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684. S.E. Dept. CR-E (Greenville)MFS 2nd Ind.

Cantonment Division, War Dept., Sept. 30, 1917.- To the Quartermaster General.
War Dept., Washington, D.C.

1. This office is of the opinion that the leasing of the tract of land 10 miles square for artillery target range at Camp Sevier at a price not to exceed \$9,000.00 per year is desirable, also the site selected for small arms range consisting of about four thousand (4,000) acres, which can be leased for \$20,000.00 per year.

By authority of the Secretary of War:

I. W. Littell,

Colonel, Quartermaster Corps,
In Charge of Cantonment Construction.

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Major, Quartermaster, U. S. A.

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Sept. 29, 1917.

To the

Cantonment Division.

In connection with their 4th indorsement, to the Quartermaster General, dated September 6, 1917 (684-CR-E-General), "Plans and instructions for the construction of target ranges are today being sent to all constructing quartermasters at National Army Cantonments and National Guard Camps. Plans, specifications and Target Manual have been retained for file in Cantonment Division."

In view of the above facts, it is thought that the Cantonment Division should handle the leasing of land for target ranges.

The files of this division do not show receipt of the original papers referred to in first indorsement hereon.

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L. O. Gallant
Major, Q.M. Corps.

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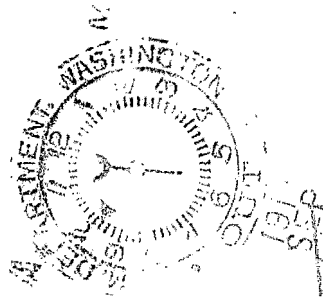
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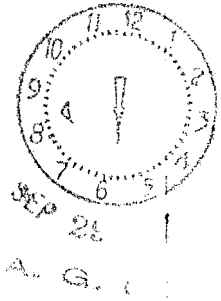
War Dept., A. G. O., September 28, 1917, - To the Quartermaster General, in connection with original papers referred to him on September 25, 1917, with request that the matter be expedited.

By order of the Secretary of War:

N. H. Hammond
Adjutant General.



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684 Greenville, (M.F.S.)

SYNOPSIS OF COMMUNICATION RECEIVED AND INDORSED OUT.

DATED: Camp Sevier, Greenville DATE RECEIVED IN
Oct. 7, 1917
FROM: Scott.
TO: A.G.O.

Wires:

Ref. your tel. 6th concerning leases artillery and infantry target ranges attention invited to the following comma, constructing quartermaster has unexpended funds under appropriation shooting galleries and ranges of \$95,200. A study of the phraseology of appn. acts indicates that part of these funds can be used for acquisition of target ranges by lease period Therefore in order to meet extraordinary conditions now existing request following insts. be issued to constg. Q.M. namely purchase of all materials leasing of land comma to be paid by him utilizing as much above funds as may be necessary for the purpose.xx The site for infantry target range also embraces area required for immediate construction of trenches for important and necessary instruction of troops per od The early training of this division in target practice and trench building is considered all important and the above scheme submitted for your consideration with request for early approval as existing situation very seriously hampers training of this division period. Specifically answering your telegram the desired site embraces approximately 4,000 acres comma, the lease alone will cost approximately \$20,000.

1st Ind.

201.5 Camp Sevier, S. C.
(Misc.)

War Department, A. G. O., Oct. 8, 1917--To Colonel Littell, for remarks and recommendation. The return of this paper in this office by 2 o'clock this afternoon is requested.

By order of the Secretary of War:

JOHN S. JOHNSTON

Adjutant General.

SPECIAL

201.5 Camp Sevier, S. C. to the

Adjutant General, War Department, A. G. O., Oct. 8, 1917. Re the proposed changes to the camp.

1. It is respectfully requested that the Adjutant General be instructed to have the lands for artillery and infantry camps. In compliance with recommendation in telegram number 100 of Headquarters, Army, dated 25th July 1917, range for 100,000 for each camp and reduced artillery ranges, appropriation of 100,000 for each camp.

2. Funds have already been allotted by the Department for the purchase of 100,000 for each camp, but a view of the fact that the necessary range has to be established on the best land available, the amount of land which has been allotted, it is recommended that the necessary appropriation be made for each camp.

By order of the Secretary of War,

John S. Johnston

Adjutant General, War Department, A. G. O., Oct. 8, 1917.

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War Department, Office of the Adjutant General, Washington, D. C.

1st Ind.

War Department, Office of the Adjutant General, Washington, D. C., October 4, 1917. - The Adjutant General, 2d Infantry, in charge of cantonment construction, 20th and 21st Regts., Washington, D. C., for rental and reconstruction. The original application was referred to this office on October 4, but no report can be found of the receipt here in this office.

By order of the Secretary of War

L. H. Lippitt

684 CR-C Greenville (MPS) 2d Ind.

O. O. M. G., Oct. 8, 1917. To The Adjutant General of the Army.

1. Returned, recommending that this office be instructed to lease the lands for artillery and infantry target ranges in accordance with recommendation in telegram herewith at an annual rental of approximately \$9,000 for artillery range and \$20,000 for small arms and reduced artillery range, appropriation "Shooting Galleries and Ranges."
2. Funds have already been allotted to the Constructing Quartermaster for the purpose of constructing ranges, but in view of the fact that the necessary ranges can be constructed and the land leased for the amount of money which has been allotted, it is recommended that this office be authorized to use its funds in the manner requested.

By authority of the Secretary of War.

L. H. Lippitt

Brigadier General, Quartermaster Corp
In charge of cantonment construction

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*mailed (by messenger)
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5 Camp Sevier, S. C.
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War Department, A.G.O., Oct. 12, 1917. - To General, I. W. Littell,
in Charge Centonment Construction, 15th and M Sts., Washington, D. C.,
for remark and recommendation. The original telegram was referred to
him on October 8, but no record can be found of its receipt back in
this office.

By order of the Secretary of War:

Adjutant General.

1st Ind.

Sec. 50-21 (Greenville) (M.F.)

Adjutant General, Washington, D. C., October 12, 1917. To The Adjutant
General of the Army, War Department, Washington, D. C.

1. Requested. The first meeting in the preceding indictment was
called upon by this office on October 8th, 1917 in regard to the
copy of which follows:

* Sec. 50-21 Greenville (M.F.) 1st Ind.
D.C.A.G., Oct. 8, 1917. To The Adjutant General of the Army.

1. Requested, recommending that this office be instructed to lease
the lands for artillery and infantry target ranges in accordance with re-
commendation in telegram herewith at an annual rental of approximately
\$8,000 for artillery range and \$80,000 for small arms and medium artillery
range, appropriation "Shooting Galleries and Ranges."

2. Funds have already been allotted to the Department for the
purpose of constructing ranges, but in view of the fact that
the necessary ranges can be constructed and the land leased for the amount
of money which has been allotted, it is recommended that this office be
authorized to use its funds in the manner requested.

By authority of the Secretary of War:

I. W. Littell,
Brigadier General, Quartermaster Corps,
In Charge of Centonment Construction.

By authority of the Secretary of War:

I. W. Littell,

Brigadier General, Quartermaster Corps, D. C.,
In Charge of Centonment Construction.

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Commanding General
Camp Greenville, Greenville, S. C.

684. CR-AD (Greenville)MPS.
Cantonment Office, Washington, D. C., October 13, 1917. To The Adjutant General of the Army, War Department, Washington, D. C.

1. Returned. The case mention in the preceding indorsement was acted upon by this office on October 8th, 1917 in second indorsement thereon, copy of which follows:

" 684. CR-C Greenville (MPS) 2nd. Ind.
D.O.M.G., Oct. 8, 1917. To The Adjutant General of the Army.

1. Returned, recommending that this office be instructed to lease the lands for artillery and infantry target ranges in accordance with recommendation in telegram herewith at an annual rental of approximately \$9,000 for artillery range and \$20,000 for small arms and reduced artillery range, appropriation "Shooting Galleries and Ranges.

2. Funds have already been allotted to the Constructing Quartermaster for the purpose of constructing ranges, but in view of the fact that the necessary ranges can be constructed and the land leased for the amount of money which has been allotted, it is recommended that this office be authorized to use its funds in the manner requested.

By authority of the Secretary of War:

I. W. Littell,
Brigadier General, Quartermaster Corps,
In Charge of Cantonment Construction."

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By authority of the Secretary of War:

I. W. Littell,

Brigadier General, Quartermaster Corps, N. A.
In Charge of Cantonment Construction.

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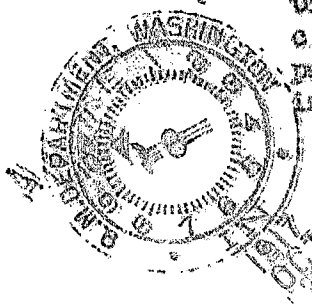
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October 23, 1917.

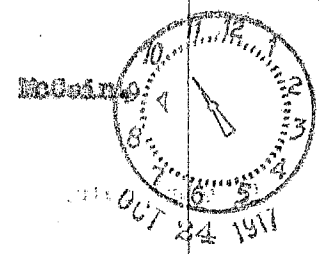
Commanding General,
Camp Sevier, Greenville, S. C.

Relet October thirteenth concerning target
range, your camp appropriation under appropriation
Quote Shooting Galleries and Ranges Unquote is
ninety five thousand two hundred dollars and it
has been placed at your disposal.

Secretary of War holds that within the limit
of funds apportioned them for this purpose, division
commanders are charged with all target range matters
pertaining to their commands, hence you are author-
ized to proceed accordingly.



To the Adj. Gen.
War Department



A. G. O.

OCT 24 1917

Received in Office
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