.A.A Genl.

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Head Quarters 17th Army Corps

Department of the Tennessee

Instructions

In accordance with special orders no. 110 Dept. Head Quarters, the troops will be required to **frionae** until proper faculties can be approved for transportation of camp equipage.

One tent will be allowed each company for the protection of rations from rain. One wall tent for each regimental head quarters. One wall tent for each brigade head quarters for division

head quarters. The men will be provided with three days cooked rations and the teamed of the regiments will transport besides the camp equipage herein allowed all the ammunition and rations possible it being the intention to so conduct the march as to allow the transportation of ten days supply of rations and one hundred rounds of ammunition be man.

The remaining tents will be neatly folded and all the camp and garrison equipage left behind will be placed in charge of the Brigade Quarter master who will receive instructions from the Quarter master of the Corps as to its disposition.

Attention is called to the following extracts of land special order no. 110

“13.” Commanders are authorized and enjoined to collect all the beef cattle, corn, and other supplies necessary for the army on the line of march, but wanton destruction of property lacking of articles unless for military purposes insulting citizens going into and searching houses without proper order from division commanders are positively prohibited. All such irregularities will summarily punished.

By Order of Major Genl. McPherson

Wm. Y. Clark

A.A. Genl.

Official

J. C. Douglass

A.A.A. Genl.

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Head Quarters 17th Army Corps

Department of the Tennessee

Millikens Bend La. April 23rd 1863

Special Orders

No. 74

An Surgeons Certificate that it is necessary to have live or prevent permanent disability have of absence for thirty days is granted Capt. Gilbert D. Munson Co. “B” 78th Ohio Infantry Volunteers.

By Order of Major General Jas. B. McPherson

Wm. Y. Clark

A.A. General

Head Quarters 3rd Division

In the Field Miss.

May 4th 1862

Special Order

No. 68 Extract

Brigade Commanders will in accordance with directions of the major General commanding the department immediately send to these head quarters their official report of the result of the engagement with the enemy.

By Order of Maj. Genl. John. A. Logan

R.R. Townes

A.A. Genl.

Official

J. C. Douglass

A.A.A. Genl.

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Head Quarters 2nd Brigade

May 5th 1863

Lueit George C. **Lenerwood** A.A. 2 NE is hereby appointed inspecting officer for the 2nd Brigade in compliance with the above order.

By order of Brig. Genl Dennis

J.C. Douglass

a:a.a. Genl.

Head Quarters 3rd Division 14th A.C.

In the Field Miss. May 5th 1863

Special Order

No. 69

In compliance with instructions from Corps. Head Quarters the following enlisted men of this command are hereby detached from their respective regiments and will report to Col **Lerik**. The LA. Boys of African decent at Millikens Bend LA. Forthwith to be appointed. To be appointed Now Commanding officers in said Regiment.

Sergt. Juno J. Price (?) 78 Ohio Infantry Vols.

The Enlisted men above named before learning in compliance with the above order will report in person at these Head Qus.

By order of Maj. Gen. Logan

R.R. Lowers

a a Genl.

Head Quarters 2nd Brig. 3rd Div. A.C.

In the Field May 8th 1863

Special Order

No. 36

1st Lueit Geo. N. Porter Co. 'B' 78th Ohio Vol. Infantry. Acting Aid-de-Camp is hereby announced as acting assist Dnep. General of this Command and will be obeyed and respected accordingly.

By order of Gen. E. S. Dennis

Comdg 2nd Brigade

J.C. Douglass

a a a Genl.

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Head Quarters of the 2nd Brig 3rd Div.

17th Army Corps (1863

Camp near Black River May 17th

Special Order

No. 34

- I. Private Robert Hanson Co 78th Ohio Vol. Infantry. Having recovered his health is hereby again detailed for duty at Brigade Head Quarters and will report for duty at once.
- II. Private Qm P Saul Co. The Ohio Vol Infantry is hereby relieved of duty at Brigade Head Quarters and will report to his company for duty. In relieving Private P Saul

from duty, the Genl commanding takes pleasure in restifying to the faithfulness and ability so well as his energy and promptness in discharging the duty assigned.

By order of Brig Gen Leggett

J.C. Douglas

a a a Genl.

Head Quarters of the 3rd Division

17th Army Corps

Near Bruinsburg Miss. May 23rd 1863

Special Order

No. 74

Brigades and Departments are required to make an immediate report of the casualties which have occurred in their commands since the battle of Champion Hill in the 16th Jnst.

A roll call will be held in every Company in the Division and the names of the absentees reported to these Head Quarters. Small detachments from every Regiment and Detachment will be sent out under proper non-Commissioned Officers in search of such absentees as are supposed to be straggling and those who are found will be reported in person to the Provost Marshal at these Head Quarters, who is here ordered to deal with them.

By Order of Maj Gen John A Logan

R. R. Lowers

a a Genl.

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II. Hereafter all Communications of whatever kind either orally or written or by the exchange or passage of new papers to or with the enemy is expressly prohibited, and any officer who willingly or unwillingly permits anything of the kind will be at once arrested and penalized for disobedience of orders.

By Order of Maj Gen John A Logan

R. R. Lowers

A A Genl

Official

J. B. Walker

L & AAA Genl.

Head Quarters 3rd Div 17th AC

Near Vicksburg. Miss June 19th 1863

Special Order

No. 89

Extract

- III. Upon the recommendation of Brig Gen M. D. Leggett, relating as a consideration the good behavior in the fatiguing marches and hard fought battles of the recent campaign and the great additional expense to the men by destruction of clothing and personal equipments all of which has been particularly marked by the Major General Commanding, the penalty of two thousand dollars assessed against 20th 68th and 78th Ohio Infantry for burying a cotton bin on Vista Plantation, near Lake Providence LA, is hereby remitted. Except the amount of \$100.00 which was ordered to be paid to Mr Hard, a citizen of Illinois, as a Compensation for the loss of private property Occasioned by said fire.

The several Regements herein mentioned will be furnished with copy of this order

By order of Maj Gen Logan
R R Lowers
A A Genl

Official

J B Walker

A A A Genl

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Head Quarters Dept of the Tenn.

On Field near Near Vicksburg, Miss June 19th 1863

Special Order

No. 165

- I. At four (4) oclock am on the 20th Oest a general cannonading will be commenced from all parts of the line on the city of Vicksburg. Fireing will conteneue until 10 oclock am unless otherwise ordered.
- II. Care must be taken to retain for emergency, at least one hundred (100) rounds for all field artillery, and twenty rounds per gun for all siege guns.
- III. All the rifle pits will be filled with as many men as can be accommodated in there. Troops will be held under arms from 6:42 A.M. ready to take advantage of any signs the enemy may show of weakness, or to repel an attack should one be made.
- IV. It is not designed to assault the enemy works but to be prepared. Should Corps commanders believe a favorable opportunity present itself for possessing themselves of any portion of the enemy lines without a series battle they will avail themselves of it telegraphing immediately to Head Quarters of other Corps and to general H*

Quarters what they are doing and suggesting any assistance or cooperation they may require.

By Order of Major Gen U.S. Grant
(Signed) Yuo A Ranlid
A.A. Genl

Official

R.R. Lowers

A.A. Genl

Official

J.B. Walker

A A A Genl

Head Quarters 2nd Brigade 3rd Div
17th Army Corps
June 19th 1863

In compliance with Special Order No 165, Hd Quarters of the Dept of the Tenn of date June 19th 1863, Regiment Commanders will form their Commands in line at 6:30 am, tomorrow stack arms and await orders. At least forty (40) rounds of ammunition will be in the cartridge rounds.

By Order of the Genl
Col Leary 2nd Brigade
J.B. Walker
A.A.A. Genl

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Head Quarters 3rd Div 17th A.C.
Near Vicksburg Miss June 20th 1863

Special Orders

No. 90

- I. Lieut H R McDonald AeP. Asst Quarter Master of the Pioneer Corps of 3rd Div is hereby relieved of duty with Pioneer Corps and will at once turn over all property he may have in his possession belonging to the Pioneer Corps of the 3rd Div to Lient James Brennan 78th Ohio Infantry and immediately report to the Commanding officer of his Regiment for duty. Lieut James Brennan Co H. 78th Ohio Infantry is hereby

detailed as a. a. Quarter Master of the Pioneer Corps and will report to the commanding officer forthwith.

By order of Maj Gen John A Logan

R R Lowers

a.a. Genl

Head Quarters 2nd Brigade 3rd Div
19th Army Corps
June 20th 1863

Special Orders
No. 9

Each Regimental Commander will make a roll of trustworthy Sharp Shooters, and officers suited to command them, and will forward to the Head Quarters the names of the officers, with the number of non-commissioned officers and Privates.

A Battalion of Sharp Shooters is not demanded by any existing order, but it is designed to have an organization ready in case of demand to act as skirmishers, Special Prierents, or in the rifle pits.

By Order of M. F Force
Col Comdg 2nd Brigade
G B Nauler
a a a Genl

Head Quarters 3rd Div 17th AC
Near Vicksburg Miss June 22nd 1863

Special Orders
No. 91

Col Force will cause all the mines

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of to report in person at the Head Quarters 17th Army Corps to Captain **Hiekenlooker** at 4 oclock am tomorrow the 23rd **onst.**

By Order of Maj Gen John A Logan

(signed) R R Lowers

A. A. Genl

Official

J B Walker

A AA Genl

Head Quarters 2nd Brigade June 22nd 1863

In compliance with the above order, Regimental Commanders will cause all miners to report at their Hd Quarters at 3 ½ oclock am tomorrow and will also report to the head quarters in writing, the members immediately.

By Order of M F Force

Col Comdg 2nd Brigade

J B Walker

A A A Genl

Head Quarters 16th Army Corps

Memphis, Tenn June 22nd 1863

Special Order

No. 137

- I. On Surgeons certificate duly approved, and on account of wounds actually received in battle, leave of absence for twenty days is granted Lieut H.S. Abbot Adjutant of 78th Regiment Ohio Infantry, volunteers, to proceed beyond the limits of the deployment.

By Order of Maj Gen S A Hvrlbut
Henry Benmore A A Genl

Medical Director's Office
17th Army Corps Dept of the Tenn
Near Vicksburg June 24th 1863

Special Order no. 56

- I. Surgeon Ja S Reeves 48th Regt Ohio Infantry Vols is hereby relieved from duty as Records of 3rd Division and will relieve Surg. N A Gordon

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30th Regt Ills Infantry Vols and one of the operating board. Surgeon Gordon on being relieved will report to his regiment for duty.

By order of Maj Gen McPherson
O H Bonchu
Surgeon U S V
Medical Director 17th AG

Head Quarters Dept of the Tenn
In rear of Vicksburg Miss June 26th 1863

Special Order no 172

Extract. Sergeant Daniel Watt Co "L" 78th Regt Ohio Infantry Volunteers, is hereby detailed for Special Services in Quarter Masrters Department and will immediately report in person to J L Thornton, Capt, and A L M at Chickasaw Bayou Landing.

By order of Major Genl U S Grant
Ino A Rawlins A A Genl

Head Quarters 13th Army Corps
Camp near Bear Creek June 26th 1863

Special Order no

- I. The 4th Iowa Cavalry will take post on Bear Creek where the Birdsong road crosses it and will picket at hills and watch the Ferry at Birdsong and Jones with a cavalry patrol up the valley of Bear Creek to communicate with Gen Parke at Carb Ridge P O.
- II. General Parke will keep a cavalry regiment at the point where the lower Bentow Road crosses Bear Creek with a picket at the forks of the road and a patrol connected with the pickets of the Hill Iowa at the Hills. All cavalry pickets must keep their horses saddled and their weapons will in hand and a [smudged] will be certain ruin to the officer in charge. These pickets will be carefully instructed and the command of the cavalry regiments will be responsible.
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- III. General Little will hold the ridge from Trickle down to Goring's with a Regiment of Infantry and section of Artillery in the fields down the valley of Bear Creek.
- IV. General McArthur will hold the ridge from Straues back to McCalls with a bridge on picket near Foxes. This bridge will send daily and mighty patrols down to the ford at hussingens.
All roads leading from Black River back to the permits manned will be obstructed by filling trees at the [faded] points and Division Commanders will keep their [faded] companies and working parties employed at the times an hours time now is worth a day after an every wakes his appearance. General McArthur will relieve his Brigade at Bear Creek crossing as soon as Gen Little places a Regt at Grungs.
- V. Gen Parke will hold Oak Ridge from Milys to the Post Office with Smiths Division and will order the Nailedale forces to be prepared on the shortest notice to move to McCalls to which end he will cause a working party with an intelligent Staff Officer to repair the road from Milsdale to Albertsons and Hanis there across the valley of Clear Creek to the Selrod house, Mior and McCalls Ohio will give three goods roads from Heimes Bluff to our key points at McCalls and Neileys.
- VI. All Commanders will aim to keep on hand point there to five days rations and at least one hundred rounds of cartridges, wagons and a guard mule should be kept back of Clear Creek. Camps encumbered [faded] as possible and troops well at hand.
The past importance of events now drawing to some conclusion bids us guard against supposed [faded] of the army rather than mere appearance. If Johnston attempts to

relieve Vicksburg, which he is impelled to do by horror and the clamor of the Southern public, he will [faded] at many points, but attack with behemance at some [faded].

Let him appear at any point, he must be fought desperately. Reinforcements must not be clamored for but each commander will fight back along the ridge he is guarding stubbornly, reporting facts and not opinions that the General in Command may draw his own conclusions. The General will be formed [faded] on the ridge near McCalls and in case of temporary appearance

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will leave word and orders with a Staff Officer at his bionic all wandering about stopped and all citizens found away from their houses, be arrested and sent to the rear of Haines Bluff or Vicksburg.

VII. General Osterhaws, acting in court with this force will hold the bridge, and keep his division well in hand near Bovina, prepared to act decisively, on intelligence on the Sounds of Battle in the direction of Liffins or Foxes plantation.

By order of W T Sherman
Major General Commanding
(signed) L M Dayton
Cap and Aid-de-Camp

Official W W Novel A A A Genl
Official J B Walker A A A Genl

Head Quarters McArthur Division
Strauis Plantation, June 26th 1863

In compliance with the above order, Col Chambers will move his Brigade to Fox's. Gen Mathias Brigade will occupy the ground in the vicinity of McCalls with his head Quaters near that point. Col Forces Brigade remaining in their present encampment.

By order of Brigadir Gen McArthur
(Signed) Wales W Wood
A A Genl

Official J B Walker
A A A Genl

Head Quarters 2nd Brigade 3rd Div
17th Army Corps
June 26th 1863

The foregoing orders are intended more for the information of Regimental Commanders than for publication of this command.

By order of M F Force
Col Comdg 2nd Brigade
J B Walker A A Genl

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Head Quarters Department of the Tenn
In the Field near Vicksburg Miss June 20 1863

Special Order no 174

Extract. I. Hereafter news boys will not be permitted to sell newspapers in this army at a price exceeding fifteen counts per paper. Provost-Marshall are specially directed to punish all violations of this order by taking from the offenders their passes to visit the camps and sending them north not to return under penalty of being arrested and put to hard labor.

By order of Major Gen U S Grant
Ino A Rawlins A A Genl

Head Quarters 3rd Division 17th A G
Near Vicksburg Miss June 30th 1863

Special Order no 94

Extract. II. 1st Lieut Regtt: Quarter Master John C Douglass 78th Ohio Infantry Vols is hereby detailed for duty in the Adjt Generals Department and will report accordingly to Brig General M D Leggett Comdg 1st Brig for duty.

III. The following enlisted men are hereby detailed for Special Service and will report to Brig Gen M D Leggett Comdg 1st Brigade for duty accordingly:

<u>Hamline Garner</u>	Private	Co B	78th	OVI
<u>N J Nhile</u>	“	“	“	“
<u>A F Miller</u>	“	“A	“	“
Hugh P McHlister	“	“D	“	“
M C Gurgns	“	“F	“	“
Geo W Mercer	“	“G	“	“
Samuel E Fonel	“	“	“	“
Andrew McIntosh	“	“L	“	“
Grant Brown	“	“K	“	“

By order of Maj Gen Ino A Logan
(signed) R R Townes
A A Genl

Head Quarters 2nd Division 17th A G
Near Vicksburg Miss July 4th 1863

Special Order no 96

Attention is respectfully directed to General Order
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no 20 dated Head Quarters Dept Tenn, March 23rd 1863 and General Order no 72 war Department present series. Hereafter lists of deserters as required will be sent, except the one to be forwarded direct from Brigade Head Quarters all together to these Head Quarters within three days after the end of each month.

II. The attention of Brigade Commanders is called to the fact that there is a material difference between the Surgeons report and the report of Adjutants. Orderly, Sergeants are no doubt reporting men as sick who have not been excused by the Surgeons. This practice must at once be discontinued.

By order of Maj Genl Ino A Loan
(Signed) R R Townes A A A General

Head Quarters 2nd Brigade 3rd Div
17th Army Corps
July 8th 1863

In accordance with the above order reports will be at once sent in to these Head Quarters.

By order of M F Force
Col Comdg 2nd Brig
A A A Genl

Head Quarters 3rd Division 17th Army Corps
Vicksburg Miss July 6th 1863

Special Order no 98

II. Brigade and Detachment Commanders will immediately make an official report of the operations of their Respective Commands during the siege of Vicksburg which will be forwarded to these Head Quarters as soon as practicable.

By order of Maj Genl Logan
R R Townes
A A A Genl

Head Quarters 2nd Brigade 3rd Div
Bourvina Miss July 8th 1863

Each Regimental Commander will at once send in a report to these Head Quarters in accordance with the above.

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By order of M F Force
Col Comdg 2nd Brig
J B Grulker A A A Genl

Head Quarters 17th Army Corps
Dept of the Tennessee
Vicksburg Miss July 7th 1863

Special Order no 131

VII. The attention of officers in this command is called to the following extracts from special Field Order no 32 Head Quarters Dept Tenn Dec 23rd 1862, compliance with order will be strictly enforced.

1. All officers of the Army except General Comdg Divisions are required to occupy tents with their respective commands.
2. All officers found occupying houses or boarding in families will be arrested by their immediate commanders and reported through the proper military channels in these Head

Quarters for dismissal from the service with forfeiture of all pay and allowance or such other penalty as the nature of case may require.

3. Sick officers will form no exception to this order, they must enter General Hospitals.
4. Commanding Generals are prohibited from quartering troops in houses, unless by consent of the Genl Comdg Army Corps to which they belong.
5. Generals Comding Divisions will occupy unless contiguous to their respective commands.
6. Division Commanders will report at once to these Head Quarters, the receipt of this order and its promulgated to their respective commands.

By order of Maj Genl McPhersons
N Y Clark A A Genl

Official R R Townes
A A Genl

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Head Quarters, Dept of the Tenn
Vicksburg Miss July 27th 1863

Special Order no 203

2nd Lieut W H Hessine Co "H" 78th Regiment Ohio Infantry Vols is hereby detailed for Special Service as Aid-de-Camp to Brigadier Genl M D Leggett and will report accordingly.
This detail will be operating from July 26th 1863.

By order of Maj Genl U S Grant
Y S Bowers A A A Genl

Head Quarters 3rd Division 17th A C
Dept of the Tennessee
Vicksburg Miss July 27th 1863

Special Order no 110

Brigade Commanders will cause to be forwarded from each of the three years, Ohio Regiments in their commands, the names of three judicious and reliable commissioned officers, and six enlisted men of like character: to be detailed to **provendets** to Ohio for the purpose of receiving and conducting to their Regiments the Drafted men assigned to give them 'np.

A report of the exact number required to fill each Regiment will be forwarded to these Head Quarters.

By order of Brig Genl Ino D Stevenson
R R Townes A A General

Official J B Walker A A A General

Head Quarters 3rd Division 17th A C
Vicksburg Miss July 27th 1863

Special Order no 111

Private Thomas M Hoyes, Co "F" 78th Ohio Infantry is hereby detached from his company and Regt and will report forthwith to Col H Liet, 9th La Colonel Troops to be appointed a non-Commissioned officer in said Regt.

By order of Brig Genl Stevenson
R R Townes A A General

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Head Quarters Dept of the Tenn
Vicksburg Miss July 29th 1863

Special Order no 203

On Surgeon's Certificate that change of location is necessary to save life or permanent disability approved by the Medical Director. Leave of Absence for twenty days is granted, Capt J C Robinson, 78th Ohio Infantry Vols to proceed beyond the limits of the Dept.

By order of Maj Genl U S Grant
Y S Bowers A A A Genl

Head Quarters Seventeenth Army Corps
Department of the Tennessee
Vicksburg Miss July 30th 1863

Special Order no 154

VII. On Surgeon's Certificate that it is necessary to save life or present permanent disability to leave of absence for twenty days is presented 2nd Lieut Jas R Miller 78th Regt Ohio Infantry Vols.

By order of Maj Genl McPherson
M Y Clark A A Genl

Head Quarters 2nd Brig 3rd Div
17th Army Corps
Vicksburg Miss July 31st 1863

Special Order no 17

- I. Doctor M A Gordon, Surgeon 30th Regt Illinois Inftry Vols is hereby relieved from duty as acting Brigade Surgeon of 2nd Brigade 3rd Div 17th AC for disobedience of orders.
- II. Doctor Eugene B Harrison, Surgeon 6th Regt Ohio Vol Infantry is hereby appointed Acting Brigade Surgeon of the 2nd Brigade, 3rd Div 17th Army Corps until further orders.

By order of M F Force
Col Comdg 2nd Brigade
J B Walker
A A A Genl

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Head Quarters 17th A C

Dept of the Tenn
Vicksburg Miss Aug 6th 1863

Special Order no 161

Extract: VII. The attention of the Commanding General has been called to the false interpretation put upon General Order no 191 AGO current series by certain officers and men of this corps. To correct this it is announced.:

- I. Recruits for the Veteran Volunteers can be obtained only from the Nine Months and Two Years men and such of the Three Years men as have served their full [cut off] last Ninety Days.
- II. No officer or soldier will be permitted to recruit or take any measures to from a veteran regiment or company in this command, until the line of the old Regiments is within ninety days of expiration, and any officers or soldiers attempting to recruit before he is properly authorized by an order from the Genl Commanding the Department will be arrested and sent under guard to these Head Quarters.

By order of Maj Genl McPherson
N L Clark
Asst Adjt Genl

Head Quarters 17th Army Corps
Department of the Tennessee
Vicksburg Miss Aug 12th 1863

Special Order no 163

Division and Brigade Commanders will cause to be sent in to these Head Quarters the name of one young man between 16 and 21 years of age from each Brigade who has distinguished himself for gallantry and good conduct in the recent campaign and who possess the requisite qualifications for a cadetship at West Point.

The candidates will be subjected to an examination in the Corps and the give exhibiting the best record and most satisfactory qualifications will be selected.

It would be gratifying if some soldier could be found who has been in the Army of the Tenn from Belmont to Vicksburg.

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An ordinary common school education will suffice, providing the candidate has talent, industry, and a laudable ambition.

By order of Maj Gen McPherson
S N J Clark A A Genl

Official R R Townes
A A Genl

Head Quarters 2nd Brig 3rd Div
17th Army Corps
Vicksburg Miss Aug 12th 1863

In conformity with the foregoing order, each Regimental Commanders will select from his command a young man of the required age and having the requisite qualifications for a cadetship at West Point and forward his name to these Head Quarters.

By order of M F Force
Col Comdg 2nd Brig
J B Walker
A A A Genl

Head Quarts 17th Army Corp
Dept of the Tennessee
Vicksburg Miss Aug 12th 1863

Special Order no 167

- III. By direction of the Major General Comdg the department, all men now in hospitals who can be restored to active duty by a furlough of thirty days may be furloughed in excess of the five per cent heretofore allowed. No furloughs will be granted to men who are not likely to be restored to duty thereby.

These latter will be transferred without delay to Northern Hospitals into the Invalid Corps or discharged the Service on certificates of disability.

By order of Maj Genl McPherson
N L Clark A A Genl

Official R R Townes
A A Genl

Official J B Walker A A A Genl

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Head Quarters 16 Army Corps
Memphis Tenn Aug 12 1863

Special Order no 186

On Surgeon's Certificate that change of location is necessary to save life or prevent permanent disability approved by the Medical Director. Leave of absence for twenty days is granted to the following officers with leave to proceed beyond the limits of the Department of the Tennessee.

2nd Lieut James L Story of company F 78th Ohio Volunteer Infantry.

By order of Maj Genl S A Hurlbut
Henry Beunore A A Genl

Head Quarters 17th Army Corps
Dept of the Tenn
Vicksburg Miss Aug 16th 1863

Special Order no 171

V. On Surgeon's Certificate that it is necessary to save life or prevent permanent disability leave of absence for twenty days is granted Surg James S Reeves 78th Ohio Vols.

By order of Maj Genl James B McPherson
N Y Clark Asst Adjt Genl

Head Quarters 17th Army Corps
Department of the Tennessee
Vicksburg Miss Aug 16th 1863

Special Order no 171

VIII. The following named enlisted men are hereby detailed as nurses in Post Hospital and will report to Surgeon Hill in charge.

Priv David Thompson "A" co 78 Ohio Vol Infy.

By order of Maj Gen McPherson
N Y Clark A A Genl

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Head Quarters 17th Army Corps
Department of the Tennessee
Vicksburg Miss Aug 16th 1863

Special Order no 171

VII. The following named enlisted men are hereby detailed as acting Hospital Stewarts in Post Hospital and will report to Surg Hill in charge.

Private John A Neston "J" Co 78th Ohio Vol Infy.

By order of Maj Genl J B McPherson
N Y Clark A A Genl

Head Quarters 3rd Div 17th AC
Vicksburg Miss Aug 20th 1863

Special Order no 18

II. Attention is called to General order no 72 and 206 current series from the Adjutants General's Office Washington DC relating to deserters.

The lists will be forwarded through the regular military channels not later than the 5th of every month.

The blank will be neatly folded and enclosed in a wrapper with the remarks of transmittal on it from each of the intermediate commanders.

The names transmitted will be only these of the month for which it is sent. One capt will be sent to the Provost Marshal General directed and the other as above indicated.

By order of Brig Genl J D Stevenson
R R Townes A A A Genl

Official J B Walker A A A Genl

Head Quarters Dist of Memphis
Memphis Tennessee
Aug 20th 1863

Special Order no 390

II. The following names enlisted men now stationed in Provisional encampment are hereby detailed for duty as Teamsters in O M Dept and will report forthwith to Capt N A Walker
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Private Cyrus Joyce Co "H" 78th Ohio Infantry
By order of Brig Genl J C Veach
James O Peirce
A A Genl

Head Quarters 17th Army Corps Department of the Tennessee
Vicksburg Miss Aug 20th 1863

Special Order no 176

II. On Surgeon's Certificate that it is necessary to save life, or prevent permanent disability,
leave of absence for twenty days is granted to Col Greenberry F Niles 78th Reg Ohio Vols.

By order of Maj Genl McPherson
Ino W Monroe
A A Genl

Head Quarters Department of the Tenn
Vicksburg Miss Aug 24th 1863

Special Order no 231

Extract 13. 1st Lieut William H Hessin 78th Regiment Ohio Infantry Volunteers is hereby
detailed for Special Service as Aid-de-Camp to Brigadir Genl M D Leggett and will report
accordingly. This detail to be operative from Aug 8th 1863.

By order of Major Genl U S Grant
Ino A Rawlins
A A Genl

Head Quarters 17th Army Corps
Dept of the Tennessee
Vicksburg Miss Aug 27th 1863

Special Order no 182

On Surgeon's Certificate that it is necessary to save life or prevent permanent disability
leave of absence for twenty days is granted 1st Lieut James C Harris "D" Co 78th Reg Ohio
Vols.

By order of Maj Gen Jas B McPherson
Ino A Monroe A A Genl

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Head Quarters 17th Army Corps
Dept of the Tennessee
Vicksburg Miss Aug 31st 1863

Special Order no 186

The following named enlisted men are detailed as nurses in Genl Hospital no "2" and will
report to Surgeon Hill in charge.

Private Joseph Geyer "A" Co 78th Ohio Vols.
Private James McBurney "H" Co 78th Ohio Vols.

By order of Maj Genl Jas B McPherson
Ino A Monroe A A Genl

Head Quarters Department of the Tennessee
Vicksburg Miss Aug 24th 1863

Special Order no 227

Extract 6: Leave of Absence for twenty days is hereby granted Major J L Rainey 78th Regt Ohio Infantry Vols to proceed beyond the limits of the Department.

This leave of absence is granted under Section 31 of an act entitled "An Act for enrolling and calling out the National Forces and for other purposes" is approved March 3rd 1863, and will be noted accordingly on the proper muster and pay rolls.

By order of Maj Genl U S Grant
Ino A Rawlins
A A Genl

Head Quarters 17th Army Corps
Dept of the Tennessee
Vicksburg Miss Sept 3rd 1863

Special Order no 189

VI. The troops of this corps on the recent expedition under command of Brig Genl John D Stevenson will be mustered as of the 31st Inct.

By order of Maj Genl Jas B McPherson
Ino H Monroe A A A Genl

Official R R Townes A A Genl

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Head Quarters 2nd Dept of the Tenn
Vicksburg Miss Sept 7th 1863

Special Order no 245

Extract: I. The following names enlisted men having passed the examination prescribed in Par IV of General Order no 106 War Dept AGA dated April 28th 1863 are in accordance with authority granted in Par XI of the same orders transferred to the Signal Corps U S A and will be dropped from the Rolls of their respective Regts and will report without arms and with Descriptive Lists to Capt O H Howard Chief Signal Officers of this Dept.

J Hall Corporal Co "J" 78th Ohio Vol Infantry

By order of Maj Gen U S Grant
Ino A Rawlins
A A Genl

Official Ino H Mumrol A A Genl

Head Quarters Dept of the Tenn
Vicksburg miss Sept 18th 1863

Special Order no 248

Extract 19: Leave of absence for twenty days is hereby granted Asst Surgeon N M Beach 78th Regt Ohio Vols with permission to proceed beyond the limits of the Dept. This leave of absence is granted under Section 31 of an act entitled "An Act for **enlabelling** and calling out the National Forced and for other purposes" approved March 3rd 1863 and will be noted accordingly on the proper Muster and Pay Rolls.

By order of Maj Gen U S Grant
Ino A Rawlins
Brig Gen and Act Assist Adj Genl

Head Quarters 14th Army Corps
Medical Directors Office
Vicksburg Miss Sept 7th 1863

Special Order no 84

Extract 2: Asst Surgeon C C [smudged] Forest 48th Regt Ohio Vol Infantry has reported to duty will without delay report to Surgeon Powell in charge of McPherson's Hospital 17th Army Corps for duty.

By order of Maj Genl McPherson
J H Bouchee
Surgeon U S Vols
Med Director 17th Army Corps

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Head Quarters 17th Army Corps
Dept of the Tennessee
Vicksburg Miss Sept 14th 1863

General Order no 25

The 6th Division, commanded by Brig Genl Ino McArthur will be designated and known hereafter as the 1st Division.

The 7th Division, commanded by Brig Genl Jan E Smith will be designated and known hereafter as the 2nd Division.

By order of Major General Ja B McPherson
Jarno H Monroe A A Genl

Head Quarters Dept of the Tenn
Vicksburg Miss Sept 4 1863

Special Order no 252

Extract 13: Leave of absence for twenty days is hereby granted Capt John [faded] 78th Ohio Vols with permission to proceed beyond the limits of the department.

This leave of absence is granted under section 31 of an act entitled “An Act for enrolling and calling out the National Forces and for other purposes” approved March 3rd 1863 and will be noted accordingly on the proper Muster and Pay Rolls.

By order of Maj Genl U S Grant
Ino A Rawlins
Brig Genl and Act Assist Adj Genl

Head Quarters Dept of the Tennessee
Vicksburg Miss Sept 17th 1863

Special Order no 233

Extract: Leave of absence for twenty days is hereby granted 2nd Lieut Arch W Steward 78th Regt Vols with permission to proceed beyond the limits of the Dept.

This leave of absence is granted under Section 31 of an act entitled “An Act for enrolling and calling out the National Forces and for other Purposes” approved March 3rd 1863 and will be noted accordingly on the proper Muster and Pay Rolls.

By order of Maj Genl U S Grant
Ino A Rawlins
Brig Gen and Act Assist Adj Genl

Head Quarters Dept of the Tenn
Vicksburg Miss Sept 17th 1863

Special Order no 255

Leave of absence for twenty days is hereby granted to 2nd Lieut Humphry A McDonald 78th Ohio Vols with permission to proceed beyond the limits of this department.

this leave of absence is granted under section 31

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of an act entitled “An Act for enrolling and calling out National Forces and for other purposes” approved March 3rd 1863 and will be noted accordingly on the proper Muster and Pay Rolls.

By order of Major General U S Grant
Ino A Rawlins
Brig Genl and Act Asst Adj Genl

Head Quarters Department of the Tenn
Vicksburg Miss Sept 18th 1863

Special Order no 237

Extract: Private William J White of Co B 78th Regt Ohio Infantry Volunteers is hereby detached from said Regiment and Assigned to duty as Non-Commissioned Officer of 9th Regiment Louisiana Vol of African descent.

By order of Maj Genl U S Grant
Ino A Rawlins
Brig Genl and Act Assist Adj Genl

Head Quarters Dept of the Tenn
Vicksburg Miss Sept 18th 1863

Special Order no 251

Extract: Sergt Levi F Johnston of Co "H" 78th Regiment Ohio Infantry Vols is hereby detailed for Special Service in contraband Dept and will report in person without delay to Chaplain Eaton Sept Freed Negroes.

Maj Genl U S Grant
Ino A Rawlins
Brig Genl and Act Assist Adjt Genl

Head Quarters Dept of the Tennessee
Vicksburg Miss Sept 5th 1863

Special Order no 243

Private George M Chandler Co "J" 78th Regt Ohio Infantry Vols will proceed immediately to Columbus O for the purpose of appearing before a Medical Board of Examiners with the main of being commissioned Assistant Surgeon. The Quarter Master Department will furnish him for the transportation.

By order of Major Genl U S Grant
John A Rawlins
Brig Gen and Act Asst Adjt Genl

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Head Quarters Camp Cleveland
Cleveland O Sept 8th 1863

Special Order no 7

Extract: I. By direction of the Sec of War, the following named officers and enlisted men are relieved from the duty to which they have been assigned at this camp and will return fort worth to their respective regiments.

Capt W N McCarty	78th Regt	OVI
Private — Lhriver	78th Regt	OVI
— Parker	78th Regt	OVI

By order of Brig Genl Vrile
Edgar B Van Winkle A A A Genl

Head Quarters 17th Army Corps
Medical Director's Office
Vicksburg Miss Sept 19th 1863

Special Order no 86

Assist Surgeon A Campbell 81st Regt Ill Vol Infantry is hereby temporarily relieved from duty with his Regt and will without delay report to the C O 78th Regt Ohio Vol Infantry for duty.

By order of Maj Genl McPherson
J M Bonchee

Surg M S Cols Med Director
17th Army Corps

Head Quarters 2nd Brig 3rd Div 17th Army Corps
Vicksburg Miss Sept 21st 1863

Special Order no 29

Private E B Cramblit Co "A" 78th Ohio Vols Infantry is hereby detailed (temporarily) for duty at these Head Quarters and will at once report for duty.

By order of Brig Genl Force
J B Walker A A A Genl

Head Quarters 2nd Brig 3rd Division 17th Army Corps
Vicksburg Miss Sept 22nd 1863

Special Order no 30

Private Eli B Cramblit Co "A" 78th Ohio Vol Infantry is hereby relieved from extra duty at these Head Quarters and will report to his proper Comdg Officer for duty.

By order of Brig Genl M F Force
J B Walker A A A Genl

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Head Quarters 2nd Brig 3rd Div 17th AC
Vicksburg Miss Sept 22nd 1863

Special Order no 31

Private John H McCnne Co "D" 78th Ohio Vol Infantry is hereby detail (temporarily) for extra duty at these Head Quarters and will report forthwith.

By order of Brig Genl Force
J B Walker A A A Genl

Head Quarters Dept of the Tennessee
Vicksburg Miss Sept 22nd 1863

Special Order no 26

Sergt Finley McDonald Co "H" 78th Regiment Ohio Infantry Vols is hereby detailed for Special Service in "Contraband" Department and will report in person without delay to Chaplain Easton, Genl Supt Contrabands.

By order of Major Genl U S Grant
Ino A Rawlins: A A A Genl

Head Quarters 17th Army Corps
Dept of the Tennessee
Vicksburg Miss Sept 16th 1863

Special Order no 212

VI. The following named enlisted men are detailed for Special duty in Quarter Master Department and will report forthwith to Lieut J P Smith A A Q M at these Head Quarters.

Private	George W Richardson	Co "A" 78th O Vol Infantry
"	Lewis Colins	Co "D" " "
"	Jesse Morthead	Co "F" " "

By order of Major Genl James B McPherson
Ino H Munroe
Asst Adj Genl

Head Quarters 17th Army Corps
Vicksburg Miss Sept 28th 1863

Special Order no 214

VI. Special order no 2121 Extract. VI. from these Head Quarters detailing Private Jesse Moorehead F Co 78th Regt Ohio Infantry Vols is hereby revoked and Private Moorehead will immediately report to the Comdg Office of his Regt.

By order of Maj Genl Jas B McPherson
Ino H Munroe
Asst Adj Genl

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Head Quarters Dept of the Tenn
Vicksburg Miss Sept 29th 1863

Special Order no 264

Extract. Private George W Beasler Co "B" 78th Regt Ohio Infantry Vols more leaving with Battery "F" 1st Illinois Light Artillery is hereby relieved from duty with said Battery and will at once rejoin his regiment.

By order of Major General U S Grant
John A Rawlins
Brig Gen and Act Asst Adj Genl

Vicksburg Mississippi
Sept 29th 1863

Special order no 63

- I. The following regulations for the government of freedmen are announced for the information and government of all concerned.
- II. All male negroes, who after examination shall be found capable of bearing arms will be organized into Companies and Regiments. All others, including men incapable of bearing arms, women, and children, instead of being permitted to remain in camps in idleness, will be required to perform such labor as may be suited to their several conditions in the Several Staff Dept. of the Army, on plantations, leased or otherwise, within our lines as wood choppers, or in any way that their labor can be made available. For the carrying out of these regulations there will be established a system of general and local supervision.

- III. The Quarter Masters, Commissaries, and Medical Department will issue supplies necessary for the cars and employment of these people on the regulation of the proper authorized officers.
- IV. All freed people by whomever employed will be paid for their labor as already ordered as whenafter may be determined by the Commanding General of the Dept.
- V. A tax of ten percent on all labor rated at six dollars per month or above will be deducted from monthly payments and paid to superintendents by all officers and private individuals employing or having in charge colored laborers to be expended, according to order for provided for the sick and otherwise dependent.
- VI. Transportation will be furnished for persons and gloves for the benefit of these people on Government Transports and Military Railroads within the Dept on the order of the Genl Superintendent.
- VII. Citizens voluntarily laboring for the benefit of these people, saving as they do to the Gov cost of labor in providing for their care, will, when properly accredited by the Genl Superintendent, be entitled to rations, quarters and transportation, on Government Transports and Military Rail Roads within the department.

By order of the Secretary of War
L Thomas
Adjutant General

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Head Quarters 2nd Brig 3rd Division
Vicksburg Miss Oct 12th 1863

Special Order no 34

To enable the Ohio regiments to vote tomorrow the 78th Ohio will march off Picket in time to reach camp by 10 o'clock and return by 12 o'clock, leaving the judged and clerks in camp. On their return to post, the details (or so many of them as [cut off] to vote) from the 20th and 78th Ohio) will march to camp and [cut off] in a body immediately after having voted.

An effort will be made to have fatigue parties returned in season to vote.

By order of Brig Ino Force
J B Walker
Asst Adj Genl

Head Quarters 17th AC Dept of the Tenn
Vicksburg Miss Oct 12th 1863

Special Order no 228

The following named enlisted men are detailed for special duty in Quarter Masters Dept and will report forthwith to Lieut J P Smith A A Q M at his office on Harrison St near Chury. H Echelberry "D" Co 78th Regt Ohio Infantry Vols.

By order of Major Genl Jas B McPherson
H J Clark
Asst Adj Genl

Head Quarters 17th AC Dept of the Tenn
Vicksburg Miss Oct 13th 1863

Special Order no 229

XVIII. The men of the 78th Ohio Vols men on duty in Ordnance Dept are hereby relieved and will join their Regiment forthwith.

By order of
Maj Genl McPherson
H J Clark
Asst Adj Genl

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Head Quarters 3rd Div 17th AC
Vicksburg Miss Oct 13th 1863

Special Order no 162

III. The troops of their Governance will move tomorrow morning at 6 o'clock precisely.

The following will be the order of the march:

1st Brigade Brig Ino Leggett Commanding

1 Regiment of Infantry advance guard

1 " " " " "

Battery 1st Miss Light Artillery

3 Regiments of Voluntary

2nd Brigade Brig Genl M F Force Commanding

2 Regts Infantry

Battery 8th Michigan Light Artillery

2 Regiments of Infantry

3rd Brigade Brig Genl Mattby Comdg

2 Regts of Infantry

Battery "D" 1st Ills Artillery

2 Regts of Infantry

Ammunition Train

Division Train

1 Regt Infantry Rear Guard

The train of Division H'd Qr's will follow the Rear of the 1st Brig. The Ambulances and H'd Qr's train of Brigade to which they belong. One ammunition wagon will follow in the rear of each Regiment. The troops will be supplied with three days rations in Haversacks. The train will be in charge of Lieut G G Williams.

The division will form on the Jackson Road and march in the direction of messengers Ford via Fifferi Town.

By order of Maj Genl Logan
Samuel Caldeville
Asst Adj Genl

Head Quarters 2nd Brig 3rd Division
Oct 13th 1863

The 68th Ohio and 78th Ohio Vols will march in front and the 20th Ohio and 30th Ills in the rear of the Battery.

There will be no further objections to men doing their cooking tonight.

The senior officer of the Brigade left in Camp will take charge of the four Regiments and will report to Genl McArthur.

By order of Brig Genl Force
J B Walker A A A Genl

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3rd 1st Brigade and one Battery

4th 2nd Brigade Train

5th 2nd Brigade and one Battery, the Battery to be placed in the centre of the Brigade. The Ambulances and Ammunition [cut off] will follow the Regts.

III. There will be reported to these Head Quarters two Regt from 1st Brigade and one from 3rd Brigade when the line is formed to be by a Staff Officer distributed as a train Guard. Each Regiment will have a rear Guard, and no straggling will be tolerated under any circumstances.

All the line must be kept well closed up and ready to repel any attack from the enemy.

By order of Maj Genl Logan
(signed) Samuel Caldwell
A A A Genl

Head Quarters 3rd Division 17th AC
Camp near Bolton Miss Oct 18th 1863

Special Order no 166

I. The order of march tomorrow will be as follows:

1st Three Regiments of 1st Brigade and one Battery

2nd Division and 1st Brigade trains

3rd Two Regts of 1st Brigade

4th 2nd Brigade Train

5th 2nd Brigade and one Battery

6th 3rd Brigade train with one Regt of 3rd Brigade in center

7th Four Regts of 3rd Brigade with Battery in center

The ambulance and ammunition wagons will follow the regiments.

II. Each regiment will have a rear guard and no stragglers will be tolerated under any circumstances.

All the line must be kept well closed up and ready to repel an attack.

By command of Maj Genl Logan
Samuel Caldwell
A A A Genl

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Head Quarters 17th AC Dept of the Tenn
Camp near Bolton Miss Oct 18th 1863

Special Field Order no 5

The roll will be called in the Regiments and Batteries of this command at 5 o'clock AM tomorrow.

The division under command of Maj Genl Logan will be in readiness to march at 7 o'clock AM.

By order of Maj Genl McPherson
("S") James Wilsom Lt Col
Pro May 17th AC

Head Quarters 3rd Division 17th AC
Camp near Big Black Miss Oct 19th 1863

Special Order no 167

I. The order of march to camp at Vicksburg tomorrow will be as follows:

1st 2nd Brigade 1 Battery and Trains at 7 o'clock

2nd 3rd " " " " " "

3rd 1st " " " " " "

The ambulances will follow their regiments.

II. Brigade commanders will send their sick and foot sore to the Rail Road Depot near these Head Quarters in time for the 7 o'clock train to Vicksburg.

By order of Maj Genl Logan
Samuel Caldwell
A A A Genl

Head Quarters 17th AC Dept of the Tenn
Vicksburg Miss Oct 13th 1863

Special Order no 229

IX. Surgeon J S Reeves 78th Regt Ohio Vol Infantry having reported for assignment, in compliance with orders, will without delay report to the commanding officer of his regt for duty, relieving Asst Surg. Campbell 81st Regt Ills Vols Infantry who upon being relieved will report to his commanding officer for duty.

By order of Major Genl James B McPherson
H F Clark
Asst Adjt Genl

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Head Quarters 17th AC Dept of the Tenn
Vicksburg Miss Oct 30th 1863

Special Order no 246

VIII. Private George H Beardsley "B" Co 78th Regt Ohio Vol Infantry is detached from his company and regiment and assigned to duty as non-commissioned officer, in the 1st Regiment Miss. Heavy Art of African descent.

By order of Maj Genl James B McPherson
J H Monroe

Asst Adjt Genl

Head Quarters 17th AC Dept of the Tenn
Vicksburg Miss Oct 15th 1863

Special Order no 89

Extract 3: Asst Surgeon Beach, 78th Regt Ohio Vol Infantry is hereby temporarily relieved from duty with his regiment and will without delay report to the commanding officer of Cowoalescent Camp for duty.

By order of Maj Genl McPherson
J H Boucher
Sur U S A
Med Director 17th [cut off]

Head Quarters 3rd Div 17th AC
Vicksburg Miss Nov 2nd 1863

Special Order no 178

IV. Capt Alex Sealis 78th Regt Ohio Vols Infantry is hereby relieved from duty in the Pioneer Camps and will report to the Commanding Officer his Regt for orders.

By order of Major Genl Ino A Logan
Samuel Caldwell Act Asst Adjt Genl

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Head Quarters 3rd Division 17th AC
Vicksburg Miss Nov 3rd 1863

Special Order no 179

II. Private Darius Elliot Co "C" 78th Ohio Vol Infantry is hereby detailed for special duty in pioneer corps and will report to Asst Sur B J Theyer for orders.

By command of Maj Genl Logan
Samuel Caldwell
A Asst Adjt Genl

Head Quarters 17th AC Dept of the Tenn
Vicksburg Miss Nov 4th 1863

Special Order no 251

III. The following named officers of the 78th Regt Ohio Infantry Vols are hereby detached from their Regiments for Recruiting Service and will report to the General Superintendent at Columbus, Ohio.

The Quartermaster's Department will provide transportation: Maj Ino J Ramey

By order of Maj Genl McPherson
[faded] H Munroe
Asst Adjt Genl

Head Quarters 17th AC Dept of the Tenn
Vicksburg Miss Nov 4th 1863

Special Order no 251

III. The following named officers and non-commissioned officers belonging to the 78th Ohio Infantry Vols are hereby detached from their command for recruiting service and will report to the General Superintendent at Columbus, Ohio. The Quartermaster's department will furnish transportation: 1st Sergeant Henry Spear "A" Company.

By order of Maj Genl McPherson
Ino H Munroe
A A Genl

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Head Quarters 3rd Division 17th AC
Vicksburg Miss Nov 18th 1863

Special Order no 5

II. Sergt. Clinton Starr Co "J" 78th Regt Ohio Vol Infantry is hereby detailed as Clerk for Military Commissioner and will report to these Head Quarters forthwith.

By order of Brig Genl Leggett
J C Douglass
A A Genl

Head Quarters 3rd Division 17th AC
Vicksburg Miss Nov 19th 1863

General Order no 6

It appearing upon the Statement of their Commanding Officers that the following named non-commissioned officers and private were unavoidably detained when on furlough they are hereby reported to duty without loss of pay or allowance.

Private David N Forsyth "A" Co 78th OVI

" Henry C Bougus "B" " "

Corpl Jan N Foa "D" " "

Private Burk Clark " " "

" Benj H Harlan " " "

" N J Frauir " " "

" Noah H [smudged] "C" " "

" John Switzer " " "

" John N Hays " " "

" N Landerman " " "

Corpl John Olerir "F" " "

Private James L Nortman " " "

" James Re[smudged] " " "

Corpl Joseph P Coman "G" " "

Private Amer Nileoy " " "

" Linley Williams " " "

“	Jacob Vandyke	“	“	“
“	Jacob Hague	“	“	“
“	Harem Atkinson	“	“	“
Sergt	Isaac Burbach	“J”	“	“

By order of Brig Genl Leggett
J C Douglass
A A Genl

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Head Quarters 3rd Division 17th AC
Vicksburg Miss Nov 20th 1863

Special Order no 7

A Board of Survey is hereby appointed to meet at Head Quarters 3rd Division 17th AC at 9 o'clock AM 21 N Post for the purpose of [smudged] the discrepancy between the service and the actual quantity property trains found from Lieut V Warener Act Ord Officers 3rd Division to Cept S J Myers Comdg Escort Co 3rd Division.

Detail for the Board
Captain Huain H Poe 68th OVI
Lieut William P Sitton 8th Ills Vol Infantry
“ Joseph Miller 78th OVI

By order of Brig Genl Leggett
J C Douglass
A A Genl

Head Quarters 17th Army Corps Dept of the Tenn
Vicksburg Miss November 20th 1863

Special Order no 267

Extract XV: The following named officers non-commissioned officers and privates belonging to the 78th Regt Ohio Infantry Vols are hereby detached from their command for recruiting service and will report to the General Superintendent of Recruiting for the State of Ohio at Columbus.

The Quartermaster's Dept will furnish transportation: Sergt Major Adolphus H Search

By order of Major Genl McPherson
H J Clark
Asst Adj Genl

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Head Quarters 2nd Brig 3rd Division
Vicksburg Miss Nov 24th 1863

Special Order no 6

Private John H McCune Co “D” 78th Ohio Vol Infantry is hereby relieved from duty at these Head Quarters and will accordingly report to his proper Comdg Officer for duty.

By order of B H Potts
Col Domdg 2nd Brigade

Alfred A Phillips
A A A Genl

Hatchurg Miss Nov 7th 1863

Special Order no 98

Military Commanders at the respective Posts and Stations on the Mississippi River will cause the Ordinance Officers of their Commands, to furnish to all Steamboats in Government [cut off] fire stand of arms with a sufficient supply of ammuniton to enable the employees on said boat to protect thempel.

The Captains of Boats will receipt for Ordinance and Ordinance Stores and will be held responsible for the safe keeping of the [cut off] and that on waste is onad of the ammuniton.

This order is issued in the absence of Major General U S Grant USA from the immediate vicinity of the River and in consequence of recent attacks by guerillas on many of the boats passing up and down the river.

The order is issued subject to such modification as Maj General Grant may deem expedient.

By order of the Secretary of War
L Thomas
Adjutant General

Head Quarterd 3rd Division 17th AC
Vicksburg Miss Dec 1st 1863

Special Order no 17

In compliance with General Order no 22 dated Head Quarters Department of the Tenn, Young's Points, La, March 30th 1863.

The following persons are detailed to take charge of Division Ambulance Train and will report to Lieut C C Williams A A Q M forthwith and to be assigned to duty.

Lieut J P Springer 78th Ohio Infantry
By order of Brig Genl Leggett
J C Douglass

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Head Quarterd 3rd Div 17th AC
Vicksburg Miss Dec 1st 1863

Special Order no 17

III. The following named enlisted men are hereby detailed as Seamsters and will forthwith report with descriptive Rolls to Lieut C C Williams A A Q M 3rd Division for duty.

Private M N Milson Co "A" 78th OVI
" Noah Decker Co "G" "
" B H Sander " " "

By order of Brig Genl Leggett
(signed) S C Douglass
A A Genl

Head Quarters 17th AC Dept of the Tenn
Vicksburg Miss Dec 8th 1863

Special Order no 285

V. The following named Officers non-commissioned Officers and Private belonging to the 78th Regt Ohio Infantry Volunteers are hereby detached from their command for recruiting service, and will report to the General Superintendent of Recruiting for the State of Ohio at Columbus. The Quarter Master Department will furnish transportation: Lieut Priv Rhinehart Co "G" 78th Regt OVI.

By order of Maj Genl James B McPherson
N G Clark
Asst Adj Genl

Head Quarters 1st Miss Heavy Arty of AC
Vicksburg Miss Dec 9th 1863

Special Order no 111

Private Geo N Beardsley of Co "B" 78th Ohio Vol Infantry detailed by special order no 246 Corps Head Quarters to report to Col Lieut to be appointed a non-commissioned officer in the 1st Miss Heavy Artillery AC is at his own request relieved from further duty in the Regt and will report to his own former commander.

By order of H Lieut Col
R B Vial Adjutant

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Head Quarters 17th Army Corps
Vicksburg Miss Dec 10th 1863

Special Order no 287

VII. The attention of the Division Commanders is directed to the order requiring the men of this command to cook by camp armies.

Cooking in tents or by squads is peremptorily forbidden.

By order Maj Genl J B McPherson
H J Clark
Asst Adj Genl

Official J C Douglass
Asst Adj Genl

Head Quarters 17th AC Dept of [cut off]
Vicksburg Miss Dec 12th 1863

Special Order no 292

XVII. The following named Officers and Non-Commissioned Officers and Privates, belonging to the 78th Regt Ohio Infantry Vols are hereby detached from their command for recruiting service and will report to the General Superintendent of Recruiting for the State of Ohio at Columbus. The Quartermaster's Dept will furnish transportation: Segt Andrew McDaniel "B" Co.

By order of Maj Genl J B McPherson
H J Clark
Asst Adjt Genl

Head Quarters 17th Army Corps
Vicksburg Miss Dec 18th 1863

Special Order no 295

- I. Commissaries of Subsistence will issue flour to all regiments, batteries, and detachments of that command, except those doing permanent garrison duty at Vicksburg; provided it shall appear from the certificate [cut off] the Medical Officer in charge of the regiment, battery, or detachment, desiring to draw flour that it has a bakery and can furnish good bread to the men.

By order of Maj Genl McPherson
(signed) H J Clark
A A Genl

Official (signed)
A C Douglass
A A Genl

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Head Quarters 3rd Div 17th AC
Vicksburg Miss Dec 28th 1863

Special Order no 37

- II. The following enlisted men are hereby detailed for Special service as teamsters and will report at once to Lieut C C Williams A A Q M 3rd Div for duty. Private William Armstrong Co "C" 78th Ohio Infantry Vols.

By order of Brig Genl M Leggett
William H Hessin
A A A Genl

Head Quarters 17th AC
Vicksburg Miss Dec 29th 1863

Special Order no 306

The following named enlisted men are detailed for Special duty as teamsters in Corps Supply Train and will report forthwith to Lieut J P Smith A A Q M: Private James E Payton "D" Co 78th Regt OVI.

By order of Maj Genl McPherson
Samuel L Jaggart
Asst Adjt Genl

Head Quarters 3rd Div 17th AC
Vicksburg Miss Dec 29th 1863

Special Order no 38

II. So much of Special Order no 37 Par 11 of fate Head Quaters 3rd Div 17th AC Dec 18th 1863 detailing Private William Armstrong Co "C" 78th Ohio Infantry Vols for Special Service as teamster in Quartermaster Dept 3rd Div is hereby revoked. He being on Special Duty in the Quater Master's Dept in this Regt.

By order of Brig Genl Leggett
J C Douglass
Act Genl

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Head Quarters 3rs Dm 17th AC
Vicksburg Miss Dec 30th 1863

Special Order no 39

III. Speciate John Stokes Co "C" 78th Ohio Infantry Vols is hereby detailed for Special Service in Quater Masters Dept and will forthwith report to Lieut CC Williams A A Q M 3rd Div for duty.

By order of Brig Genl Leggett
William H Helsin
A A A Genl

Head Quarters 17th AC Dept of Tenn
Vicksburg Miss Feb 9th 1864

Special Order no 39

II. Private George H Beardslee "B" Co 78th Regt Ohio Infantry Vols is relieved from detached service as a non-commissioned officer in the 1st Miss Heavy Artillery AC and will forthwith report to the Comdg Officer of his Regt for duty.

By order of Maj Genl McPherson
Samuel L Jaggart A A A Genl

Head Quarters Dept of the Tenn
Meridian Miss Feb 5th 1864

Special Field Order no 18

The General Commanding conveys his congratulations and thanks for the officers and men of this command for their most successful accomplishment of one of the great problems of the war.

Meridian the great railway center of the Southwest is in our possession and by industry and hard work, can be rendered useless to the enemy and deprive him of the chief service of supply to his armies. Secret in plan and rapidity of execution accomplish the best results of war, and the General Commanding assures all that be following their leaders parlessly and with correspondence they will in time reap the reward so dear to us all, a peace that will never again be disturbed in our country by a discruntented minority.

By order of Maj Genl W T Sherman
J M Dayton

W J Clark
A A Genl

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Head Quarters 3rd Div 17th AC Dept of the Tenn
Vicksburg Miss Feb 23 1864

Special Order no 29

Ext: At the request of Lieut W C Whitney Comdg Battery "Y" 1st Ills Light Artillery, the following named enlisted men are hereby relieved from duty with said battery and will report to their respective commanders for duty: Arthur W Bays, 78th Ohio Infantry Vols.

By order of Brig Genl Leggett
William H Hessin
Act Asst Adjt Genl

Head Quarters Dept of the Tenn
Canton Miss Feb 26th 1864

Special Field Order no 21

- I. The troops composing the expedition will rest near Canton until the General Commanding can ride to Pickersburg and dispatch back orders for the movement dependent on the State of affairs since our departure. The following disposition will be made of the troops. 1st the 16th Corps will occupy the space from Canton road to Brig Block on the Lajoo City road. The 14th Corps, the space from Canton to Pearl river by the road on which we marched.
2nd General Hurlbut will cause the crossing at Big Black to be **recomoistered** and boats and material collected to build a bridge if ordered or needed. 3rd Genl McPherson will cause the bridge built over Pearl, by the Pioneers to be guarded till the last moment of its utility to us when it will be destroyed in toto. 4th The cavalry will take to the north and east of Canton, and will picket and scout out [smudged] between Big Black and Pearl River at least seventy miles.
- II. Corps Commanders will at the earliest practicable moment dispatch into Vicksburg under escort of three or four regts, entitled to furloughs by reasons of reenlistment. All the surplus wagons and captured stock, all sick, and wounded men, all prisoners, negroes, and indeed every thing that is an impediment or dead weight to the army retaining only the effective force of soldiers and servants, and the necessary transportation for short movements.
- III. Genl Tuttle Comdg all Big Black Bridge will dispatch immediately under escort of one of his brigades, afront 60 loads of hard head sugar, salt, and coffee, in the proportion of the ration to be divided between the two corps of the army, counting the cavalry, and Genl Tuttle's Brigade with the 10th Corps to produce the quality. This train will come out by Edwards Depot, Greenville Church, Brownsville, and Lexington
- IV. Genl Hurlbut will cause a section of about 10 miles of the Miss, central R R north of and including the bridge over Brig Black to be effectively destroyed, and Genl McPherson will cause a similar break at and south of Canton.

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Genl McPherson will also cause the Locomotive and Cars to be entirely destroyed with powder if necessary.

- V. Col Winslow will detail a Regiment entitled furlough by reason of reenlistment to report to the Genl Commanding at 7 AM tomorrow without wagons and with two days rations to escort him to Big Black Bridge.

By order of Maj Genl W T Sherman
J M Dayton

Official H J Clark
A A Genl

Head Quarters 3rd Div 17th Army Corps
Canton Miss Feb 27th 1864

Special Field Order no 7

Ext: IV: Col B J Potts, 3rd Ohio Vol Infantry being relieved from the command of the 2nd Brig that he may accompany his Regt to Ohio. Lieut Col Miles 78th Ohio Vol Inftry will take command of the Brig.

By order of Brig Genl Leggett
J C Douglass A A Genl

Head Quaters 3rd Division 17th AC
Canton Miss Feb 28th 1864

Special Field Order no 8

The troops of this command will be mustered for pay tomorrow, the 29th inst and the proper muster, and muster and pay rolls made [cut off] as soon thereafter as practicable.

By order of Brig Genl Leggett
(signed) J C Douglass A A Genl

Head Quarters 3rd Div 17th AC Dept of Tenn
Vicksburg Miss March 6th 1864

Special Order no 33

Ext: I. Col R A Scott, 68th OVI having reported for duty, relieved Lt Col, G F Miles, 78th OVI of the 2nd Brig, 3rd Div.: Lt Col Miles on being relieved of the command of the 2nd Brig will take command of his regiment.

By order of Brig Genl Leggett
J C Douglass A A Genl

Head Quarters 17th AC Vicksburg Miss March 8th 1864

Special Order no 34

III. Division commanders will direct that all Hospital tents, except two allowed to each Regt, be forthwith turned in to the Depot Quarter Master to be used for Hospital purposes.

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By order of Maj Genl McPherson
(S) Samuel L Jaggett
A A Genl

Official J C Douglass
A A Genl

head Quarters 17th AC
Vicksburg Miss March 10th 1864

Special Order no 66

XI. In accordance with instructions from the chief of ordnance Bureau Washington DC all muskets other than Springfield Rifle Muskets Cal. 38, will be turned in to leapt Churchill, Deport Ordnance Officer, and the new Springfield musket drawn in place on proper requisition.

II. The batteries of this command will be supplied with new muskets from Washington for that purpose and will turn over their old muckets leapt Churchill Dept Ordinance Officer.

III. Regiment of Veteran Volunteers will not draw new guns until they return from furlough.

By order of Maj Genl McPherson
(S) Rowl Cox A A Genl

Head Quarters 3rd Division 17th AC
Vicksburg Miss Jany 7th 1864

Special Order no 4

The following named enlisted men of the 78th Regt Ohio Infantry Vols having been reported absent without leave, and having punished satisfactory evidence that their absence was unavoidable, and that they returned to duty as soon as practicable, upon the recommendation of their Regimental Commander, hereby restored to duty with their respective (companies without top of pay or allowance)

The will be borne upon the proper returns and Muster and Pay Rolls accordingly.

Serg E G Narne Co "A"

Private Davis N Forsythe "

" Charles M Corbin "

" James M Brewer "

" John Fulton "

Serg John E Edgar "

Private Matthias Frace "

" Walter B Rop "

" John L Gander "B"

Private Solomon Wilson "B"

" John M Warner "

Sergt George N Forrence "C"

Private Lewis Bagley "

" Cyrus A James "

" Nathan Jewett "L"

Sergt. Simon P Joy "

Private Nathan Sloths “
Sergt. David B Rainey “H”

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Head Quarters 3rd Div 17th AC
Vicksburg Miss Dec 14 1863

Special Order no 28

II. The Military Commission of which Col N S Oliver is President having adjourned meet here after on Wednesday of each week; the members of Commission will be relieved from duty with their Regiments only on the day above mentioned.

By order of Brig Genl Leggett
William H Hessin
A A A Genl

Head Quaters 17 AC Dept of the Tennessee
Vicksburg Miss Dec 15th 1863

Special Order no 292

The following named Officers, non-commissioned Officers, and Privates, belonging to the 78th Regt Ohio Infantry Vols are hereby detached from their command for recruiting service and will report to the General Superintendent of Recruiting for the State of Ohio at Columbus. The Quartermaster will furnish transportation: Sergt. Andrew McDaniel “B” Co.

By order of Maj Genl James B McPherson
N S Clark
Asst Adjt Genl

Head Quarters 17th AC Dept of the Tennessee
Vicksburg Miss Dec 16 1863

Special Order no 292

The following named enlisted men are detailed for special duty in Quartermaster's Dept and are to report forthwith to Lieut J P Smith A A Q M near Genl Grant's late H Q.: Private James W Fairchild “C” Co 78th OVI

By order of Brig Genl James B McPherson
Sam L Jaggart
Asst Adjt Genl

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Head Quarters 3rd Div 17th Army Corps
Vicksburg Miss Dec 21st 1863

Special Order no 33

III. Private Robert Hanson “F” Co 78th Ohio Infantry Vols being unfit for active field service on account of deafness is hereby detailed for Special Service as Post Master 3rd Division 17th AC and will report forthwith to these Head Quartes for duty.

By order of Brig Genl Leggett
William H Hessin
A A A Genl

Head Quarters Dept and Army of the Tennessee
Bridgeport Ala Dec 26 1863

Special Order no 31

Ex: I. Capt Alexander Seals 78th Regt Ohio Vol Infantry having tendered his resignation is hereby honorably discharged the service of the United States with the condition that he shall receive no final payments until he has satisfied the pay Dept that he is not indebted to the government.

By order of Major Genl W T Sherman
R M Sawyer
Asst Adj General

(This officer certifies under date Nov 21 1863 that he was last paid by Major Stantonts include June 30th 1863)

Head Quarters 17th AC Dept of the Tennessee
Vicksburg Miss January 7th 1864

Special Order no 7

Private Geroe Beardsley "B" Co 78th Regt Ohio Infy. Vols is detached from his company and regiment for the purpose of being appointed and assigned to duty as non-commissioned officer in the 1st Miss Heavy Artillery AD and will forthwith report to Col H Lieut Comdg.

He will be discharged from his present command on being mustered into the new organization.

By order of Major Genl James B McPherson
Samuel L Jaggart
Asst Adjutant General

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Head Quarters 3rd Division 17th AC
Vicksburg Miss March 15 1864

Special Order no 41

- I. The following named enlisted men are hereby detailed for special service in commissary department 3rd Division and will report to Harry James in charge of cattle corral for duty: Private Lewis E Myer Co "B" 78th OVI.

By order of Brig Genl Leggett
J C Douglass
A A Genl

Head Quarters 3rd Division 17th Army Corps

Vicksburg Miss March 17th 1864

Special Order no 43

IV. Matthew W Bay Co "F" 78th OVI is hereby detailed for special service in battery "D" 1st Ill Light Artillery and will report at once to the Comdg Officer of said Battery for duty.

By order of Brig Genl Leggett

J C Douglass

A A Genl

Head Quarterd 3rd Division 17th AC

Vicksburg Miss March 18 1864

Special Order no 144

The following named enlisted men belonging to this 78th Ohio Infantry Vols having been mustered and reported absent without leave, having produced satisfactory evidence that their absence was unavoidable, are upon the recommendation of the Commanding Officer, approved by their intermediate Commanders, hereby restored to duty without loss of pay or allowances. They will be so noted on the proper Muster and Pay Rolls.

Private James Graham Co "G"

" William B Long "

" Alexander Barich "E"

" Alexander McConaughy "A"

" Henry Crawford "D"

By order of Brig Genl Leggett

AC Douglass A A Genl

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Head Quarters Northern Department

Columbus Ohio March 31st 1864

Special Order no 52

Extract: I. The following named enlisted men are hereby honorably discharged the service of the United States to enable them to receive promotion:

Sergt Major Adolphins W Scarch 78th OVI to take effect from July 10 1863

1st Sergeant Henry Spear Co "A" 78th OVI

" Addison A Adair "E" Co 78 OVI to take effect from Nov 16th 1863

Private Albert G Gault Co "F" 78th Regt OVVI to take effect from Nov 18th 1863

By order of Maj Genl Heintze [faded]

C H Potter

A A G

Head Quarters Detachment 17th AC

Dept [faded] Clifton Tenn

May 14th 1864

Special Order no 3

Heaner Taymond G H Willias, Comdg 78th OVVI from this place to cross Ills from (2.2)
twenty five clear pickets [faded] the [faded] [faded] Duncan Ordnance office [faded]

By order of
Brig Genl Leggett
J G Douglass
A A G

Head Quarters Detachment 17th AC
Clifton Tenn May 15th 1864

Special Field Order no 4, Par 15

The following named enlisted men are [faded] Special Service in the ambulance Corps 3rd
Division and will [faded] forthwith to Lieut [faded] P Dungan [faded] Isaac Springer "D" Co
78th Ohio Vol [faded] William [faded for the rest of the letter]

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Head Quarters Detachment 17th AC
Clifton Tenn May 15th

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War Department Adjt Genl Officer
Washington DC April 8th 1864

Special Order no 142

Extract: 24, By direction of the President 2nd Lieutenant James Brennan 78th Ohio Volunteers is
hereby dishonorably dismissed the service of the United States for drunkenness and absence
without leave.

By order of the Secretary of War
E D Townsend
Asst Adjt Genl

Official
E D Townsend
Asst Adjt Genl

Endorsed Genl Head Quarters State of Ohio
Adjt Genl Office Columbus May 5th 1864

I hereby certify that the within is a true extract of the original on file at this office.

R Hume
Asst Adjt Genl Ohio

Head Quarters 17th AC Dept of the Tennessee
Cairo Ill May 9th 1864

Special Order no 117

VI. The Officers of this Command are notified that a rigid inspection will be made upon the
disembarkation of the troops at Clifton and all surplus and unauthorized baggage will be

excluded from the Wagon Train. Any officer having such baggage of his own or belonging to his Command should turn it over immediately to the Dept Quartermaster.

By command of Genl F P Blair
A J Alexander
Lt Col Asst Adj Genl

Head Quarters 3rd Division 17th AC
Cairo Ill May 10th 1864

Special Order no 58

V. Lieut H A McDonald 78th OVVI is hereby detailed to take command of arm and equip the men unfit to march of the 81st and 30s Ills Inftry, he will report to Lt Col G F Miles Comdg 78th OVVI and will be provided for by him the same as any other Company of his Command.

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1st Van Sheet 2nd Forsythe 3rd Dickey
4th Hannibal 5th Dean 6th Illinois
7th Raymond 8th Glaston 9th Piaree
10th J J Roc 11th Iowa 12 Liberty No 2

By order of Brig Genl M D Leggett
J C Douglass
A A Genl

Head Quarters Expedition up Tenn River
Steamer Bon Phub May 11th 1864

Special Field Order no 1

In accordance with orders from Head Quarters from 17th AC Brig Genl Leggett hereby assumes Command of the troops composing this expedition up the Tennessee. They will be Brigaded as follows:

1st Brigade	
12th Wis Vol Infantry	3rd Iowa Vol Infantry
16th Iowa “ “	14th Ill Vol Infantry
32rd Ill “ “	15th “ “
33rd Ill “ “	Col Geo “E” Brigment 12 Wis Vol Comdg
2nd Brigade	
20th Ohio Vol Infantry	
68th “ “	
78th “ “	

Col Robert R Scott Commanding after entering the Tenn River a guard of (100) one hundred men to each bat properly officered will be kept constantly on duty ready to repel an attack or to act in any other emergency that may arise.

By order of Brig Genl M D Leggett
J C Douglass
A A Genl

Head Quarters Detachment 17th AC
Clifton Tenn May 13th 1864

Special Field Order no 2

The country through which the troops will march from Clifton Tenn to Huntsville Alabama being under Military protection no foraging of any description whatsoever will be allowed nor any houses entered by either officers or men except by permission from these Head Quarters.

Brigade Regimental Battery Commanders are especially

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charged with the strict enforcement of this order and the dissemination so thoroughly in their respective commands that any person connected there with cannot plead ignorance of its provisions, and person, officer, or soldier violating the same will be arrested, placed in the ranks and marched therein until the next halt for the night and then reported to these Head Quarters.

By order of Brig Gen M D Leggett
J C Douglass
A A Genl

Head Quarters Detachment 17th AC
Dept of the Tenn Clifton Tenn
May 14th 1864

Special Field Order no 8

Steamer Raymond will furnish transportation to Lieut Col G H Miles Comdg 78th OVVI from this place in [unclear] Ills, for twenty five armed chests. Delivering the same to Cardet Duncan Ordnance Officer at that place.

By order of
Brig Genl M D Leggett
J C Douglass
A A Genl

Head Quarters Detachment 78th AC
Clifton Tenn May 15th 1864

Special Field Part 15

The following named enlisted men are hereby detailed for Special Service in the ambulance Corps 3rd Division and will report forthwith to Lieut J P Springer, in charge for duty: Prace Springer, Company 78th Ohio Vol Infantry
William Lammderman "E" Co 78th Ohio Vol Infantry.

By order of
Brig Genl M D Leggett
E H Hessin
A A Genl

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Head Quarters Detachment [faded] AC
Dalton Tenn May 15th 1864

Special Field Order no 41

14 parties W Sanlterman Co 78th OVVI and William Mitles B Co 78th OVI and hereby relieved from Special Duty at these Head Quarters and will report to these Commanding Officers for duty without delay.

In relieving [faded] Launderman and Mitles No Gen Comdg [faded] in **Sory** that he has always found them [faded] reliable and soldierly in the discharge of every duty assigned.

By order of
Brig Genl Leggett
J C Douglass
A A Genl

CO 78 Ohio

Head Quarters Detachment 17th AC
Clifton Tenn May 15 1864

Special Field Order no 4

X. The troops of this command until time at 6 AM tomorrow precisely without further in the following order. 1st 2nd Brig 3rd Division.

No staggering will be permitted- all Brigades.

Regimental and Battery Commanders are [faded] regimental to arnes all stragglers and lead them with knapsacks for the allowance of the days march.

The **poes** will march in the rear of the command, to which they belong. If found out of the place assigned they will be dealt with as stragglers.

By order of Brig Genl M D Leggett
J C Douglass
A A Genl

Official Thomas P Logan
A A A Genl

Head Quarters 2nd Brig 3rd Div 17th AC
Clifton May 15th 1864

Regimental Comms will follow in the rear of their respective regiments.

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Regimental Commanders will establish a rear guard to their commands to prevent straggling.

By order of R N Scott
Col Comdg 2nd Brig
Thomas P C Cowen
A A A G

Head Quarters Detachment 17th AC
Clifton Tenn May 15th 1864

Special Field Order no 4

- II. The troops of this command will move tomorrow at 5 o'clock AM precisely. All commissary Quarter Masters and Ordnance seized must be locked in wagons today.

By order of
Brig Genl H D Leggett
J C Douglass
A A Genl

Head Quarters Detachment 17th AC
Waynesboro Penn May 10 1864

March tomorrow in the following order:

1st 1st Brig 4th Div and Battery

2nd 10 Ohio Battery

1st 1st Tegt 2 Brig 3rd Div (12th Ohio Vols)

2nd 3rd Div 2nd ambulance and Ord train

3rd Battery "B" 1st Mich Lt Battery

4th 2nd Regt 2nd Brig 3rd Division OV and 48th Ohio Vols

The 1st Brigade 4th Div will start at 5 o'clock AM precisely and the commanding the command promptly at 6 o'clock AM.

The commanding officers 1st Brig 4th Div will furnish details for marching and driving the battle under command of Capt Trumhbal.

When the columns is halted the arms will be stacked and are **srcle** of the head the teams will be well closed up and when the head will permit will be doubled up. Brigade Commanders will be responsible for the protection of the trains connected with their Brigades [the rest is faded]

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The cattle at 4 o'clock AM and the troops of this Brigade will assist in driving and quarreling the cattle, the commanders of the command will march at 6 AM.

Driving the whole of this march existing orders in regard to straggling and closing up the teams will be enforced and all Brigade Commanders will be held responsible for the portion of the trains [faded] with their Brig.

By order of Brig Genl Leggett
William H Hessin
A A Genl

Head Quarters 3rd Division
17th Army Corps
In the field May 20th 1864

Special Field Order no 7

This command will march team [smudged] in the following order at 6 o'clock AM.

1st " " 2nd Brigade

2nd " " 10th Ohio Battery

3rd " " Head Quarters and Trains

By order of Brig Genl Leggett

William H Hessin
A A A Genl

Head Quarters 3rd Div 17th AC
Prolast Tenn May 20 1864

Special Field Order no 8

The troops of this command will march tomorrow at 4 o'clock AM in the following order:

1st 1 Regt 1st Brig 3rd Division
2nd 3rd Ohio Battery
3rd 2nd Regt 1st Brig 3rd Div
4 5th Michigan 1 Battery
5 Corps Head Quarters Train
6 3rd and 4th Div Head Quarters Train
7 3rd Div Pioneer Train
1st 2 Regt 1st Brig 4th Div

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2 Battery "D" 1st Ills Let Arty
3 Corps Supply Train
4 2 Regt 1st Brig 4th Div
5 10 Ohio Battery
1 2 Regt 1st Brig 4th Div
2 [unclear] and [unclear] 1 train 4th Div
3 [unclear] Regts 1st Brig 4th Div
4 Battery Train [unclear] Lt Arty
5 Battery A 2nd Ills
1st 2 Regts 3rd Brig 4th Div
2 15 Ohio Battery
3 2 Regts 3rd Brig 4th Div

Delay in marching entirely unnecessary have been so **consitant** by the artillery and transportation to **lament** the same the wagon masters and teamsters are each in their places. No train or battery will be allowed to **notes** while on the march except by permission from these Head Quaters unless entire column as **hantled** all commissioned officers are in gerined to arrest any [unclear] halting in violation of the above— bagging to the permit and near must be houented all stragglers must the permit will be arrested and put on duty in the pioneer corps. All officers are directed to arrest stragglers. Same Regts have disgracefully permitted sick men to be left on the board uncalled for.

By order of Brig Genl M D Leggett
William Hessin
A A A Genl

Head Quarters Detachment 17th AC
In the field May [faded]

Special Field Order no 9

At 5 o'clock tomorrow the troops [faded] will march the following order:
 1 Regt 2 Brig 3rd Div
 Battery "C" 1 on the left Artillery
 2 Regt 2nd Brig Div
 Corps Head Quarters Train
 3rd and 4 Div Head Quarters Trains

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By order of Brig Genl LEggett
 William H Hessin
 A A A Genl

Head Quarters 17th AC
 Huntsville Ma May 22nd 1864

Special Order no 123

I. In compliance with orders from Head Quarters Debt and Army of the Tennessee the 3rd and 4th Division of this Corps is organized as follows:

		3rd Division
		1st Brigade
20th Ills Infty	30th Ills Infty	
31st "	45th "	
		2nd Brigade
20th Oho Infty	39th Ills Infty	
68th "	78th "	
		3rd Brigade
80th Ills Infty	16th Wis Infty	
14th Wis "	25th Ills Infty	
		17th Miss Infty
		Artillery
3rd Ohio Battery	1st Ills Artillery "D" Co	
10th "	1st Mich " "H" Co	

II. Brig Genl H D Leggett U S is assigned to this command of the 3rd Division
 III. The following named Genl official are assigned as follows and will report for duty to the [faded] Divisions Commanders at once: Brigadir Genl M F Forces 3rd Division
 IV. The officers and Regts [faded] in Par I and II [faded] report without further orders promptly to the command to [faded] they have secretly been assigned.
 V. The baggage of this command will be marched as the following way:
 One mahse or carpet bag to each office
 One chand of under [faded] one planet and one [faded]
 By each enlisted men
 5 [faded] tons to each Brigade Head Quarters
 [faded]

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[faded] and one hospital tent for corps Head Quarters

No other than the above baggage named will be allowed and any inspection of the order will be severely punished and the baggage destroyed.

By command of Major General Blair

A J Mepandora

A A Genl

Head Quarters 2nd Brig 3rd Division

17th Army Corps

In the Field Ma May 22nd 1864

Special Order no 8

The following named men are hereby detailed for Special Duty at these Head Quarters and will accordingly at once report for duty: Private John Swylser Co "E" 78th Ohio Vols

By order of K K Lavtt

Col Domdg 2nd Brigade Thomas R Cowen

A A A Genl

Head Quarters 3rd Div 17th AC

Huntsville Ma May 23th 1864

Special Order no 1

II. Every female collared or otherwise now with the troops of this command will at once be **disemped**.

III. Each Brigade commander will at once detail a good Lieut to act as provost martial of his Brigade. He will be specially charged with the strict enforcement of all release launching the **pelice** of the command and will report to Cept J B Raymond Provost Marshall 3rd Div for Special [faded]

IV. Each Regimental Commander will [cut off] over to Lieht John H Logan Comdg and Depot Col [cut off] Post [cut off] suppliers ordnance and ordinances trains in his command.

V. Regimental and Battery Commanders will immediately send to Lieut C C Williams A A Q M 3rd [faded] for all Quarters Masters property

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By order of Brig Genl M D Leggett

Signed William H Hessin

A A A Genl

Head Quarters 3rd Division 17th AC

In the Field May 21st 1864

Special Field Order no 5

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| 1 | " | 2 Regt 1st Brig |
| 2 | " | 8 Ohio Battery |
| 3 | " | Genl Supply Train |
| 4 | " | 2 Regts 1st Brigade |

- 5 “ 8 Mich Battery
- 6 “ Q M Train
- 1 “ 2 Regts 2nd Brigade
- 2 “ 10th Ohio Battery
- 3 “ 2nd Regts 2nd Brigade

The corps supply train will move in the rear of the 2nd Brigade and will be guarded and protected by 21st.

All orders in regard to straggling and foraging will be strictly enforced.

The escorted Pioneer Corps move out at 5 AM. Foraging [faded] may A O company them if so desired.

By order of Brig Genl Leggett
William H Hessin
A A A Genl

Head Quarters Detachment 17th AC
Pulash Tenn May 20th 1864

Special Field Order no 8

IV. Division Commanders will take no rations for either officers or men from this point. Officers will take [faded] themselves accordingly.

By order of Brig Genl Leggett
(signed) William H Hessin
A A A Genl

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Head Quarters 17th Army Corps
In the Field Ma May 28th 1864

Special Order no 130

IV. Horses and muscules serviced on this march will daily when arriving in camp be moved over to the Corps Provost Marshal to the branded and disposed of by him as the Major Lieut may direct.

Brigade and Division inspectors are regarded to see that this order is strictly enforced.

By command of
Maj Genl H P Blair
(S) A P Alexander
A A A Genl

Head Quarters 3rd Division 17th AC
In the Field May 29th 1864

Special Field Order no 6

This command will march tomorrow in the rear of the Div at 6 o'clock AM as follows:

- 1 “ 4 Regts 1st Brig
- 2 “ 8th Mich Battery
- 3 “ Head Quarters and Art Trains

4	“	1 Regt 1st Brigade
5	“	3rd Ohio Battery
1	“	3 Regt 2nd Brigade
2	“	10th Ohio Battery
3	“	Genl Supply Train
4	“	1 Regt 2nd Brigade
5	“	2nd Wis Train

By order of Brig Genl Leggett
 William H Hessin
 A A A Genl

Head Quarters 3rd Div 17th AC
 In the Field May 30th 1864

Special Field Order no 7

II. Here after foraging parties will be permitted to take anything that may be necessary for the

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In the columns to the rear as far back as Kingston, the only proper fate of such miscreants is that they be shot as cannon enemies of them profession and country need all officers and patrols sent to arrest them will shoot them without mercy as the slightest **rmpudam** as resistance by this wandering in the rear they desert their fellows who oppose them schies in battle in the full faith that all are the rolls are present and they expose themselves to captive and enhance good stories to which they have not little. It is hereby mad the duty of every man officer who finds such stickers to deliver them to carry Provost Guard regardless of Corps Employed in such or hard work such as **sepaning** boards [faded] sinks [faded] if found **shulking** will be subjected to the same punishments as enlisted men. Vols without [faded] or the hardest labor and [faded] absentees not accounted for should always be entered as deserted to [faded] them of the [faded] and **hunty** reserve for honest soldiers.

IV. All will be styled skulkers who are found to the rear about from their proper command captain's command give whether or passes be regard their Regiment limits Colonels legend Brigade [faded] Brigadier legend Div limits DC the command Generals of these Departments alone can order officers as detachments with or without wagons back to Kingston or other General Depots.

V. If unarmed soldiers are found on horses or mules at a desertion from their command or train any cavalry **cont** or patrol will make prisons of their and **abbonbnats** the horses or mules to the use of the cavalry **docleslies** to Genl officer Duty will be easily recognized by becoming official or receipts for the same but such General Officers Shumble preimcle his orders with an official detail to be carried with him horses or mules sent to forage one garage should be sent by detachments with arms and crews gather when they will always be respected.

VI. Brigade and Regimental Commanders are the proper officers to keep their officers and meant to their places the commanding Genl will by his inspections in [faded] give this matter full attention and when the time comes come for report on which to his [faded] for reward and promotion no office knowing [faded] shaping commanding need [faded] any favor.

VII. The Commanding Genl of the tree armies will make this order publishable and at once organize [faded] and Pabels to carry with full effect.

By order of Maj Genl W T Sherman
Signed L M Dayton
Aide-de-Camp

Head Quarters and Army of the Tenn
In the Field near New Coop Church June 4 1864

The above order will be read at least thrice times at each Regt Battery and Detachment of this Command

By order of Major Genl B McPherson
W P Charles Boist Adjt Genl

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Head Quarters 3rd Div 17th AC
In the Field June 4th 1864

Special Field Order no 12

This command will follow the 4th Div tomorrow at 7 o'clock AM the order of march:

- 1 4 Regts 1st Brigade
- 2 3rd Ohio Battery
- 3 1st Regt 1 Brigade
- 4 Battery "H" 1st Mich Arty
- 5 Genl Supply Train
- 1 3 Regts 2nd Brigade
- 2 10th Ohio Battery
- 3 2 QM train
- 4 1 Regt 2nd Brigade

No foraging parties will be sent out and Special Ord will be taken to keep the men closed up together all shaping will be presented.

By order of M D Leggett
William H Hessin
A A A Genl

Head Quarters 17th AC
Rome Ga June 20th 1864

Special Order no 134

Commissaries of Subsistence will assume one day of ration to the men of this command tomorrow morning.

By order of Maj Genl Blair
A J Alexander A A Genl

Head Quarters 3rd Div 17th AC

Rome Ga [faded] 5 1864

As this command marches at 9 AM tomorrow, it will be necessary to have the sermons sent in for approval tonight so that the rations can be **dreu dents** in the morning.

By order of Brig Genl Leggett
William H Hessin
A A A Genl

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Head Quarters 3rd Div 17th AC
Rome Ga June 5th 1864

Special Field Order no 13

II. Lieut A H Suart E Co 78th Ohio **Hattosan** Vols Infantry is hereby detailed for special Duty Aid-de-Camp to Brig Genl M D Leggett Comdg 3rd Division 17th AC and will report for duty without delay.

By order of Brig Genl Leggett
J C Douglass
A A A Genl

Head Quarters 3 Div 17th AC
Rome Ga June 5th 1864

Special Field Order no 13

- 1 4 Regts 1st Brigade
- 2 8 Mich Battery
- 3 Head Quarters and Ord Train
- 4 1 Regt 1st Brigade
- 5 3 Ohio Battery
- 1 2 Brigade
- 2 10th Ohio Battery
- 3 Genl Supply Train

This command will march in the above named order at 9 AM tomorrow.

By order of Brig Genl Leggett
William H Hessin
A A A Genl

Head Quarters 3rd Div 17th AC
Rome Ga June 5 1864

Special Field Order no 13

Regimental Commanders will immediately return to Lieutenant C C William A A Q M 3rd Div the assigned to them at Mall Creek Ma.

By order of Brig Genl Leggett
William H Hessin
A A A Genl

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Head Quarters 3rd Div 17th AC
In the Field June 6 1864

Special Field Order no 14

The troops of this command will march 3 days rations commencing the 7th Just the returns will be sent in for approval as early as possible this evening.

By order of Brig Genl Leggett
William H Hessin
A A A Genl

Head Quarters 18th OVVI
Rome Ga June 6th 1864

Special Order no 12

Asst Surgeon J G Rokshow is hereby released to proceed to Kingston Ga with the Detachment of men of this command who are unable to march. He will report again for Duty upon the arrival of this Regiment at Kingston.

By order of
Lt Col G H Miles
Comdg 78th OVVI

A W Search
Adjut

Head Quarters 3rd Div 17th AC
Kingston Ga June 6th 1864

Special Field Order no 14

III. This command will march at 6 o'clock tomorrow AM as follows:

- 1 " 3rd Brigade
- 2 " 10th Ohio Battery
- 1 " 3 Brigade
- 2 " Battery D 1 Hls Arty
- 3 " 3 Ohio Battery
- 1 " 1st Brigade
- 2 " 8th Mich Battery
- 1 " Corps and Div Head Quarters
- 2 " Ordnance Train

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Official J B Douglass
A A Genl

Official Thomas F Cowen
A A A Genl

Head Quarters 3rd Division 17th AC
In the Field Ga June 15th 1864

Special Field Order no 21

II. The following named enlisted men are hereby detailed for Special duty in Hospital 3rd Division 17th AC and will report without arms or equipments and with Discipline roll to Major Ormsly Surgeon in charge 3rd Div Hospital near R R Depot, Big Shanty Ga.

David Tompson "A" Co 78th Ohio Vols Inftry

Eli Coulson "E" " " " "

By order of Brig Genl Leggett
J C Douglass
A A Genl

Official

Thomas F Cowen

A A A Genl

Head Quarters 17th Army Corps
Department of the Tennessee
Big Shanty June 18th 1864

Special Order no 150

V. The following named enlisted men belonging to the 78th Ohio Inftry Vols are relieved from duty with their Regiments and will forthwith report to Lt Col Alexander A A Genl for special service as guard at these Head Quarters.

Private Beny Heniry "A" Co

By command of
Maj Genl F P Blare
Rowland Cox
Asst Adj Genl

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Head Quarters 17th Army Corps
Department of the Tennessee
Big Shanty June 21st 1864

Special Order no 153

IV. The following named enlisted men belonging to the 78th Ohio Infantry Vols are relieved from the duty with their Regt and will forthwith report to Lt Col Alexander A A Genl for Special Service as guard at these Head Quarters.

Private Benjamin Knight "B" Co

Maj Genl F P Blare
Rowland Cox
A A Genl

Head Quarters 17th AC
Department of the Tennessee

Kennelan Mountain June 21st 1864

Special Order no 153

III. Private James McLaughlin "D" Co 78th Ohio Infy Vols is relieved from Special Service in the subsistence Dept and will forthwith report to the Comdg Officer of this Regt for duty.

By command of
Major General F P Blare
Rowland Cox
A A Genl

Head Quarters 3rd Div 17th AC
Big Shanty Ga June 21st 1864

Special Field Order no 26

Brigade Commanders will cause to be detailed for Special Duty (Teamsters) in L M Depot 3rd Div good reliable men in proportion as blow. They will report to Lieut C C William A A Q M forthwith near R R Depot Big Shanty, Ga, without arms or equipments and will descriptive lists: from 2nd Brigade, 78th Ohio Infy, 8 (eight) men.

By order of Brig Genl Leggett
William H Hessins
A A A Genl

Official

Tlas F Cowen
A A A Genl

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