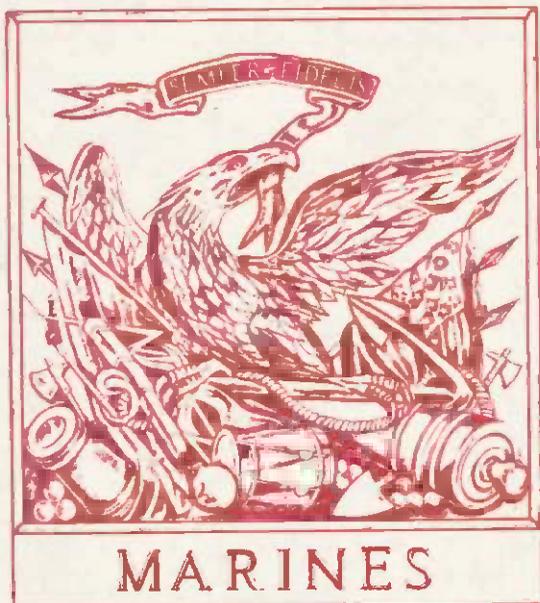


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MILLER**

1814—1856



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INTRODUCTION

The Samuel Miller papers were received by the Marine Corps Museum in 1967 and are particularly useful in documenting the Marine Corps participation in the Florida Indian Wars in 1836-37.

The collection is largely composed of Miller's official correspondence during the 1836-37 Indian campaigns but it also includes an interesting, if somewhat miscellaneous, selection of personal and official material from such documents as an apparently unique Muster Roll of the Marine detachment at the Battle of Bladensburg 1814, to the correspondence relating to his participation in an abortive duel.

FOREWORD

In 1967 the Marine Corps Museum implemented a program designed to acquire and preserve the personal papers of former Marines for future students of history. A substantial number of collections have been acquired, spanning the broad sweep of our nation's history from colonial times to the present. Many manuscripts have an appeal transcending Marine Corps history per se, and it is toward these that the Museum has addressed its initial efforts in organizing material. In order to introduce the collections to the academic community for scholarly exploitation, the Register Series was begun. It is hoped that this series will stimulate scholars to investigate this virgin field of military manuscripts in the pursuit of authenticity, accuracy, and, hopefully, a greater appreciation of what lies behind the more formal veneer of the "official records."

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BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH

Samuel Miller was born in Massachusetts on 12 October, 1775. In 1809, at the rather late age of 33, he was commissioned a second lieutenant in the United States Marine Corps. A brief nine months later, he was promoted to first lieutenant. Apparently, during the early years of the nation's existence, Marine officers were employed by the Administration as couriers for diplomatic correspondence, bullion, and the like, and in 1810 and 1811 Miller was frequently called upon for these duties.

During the War of 1812, Miller commanded the Marine contingent defending Washington and in this role he was severely wounded during the Battle of Bladensburg. For his gallant service in this action, Miller was brevetted to the rank of Major, having been a captain but a few short months. At about the same time he was made the Adjutant and Inspector of the Marine Corps, a position which put him in contention for the office of Commandant when it was vacated by the death of Lieutenant Colonel Franklin Wharton, 1 September, 1818. Miller's bid for the command was unsuccessful and Lieutenant Colonel Anthony Gale assumed the position in March 1819. The following year, Commandant Gale was tried by Court Martial for conduct unbecoming an officer, found guilty, and cashiered on 18 September. Miller again sought the command of the Corps but once more he was forstalled, this time by Lieutenant Colonel Archibald Henderson, who was to hold the office for the next 39 years. Subsequently, Miller acted in various capacities at Marine Corps Headquarters. During this time he married Miss Maria Bedinger of Berkley County, Virginia. In 1825 he was ordered to the Marine Barracks, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania where, with time out for the Florida Indian Wars, he resided for the ensuing seventeen years.

With the intensification of the Indian Wars in 1836, the Marine Corps was directed to assist the Army which was woefully undermanned for the task of subduing the rampant Creeks and Seminoles. Miller, in response to urgent orders from Washington, stripped his command to

the bare minimum and on the first of June, added his Marines to the Battalion being assembled under Commandant Henderson at Norfolk, Virginia. For the next 13 months, he actively led his troops against the insurgent Indians in a campaign notable, among other things, for the accumulation of orders and other military correspondence (all in longhand) which somehow accrued to Major Miller, and which forms a large and significant portion of this manuscript collection.

Miller returned to Philadelphia in mid-1837 where he resumed command of the Marine Barracks until transferring to command the sister installation at Brooklyn, New York as a Lieutenant Colonel. At the termination of a four year stint at Brooklyn, he returned to Philadelphia to superintend the Marine Corps recruiting services. On 9 December 1855, while still on active duty, Lieutenant Colonel Samuel Miller died and was buried with full military honors at Philadelphia.

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PERSONAL LETTERS

Folder 1

1820 29 December. Samuel Miller, Washington, D. C., to Maj Richard Smith.

Reply to correspondence of 25 December 1820 (not available) " . . . you will know I never availed myself of either civil or military authority against any proper demand made by a gentleman and man of honor . . ." (possible answers to charges not determined)

1821 18 January. Miller, Washington, D. C., to Maj Richard Smith.

Reply to correspondence of 14 January 1821 (not available) indicating action withheld pending answer from Secretary of the Navy.

24 February. Miller, Washington, D. C., to Maj Richard Smith, Strothers Hotel, Washington, D. C.

Reply to correspondence of 3 February (not available); concerned with charges in Miller-Smith controversy.

26 February. Maj Clark, Washington, D. C., to Maj Richard Smith, U. S. Marine Corps, Strothers Hotel, Washington, D. C.

Will call at 11 a. m. at his lodgings on 27 February 1821.

27 February. Maj Clark, Washington, D. C., to Maj Richard Smith, U. S. Marine Corps, Strothers Hotel, Washington, D. C.

Relating to meeting between principals morning this date; "If you mean to rely upon the services of Lieutenant Ball (?) . . . it

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is necessary that you should dispatch a messenger for him immediately. The arrangements must be made tomorrow and the meeting must take place on Thursday next."

1821 27 February. Maj Richard Smith, Washington, D. C., to Maj Clark.

Reply to correspondence of morning of this date between principals: "Should the gentleman (Lieutenant Ball) not reach the city by twelve o' clock tomorrow, another friend should be named"

1 March. Lt. J. McKeever to Maj Clark.

Proposal that differences between Majors Smith and Miller be settled by a duel; manner of duel, weapons, etc. completely explained.

1 March. Maj Clark to Lt. J. McKeever, US Navy, Strothers Hotel, Washington, D. C.

Notification that Major Miller will meet Major Smith as requested; Major Miller is challenged so has the right to choose the weapons to be used.

1 March. Lt. J. McKeever to Maj Clark.

Since the two principals disagree and neither will submit, it is proposed that all charges be placed before two disinterested persons for decision.

12 March. Maj Clark, Washington, D. C., to Maj Miller, Washington, D. C.

Sending of copies of correspondence relative to the ". . . affairs of honor recently settled."

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1827 15 May. J. L. Kuhn, Washington, D. C.,
 to Miller.

Various comments regarding the Court of Inquiry of Colonel Henderson; points out similarity between case of Henderson and Hall and feels that if Hall is tried so must be Henderson.

11 June. Jos. L. Kuhn, Washington, D. C.,
 to Miller.

Notes that Miller has been ordered to New York to prepare regulations of the Government of the Corps (possible order to be included); comments on Colonel Henderson's recently terminated Court of Inquiry; ". . . . The Colonel has been restored to duty with something like a rap over the knuckles I know the Court pronounced all the charges and specifications sustained by the evidence, Falsehoods and all!! . . ."; comments that Secretary of the Navy has promised him a copy of the report after the Court Martial of Lieutenant Hall is concluded since the two cases are "so closely blended." Concludes letter with ". . . . you will hear more before long of matters and things growing out of this affair, and if I mistake not the Colonel is not yet out of the bushes -- when he is, he may crow--."

1828 21 January. to Capt Kuhn

Comments pertinent to department arrangement of the Corps; ". . . . The Corps is now obnoxious to some of the principal Officers of the Navy, which if properly conducted would not only be an ornament, but an important appendage to that popular branch of the National Defense."

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1836 1 May. J. A. Kearney, Surgeon, US Navy, US Marine Corps Hospital, Washington, D. C. (letter of certification)

Statement as to disability of Miller as a result of gunshot wounds to left arm received in action with the enemy on 24 August 1814.

13 May. Thos. Harris, USN, Philadelphia (letter of certification)

Statement that Miller is entitled to full pension as a result of severe gunshot injury to left arm.

25 July. MajGen Jesup, Hq, Army of the South, Fort Mitchell, to Miller, Camp near Elliot's Mill Road.

Report by General Sanford of an engagement with Indians; orders to march immediately.

26 July. BrigGen John R. Fenwick, Fort Mitchell, to Miller.

Message from Major General Jesup that Fort McCreary considered unhealthy; orders to select a better position and report to Major General Sanford for his instructions.

30 August. MajGen Jesup, Hq, Army of the South, Tallahassee, to Miller, Commanding at West Point.

Reply to letters of 25th and 28th August (not available) as to reports required of Colonel Henderson; general Court Martial of prisoners; Colonel Henderson requests Lieutenant Edson for duty connected with Indian emigration.

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1836 30 August. Lt. S. A. Chambers, Hq, Army of the South, Tallahassee, to Miller, Commanding Officer, West Point.

Directed to move command to Chuckahatchee Navajo's Camp, Chambers County, Alabama.

9 September. Lt. S. A. Chambers, Hq, Army of the South, Tuskegee, to Lt. (?) Sprague, Emigrating Service.

Orders to Colonel Miller to take hostile Indians into emigrating camp.

9 September. Lt. S. A. Chambers, Hq, Army of the South, Tuskegee, to Miller, Chambers County, Alabama.

Lieutenant Sprague reports number of hostile Indians in Chewaukele Swamp who refuse to come into camp for emigration; the General directs Miller to proceed with force "...should they refuse obedience, you are to treat them as hostile and attack and destroy them."; Major Webb has a company of mounted volunteers ready for service.

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1837 1 January. MajGen Jesup, Hq, Army of the South, Tampa Bay, to Miller, Tampa Bay.

Assignment of Miller to take temporary command of Tampa Bay until a Naval Garrison arrives.

7 January. MajGen Jesup, Hq, Army of the South, Fort Dade, to Miller, Tampa Bay.

Major Thompson questions right to command the U. S. Corps of Infantry and Marines at Tampa Bay; does not wish to disturb

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harmony of service; Major Thompson to join Major General Jesup; quotes paragraph 2 of Order 31 and orders Miller to remain until Commodore Dallas' Marine Guard arrives to join him wherever he is in the field; includes a letter of instructions to Major Thompson.

1837 20 January. MajGen Jesup, Hq, Army of the South, Fort Armstrong, to Miller, Tampa Bay.

Refers to Miller's several letters of 17 January inclusive; requests that a Surgeon or Assistant be obtained from Commodore Dallas of Navy; asks that the Marines left at Tampa Bay and the Artillery Guard at Fort Fisher come to Fort Armstrong as soon as possible; mentions that 1st Lieutenant Cole Foster in pursuit of a party of Indians toward Tampa; praises Miller for his devotion and energy. Postscript states that a detachment goes to Tampa under Captain Coffee (?); also Assistant Surgeons Tripler and Cugler have been directed to Tampa; Assistant Surgeon Cochman to join Dr. Brown at hospital.

21 January. Lt. S. A. Chambers, Fort Armstrong, to Miller, Tampa Bay.

Instructions by Commanding General to allow Assistant Surgeon Cugler to proceed to New Orleans, Louisiana, as soon as possible.

9 February. Lt. S. A. Chambers, Fort Armstrong, to Miller, Tampa Bay.

Refers to Miller's letters of 22 and 29 January to the General; approves measures adopted; the General regrets deaths of Wagon Master McDuff and Private Pleasants; advises Jim Boy subject to his orders; the

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expedition south resulted in meeting Chiefs Jumper and Alligator and a promise to meet the General at Fort Dade on 18 February; messages sent to Colonels Foster and Fanning to observe truce; the General and 2nd Brigade to move to Fort Dade this date.

1837 13 February. Lt. S. A. Chambers, Tampa Bay, to Miller, Tampa Bay.

Prisoners to remain in confinement.

14 February. Lt. S. A. Chambers, Hq, Army of the South, Tampa Bay, to Miller, Tampa Bay.

Movement of Captain Molleng's detachment with sick to the train.

19 February. Lt. S. A. Chambers, Fort Dade, to Miller, Tampa Bay.

Major Nelson's battalion ordered to Tampa as escort to the train; Jumper, Holutoochee and Alligator to come in this date.

20 February. Lt. S. A. Chambers, Hq, Army of the South, Fort Dade, to Miller, Tampa Bay.

Sending the proceedings of Court and actions of Commanding General; Lieutenant Colonel Arrington was president and is to receive them for execution.

21 February. Lt. S. A. Chambers, Hq, Army of the South, Fort Dade, to Miller, Tampa Bay.

Train starts for Tampa escorted by Captain Harris' company and warriors of Chiefs Cochus Micco and Echo Kayo, all commanded by Captain Mallory; encloses order for the day.

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1837 21 February. Lt. S. A. Chambers, Hq, Army of the South, Fort Dade, to Miller, Tampa Bay.

Original of above letter.

23 February. Lt. S. A. Chambers, Hq, Army of the South, Fort Dade, to Captain S. Thomas, USA, Quartermaster, Tampa Bay.

Orders of Commanding General to keep warriors of Chiefs Cochus Micco and Echo Kayo at Tampa Bay; sends instructions for Miller, or if he is not there, for Captain Thomas; just learns that Lieutenant Colonel Arrington is there.

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1837 2 March. Lt. S. A. Chambers, Hq, Army of the South, Fort Dade, to Miller, Tampa Bay.

Refers to letter of 28 February; approves leave of absence of Camden Quartermaster of Battalion of Georgia Volunteers; requests report on Private Mattoon of "H" Company.

2 March. Lt. S. A. Chambers, Hq, Army of the South, Fort Dade, to Miller, Tampa Bay.

Relative to men belonging to "D", "F", or "S" Companies.

4 March. Lt. S. A. Chambers, Hq, Army of the South, Fort Dade, to Miller, Tampa Bay.

Road from Tampa to Little Hillsborough to be repaired.

4 March. MajGen Jesup, Hq, Army of the South, Fort Dade, to Miller, Tampa Bay.

Request for all mounted men of Major Nelson and Lieutenant Colonel Cawfield's commands; each man to carry a bushel of corn in his pack.

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1837 6 March. Lt. S. A. Chambers, Hq, Army of the South, Fort Dade, to Miller, Tampa Bay.

 Captain Munroe's command to escort train to Tampa.

9 March. Lt. I. V. D. Reeve, Fort Dade, to Miller, Fort Brooke.

 Enclosing papers for Private John Norris' discharge.

9 March. Lt. S. A. Chambers, Hq, Army of the South, Fort Dade to Miller, Tampa Bay.

 Papers in the case of Private Mattoon's discharge.

11 March. Lt. S. A. Chambers, Hq, Army of the South, Fort Dade, to Miller, Tampa Bay.

 Orders for Lieutenant Adams to join his company.

11 March. Lt. S. A. Chambers, Hq, Army of the South, Fort Dade, to Miller, Tampa Bay.

 Arrival of Chief "Cloud" and setting up an emigrating camp.

20 March. Lt. S. A. Chambers, Hq, Army of the South, Fort Dade, to Miller, Tampa Bay.

 Guard for Indian prisoners.

21 March. Lt. S. A. Chambers, Hq, Army of the South, Fort Dade, to Miller, Tampa Bay.

 Request that guard mentioned in above letter join escort under charge of Lieutenant Brent.

23 March. MajGen Jesup, Hq, Army of the South, Fort Dade, to Miller, Tampa Bay.

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Approves Miller's measures regarding the Volunteers and Militia encamped in vicinity of Tampa Bay; prisoners cannot visit the Indian Camp; Major Churchill to muster the Alabamians out of service; Chiefs agree to obey the order to remove to the West.

1837 26 March. Lt. S. A. Chambers, Hq, Army of the South, Fort Dade, to Miller, Tampa Bay.

Request for Privates A. D. Fellows, S. Fagan, and M. Soves (?) to be assigned to his command.

27 March. MajGen Jesup, Hq, Army of the South, Fort Dade, to Miller, Tampa Bay.

Tells of a report circulated by Mr. Cooley which may start trouble; requests Miller to thoroughly investigate.

27 March. Lt. S. A. Chambers, Hq, Army of the South, Fort Dade, to Miller, Tampa Bay.

Orders to issue rations of sugar and coffee to incoming Indians.

31 March. MajGen Jesup, Hq, Army of the South, Fort Dade, to Miller, Fort Brook, Fla.

Comments on a letter of 30 March (not available) regarding Mr. Cooley; still does not trust Mr. Cooley and asks Miller to keep an eye on his actions.

31 March. MajGen Jesup, Fort Dade, to Miller, Tampa Bay.

Still trying to trace report of Mr. Cooley; reports he will leave for Tampa on Monday.

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1837 8 April Lt. S. A. Chambers, Hq, Army of the South, Tampa Bay, to Miller, Tampa Bay.

Authorization for Captain Landens to keep brandy on board a vessel in harbor.

9 April. Lt. S. A. Chambers, Hq, Army of the South, Tampa Bay, to Miller, Tampa Bay.

Requirement for 12 men and a non-comm at Subsistence Department; to report to Lieutenant Casey.

10 April. Lt. S. A. Chambers, Hq, Army of the South, Tampa Bay, to Miller, Tampa Bay.

Requirement for 5 men for special service under orders of Lieutenant Bainbridge.

12 April. Lt. S. A. Chambers, Hq, Army of the South, Tampa Bay, to Miller, Tampa Bay.

Appointment of Sergeant Beckworth as Hospital Steward; cites Paragraph 8 of Orders No. 73; (See: Official Letters); encloses Dr. Lee's letter.

30 April. Lt. S. A. Chambers, Hq, Army of the South, Tampa Bay, to Captain John Munroe, Tampa Bay.

Encloses order of the day; refers to paragraph 5 calling for a detachment of artillery and instructs them to be detailed and to report to Lieutenant Bainbridge.

11 May. Lt. S. A. Chambers, Hq, Army of the South, Tampa Bay, to Miller, Tampa Bay.

Relative to the death and a military burial of a Sub-Chief of friendly Indians.

1837 7 June. MajGen Jesup to Miller.

Orders to withdraw the guard; Spanish families to be sent to their homes.

11 June. Lt. S. A. Chambers, Hq, Army of the South, Tampa Bay, to Miller, Tampa Bay.

Regarding a detail of 25 men for Fort Dade.

12 June. Lt. S. A. Chambers, Hq, Army of the South, Tampa Bay, to Miller, Tampa Bay.

Captain Freeman of Creek Volunteers not available to command escort for train.

12 June. Lt. S. A. Chambers, Hq, Army of the South, Tampa Bay, to Miller, Tampa Bay.

Orderly unsuitable for situation; asks that another be detailed - "one who can read."

13 June. Lt. S. A. Chambers, Hq, Army of the South, Tampa Bay, to Miller, Tampa Bay.

Delay of movement of Indians.

17 June. Lt. S. A. Chambers, Hq, Army of the South, Tampa Bay, to Miller, Tampa Bay.

Captain Allen's Company of Mounted Infantry to be added to escort of train removing stores from Fort Foster to Fort Dade.

17 June. Lt. S. A. Chambers, Hq, Army of the South, Tampa Bay, to Miller, Tampa Bay.

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Orders for a detail of 4 men to relieve 4 of Major Graham's men.

1837 18 June. Lt. S. A. Chambers, Hq, Army of the South, Tampa Bay, to Miller, Tampa Bay.

Request for a list of names of all officers.

21 June. Lt. S. A. Chambers, Hq, Army of the South, Tampa Bay, to Miller, Tampa Bay.

Requesting returns for the month of May.

21 June. Lt. S. A. Chambers, Hq, Army of the South, Tampa Bay, to Miller, Tampa Bay.

Colonel Brown not to be placed on any detail.

22 June. Lt. S. A. Chambers, Hq, Army of the South, Tampa Bay, to Miller, Tampa Bay.

Forwarding of returns of the troops for the month of May; mentions Major Dantzing-er, Captain McKenzie and Captain Macomber.

22 June. Lt. S. A. Chambers, Hq, Army of the South, Tampa Bay, to Miller, Tampa Bay.

Request for 6 men for fatigue duty to report to Lieutenant Bates.

24 June. Lt. S. A. Chambers, Hq, Army of the South, Tampa Bay, to Miller, Tampa Bay.

Privates James Bain and Henry Callahan, confined for desertion; ordered to their company under charge of Lieutenant Whitney.

25 June. MajGen Jesup, Hq, Army of the South, Tampa Bay, to Miller, Tampa Bay.

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Major General Jesup to be absent for 2 or 3 weeks; directs Miller to command the post at Tampa Bay.

1837 8 July. MajGen Jesup, Hq, Army of the South, St. Augustine, to Miller, Tampa Bay.

Refers to letter of 1 July (not available); directs that Bowlegs, Abraham, Toney and Bob be well guarded; reports hurting his ankle and that he is confined.

16 July. T. B. Linnard, Hq, Army of the South, St. Augustine, to Miller, Tampa Bay.

Major General Commanding concurs with Miller on subject of confining the Indian Negroes.

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1843 24 December. Miller to David Henshaw, Secty of the Navy (Letter No. 106).

Miller being removed from command of Philadelphia Station to New York and requests that he be returned to Philadelphia; gives the Secretary of the Navy a full account of his military service.

1845 14 April. Miller, Washington, D. C., to the Honorable George Bancroft, Secty of the Navy.

Miller's attempt to effect a transfer from New York Station to set up a new office of Inspector General of the Corps of Marines.

29 May. Miller, Philadelphia, Pa., to the Honorable George Bancroft, Secty of the Navy.

Additional facts about a new system of inspection in the Corps; cites how well it has served the Army and feels that he could do the job.

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1850 15 March. Charles Dechard, Washington, D. C., to Miller.

Relative to a pension to those who served in the War of 1812; Dechard requests Miller's signature as he had lost his discharge papers; ". . . .you recollect perhaps of starting from the marine barracks in Washington with your Marines and of which I was one and went down to the White House to relieve Commodore Barney. You recollect we was three days and three nights there firing red shot at the British. You recollect of me going up the pine tree describing the maneuvers of the enemy -- and likewise at Patuxen (sic) and at Bladensburg (sic) . . ."

20 March. Miller, Philadelphia, Pa.

Statement of certification that Private Charles Dechard served under his command in August 1813 at Annapolis, in June 1814 and at Bladensburg on 24 August 1814.

1853 29 April. L. H. A. Marks, Quartermaster's Office, Washington, D. C., to Miller, Phila.

Relative to buying 2 lots in Square 878 from Miller.

1856 20 February. Paul B. Goddard, M. D., Philadelphia, Pa.

Statement regarding his examination of Miller; disability of his left arm resulting from gun shot wounds.

Undated MajGen Jesup to Miller.

Invitation to eat turkey with him.

PRINTED DOCUMENTS

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1814 24 August.

A correct return of a Detachment of United States Marines under command of Captain Samuel Miller, at the Battle of Bladensburg on 24 August 1814 (signed by) Samuel Miller, Capt. Commanding.

10 September. From an Officer of Gen. Smith's Staff to Henry Banning, Esq.

A 16 page booklet narrative of the Battle of Bladensburg.

1815 11, 14, 15 and 16 January.

Two letters by Major Miller and two by Captain Alexander Sevier, Washington, D. C., regarding charges made by Captain Sevier against Major Miller, including Captain Sevier's apology.

1818 September, October and November.

Eight booklet pages of various letters to the President of the United States recommending Major Miller as Commandant of the Corps following the death of Colonel Wharton. These letters were written by E. W. DuVal, Esq., the Honorable Wm. Pinkney, the Honorable John Rhea, the Honorable Joseph Desha, the Honorable James Pleasants, the Honorable John Forsyth, the Honorable John Scott, the Honorable Lemuel Sawyer, General A. T. Mason, the Honorable Wm. Eustice and the Honorable David Trimble.

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1834 9 July. Orders No. 49.

Hq of the Army, AdjGenOff, Washington,
D. C. (signed by) R. Jones, Adj Gen.

Promotions and appointments in the
Army.

1835 10 January.

Seven pages of closely written notes
pertaining to Florida Indians.

1836 5 January. Orders No. 33.

HQ, Army of the South, AdjGenOff, Fort
Dade By order of MajGen Jesup
. . . . (signed by) Henry Stanton, LtCol
and AdjGen.

Concerning disposition of wagons, carts
and supplies; discharge of Florida Volunteers.

6 July. General Order No. 46.

Hq of the Army, AdjGenOff, Washington, D.
C. (signed by) R. Jones, AdjGen

Promotions and Appointments in the Ar-
my, since the 1st of January 1836.

9 July. Orders.

HQ, Southern Army, Tuskegee (signed
by) Thomas S. Jesup, MajGen, Commanding
the Southern Army.

Colonel Henderson to have a detachment
of Marines on post road from Columbus to
Tuskegee.

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1836 12 July. General Order No. 49.

Hq of the Army, AdjGenOff, Washington,
D. C. By order of MajGen Macomb
. (signed by) R. Jones, AdjGen

Revised regulations on subject of re-
turns, reports and detachments of militia.
(2 copies)

12 July. Orders No. 37.

HQ, Southern Army, Tuskegee By
order of MajGen Jesup (signed by)
I. J. Lane (?), Capt and Aide de Camp

Detailing of various detachments and
companies.

23 July. Orders No. 38.

HQ, Army of the South, Columbus, Ga.
. By order of MajGen Jesup
(signed by) I. J. Lane (?), Capt and Acting
AdjGen

Detailing an officer and 20 men for pro-
tection of the mail.

29 July. Orders No. 53.

HQ, Army of the South, TuskegeeBy
order of MajGen Jesup (signed by)
Henry Stanton, LtCol and AdjGen

Instructions to Colonel Trusdale to scour
the country for hostile Indians.

3 August. Special Order No. 56.

HQ, Army of the South, AdjGenOff, Tuskegee
. By order of MajGen Jesup
(signed by) Henry Stanton, LtCol and AdjGen

Miller stationed at Hitchely Creek, Geor-
gia is authorized to appoint an Acting As-
sistant Commanding of Subsistence.

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1836 6 August. Special Order No. 60.

HQ, Army of the South, AdjGenOff, Tuskegee
. . . . By order of MajGen Jesup . . . (signed
by) Henry Stanton, LtCol and AdjGen

Lieutenant McLean of the Marine Corps
to relieve Captain Charles Ward of the 4th
Artillery in duty of Depot Commissary at
Columbus, Georgia.

7 August. "Daily Morning report of the Of-
ficers, Non-Commissioned Officers, Musi-
cians, and Privates, of Company G. of the
United States Marine Corps, stationed at the
Marine Encampment Uptons Mills Stuart
County, Georgia under the command of Cap-
tain James McCawley."

11 August. Orders No. 144.

1st Army Corps of the Army of the South
Hq Camp Marine By order of Maj-
Gen Sanford

Colonel Miller to break up present en-
campment and move to vicinity of Michee
Creek on the mail route from Columbus to
Montgomery.

19 August. Statement of death of Private
James Harding of Jackson Volunteers and
directing his burial. (Signed by) J. W. A.
Sanford, MajGen

19 August. Order No. 64.

HQ, Army of the South, AdjGenOff, Tuskegee
. . . . By order of MajGen Jesup (signed
by) Henry Stanton, LtCol and AdjGen

Miller to occupy West Point, Alabama
and take necessary measures regarding arms

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and public property.

1836 23 August. Orders No. 68. Para. 4.

HQ, Army of the South, AdjGenOff, Tuskegee
. . . . By order of MajGen Jesup . . . (signed
by) Henry Stanton, LtCol and AdjGen

 An officer and 30 men to be sent to post
at White Plains.

27 August. Orders.

HQ, 1st Army Corps, Columbus By
order of MajGen Lanford (signed by)
Josiah L. Patterson, Aide de Camp

 Major Chambers and staff of Colonel
Woods Regiment and Captain Still and Com-
pany to be -mustered out of service and dis-
charged.

27 August. Orders. Para. 2.

HQ, Army of the South, Tallahassee, Fla.
. . . . (signed by) MajGen Jesup

 Battalion commanded by Major Webb to
be mustered out.

30 August. Orders No. 73. Para. 3.

HQ, Army of the South, Tuskegee By
Order of MajGen Jesup (signed by)
Henry Stanton, LtCol and AdjGen

 A general Court Martial to convene on
3 September at Marine Encampment near
West Point; Lieutenant Colonel Freeman will
act as president.

29 October. General Order No. 72.

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Hq of the Army, AdjGenOff, Washington
. . . . (signed by) R. Jones, AdjGen

Charges and sentence of Court Martial
of 1st Lieutenant W. L. Harris.

1836 29 October. Orders No. 2.

HQ, Army of the South, Tampa Bay . . . By
Command of MajGen Jesup (signed by)
S. A. Chambers, Lt.

A General Court Martial to convene at
Tampa Bay on 30 October.

1 November. General Order No. 74.

Hq of the Army, Washington (signed
by) R. Jones, AdjGen

Promotions and appointments in the Ar-
my since the publication of General Order
No. 59 dated 29 August 1836.

7 November. General Order No. 76.

Hq of the Army, Washington . . . (signed
by) R. Jones, AdjGen

Assignment of duty connected with In-
dian Emigration.

25 November. Orders No.

HQ, Army of the South, Tampa Bay
By command of MajGen Jesup (signed
by) Henry Stanton, LtCol and AdjGen

Various orders for a march on the morn-
ing of 27 November.

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1837 1 January. Orders No. 31.

HQ, Army of the South, Tampa Bay
By order of MajGen Jesup (signed
by) Henry Stanton, LtCol and AdjGen

In relation to troops for defense of Fort
Foster and Tampa Bay. (A true transcript)

1 January. Orders No. 31. Same as above
with nine additional paragraphs. (2 copies)

13 January. Memorandum relating to Pri-
vates James Baines and Henry Callahan of
"B" Company, 3rd Artillery who are charged
with desertion.

20 January. Orders No. 42.

HQ, Army of the South, Ft. Armstrong
By order of MajGen Jesup (signed by)
Henry Stanton, LtCol and AdjGen

Various orders to officers and companies.

8 February. Orders No. 52.

HQ, Army of the South, Ft. Armstrong
(signed by) MajGen Jesup.

Expression of Major General Command-
ing appreciation to Lieutenant Colonel Henry
Stanton and Lieutenant Colonel Freeman for
valuable services rendered.

9 February. Orders No. 52. Para. 4.

HQ, Army of the South, Ft. Armstrong. . . .
(signed by) Thos. L. Jesup, MajGenCmdg

Copy of paragraph 4 of above order stat-
ing that Lieutenant Chambers is to act as
Adjutant General of the Army of the South.

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1837 12 February. Orders No. 54.

HQ, Army of the South, Tampa Bay
By command S. A. Chambers, Lt.

Refers to paragraph 2 of General Order No. 100 of 1832 prohibiting ardent spirits on post; this order stresses this prohibition.

13 February. Orders No. 55.

HQ, Army of the South, Tampa Bay
By command S. A. Chambers, Lt.

Various orders to officers.

13 February. Special Order No. 30.

HQ, Army of the South, Tampa Bay
By command S. A. Chambers, Lt.

Leave of absence granted to Captain L. Thomas and Lieutenant S. C. Casey.

13 February. Orders No. 56.

HQ, Army of the South, Tampa Bay
By command S. A. Chambers, Lt.

General Court Martial to convene for trial of Privates Charles Smith and George W. Smith.

14 February. Special Order No. 32.

HQ, Army of the South, Tampa Bay
By command S. A. Chambers, Lt.

Leave of absence for ten days granted to Doctor S. F. Brown.

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1837 21 February. Orders No. 59.

HQ, Army of the South, Fort Dade
By order of MajGen Jesup (signed
by) Geo. Gibson, C. G.

Relating to increase in sugar and coffee
rations for the troops.

25 February. Circular.

HQ, Army of the South, Fort Dade. . . .
To LtCol Miller (signed by) S. A.
Chambers, Lt.

Request for monthly returns of troops.

4 March. Orders No. 62.

HQ, Army of the South, Fort Dade. . . . By
order of MajGen Jesup, (signed by)
S. A. Chambers, Lt.

Remission of balance of sentence given
by Court Martial to Private George W. Smith.

18 March. General Order No. 11.

Hq of the Army, Washington (signed by)
R. Jones, AdjGen

In relation to settlement of accounts of
soldiers.

23 March. Orders No. 70.

HQ, Army of the South, Fort Dade, By
order of MajGen Jesup (signed by)
S. A. Chambers, Lt.

Various orders for transfer of officers.

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1837 26 March. Orders No. 73. Para. 8.

HQ, Army of the South, Fort Dade. . . .
By order of MajGen Jesup (signed by)
S. A. Chambers, Lt.

Detached men to rejoin companies in the
field when their health permits.

3 April. Orders No. 77.

HQ, Army of the South, Tampa Bay. . . By
order of MajGen Jesup (signed by)
S. A. Chambers, Lt.

Lieutenant S. W. Stokes appointed Pro-
vost Marshal.

5 April. Orders No. 79. Para. 1.

HQ, Army of the South, Tampa Bay . . . By
order of MajGen Jesup (signed by)
S. A. Chambers, Lt.

In relation to interference of unprinci-
paled white men with the Negro property of
the Seminole Indians which is feared will
lead to renewal of war.

7 April. Orders No. 80.

HQ, Army of the South, Tampa Bay. . . By
order of MajGen Jesup (signed by)
S. A. Chambers, Lt.

Brevet Major W. M. Graham is appointed
to act as Agent of the Seminole Indians; duties
outlined.

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1837 10 April. Orders No. 81.

HQ, Army of the South, Tampa Bay
By order of MajGen Jesup (signed
by) S. A. Chambers, Lt.

Assistant Surgeon C. S. Tripler relieved
from duty and transferred to Fort Drake to
relieve Surgeon A. W. Elvers there; Lieu-
tenant Bainbridge designated to survey road
to Fort Armstrong.

10 April. Orders No. 81. Para. 4.

HQ, Army of the South, Tampa Bay
By order of MajGen Jesup (signed by)
S. A. Chambers, Lt.

In relation to regular expresses for
Black Creek on Monday and Thursday after-
noons.

12 April. Orders No. 83.

HQ, Army of the South, Tampa Bay . . . By
order of MajGen Jesup (signed by)
S. A. Chambers, Lt.

Surgeon H. A. Steinnecke relieved from
duty to repair to New York.

12 April. Orders No. 83. Para. 5.

HQ, Army of the South, Tampa Bay . . . By
order of MajGen Jesup (signed by)
S. A. Chambers, Lt.

Colonel Henderson to detach Captain
Tompkins' company and order it to Tampa Bay.

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1837 17 April. Orders No. 85.

HQ, Army of the South, Tampa Bay . . . By order of MajGen Jesup (signed by) S. A. Chambers, Lt.

In relation to Article 12, paragraph 4 of General Regulations stating no discharge to be granted prior to expiration of enlistment.

23 April. Orders No. 91. Para. 3.

HQ, Army of the South, Tampa Bay, . . . By order of MajGen Jesup (signed by) S. A. Chambers, Lt.

Organization of Army of the South into Brigades as directed in Order No. 34 is dissolved; Brigadier General Armistead assigned to command troops; Colonel Henderson to command all troops west of St. Johns.

25 April. General Orders No. 24.

Hq of the Army, Washington (signed by) R. Jones, AdjGen

Charges against Major William Gates at a General Court Martial.

27 April. General Orders No. 26.

Hq of the Army, Washington (signed by) R. Jones, AdjGen

Statement of cost of clothing and equipment for the Army. (2 copies)

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1837 27 April. Orders No. 93.

HQ, Army of the South, Tampa Bay, . . . By order of MajGen Jesup (signed by) S. A. Chambers, Lt.

Lieutenant F. Taylor appointed Issuing Commissary of Seminole Indians.

30 April. Orders No. 95.

HQ, Army of the South, Tampa Bay . . . By order of MajGen Jesup (signed by) S. A. Chambers, Lt.

Various orders to medical officers and surveying of roads.

30 April. Orders No. 95. Para. 8.

HQ, Army of the South, Tampa Bay . . . By order of MajGen Jesup (signed by) S. A. Chambers, Lt.

Re-branding of all public horses attached to Army of the South.

3 May. Orders No. 97.

HQ, Army of the South, Tampa Bay . . . By order of MajGen Jesup (signed by) S. A. Chambers, Lt.

Lieutenant Caldwell is assigned duty to assist in survey directed by Order No. 95, paragraph 5.

9 May. Orders No. 100.

HQ, Army of the South, Tampa Bay . . . By order of MajGen Jesup (signed by) S. A. Chambers, Lt.

Public horses attached to Army of the South must be inspected and those unfit for service to be marked and sold.

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1837 10 May. Orders No. 101.

HQ, Army of the South, Tampa Bay . . . By order of MajGen Jesup (signed by) S. A. Chambers, Lt.

Board of Officers to assemble to collect facts in relation to loss of ammunition.

12 May. Memorandum.

HQ, Army of the South, Tampa Bay (signed by) R. Jones, AdjGen

Rescinding of part of 24th paragraph of the General Regulations, Article 47 regarding issues to Hospitals.

13 May. Orders No. 103. Para. 3.

HQ, Army of the South, Tampa Bay. . . By order of MajGen Jesup (signed by) S. A. Chambers, Lt.

Sick of detachment of friendly Indians to be sent to Tampa Bay; also Company "E" of the 4th Artillery.

18 May. General Orders No. 31.

AdjGenOff, Washington By order of MajGen Macomb (signed by) a true copy by E. P. Gaines

Various orders transferring troops.

22 May. Order No. 1.

HQ, Western Department, Mobile By order of MajGen Gaines (signed by) Geo. H. Griffin, Aide-de-Camp.

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1837 22 May. Continued.

Major General Gaines has established Headquarters in Mobile, Alabama and all Reports and Returns to be addressed to Headquarters, Western Department.

22 May. Orders No. 108.

HQ, Army of the South, Tampa Bay . . . By order of MajGen Jesup (signed by) S. A. Chambers, Lt.

Colonel Henderson to report to Washington being required at the Headquarters of his Corps; expression of thanks to Colonel Henderson for his valuable and distinguished services.

22 May. Special Order No. 74.

HQ, Army of the South, Tampa Bay, . . . By order of MajGen Jesup (signed by) S. A. Chambers, Lt.

Orders to 2nd Lieutenant T. S. Brent of the 4th Regiment of Artillery to report to Headquarters of his Regiment at Fort McHenry.

23 May. Orders No. 109.

HQ, Army of the South, Tampa Bay . . . By order of MajGen Jesup (signed by) S. A. Chambers, Lt.

Sick to be removed from Fort Foster to Camp on Thlonotosassa.

24 May. Orders No. 110.

HQ, Army of the South, Tampa Bay . . . By order of MajGen Jesup (signed by) S. A. Chambers, Lt.

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1837 24 May. Continued.

Assistant Surgeon Abadii to relieve Assistant Surgeon Baldwin at Camp Thlonotassassa or Fort Fisher.

25 May. Orders No. 111.

HQ, Army of the South, Tampa Bay . . . By order of MajGen Jesup (signed by) S. A. Chambers, Lt.

Captain William P. Wilson to be honorably discharged from Creek Volunteers.

26 May. General Orders No. 35.

AdjGenOff, Washington By order of MajGen Macomb (signed by) J. N. Macomb.

A general Court Martial to convene at Fort Leavenworth, Missouri on 7 July.

26 May. Orders No. 112.

HQ, Army of the South, Tampa Bay . . . By order of MajGen Jesup (signed by) S. A. Chambers, Lt.

Major William P. Pecicy (?) to be honorably discharged from Creek Volunteers; expression of thanks for his service; requirement for all settlers to have adequate supply of vegetables and fruits for the troops; Lieutenant Thomas to Black Creek for clothing for troops.

29 May. Orders No. 113.

HQ, Army of the South, Tampa Bay . . . By order of MajGen Jesup (signed by) S. A. Chambers, Lt.

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1837 29 May. Continued.

In relation to attending sick in camps for emigration of Seminoles.

29 May. Orders No. 113. Para. 3.

HQ, Army of the South, Tampa Bay . . . By order of MajGen Jesup (signed by) S. A. Chambers, Lt.

Trading with Indians forbidden except under certain circumstances.

30 May. General Orders No. 36.

AdjGenOff, Washington By order of MajGen Macomb (signed by) R. Jones, AdjGen

Directing a Court of Inquiry for purpose of examining transactions of Captain E. Harding of Ordnance Department.

31 May. General Orders No. 37.

AdjGenOff, Washington By order of MajGen Macomb (signed by) R. Jones, AdjGen

Acceptance of resignations of seven officers.

31 May. Orders No. 114.

HQ, Army of the South, Tampa Bay . . . By order of MajGen Jesup (signed by) S. A. Chambers, Lt.

Captain Irwin's Company of Washington City Volunteers to be discharged; expression of thanks to Captain Irwin; no citizen to pass into interior from Tampa Bay; Sergeant Samuel Johnson, because of bad health to proceed to Fort Monroe.

Folder 11

1837 1 June. Orders No. 115.

HQ, Army of the South, Tampa Bay . . . By order of MajGen Jesup (signed by) S. Chambers, Maj.

Assignment of duties to various surgeons.

1 June. Special Order No. 40.

AdjGenOff, Washington By order of MajGen Macomb (signed by) R. Jones, AdjGen

Detailing surgeons to various posts.

2 June. Orders No. 116.

HQ, Army of the South, Tampa Bay . . . By order of MajGen Jesup (signed by) T. B. Linnard, ADC & AAGen

Indian and Negro prisoners to be sent to New Orleans.

2 June. Orders No. 116. Para. 5.

HQ, Army of the South, Tampa Bay (signed by) T. B. Linnard, ADC & AAGen

Captain Allen's company of Mounted Regulars and one company of Jim Boy's Indians to escort wagon train.

4 June. Orders No. 118.

HQ, Army of the South, Tampa Bay . . . By order of MajGen Jesup (signed by) G. H. Crosman, Lt and ActyAAdjGen

All ordnance and Quartermaster stores not needed at Fort Foster to be removed to Tampa Bay.

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1837 6 June. General Orders No. 38.

AdjGenOff, Washington By order of
MajGen Macomb (signed by) R. Jones,
AdjGen

Lieutenant Colonel Stanton, because of
ill health to be relieved of duty as President
of Court of Inquiry.

6 June. Orders No. 119.

HQ, Army of the South, Tampa Bay . . . By
order of MajGen Jesup (signed by)
T. B. Linnard, ADC & AAGen

Assistant Surgeon Tripler relieved of
duty; orders to Surgeon Harney at Baton
Rouge; appreciation for his service.

7 June. Orders No. 120.

HQ, Army of the South, Tampa Bay . . . By
order of MajGen Jesup (signed by)
G. H. Crosman, Lt and ActyAAdjGen

Lieutenant Colonel Brown to repair to
Tampa Bay; 1st Lieutenant F. Taylor and
Lieutenant Archer relieved from duty; sick
of company of Creek Volunteers to be moved
to Tampa Bay.

7 June. Special Orders No. 80.

HQ, Army of the South, Tampa Bay . . . By
order of MajGen Jesup (signed by)
T. B. Linnard, ADC & AAGen

Lieutenant R. H. Archer, because of ill-
ness, to be relieved from duty.

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1837 9 June. Orders No. 121.

HQ, Army of the South, Tampa Bay . . . By order of MajGen Jesup (signed by) S. A. Chambers, Lt. ADC & AAGen

Order to shoot all horses and mules unfit for service.

10 June. Orders No. 122.

HQ, Army of the South, Tampa Bay . . . By order of MajGen Jesup (signed by) S. A. Chambers, Lt. ADC & AAGen

Regiment of Creek Volunteers to be mustered for payment.

10 June. Special Orders No. 83. Para. 2.

HQ, Army of the South, Tampa Bay . . . By order of MajGen Jesup (signed by) S. A. Chambers, Lt. ADC & AAGen

Leave of absence granted to 2nd Lieutenant A. C. Myers; furlough granted to Private John Metcalf.

11 June. Orders No. 123.

HQ, Army of the South, Tampa Bay . . . By order of MajGen Jesup (signed by) S. A. Chambers, Lt. ADC & AAGen

Assistant Surgeon Byrne to repair to Fort Foster; Doctor Cushman to replace him.

12 June. Special Order No. 85.

HQ, Army of the South, Tampa Bay . . . By order of MajGen Jesup (signed by) S. A. Chambers, Lt. ADC & AAGen

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1837 12 June. Continued.

Leave of absence granted to 2nd Lieutenant James H. Stokes because of health.

12 June. Orders No. 124.

HQ, Army of the South, Tampa Bay . . . By order of MajGen Jesup (signed by) S. A. Chambers, Lt. ADC & AAGen

In relation to removal of sick and transportation of Indians by Steamer Merchant.

13 June. General Orders No. 39.

AdjGenOff, Washington By order of MajGen Macomb (signed by) R. Jones, AdjGen

In relation to disposal of recruits.

13 June. Orders No. 125.

HQ, Army of the South, Tampa Bay . . . By order of MajGen Jesup (signed by) S. A. Chambers, Lt. ADC & AAGen

Publishing of letter of instruction from Honorable Secretary of War regarding issuing of rations to suffering inhabitants of Tampa Bay.

14 June. Orders No. 126.

HQ, Army of the South, Tampa Bay . . . By order of MajGen Jesup (signed by) S. A. Chambers, Lt. ADC & AAGen

Relating to removal of sick; transportation; defense of Headquarters; extract from Secretary of War letter approbatory of conduct of troops.

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1837 15 June. General Orders No. 40.

Hq of the Army, AdjGenOff, Washington . . .
By order of MajGen Macomb . . . (signed by)
R. Jones, AdjGen

Relating to clothing for Artillery troops
serving in Florida.

16 June. Orders No. 127.

HQ, Army of the South, Tampa Bay . . . By
order of MajGen Jesup (signed by)
S. A. Chambers, Lt. ADC & AAGen

Regarding supplies deposited at Fort
Dade.

18 June. Orders No. 128.

HQ, Army of the South, Tampa Bay . . . By
order of MajGen Jesup (signed by)
S. A. Chambers, Lt. ADC & AAGen

A general Court Martial to convene on
19 June to try prisoners.

18 June. Orders No. 128. Para. 2.

HQ, Army of the South, Tampa Bay . . . By
order of MajGen Jesup (signed by)
S. A. Chambers, Lt. ADC & AAGen

Relative to transportation of supplies.

19 June. Orders No. 129.

HQ, Army of the South, Tampa Bay . . . By
order of MajGen Jesup (signed by)
S. A. Chambers, Lt. ADC & AAGen

Garrison at Fort Foster to be withdrawn
as soon as stores are removed.

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1837 19 June. Orders No. 129. Para. 3.

HQ, Army of the South, Tampa Bay . . . By order of MajGen Jesup (signed by) S. A. Chambers, Lt. ADC & AAGen

Correcting error made in Order No. 128 regarding Lieutenant C. B. Daniel as a member of the Court.

19 June. Certificate of Disability for Samuel Miller for wounds received at Bladensburg, 24 August 1814; disability pension of \$10 a month; signed by Mahlon (?) Dickerson, Secretary of Navy. (Original and 2 copies)

20 June. Orders No. 130.

HQ, Army of the South, Tampa Bay . . . By order of MajGen Jesup (signed by) S. A. Chambers, Lt. ADC & AAGen

2nd Battalion Creek Volunteers to be stationed at Tampa Bay; various other orders; Captain William G. Freeman promoted to Major.

21 June. Orders No. 131. Para. 2.

HQ, Army of the South, Tampa Bay . . . By order of MajGen Jesup (signed by) S. A. Chambers, Lt. ADC & AAGen

All allowances to laborers and mechanics to cease; Seminole Negro Indians Abram and Toney to be employed as Interpreters; all Seminoles and Negroes remaining with Army to be allowed rations and clothing.

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1837 22 June. Orders No. 132.

HQ, Army of the South, Tampa Bay . . . By order of MajGen Jesup (signed by) S. A. Chambers, Lt. ADC & AAGen

R. P. Ryan appointed to 2nd Lieutenant in Regiment of Creek Volunteers; Company "H" 2nd Artillery to repair to Tampa Bay.

23 June. Orders No. 133. Para. 4.

HQ, Army of the South, Tampa Bay . . . By order of MajGen Jesup (signed by) S. A. Chambers, Lt. ADC & AAGen

Doctor Baldwin to proceed north for recovery of his health; Captain Lee of Indian Regiment transferred from 2nd to 1st Battalion of Indian Warriors.

23 June. General Order No. 42.

AdjGenOff, Washington By order of MajGen Macomb (signed by) R. Jones, AdjGen

In relation to stationary allowances.

24 June. General Order No. 43.

AdjGenOff, Washington By order of MajGen Macomb (signed by) R. Jones, AdjGen

Provisions of General Orders No. 39 not yet executed to be deferred; Brevet Major Gardner, Captain Washington and Captain Lyon to report to Fort Monroe.

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1837 24 June. Orders No. 135. Para. 2.

HQ, Army of the South, Tampa Bay . . . By order of MajGen Jesup (signed by) S. A. Chambers, Lt. ADC & AAGen

Various orders for movement of officers and troops.

25 June. Orders No. 136.

HQ, Army of the South, Tampa Bay . . . By order of MajGen Jesup (signed by) S. A. Chambers, Lt. ADC & AAGen

Private S. H. Bille of "I" Company assigned to duty with Creek Volunteers and appointed to Sergeant Major.

25 June. Orders No. 137.

HQ, Army of the South, Tampa Bay (signed by) MajGen Jesup

Expression of appreciation for services of Lieutenant Chambers, who is ordered to proceed to Washington with dispatches for the War Department; Lieutenant Linnard charged with duties of Adjutant General.

28 June. Orders No. 138.

HQ, Army of the South, Fort King . . . By order of MajGen Jesup (signed by) T. B. Linnard, ADC and ActyAGen

1st Lieutenant Martin Burke to be relieved of duty; a general Court Martial to be convened on 29 June.

Folder 12

1837 9 July. Orders No. 144.

HQ, Army of the South, St. Augustine . . . By order of MajGen Jesup (signed by) T. B. Linnard, ADC & ActyAGen

Reconvening of General Court Martial at Fort King.

9 July. Special Order No. ____

HQ, Army of the South, St. Augustine . . . By order of MajGen Jesup (signed by) T. B. Linnard, ADC & ActyAGen

Leave of absence granted to 2nd Lieutenant B. Conkling.

12 July. Orders No. 146.

HQ, Army of the South, St. Augustine . . . By order of MajGen Jesup (signed by) T. B. Linnard, ADC and ActyAGen

Brigadier General Hernandez to visit interior; stores at Fort Dade to be transported to Fort King; Major Thompson to send sick of 6th Regiment to Tampa Bay.

14 July. Special Orders No. ____

HQ, Army of the South, St. Augustine . . . By order of MajGen Jesup (signed by) T. B. Linnard, ADC & ActyAGen

Assignment of duties to Captain Lee, Captain Boyd, 2nd Lieutenant G. C. Thomas, Lieutenant William Wall and Lieutenant F. L. Jones.

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1845 12 February.

Washington Tax Bill for year 1842. Balance paid 12 February 1845.

1846 Washington Tax Bill for 1846.