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Kansas Adjutant General miscellaneous correspondence

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Correspondence sent and received by the Kansas Adjutant General's Office. Albert J. Davis succeeded Henry H. Artz as Adjutant General in April 1894. Included in this correspondence are ordnance returns of Captain Willard E. Whitaker and a report from the assistant surgeon at Camp Townsend in Ottawa, Kansas. Frequent correspondents include Brigadier General William H. Sears, Quartermaster General Charles A. Taylor, Lieutenant Governor Percy Daniels, and Colonel C.J. Garver.

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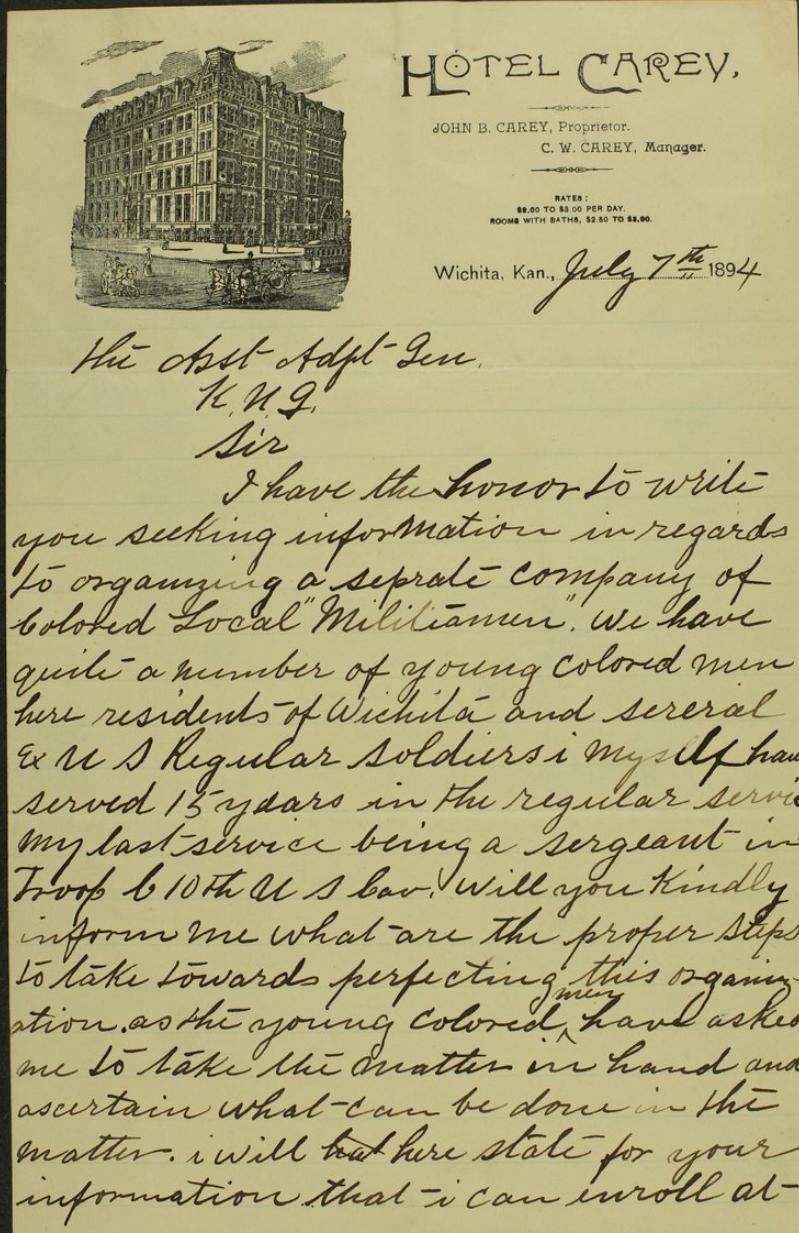
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So we will be satisfied
we wish to ask you who is the
fault of this, and please
write and let me know
as much of the cause as
you can tell. as the Boys
wants to know it soon,
for it will not be very
long until election this
fall, as our captain is
up for office again this
fall, also our governor
and some more of them,
we want to put men in office
that act with their party
and not take advise from
other parties, we have bin
straight peoples party men
so far, but we want to
know the cause of this trouble
before we vote this time
yours very respectfully and soon

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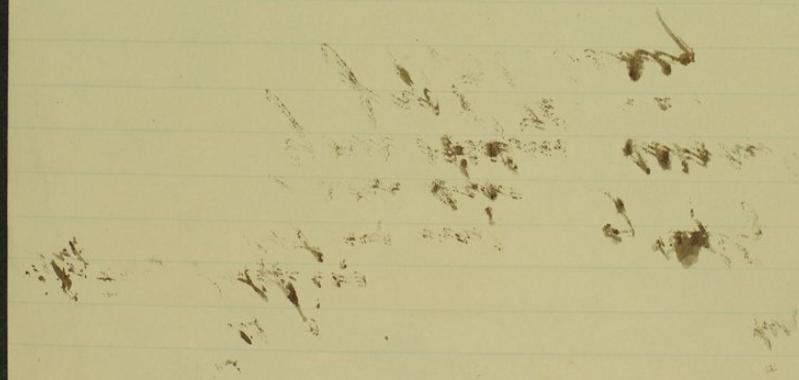
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one or two days notice over 40 forty
young active and industrious men
and boys, all of whom are anxious to be
citizen soldiers

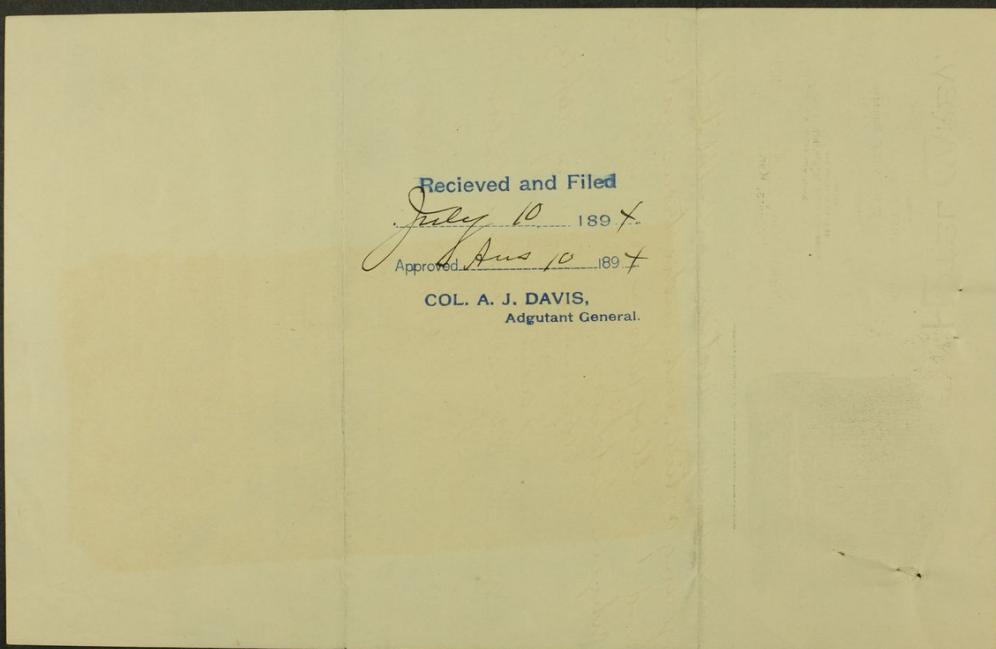
looking and early reply
I am sir
your obedient servant
Jno R Thomas
Hotel Carey



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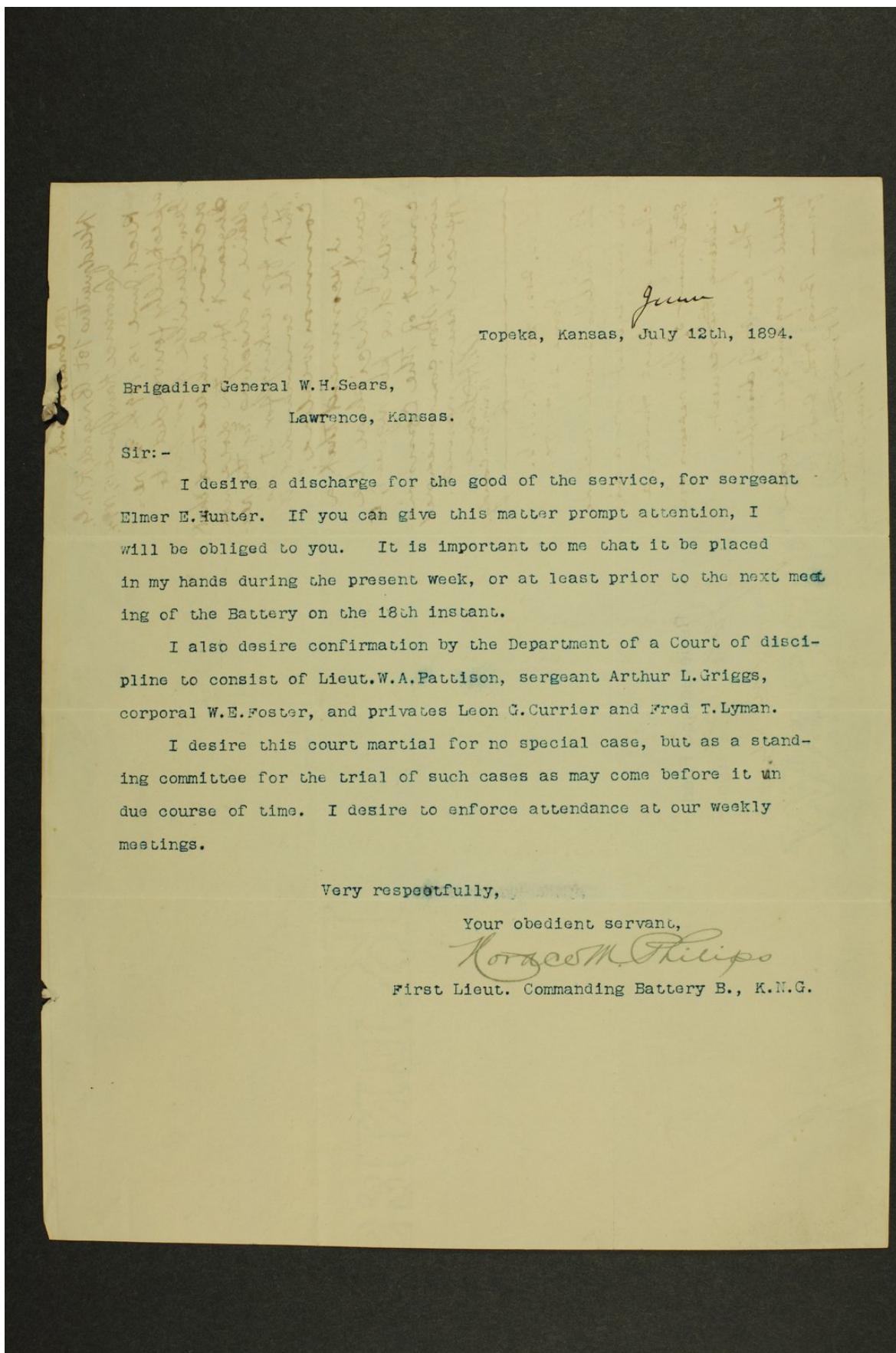


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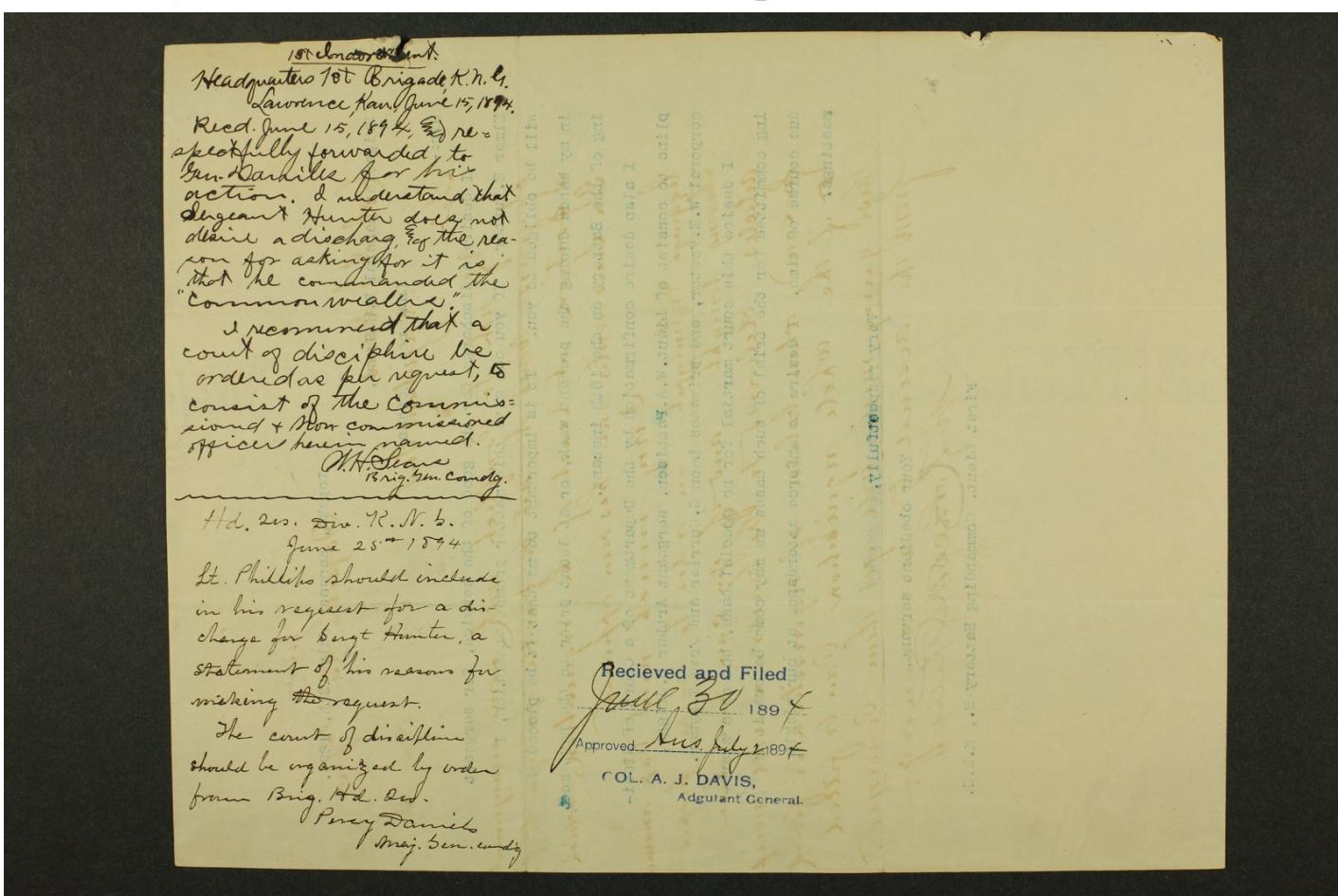


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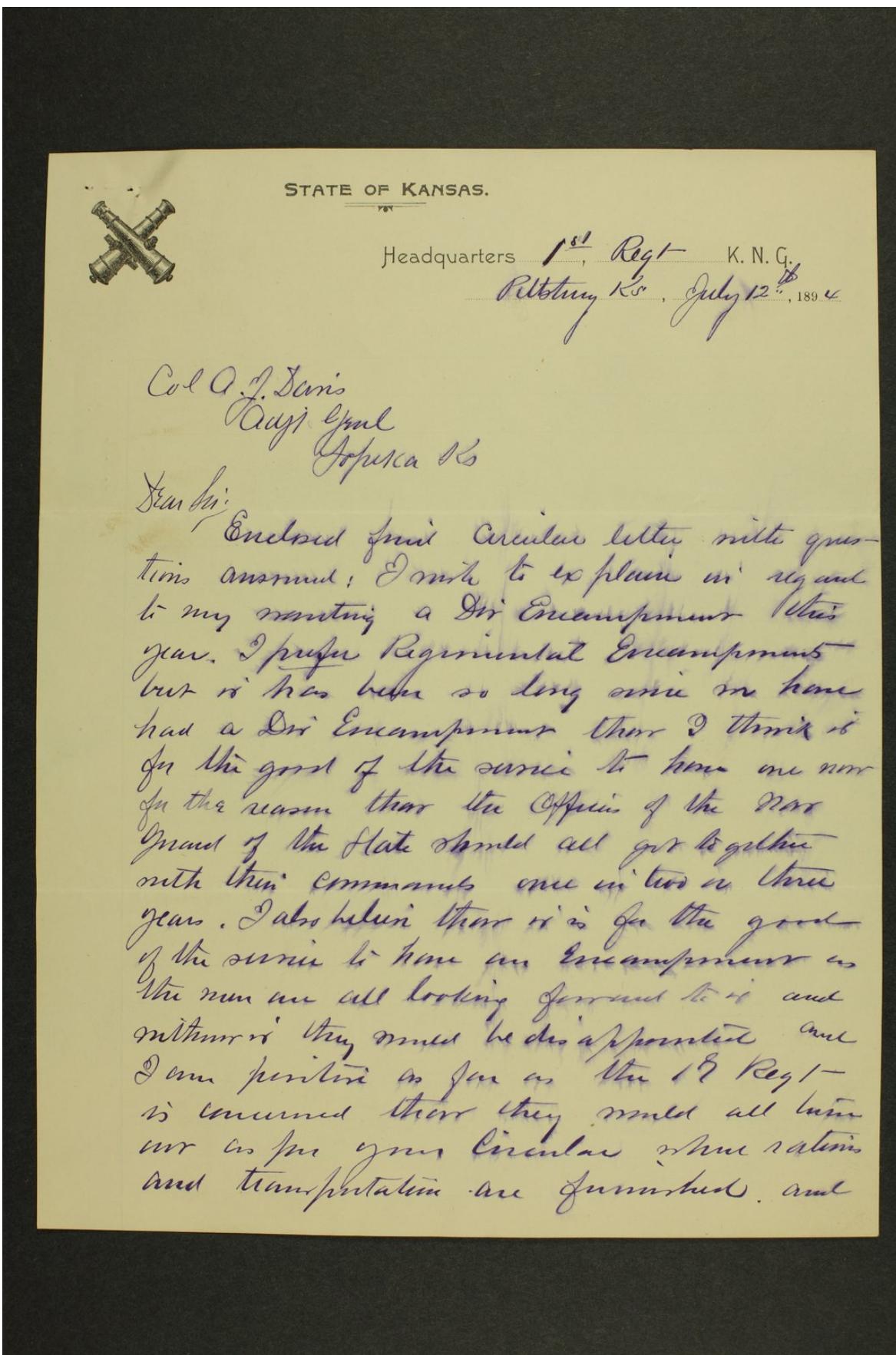


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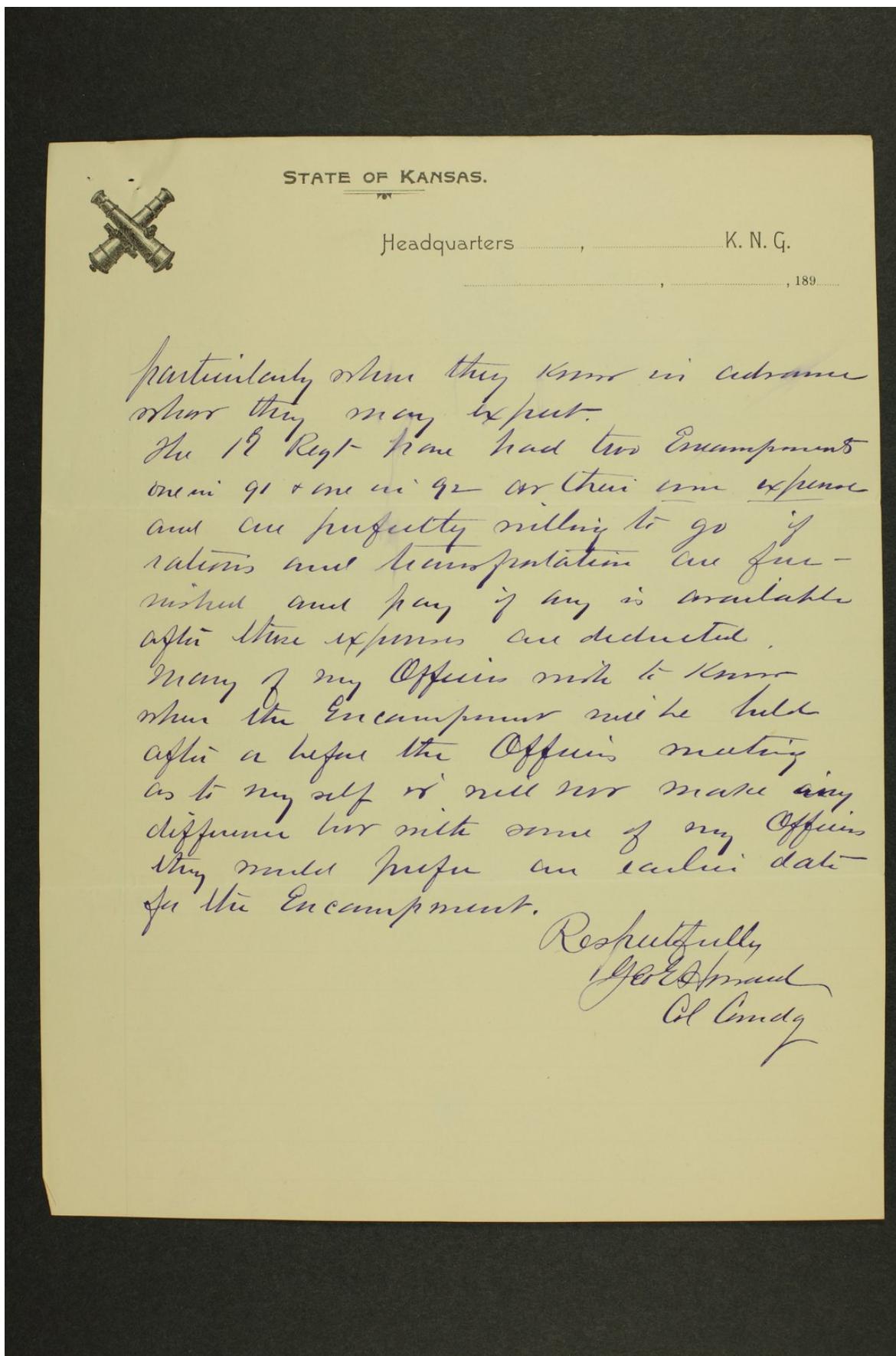


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1st Indorsement.
Headquarters First Brigade K.M.G.,
Lawrence, Kansas,
July 14, 1894.

Received at Brigade Headquarters,
July 13, and respectfully forwarded
this day through Division Head-
quarters approved.

W.H. Sears
Brig. Gen. Comdg.

Respectfully forwarded
Percy Daniels
Maj. Gen. Comdg.
Div. K.M.G.

Received and Filed

July 18 1894

Received *July 20 1894*

OL. A. J. DAVIS,

Adjutant General.

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WILLIAM READ & SONS,
Guns & Gun Materials,
ORDNANCE,
AND
ORDNANCE STORES,
Fine Breech-Loading Double Guns,
— MANUFACTURERS OF —
NEW MAIL
BICYCLES AND SAFETIES,
107 WASHINGTON STREET,
BOSTON.

July 13, 1894.

To the Adj't. General

State of Kansas,

Topeka, Kansas.

Dear Sir:--

Having a lot of U. S. Govt. Springfield Breech Loading 50 caliber Rifles on hand, and having recently furnished a lot to other Western State Govts., we take the liberty of writing you in the event of your wanting to supply yourself in these troublous times. We can furnish today 1000 to 3000 of such Rifles in good second-hand bright condition, and complete with leather Sling Straps and Bayonets, all ready and fit for instant service, at \$6. each net, provided they are not sold when order reaches us. We will be pleased to hear from you if you should be in want.

Also can furnish ammunition for them, (metallic ball cartridge central fire) at \$25. per thousand, and remain

Yours respectfully,

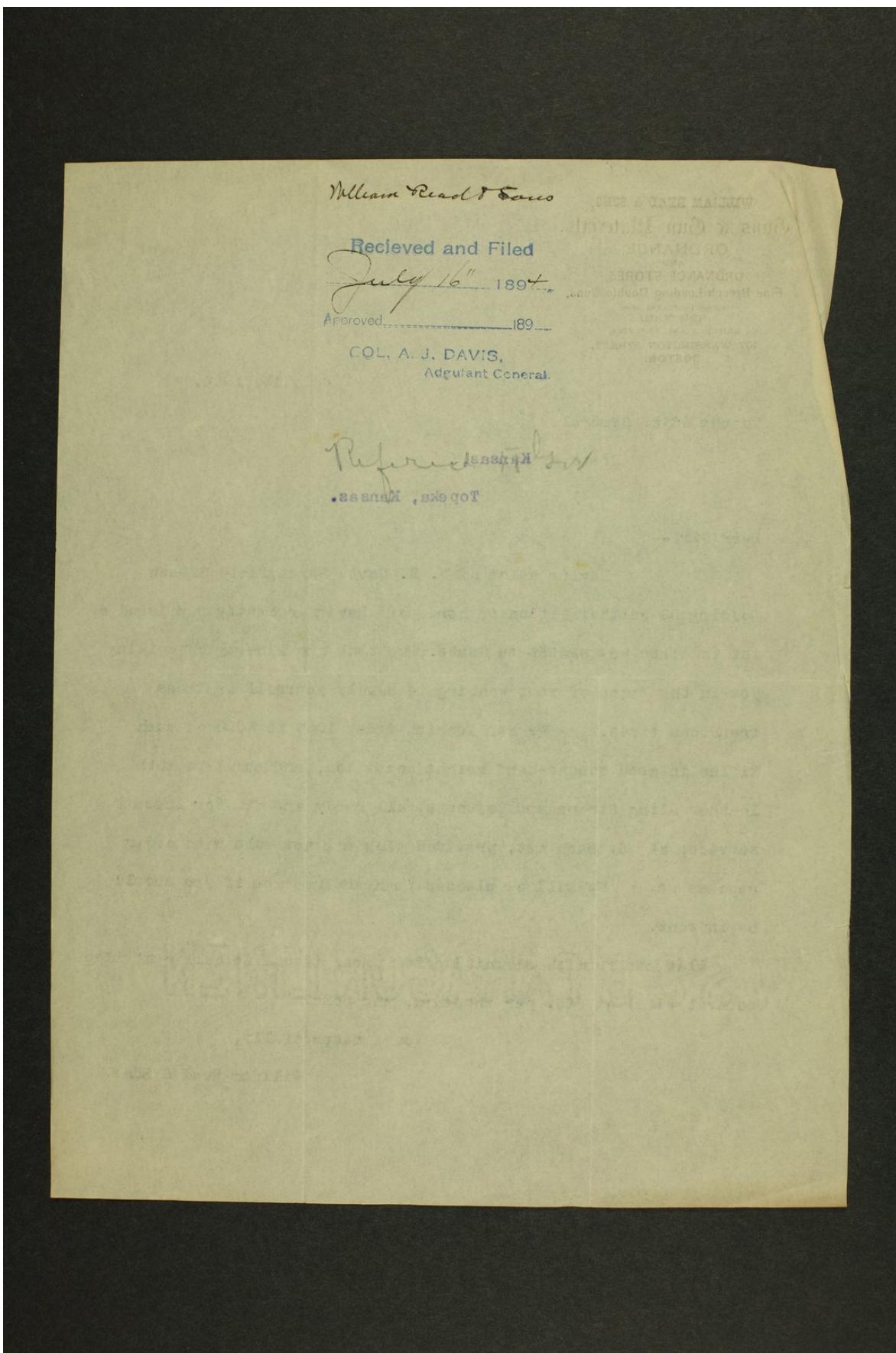
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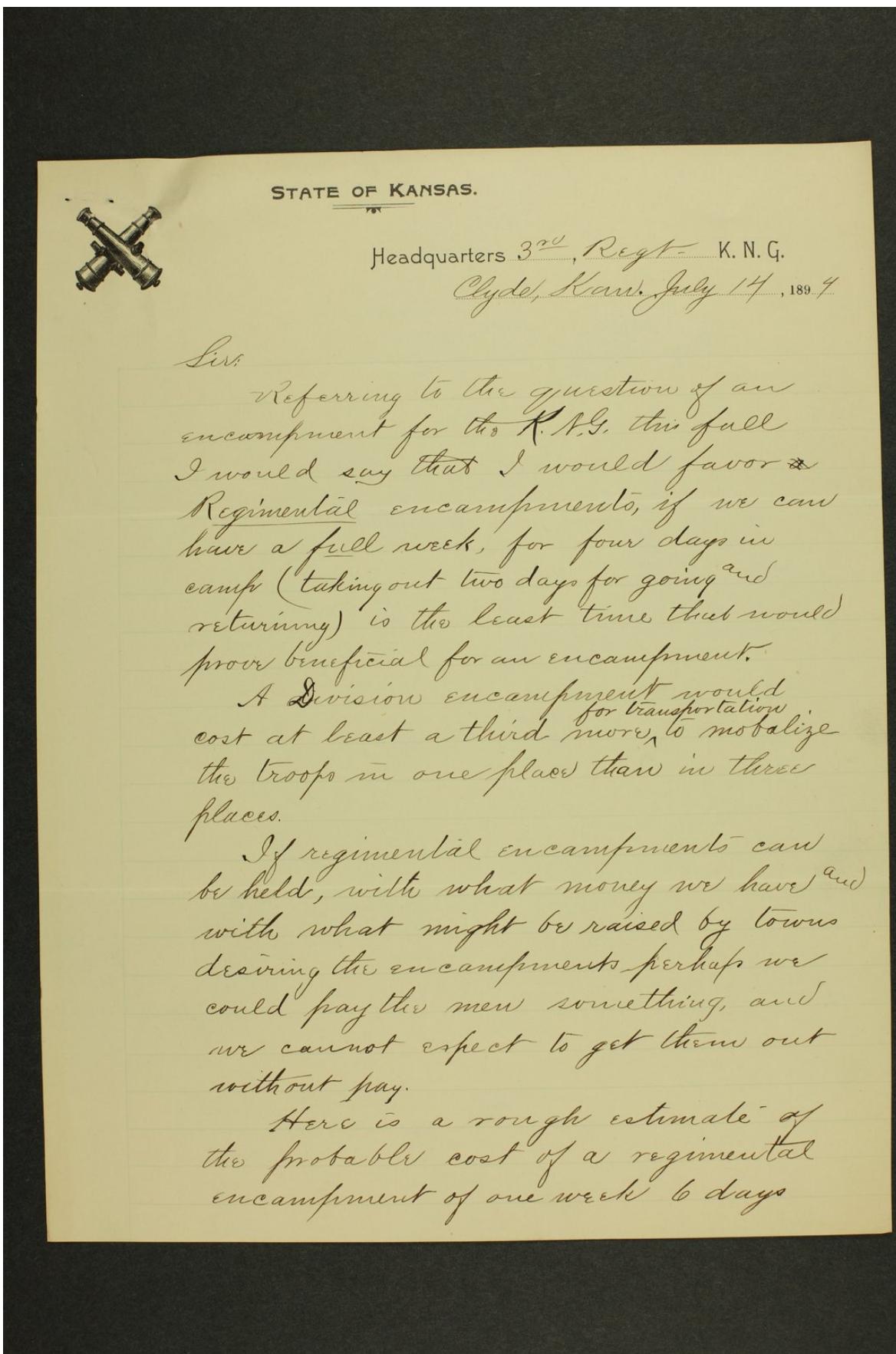


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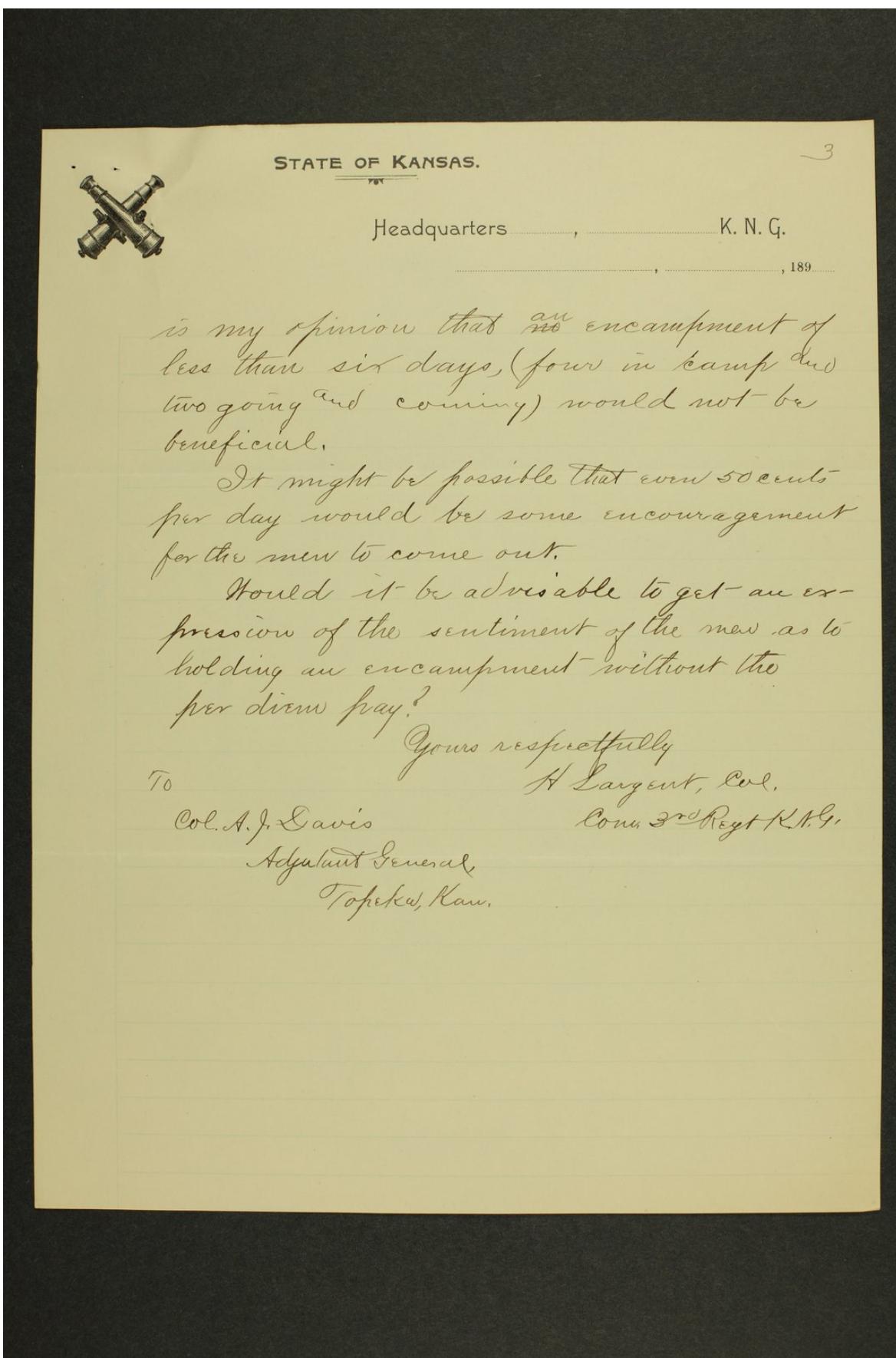
STATE OF KANSAS.		
Headquarters	K. N. G.	
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of 300 Men @ \$1 ⁰⁰ Per Day 6 days	---	\$1,800 ⁰⁰
of 300 " {Subsistence} @ 25¢ each per day		450 ⁰⁰
Transportation @ \$3 ⁰⁰		900 ⁰⁰
Total		\$2,150 ⁰⁰
Or for a battalion encampment 6 days (I think less than that time not advisable) as follows:		
of 150 Men @ \$1 ⁰⁰ Per Day 6 ds	---	900 ⁰⁰
of 150 Subsistence @ 25¢ each per day		225 ⁰⁰
Transportation @ \$2 ⁰⁰ each		300 ⁰⁰
Total		\$1,425 ⁰⁰
Two battalions		\$2,850 ⁰⁰
<p>While we think the officers school will be a grand good thing, still without an encampment of some kind whereby the instructions received may be imparted to the men, I do not believe the Guards" will be much benefitted, and that the money might be better expended in a Regimental or Battalion encampment governed according to the amount of money to be expended; and it</p>		

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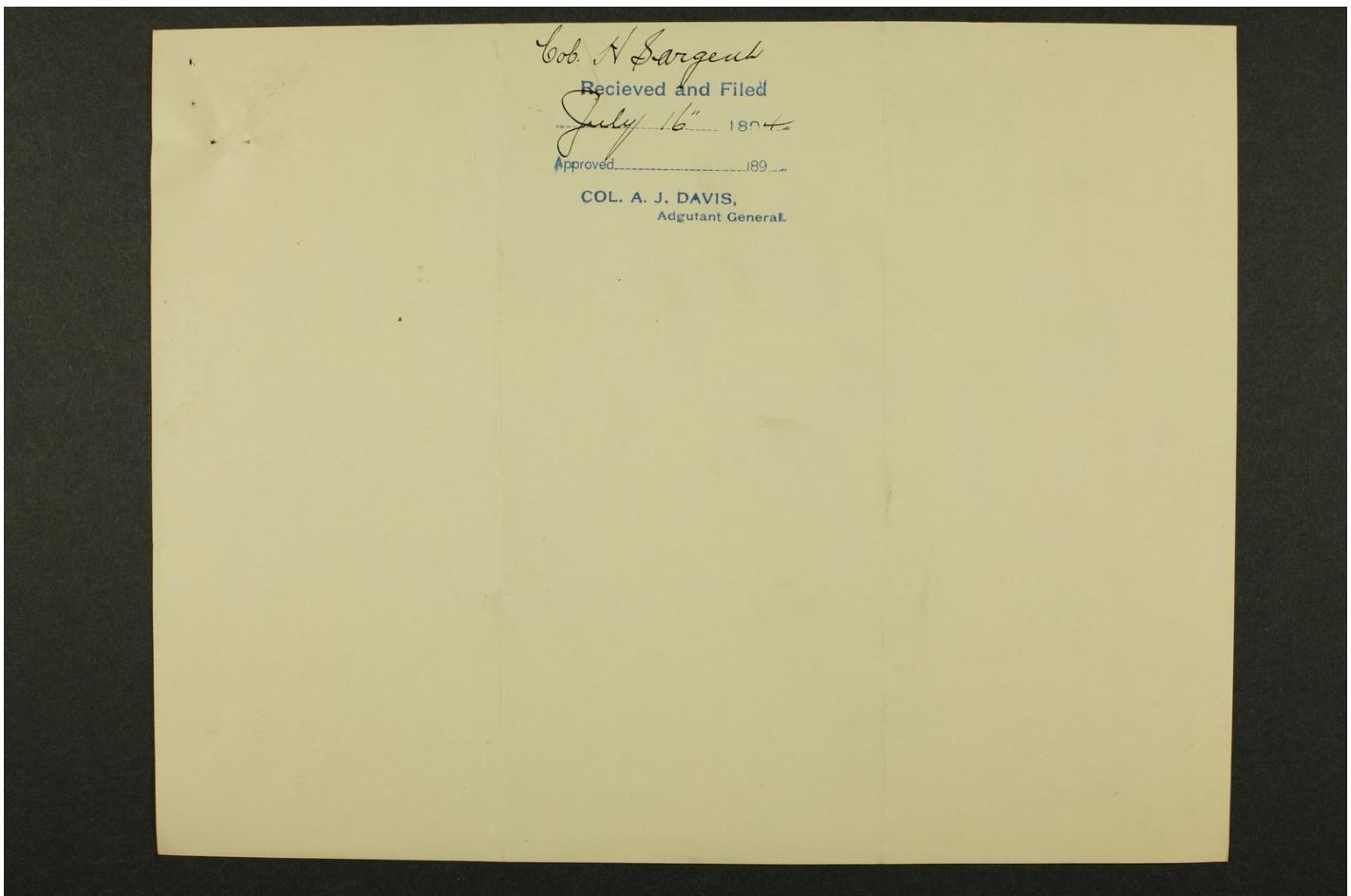
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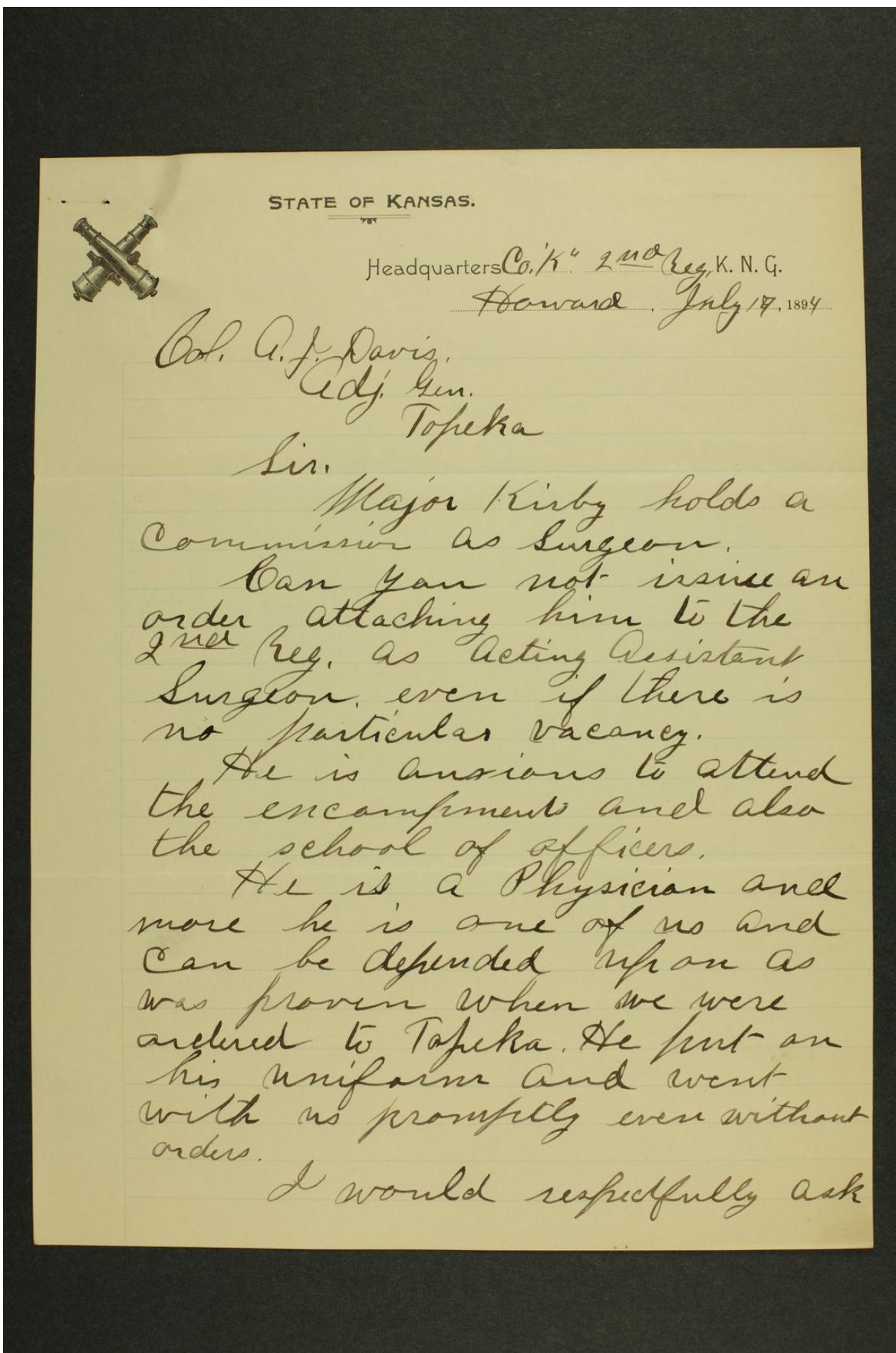


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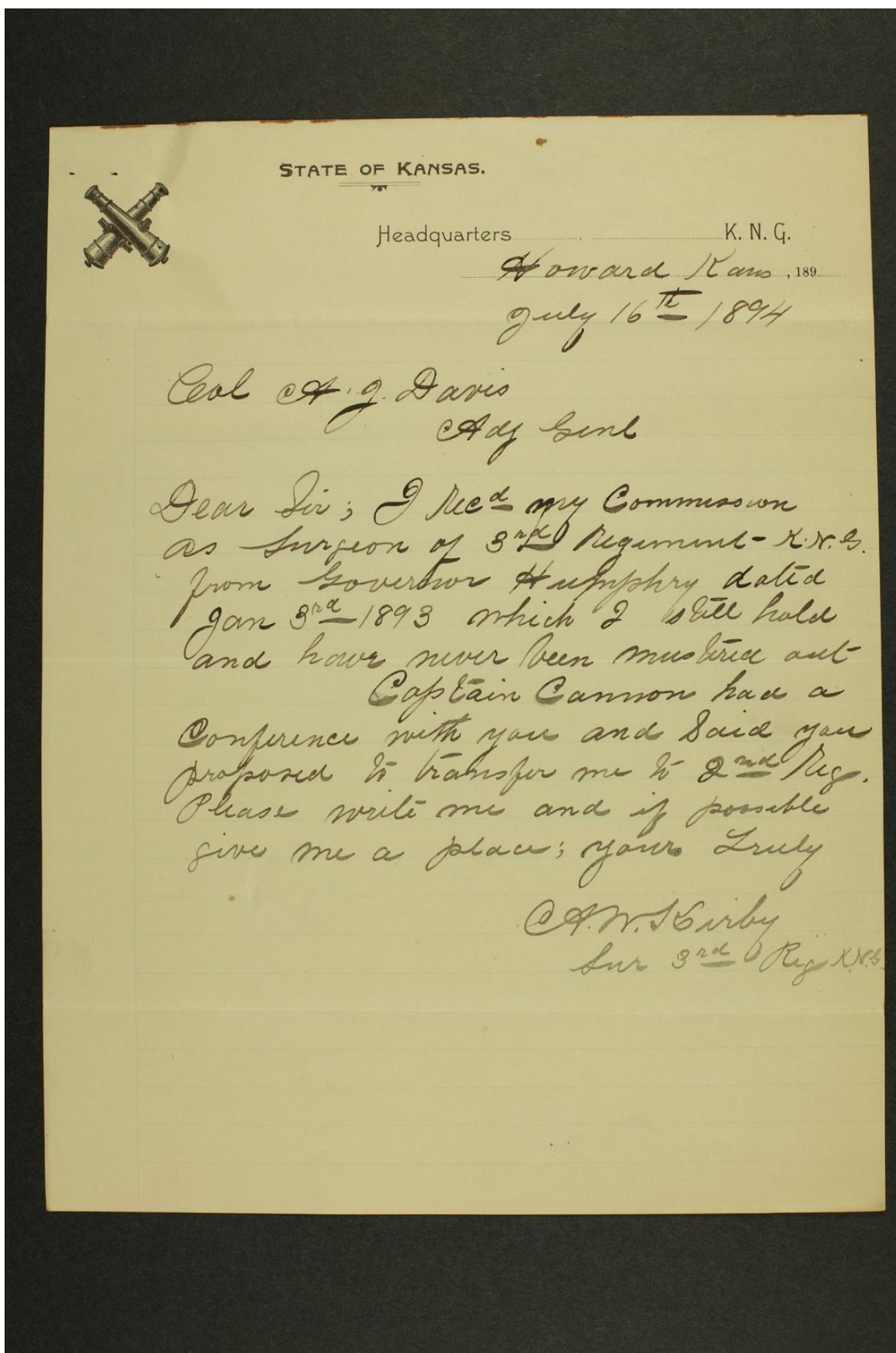


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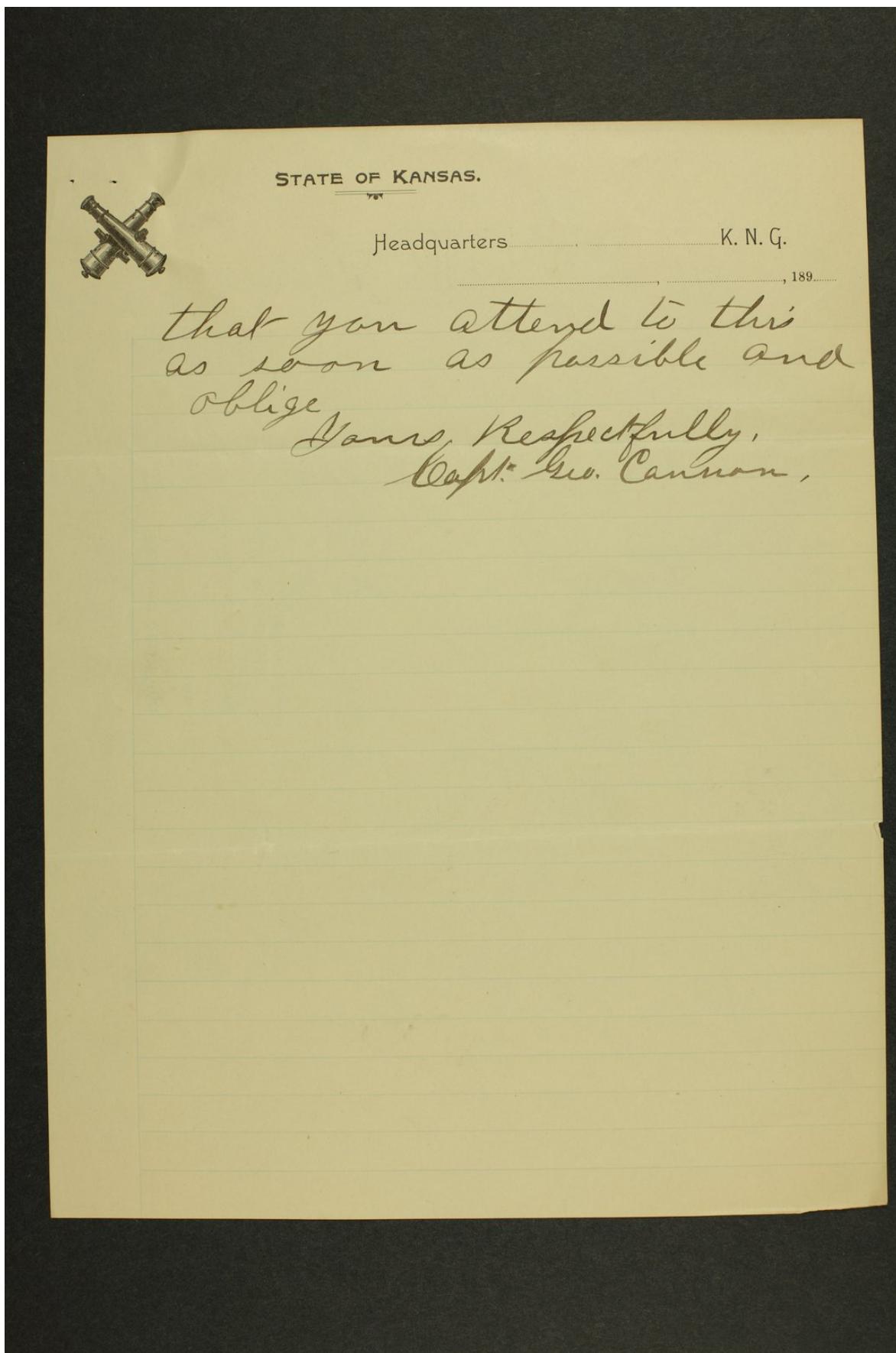


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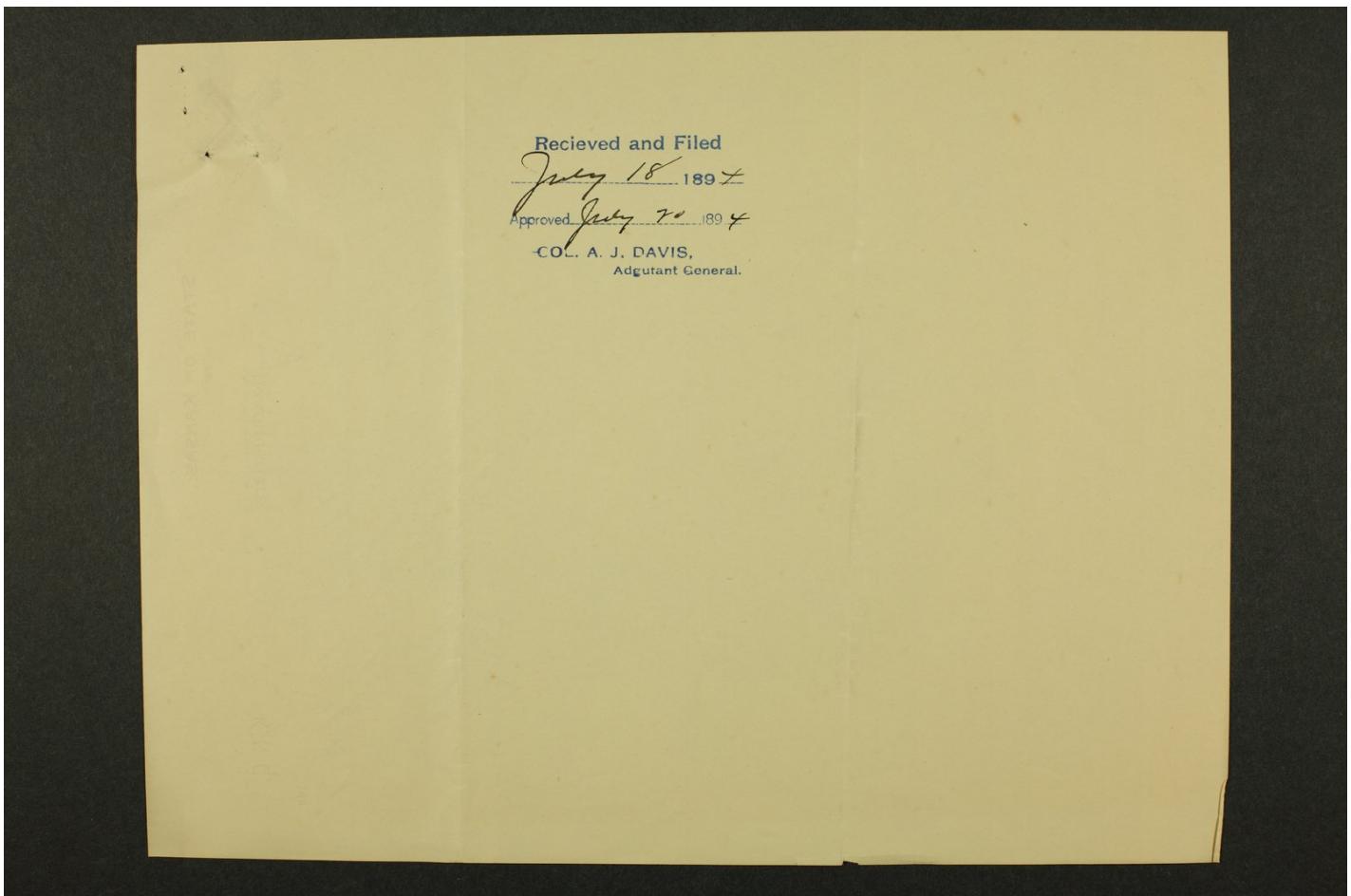
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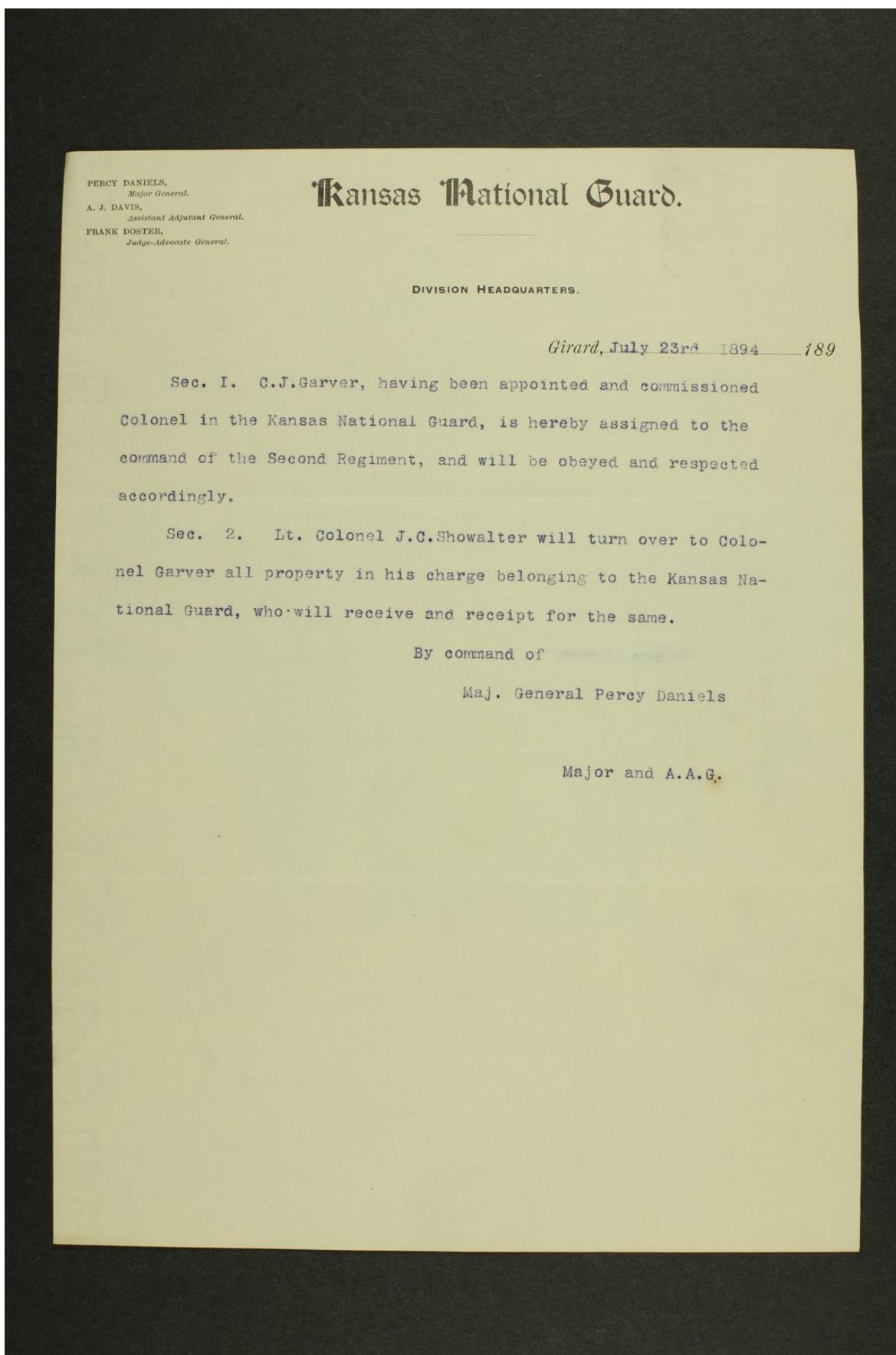
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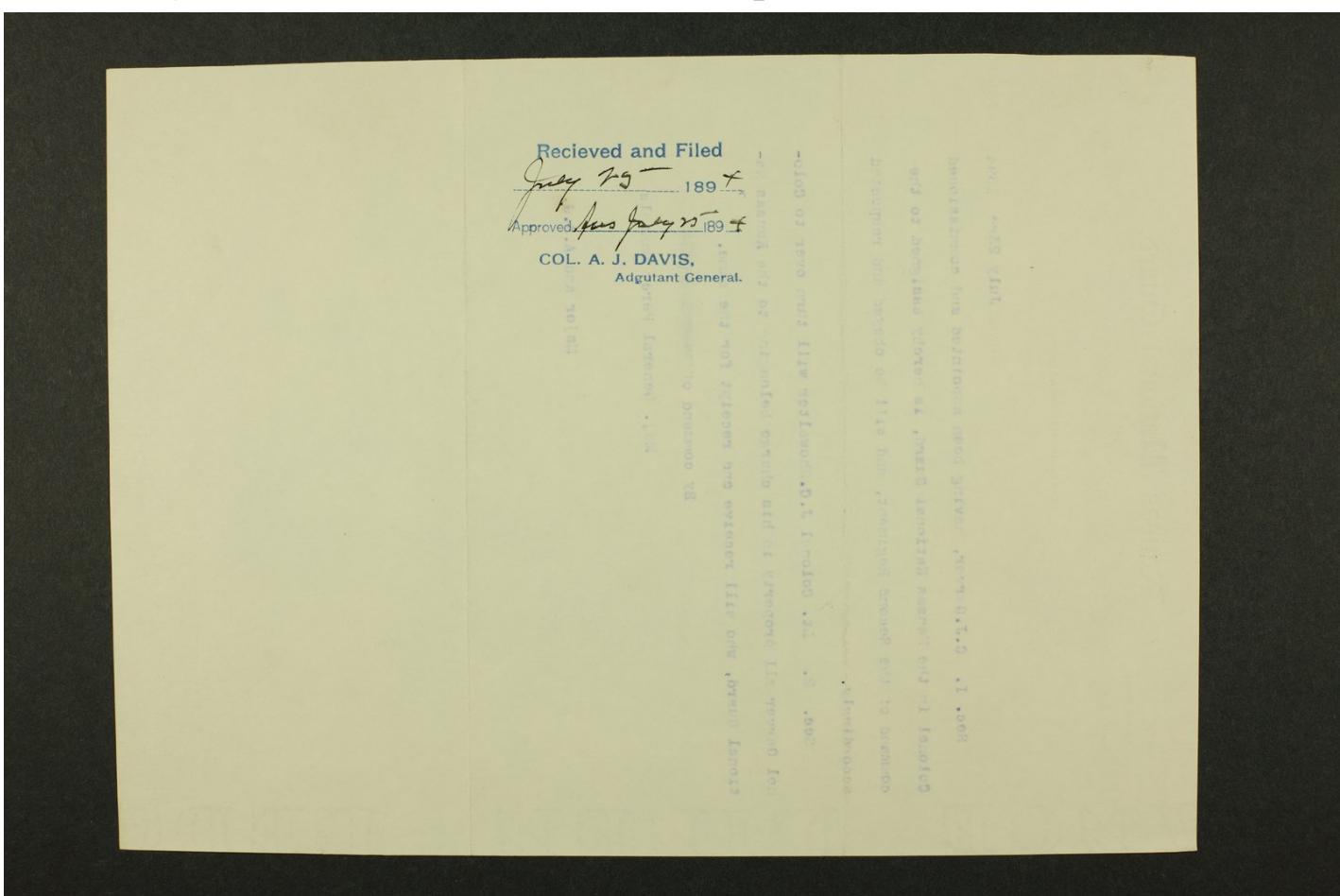


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July 22 1894
Mr Adjutant General
Dear Sir As my hon
husband has died the
thirteenth of this mon
he left an will to
get his books pay
of service he was in
the Kansas home guard
for three years
and in 1884 he was
turn'd in to the 12
Kansas at Orlison
he was not highly
discharged he was
knot being ever the
loose with out
any pay he salved
Ninety days in the
12 regiment in camp
name for there is a
man that was the
same name as the

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Some campfire his
name was ~~G. D.~~
G. W. Deens his true
name was Wm. William
G. Deens an his only
son his name falls
Wards this is all
this time remains
not G. Deens or Deans

Laura Dran

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Circular Letter
"B"

Adjutant Generals Office
Topeka Kansas July 13 1891

Dear Sir:-

I P.- The Military Board adopted the
the system of Small Arms Target Practice, all
necessary blanks will be furnished from this department &

II P.- This department will also furnish
each company with three copies of Rules govern-
ing Small arms Target practice, two copies
Handy Manual and score record, which will
be forwarded in a few days.

III P.- Provisions has been made for all the
badges that may be earned under the system
and we trust the Guardsmen will make an effort
to earn them.

IV P.- Owing to lack of funds it will be
impossible to furnish more Manuals & Score
Records; but arrangements have been made
whereby the Manuals may be purchased through
this department at a cost of 25 cents each, the
regular price being 40 cents. We trust the
Guardsmen will be interested enough in
becoming marksmen as to purchase them-
selves a Manual.

V P.- Publishers being out at present
Company score record Books, Skirmish Blanks
and Company report blanks will be fur-
nished later.

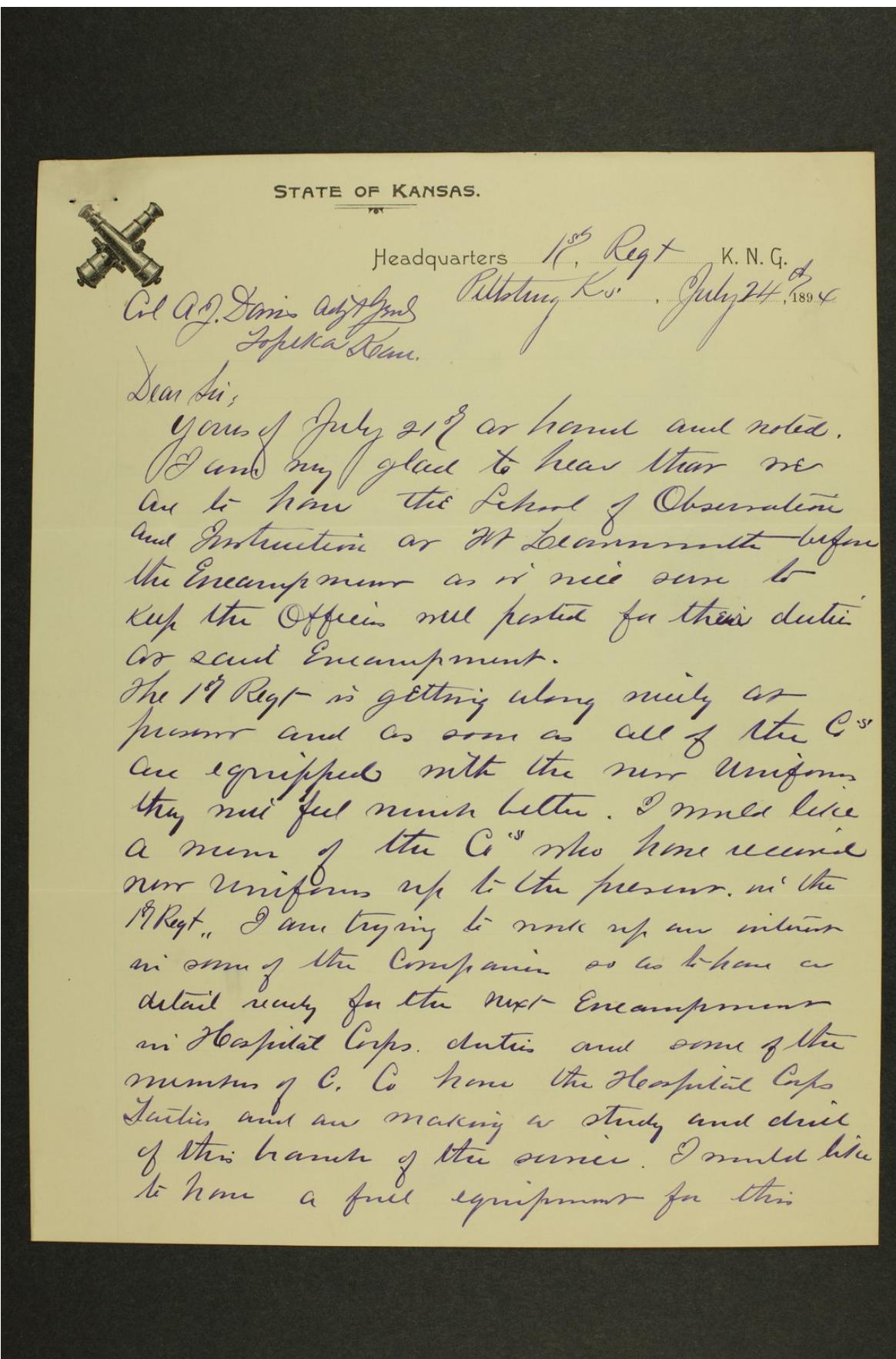
I remain Your Obedient Servt,
Colonel A J Davis
Adjutant General.

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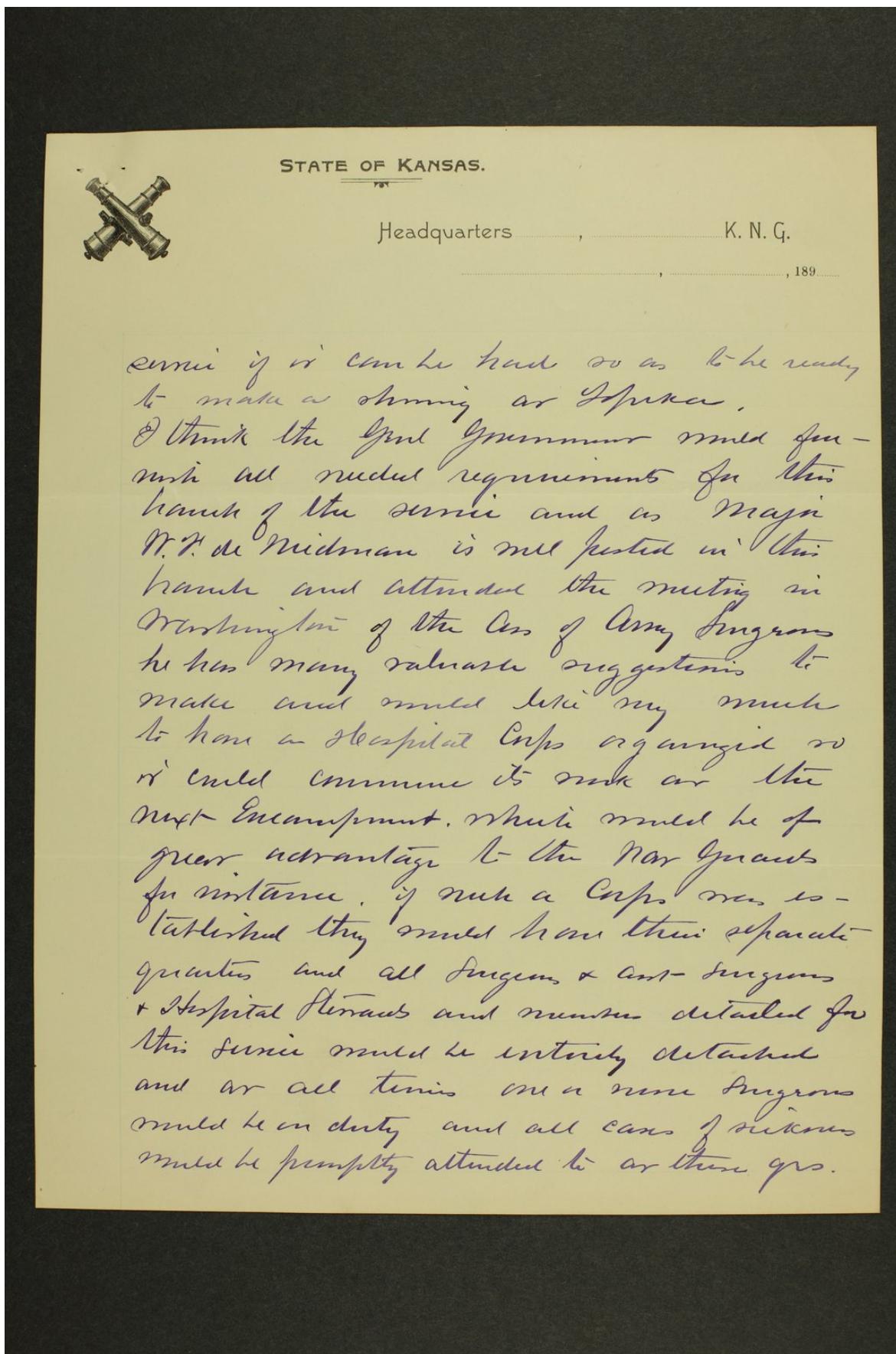


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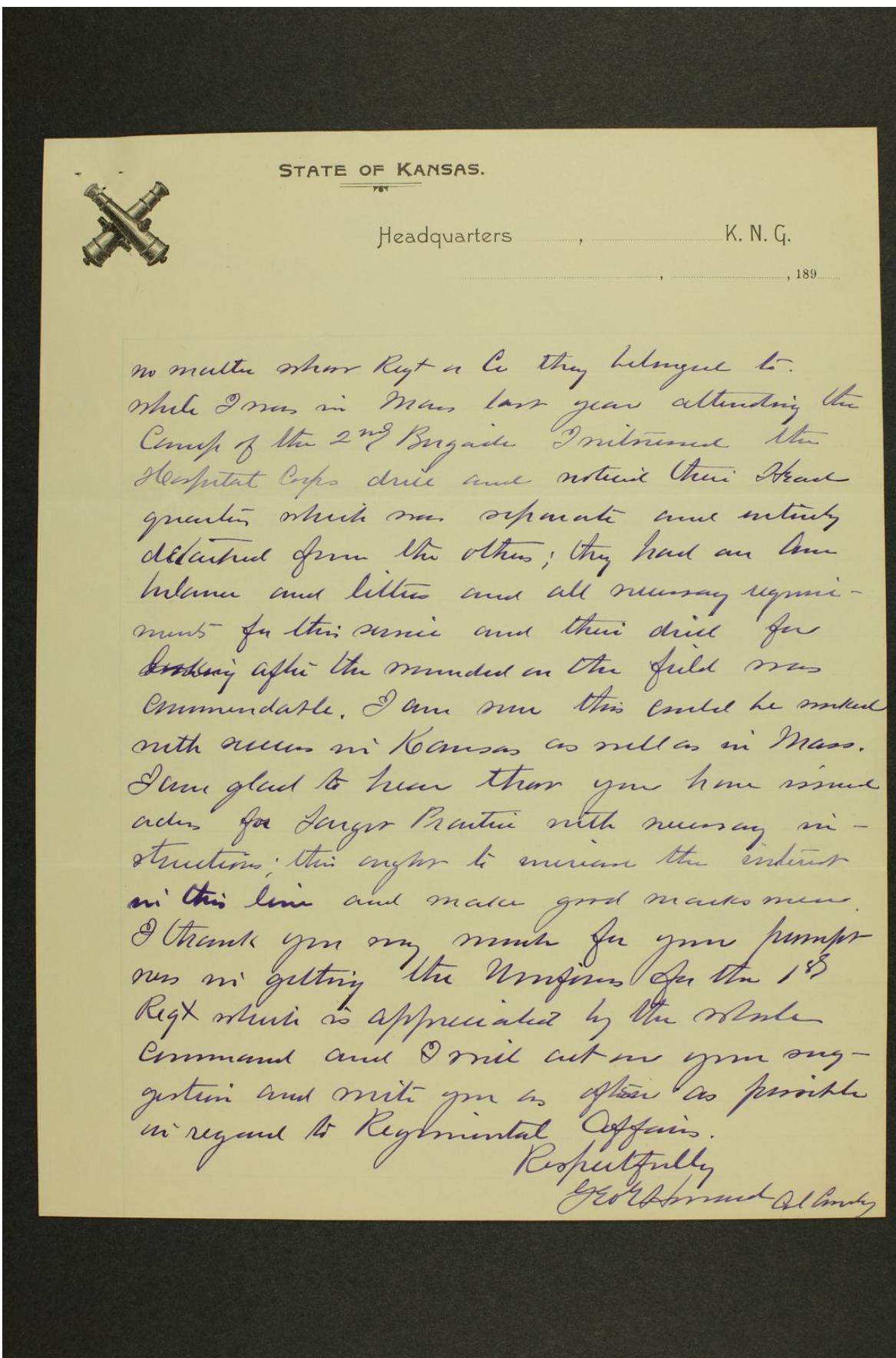


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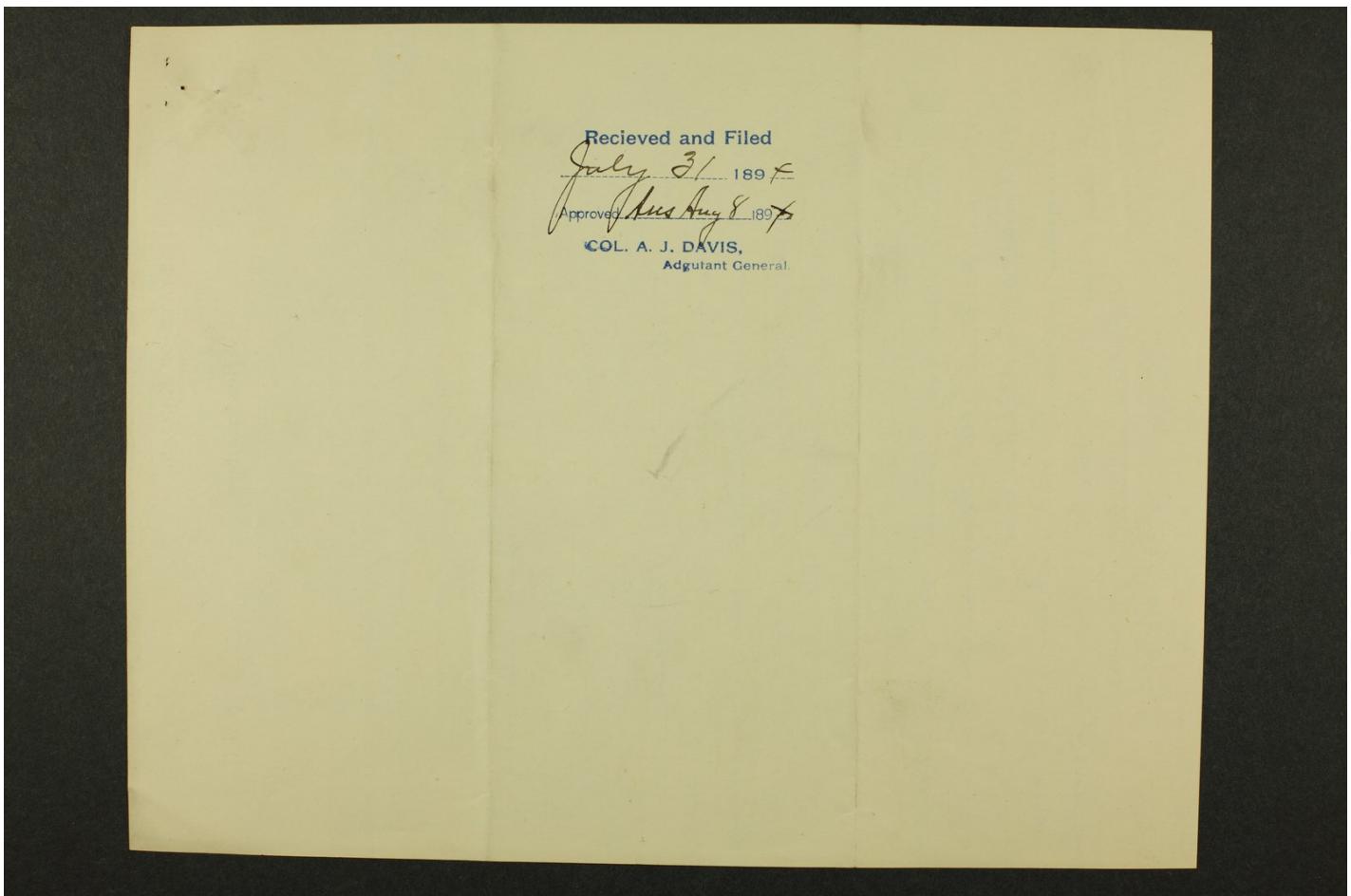
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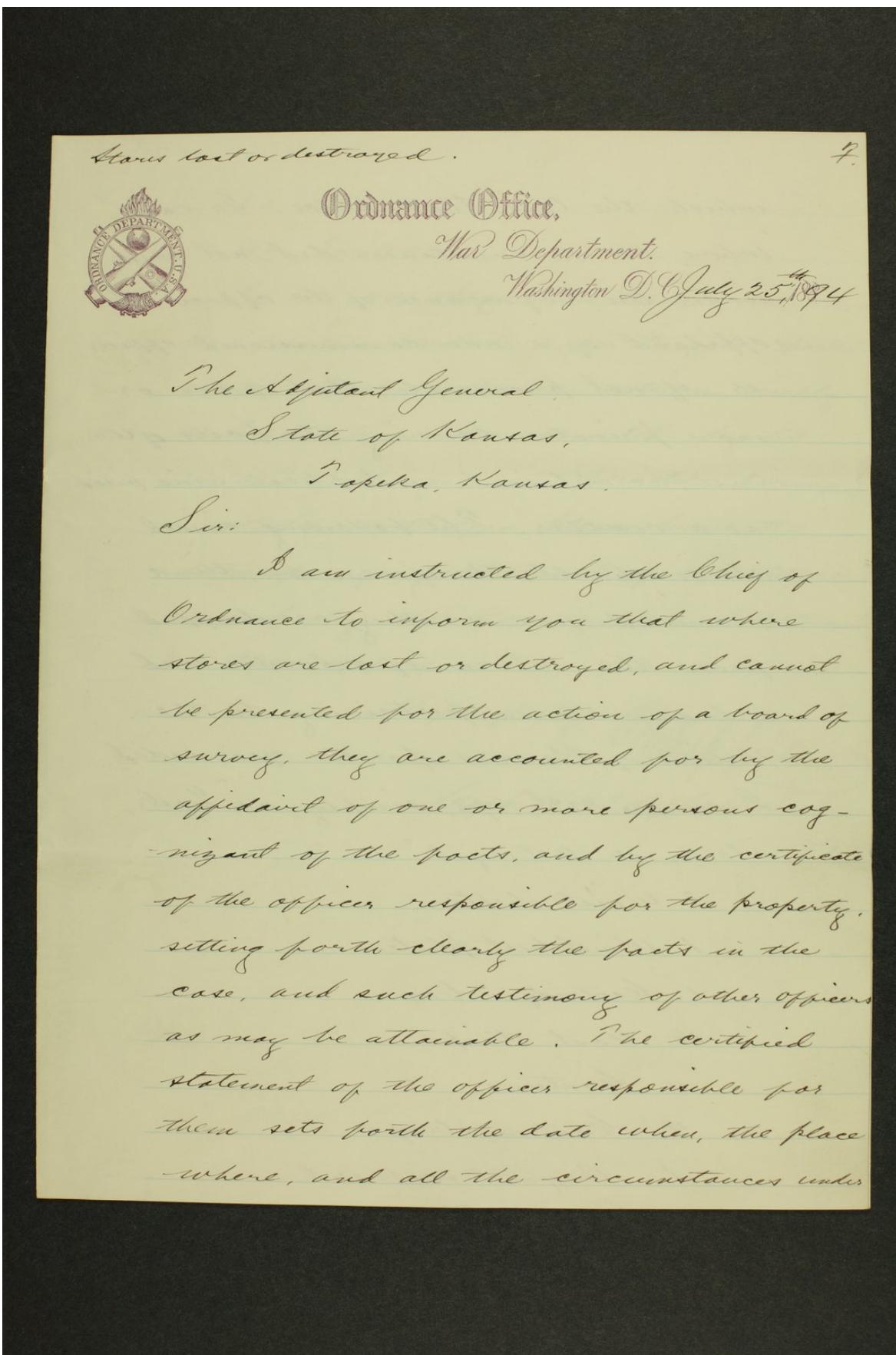


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which the loss took place. In cases where the circumstances did not come under the cognizance of the officer, the affidavit of a non-commissioned officer, or, if not procurable, that of one or more privates, covering the facts of the case, is obtained in duplicate, and filed as a voucher. The following-named stores should, therefore, be thus accounted for, as they are dropped from the return of ordnance and ordnance stores pertaining to the militia of Kansas for the year ended December 31st, 1893, simply as "lost, stolen, or destroyed":

3 Waist belts

1 Waist belt plate

1 Cartridge box

18 Coat straps

4 Canteens

4 Canteen straps

1 Bayonet scabbard