

Head Quarters 2nd West Tenn Infy
 LaGrange Tenn. July 8th 1863

General Order

No 1

The following hours are designated
 for the Drill and discipline of this Command.

Reveille Roll Call	at	4.15 A.M.
Squad Drill from	4.30 to 5.30	" "
Breakfast	at	6.00 " "
Roll Call	"	7.00 " "
Guard Mounting	"	7.30 " "
Company Drill	"	7.45 " "
Officers Drill from	8.45 to 9.45	" "
Quitted Roll Call	at	12.00 M.
School for Officers	at	3.00 P.M.
Supper	at	5.00 " "
Dress Parade	at	6.00 " "
Squad Drill from	6.30 to 7.30	" "
Tattoo Roll Call	at	8.45 " "
Taps	at	9.30 " "

All Officers will be in their quarters at taps and remain there unless by special permission they are allowed to be absent.

E. A. Finney
 Adjutant

By order of
 John Foley
 Lieut Col, Comd'g

Head Quarters 2nd West Tenn Infy
 Vols of A.D. LaGrange Tenn July 14th 1863

General Order

No 2

Hereafter there will be passes
 allowed to four (4) men from each company per day
 two in the morning and two in the evening. Those
 coming off guard duty will have the preference. All
 passes will be sent to the Adjutant's Office for
 approval by 7 o'clock A.M. none will be approved

General Order

No 2

III No Trees in or around camp will be cut for the purpose of fuel if fuel is wanted teams will draw it Company Commanders will see that their men commit no depredations on private property. They will be held strictly accountable for the acts of their men.

IV No Officer will be allowed to pass his men outside the guard lines for any purpose unless by special permission and then they will be accompanied by a non-commissioned officer.

V Company Commanders will have their quarters thoroughly polished every morning and all refuse carried out. Larders and Kitchens kept clean. They will visit the Kitchens daily and see that the food is properly cooked and that the meals are regular. All slops will be thrown into sinks dug for that purpose.

E. A. Ferry
Adjutant

By Order of
John Foley
Lieut. Col. Commanding

Head Quarters 2^d Regt West Tenn
Infantry of African Descent
Lagrange Tenn August 11th 1863

General Orders

No 3

II It being desirable to raise this Regiment to the highest proficiency in Drill, Discipline and Soldierly character the following regulations are announced for the guidance and government of all concerned

III The system of Tactics adopted March 9th 1863 by the Secretary of War for the colored troops of the United States will be the standard Tactics in this Regiment

Company Inspection on Sunday Morning as required in paragraph No 314 Revised Army Regulations will not be omitted. All damage or loss of guns ammunition and equipments will be noted by the Inspecting officer and the amount thereof charged on the company muster rolls pay rolls against the Soldier causing by his fault or neglect the loss or damage

The quarters of the several companies will be kept thoroughly policed: all refuse animal and vegetable matter will be removed and thrown into the slop sinks: the company parades will be swept daily: All bursting of caps and discharging of fire-arms within the limits of the camp is strictly prohibited

It being essential to perfect discipline that the commanding officer should at all times be able to account for all his subordinates officers as well as men officers will at no time absent themselves from camp without first obtaining permission of their immediate commanders and from the commanding officer of the Regiment

Company officers will without delay make themselves familiar with paragraph

XIII Revised Army Regulations which is far as applicable will be rigidly enforced and obeyed.

It is not in general the province of Regimental Commanders to exercise discipline in Companies nor to enforce upon enlisted men the performance of particular Company duties: that duty devolves upon the several Company Commanders who are the heads of their companies and to whom ample authority is delegated for the Discipline and management thereof. The Regimental Commander will not relieve them of their legitimate responsibilities but will look to them for the proper management and advancement of their several companies and will hold them accountable for all deficiencies in the same.

All officers will at once familiarize themselves with the duties of guard both garrison and outpost and whenever detailed in charge of guard or sentinels particularly those belonging to this Regiment they will use great diligence and industry in imparting to them a minute and accurate knowledge of their duties and in acquiring the constant and faithful performance of the same.

It is enforced and ordered that all officers make themselves acquainted at the earliest practicable moment with the requirements and penalties of the articles of War and with the details of their respective duties in Garrison and Campaign.

Officers will be held to a rigid responsibility for the performance of their whole duty: nor will it be deemed that they have discharged their whole duty if any effort within their power to promote the efficiency of the command have been omitted. But they are required whatever their situation or particular duty to employ the full extent of their authority and influence to promote ^{developing} proficiency in drill and to contribute to the utmost of their opportunities to elevate the standard of Soldierly character in the Regiment. Negligence and inattention on the part of officers will not be tolerated. Not only will the more gross and palpable violations of the articles of War be punished to their full

extent of the law but such officers as by care-
lessness inattention or habitual neglect, demon-
strate that they are unequal to and unworthy of
the important responsibilities of the honorable stations
they occupy will be promptly held for trial under
the articles of War or will be reported for summary
dismissal under the provisions of recent acts of
Congress relating thereto.

The Adjutant is constituted
the Regimental Inspector by orders now in force.
In addition to the duties specified in such orders
he will from time to time report to the com-
manding officer of the Regiment the general con-
dition of the several companies and particularly
the zeal ability and efficiency of officers and
their habitual attention to orders whether they are
prompt or tardy in obeying them, which companies
are specially distinguished for proficiency on drill
which officers and men are noticeable for soldierly
qualities and deserving of promotion or reward and
which merit censure or punishment. In general
all irregularities of whatever nature and every thing
relating to the general discipline and efficiency of the
officers of the Regiment.

Louis B Smith
Acting Adjutant

By Order of
John Foley
Lieut Col Commandg

Head Quarters 61st U. S. Col'd Infy.
Memphis Tenn. Nov. 28th 1864.

General Orders
No. 4.

The attention of the Comd'g Officer of the Regiment, has recently been called to the lack of cleanliness in company quarters, also want of instruction and proper deportment on the part of the enlisted men.

For the purpose of obviating these evils and inducing a wholesome and rigid reform, the following instructions are issued for the guidance of Company Commanders, and their injunctions are expected to be strictly complied with and actively enforced.

I. Whenever the Quarters of the Enlisted men are visited, they must be instructed to cease all other business, rise to their feet; and at the word "attention" from the senior Non-Com. Officer present salute. (See Paragraph 322 and 255 Revised Army Regulation.)

II. No food must be eaten in Quarters, except in cases of men who are unable to attend the table from sickness, and in such cases the food must be brought in by the cooks, and the dishes immediately removed.

III. Every Morning bed clothing and blankets must be folded in such a manner as to show the edges, and the Knapsack neatly packed and placed at the head of the bunk containing all the clothing the soldier possesses.

IV. The floor in the bottom of each bunk must be swept every morning, and also the floor of the main barracks, and all reasonable efforts use to prevent the accumulation of filth.

V. An old man not fit for active duty or a light duty man must be placed in charge of the barracks as room orderly, and will see,

that the floor is swept, and constantly clean, and that no dirt or filth whatever is allowed to accumulate.

VII. There will be two wood boxes provided for each of the Company quarters, and the wood must invariably be cut before carried in. The stove shall be three feet above the floor.

VIII. There will be two tables provided for each Kitchen running lengthwise of the room upon which the dishes will be kept, and no eating shall be allowed in the kitchen except at regular hours.

IX. Soldiers confined in the guard house will be served with food consisting of bread and water and will be allowed no meat, vegetables or fruit.

X. No man shall be allowed in the kitchen except the cooks, only at meal time, and the kitchen must be visited by one of the Company Officers at least once each day.

XI. Each man must be provided with a knife, fork, spoon, tin plate and cup, which will be given in charge of the cooks, who shall be responsible for their safe keeping.

XII. Company Commanders will see that food is properly prepared and cooked.

XIII. Company Commanders will as soon as practicable make a statement of their Company funds, showing how much has been previously expended, and for what purpose and how much remains on hand.

XIV. The attention of Company Commanders is specially directed to Article XVIII R. A. R.

By order of
Frank A. Kendrick
Col. 61st U. S. Col. Infy.
Frank C. Morris
Lieut. and Adj.

Head Quarters 61st U. S. Col. Infy.
Memphis Tenn. Dec. 16th 1864.

General Orders
No. 5

It is hereby ordered, that
Commanders of Companies keep a guard
of one man at the door of their barracks
between Tattos and Rivette until further orders
who shall be instructed to allow no one to
pass out except to attend to the calls of nature
and in such case, the guard shall observe
who passes, and if he does not return report
the facts to the Commanding Officer of the
Company and the offender be punished.
This guard may be composed of con-
sents or men surplus for other duty.

By Order of
Frank A. Hendrick
Col. 61st U. S. Col. Infy.
Frank E. Merins
Lieut and Adj.

Head Quarters 61st U. S. Col. Infy.
Morganza La. March 5th 1865.

General Orders
No. 6

At an inspection of this Regt.
held this day by the Officers composing the Regi-
mental Field and Staff it was unanimously de-
cided that Comp. E. bore off the palm, and as a
matter of compliment to that company the
Officers and men composing it are hereby
exempt from all details for one week from
this day.

By Order of
Frank A. Hendrick
Col. Comdg. Regt.
Frank E. Merins
Lieut and Adj.

Head Quarters 2^d West Tenn Inf A.D.
 Lagrange Tenn. July 11th 1863

Special Order 1
 No 1

Private Lorenzo Durham lev
 'H' 4th Ills Cavalry will report to Pt. Col John
 Foley for duty immediately in pursuance of
 Genl. Order No 211.

E. A. Finney
 Adj't

By order of
 E. B. Wiley Jr
 Maj Comd'g Regt

Head Quarters 2^d West Tenn Inf A.D.
 Lagrange Tenn. July 11th 1863

Special Order 2
 No 2

Sergeant Martin Matham lev 5th
 3^d Mich Cavalry will report to Capt David
 Neal for duty immediately in pursuance of
 Genl Order, No 211 Hdqrs 16th Army Corps

E. A. Finney
 Adj't

By order of
 John Foley
 Pt Col Comd'g

Head Quarters 2^d West Tenn Inf A.D.
 Lagrange Tenn July 11th 1863

Special Order 3
 No 3

Private Alexander G. Hillis lev
 'M' 2^d Iowa Cavalry will report to Capt David
 Neal for duty immediately in pursuance of
 Genl. Order No 20. Hdqrs 16th Army Corps

E. A. Finney
 Adj't

By order of
 John Foley
 Pt Col Comd'g

Head Qrs 2^d West Tenn Inf
of A.D. Lagrange July 17th 1863

Special Orders
No 4

II Joseph Greer Corp'l Co "A"
2nd West Tenn Inf of A.D. for disobedience of
orders is hereby reduced to the ranks

III Isaac Lee private Co
"A" is hereby promoted to corporal vice Greer
reduced to the ranks and will be obeyed &
respected accordingly

E. A. Ferry
Adj't

By Order of
E. R. Wiley for
Major Comd Regt

Head Quarters 2^d West Tenn Infantry of A.D.
Lagrange Tenn July 23rd 1863

Special Orders
No 5

The following named privates are hereby detailed
as nurses in Regimental Hospital and will report to J. B. Campbell
Surgeon in charge for duty immediately

Private	Kelzey	Maben	Co "E"
"	Charles	Brook	Co "D"
"	Reuben	Miller	Co "G"

(Signed)

E. A. Ferry
Adjutant

By Order of
John Foley
Lieut Col Comd Regt

Head Quarters 2^d Regt West Tenn Inf
of A.D. Lagrange Tenn Aug 4th 1863

Special Orders
No 6

Adjutant Edgar A. Ferry is hereby ordered
to consider himself under arrest and will confine himself to
his quarters until further orders

John Foley
Lieut Col Comd Regt

Head Quarters 2^d Regt West Tenn Inf
of A. D. Lagrange Tennessee Aug 6th 1863

Special Orders

No 7

Campbell

Surg James C.

Surgeon James C. Campbell is hereby relieved from duty and placed under arrest and will confine himself to his quarters until further orders

John Foley

Lieut Col Commandg

Head Quarters 2^d West Tenn I.A.D.
Lagrange Tenn Aug 16th 1863

Special Orders

No 8

Kelley

Capt Walter M.

Shell

1st Lieut Joseph L.

For negligence and inattention to duty and conduct unbecoming an officer and a gentleman 1st Lieut Joseph L. Shell Co "B" 2^d W.T. I.A.D. is placed in arrest and will confine himself to his quarters

O. Wiley

Major 2^d W.T. I.A.D.
Commanding

Harris

Capt Larson

Peters

1st Lieut Wm. M.

Special Orders

No 9

Head Quarters 2^d Regt West Tenn Inf
of A. D. Lagrange Tenn Aug 11th 1863

First Lieut William M. Peters Co "D" is appointed Acting Regimental Adjutant and will report to these Head Qrs for instructions

O. Wiley

Major 2^d W.T. I.A.D.

Commanding

Special Orders

No 10

Smith

Capt Malt

Head Quarters 2^d Regt West Tenn Inf
of A. D. Lagrange Tenn Aug 18th 1863

Private Arthur Wright Co "D" 2^d Regt West Tenn Infantry of A. D. is hereby appointed Corporal and Nelson Grimes deceased and will be respected and obeyed accordingly

By Order of

O. Wiley Jr Maj General
Louis B Smith adj adp

Special Orders
No 11

Head Quarters Co "B" 2^d Regt West Tenn
Inf of A.D. Lagrange Tenn Aug 21st 1863

Kelley

Capt Wallis W
Co "B"

Henry McWilliam Private Co "B" is detailed
for orderly at these Hd Qrs and will be relieved from
duty with his company and report for duty at once

Louis B. Smith
Actg Adjt

By Order of
E. R. Wiley Jr
Maj Comdg

Special Orders
No 12

Head Quarters 2^d Regt West Tenn
Inf of A.D. Lagrange Tenn Aug 26th 1863

Captain Jacob Lewis Co "C" 2^d Regt West
Tenn Infantry of African Descent is detailed on special duty
in charge of contrabands in the camp of this Regiment.
He will at once proceed to collect together all the Women
and children in camp not regularly employed and
belonging here and the Men who have been pronounced
unfit for service. He will quarter them under the shelter
adjoining the Guard Tent will draw for their rations
from the Post b.s. for four days commencing Aug
26th 1863 and ending Aug 29th 1863 and will take such other
steps as may be requisite for the subsistence and comfort
He will report from time to time to these Hd Qrs for
such further instructions as may be required.

Louis B. Smith
Actg Adjt

By Order of
E. R. Wiley Jr
Major Comdg

Special Orders No 14

Head Qrs 2^d West Tenn Inf of A.D.
Lagrange Tenn Sept 2^d 1863

For disobedience of orders Capt Matt Smith Co "D" is placed
in arrest and will confine himself to his quarters

Wm. A. Kendrick

Head Qrs 2^d West Tenn Inf
of A.D. Moscow Tenn Sept 29/63

Special Orders
No 15

For Promptness and strict at-
tention to his duties as a Soldier Jeremiah
Thompson is promoted to be Capt Co G ree
Jeremiah Thompson is promoted to be Capt Co G ree
Maben deceased
"G"

By Order of
Frank A Kendrick
Col Commandy
Louis B Smith Adj Adjt

Head Quarters 2^d West Tenn
Inf of A.D. Moscow 3^d Oct 1863

Special Orders
No 16

II Capt Jacob Kruse Co "B"
Kruse is placed in arrest and will confine himself
to his Quarters

III Capt Daniel W Roberts
Co "H" is placed in arrest and will confine
himself to his Quarters

By Order of
Frank A Kendrick
Col Commandy
Louis B Smith
Lieut Adj Adjt

Special Orders
No 21

Head Quarters 2^d Regt West Tenn
Inf of A.D. Moscow Tenn 9th Oct 1863

II Capt Jacob Kruse Co B is released
from arrest and will receive his sword and
return to duty

III Capt Daniel W Roberts Co H
is released from arrest and will receive his
sword and return to duty

By Order of
Frank A Kendrick
Col Commandy
Louis B Smith Adj

Head Quarters 2^d West Texas
Inf. A.D. Mason June 16th Oct 63
Special Orders
No 22

I Lieut B. B. Monroed.
Co. G. is hereby ordered to proceed to Smith
Miss to attend to the turning over of Ordnance
and Ordnance Stores to St John H. Hargous
Ordnance officer

II 2^d Lieut William
H. Smith Co. A. is hereby placed in
arrest to confine himself to his quarters.

III Edward Jackson and
Milton Lewis Sergeants Co. E. Luke Fawcett
Sergeant Co. G. Allen Hale Corporal Co. H and
George Ross Corporal Co. F are reduced to the
ranks

IV The following promotions
are announced and will be respected and
obeyed accordingly
Walker Corporal Co. E to be Sergeant
Oka Marshal Corporal Co. E to be Sergeant
Lee Martin Private Co. E to be Corporal
Jason Polk Private Co. E to be Corporal
Edward Harrison Private Co. E to be Corporal
John Crawford Private Co. F to be Corporal
Allen Carter Corporal Co. G to be Sergeant
John Shulton Private Co. G to be Corporal
Thomas Houston Corporal Co. I to be Sergeant
Richard Robinson Private Co. I to be Corporal
Verge Gilson Private Co. K to be Corporal

By Order of
Frank A. Kendrick
Col. Commanding
Louis B. Smith
Lieut. & Acty. Adj.

Head Quarters 2^d Regt West
 Tenn Inf A.D. Morgan
 Special Orders Tenn 19th Oct 1863
 No 23

If First Sergt Benjamin F
 Thacker Co K is hereby detailed as acty
 Sergt Major and will report to these
 Head Qrs for Duty

By Order of
 Frank A Kendrick
 Col Commandy
 Louis B Smith
 S and Acty Adj

Head Quarters 2^d Regt West
 Tenn Inf A.D. Morgan
 Special Orders Tenn 20th Oct 1863
 No 24

If Officers of this command
 are notified that an election for Suttles of
 this Regt will be held at the office of the Regt
 Quartermasters office at 7 o'clock this P M.

By Order of
 Frank A Kendrick
 Col Commandy
 Louis B Smith
 S and Acty Adj

Head Quarters 2^d Regt - West-
Tenn. Infy of A.D. Moscow Tenn
Nov 2^d 1863

Special Orders
No 25

In pursuance of Genl Orders
No 42 from Head Quarters 1st Brig 2^d Div 16th
Army Corps, Lagrange 29th Sept-1863 Major
Edmund R. Wiley Jr is hereby ordered to take charge
of the Ordnance and Ordnance Stores pertaining to
this Command and will proceed with them to Memphis
and turn over to Lieut. Wiley actg Depot Ordnance
officer

By Order of
F A Kendrick
Col Commanding.
Louis B Smith
Lieut and actg Asst

Head Quarters 2^d Regt West Tenn
Infantry of A.D. Moscow
Tenn 6th Nov 1863

Special Orders
No 26

Samuel Harris
Capt Co A 2^d
W.T. & A.D.
Is W^m M. Peters
Co F 2^d W.T. & A.D.

Par II William M. Peters
1st Lieut Co F heretofore detailed on special
duty is hereby relieved from such duty
and will report to his company com-
mander for duty forthwith

Head Quarters 2^d West Tenn
Infy of A.D. Moscow Tenn
Nov 6th 1863

Special Orders
No 26

Chaplain Joseph Peters
is hereby constituted Regimental Post-Master and
Chaplain will take charge of all mail matter pertaining
to this Command
By Order of
Frank A. Kendrick Col Comdg

Co F Porter
Chaplain
2^d Regt West Tenn
Inf of A.D.

Head Quarters 2^d Regt -
West-Tenn Infy of A.D.

Macon Tenn 5 Nov 1863

Special Orders

Nov 26

III Captain

Charles R Riggs Co K 2^d M.T.A.D.

will take charge of the contrabands to be

Charles R Riggs Sent to Memphis with Guards and proceed with them to Memphis and report to the Prov Marshall on arrival there and await his orders for their disposition

By Orders of
Frank A. Kendrick
Col. Comdg

Louis B Smith

Lt and actg. adjt

IV Richard Pryor

Captain Musician Co F heretofore detailed for duty at Telegraph Office is relieved from such duty and will report to his Company for duty. The Company Commander will see that he attends musician school under the direction of Lieut Sofneck

V Henry McClellan

Private Co "B" is hereby detailed for duty at Telegraph Office and will report to Mr. B Spellman (Operator)

VI Edgar A

Ferry Lieut 3^d Adjt 2^d West-Tenn Infy A.D. heretofore placed in arrest. will confine himself to his Quarters until further orders

Head Quarters 2^d Regt West-
Tenn Infy of Ad
Moscow Tenn 12th Nov 1863

Special Orders
No 27

II Lieutenant Louis

B Smith 2^d West Tenn Infy of Ad 2nd Actg
Adjt is hereby ordered to proceed to Memphis
with pay rolls of this Regiment, and will
deliver the same to Maj J Fero Paymaster
U. S. A. and return on the 13th inst-

Frank A Kendrick
Col Comdg

III Charles Meckenhyme Principle

Musician of this Regt is hereby ordered
to proceed to Memphis for the purpose
of being mustered in and will return
on the 13th inst-

By Order of
Frank A Kendrick
Louis B Smith
Lieut 2nd Actg Adj

Head Quarters 2^d Regt West
Tenn Infy of Ad Moscow
23rd Nov 1863

Special Order
No 28

II William Roberts Private

Co B heretofore detailed for orderly at these
Head Qu is relieved from such duty and will
report to his company for duty

III Frank Berry Private

Co K is hereby detailed for daily duty
at these Head Qu.

By Order of
F A Kendrick
Col Comdg
L B Smith
Lt 2nd Actg Adj

Head Quarters 2^d Reg West Tenn
Inf of A D Moscow Tenn 28th Mar 1863

Special Orders

No 29

Edmund
R Wiley Jr
Maj 2^d West
Tenn Inf 12

II Major Edmund R Wiley Jr is hereby appointed Provost Judge for the trial of such cases as may come before him.

By Order of

Frank A Kendrick

Col Commandy

Louis B Smith

Lieut & Actg Adj

Special Orders

No 30

Lieut
Halley
and Sergt
Wells

I Lieutenant Halley and Sergeant Wells are hereby ordered to proceed to Collinsville for the purpose of procuring recruits for this regiment.

By Order of Frank A Kendrick

Col Commandy

A B Wiley Surg. Maj

Head Quarters 2^d West Tenn
Inf of A. D. Moscow Tenn
29 Apr 1863

Special Orders

No 31

John F
Spence
Lieut Co
K

I Lieut John F Spence Co K is hereby ordered to proceed to Collinsville on recruiting service.

The A. D. M. will furnish the necessary transportation By order of

Frank A Kendrick

Col Commandy

Louis B Smith

1st Lt & Actg Adj

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Head Quarters 2^d Reg
West Tenn Inf & A.D.
Moscow Tenn 29 Mar 1862

Special Orders
No 32

II

is promoted to be Corporal vice John Brown reduced to the ranks for leaving his beat with his men on patrol duty for the purpose of foraging and plundering from citizens in the vicinity of the Rail Road.

McNeil
Armer Corp
Co K

II. Corporal Armer McNeil is promoted to be Sergeant of Company K, vice William Green reduced for the ranks for leaving his post on picket without being relieved.

III Private Parm Pensen is promoted to be Corporal Company K vice McNeil promoted.

IV Corporal Guy Anderson is promoted to be Sergeant Co "A" vice Miller reduced to the ranks at his own request on account of sickness.

V Private Henderson Hurt is promoted to be Corporal Co "A" vice Anderson promoted.

By Order of
Frank A. Henderson
Col. Commanding 2^d West
Tenn Inf & A.D.
Louis B. Smith
1st Lieut & Actg. Lt.

Head Quarters 2^d Regt West Tenn
Inf A.D. Moscow Tenn Dec 22^d 1863

Special Orders
No 33

Washburn
F. Sargent

Sergt A Washburn and one
man from Co A, are hereby ordered to
proceed to Saultsburg and report to Maj
O H Shearer 1st Tenn Cav.

By order of
Frank A Kendrick
Col Commandg
Louis B Smith
Lieut and Actg Adjt

Headquarters 2^d Regt West Tenn
Inf of A.D. Moscow Tenn 22^d Dec 1863

Special Orders
No 34

Lofinck
1st Sash Co
D.

I 1st Lieut Lofinck heretofore
detailed on special duty as musical
Instructor, is hereby ordered from such
duty and will report to his Company
Commander for duty.

Field Wm

Private Co D

II Private William Fields is promoted
to be Corporal Co D, vice Daniel Key reduced
to the ranks for stealing.

Maxwell M

and Sandrick

David private

Co D

III Privates William Maxwell and David
Sandrick are promoted to be Corporals Co D,
vice Henry Donahoe and Thomas Maxwell
deceased.

Larkin M

private Co I

to the ranks

IV Private Wiley Larkin is promoted
to be Corporal Co I, vice Rimcom Moore reduced
to the ranks for disobedience of orders.

Brown Charles

Private Co I

V Private Charles Brown is promoted to
be Corporal Co I, vice John Thomas, deceased.

Reeves John

Co H

VI Corporal John Reeves is promoted
to be Sergeant Co H, vice Hinds reduced to
the ranks private Tony Bailliff is promoted to

Tony for West

William Taylor

for Co H

be Corporal Co H, vice Reeves promoted private
William Taylor is promoted to be Corporal Co H
vice Woods reduced to the ranks private Green

Carry from
private Co H

Carry to be Corporal Co H, vice Jones deceased.

By order of
Frank A. Kendrick
Col Commandg
Louis B. Smith
1st Lieut and Actg Adj

Head Quarters 2^d Reg West Tenn
Inf A.D. Moscow Tenn 23^d Dec 1863

Special Order
No 35

Jean Lorenzo
Capt Co H

II Capt Lorenzo Jean will
proceed to Corinth as witness on a Court
Martial, and will take in his custody
for trial Lieut Schell of this Regiment

By order of
Frank A. Kendrick
Col Commandg
Louis B. Smith
Lieut. and Actg Adj

Headquarters 2^d Regt West Tenn
Inf of A.D. Moscow Tenn 26th Dec 1863

Special Order
No 36

Harris, Samuel
Capt
Batt W T M
1st Lt Co F

II First Lieutenant
William W Harris Co F 2^d Regiment
West Tennessee Infantry of A.D. is
hereby placed in close arrest and
will confine himself strictly to his quarters

By order of
John Foley
Lieut Col Commandg
Louis B. Smith
Lieut. and Actg Adj

Head Quarters 2^d Reg West Tenn
Inf of A.D. Moscow Tenn Dec 26th 1863

Special Orders
No 3

I In pursuance of H. A. II
Special Orders No 380 dated Head Quarters
16th Army Corps Memphis Tenn Dec 24th
1863 2nd Lt Lieut Wm H. Smith, will
proceed to Memphis on train to morrow
for the purpose indicated in said order

By order of John Foley
Lt Col Commandy

L. B. Smith Lt & Adj. adjt

Head Quarters 2^d Reg West Tenn

Inf. A. D. Moscow Tenn Dec 29 1863

Special Order
No 38

Capt George Jean Co A West
Serg Russell Co A & Second Lt O. R. Cross Co A
will proceed to Memphis as witnesses in the case
of J. Smith now pending before military commission

By order of
John Foley Lt Col Commandy
L. B. Smith Lt & Adj. adjt

Head Quarters 2^d Reg West Tenn
Moscow Tenn Jan 1st 1864

Special Order
No 39

I Henry McEllan Co B 1st hnt Reg
detached as orderly at Telegraph Office, is ordered
from that duty and will report to his commanding
officer for duty

II Wm H. Kierney Private
Co A is detailed for duty as orderly at
the Telegraph Office and will report
to Mr Spillman for duty forthwith

By order John Foley Lt Col Commandy

L. B. Smith Lt & Adj. adjt

Smith Wm
H 2^d Lt
Co A

Jean
George
Capt Co A

Jean Co
Capt
Russell Filing
Cross 2^d Lt

McEllan
Henry
Co B

Kierney
Wm H
Private Co A

Wm
H

Head Quarters 2nd Regt
West Tenn Infy. A.D.

Special Order (January 31st 1864)
No 40

Oliver William
M 1st Lt

I William M. Peters 1st Lt

Lieut Co F 2nd West Tenn Infy of A.D. for
absenting himself from lines of camp
without leave is hereby placed in close
arrest and will confine himself strictly
to his quarters.

Macpherson R.
B. Co. "G"

II Robert B Macpherson

1st Lieut Co G 2nd West Tenn Infy of A.D.
is hereby detailed to act as adjutant, and
will be respected and obeyed accordingly.

Richardson,
Robert Co H

III Sergt Robert Richardson

Co "H" Sergt Freeman Campbell Co "K" for
disobedience of orders leaving camp without
permission, Corporal Lewis Wright Co "G" for
insubordination are hereby reduced to their
ranks.

Campbell Freeman
Co K Wright
Lewis Co "G"

IV Sergt Franklin Winburn

Co I is reduced to the ranks at his own
request on account of sickness.

Winburn
Franklin Co I

V The following promotions

are announced and will be respected and
obeyed accordingly viz

Farris Arthur

Arthur Farris Private Co H to be Corp vice Waghams

Co G Davis Austin

Austin Davis Corp Co H to be Serg vice Richardson

Co H Hays Thomas

Thomas Hays Private Co H to be Corp vice Davis

Thomas Co H

Joseph Green Corp I to be Serg vice Winburn

Green Joseph Co

Henry Chalmer Private Co I to be Corp vice Green

Co I Chalmer

Jackman Summerville Corp Co K to be Serg vice Campbell

Henry Co I

Charles Neil Private Co K to be Corp vice Summerville

Neil Co K

VI Now commissioned officers and

privates detailed in Light and Heavy artillery
squad, are hereby released and ordered to
report to their Companies for duty.

VII

The following named men

are relieved from daily duty in Second
 Jackson & Quartermasters Dept 2nd Tenn. and will
 C. E. Wallace report to their respective Companies for duty.
 Jack Co "C" Ed Jackson Co "E"
 Buchanan Jack Wallace Co "C"
 Henry Co "D" Henry Buchanan Co "D"

The following named enlisted men
 are detailed. Richard Pryor & F. as O. duty at
 C. F. Gray Brig Hd. Qrs. James Gray Teamster at Brig
 James Co "K" Head Qrs. Charles Maurice Co "C" Teamster
 Maurice Co "A" at Regtl. Quartermasters. Arthur Lewis Co "K"
 Co. Simms Teamster at Regtl. Qrters.

By order of Frank A. Kendrick
 Col 2nd N. T. I. Ark Comd'y
 R. B. Macpherson
 1st Lieut & actg adjt.

Head Quarters 2nd West Tenn
 Inf. A. D. Memphis Ten Feb'y 10 1864

Special Order
 No 41

I Capt Charles R. Riggs of Co B
 will report to Col Stagg forthwith for the
 purpose of recruiting for this regiment

Head Qrters II Private Peterson Hurd is
 hereby detailed as Regtl Carpenter & will
 report to the Quartermasters

Wright Co III Private Lewis Wright is hereby
 detailed as Regtl Teamster and
 will report forthwith to the Quartermasters

IV For being drunk and being
 absent from dress Parade Corporal Edward
 Smith of Co B is hereby reduced to the
 ranks.

V The following promotions are
 announced and will be respected and
 obeyed accordingly.

Private James Smith of B. I. B. to be Corporal

vice Edward Smith reduced to the rank
Corporal Robert Williamson of Co G to be
Sergeant vice ~~William~~ deceased.
Private Abner Pullum to be Corporal
Co I vice Williamson promoted.

By order of
Frank A. Kendrick
Col Commandy
R B Macpherson
1st Lt & acty adjt

Head Quarters 2nd Reg
West Tenn Inf of A. K.
Memphis Tenn Feb 26 1864

Special Order
No 48

Purmort. I Second Lieut Francis
Francis. If Purmort is hereby placed in close arrest
and will confine himself strictly to his
Quarters

By order of
Frank A Kendrick
Col 2nd West Tenn Inf
of A. K. Memphis
R B Macpherson
pt Capt & adjt

Head Quarters 2nd Reg West
Tenn Inf of A. K. Memphis
Tenn Febr 2 1864

Special Order
No 49

II Private Richard Mitchell
of Co H 9th is hereby promoted to be
Sergeant of Co F vice Hammar deceased

II Private Robert Richardson
of A H is hereby detailed to play the Cornet
in the regimental band, and will report
for duty to the drum Major

By order of
Frank A Kendrick
Col Commanding

R B Macpherson
pt Capt & adjt

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Head Quarters 2nd West
Tenn Inf A.D. Memphis
March 8" 1862

Special Orders No
No 45

Smith

I Lt William H Smith is
hereby released from arrest & will
report for duty.

Stellman
J. Quincy

II Lt Col John Foley Surgeon

Eustace

L. Parks

are hereby appointed a

Council of Administration for the 2nd
Reg West Tenn Inf of A.D. and will meet
for the transaction of business as soon
as practicable.

Nelson

is hereby

III Surg Nelson Campbell of

C.B. is hereby reduced to the ranks for being
absent from camp without leave. Corp Kiser
C.B. is reduced to the ranks for inattention
to duty.

Hurst, Allen

IV Corporal Allen Hurst is

promoted to Sergeant vice Campbell reduced.

Hurst, Peter

Private Peter Hurst is promoted to be Corporal
C.B. vice Allen Hurst promoted.

Robert

Robert Beat is promoted Corporal C.B. vice
Kiser reduced.

By order of
Frank R. Kendrick

Col. Commandg

R.B. Macpherson

1st Lt & actg adjt

Head Quarters 2nd Reg West

Tenn Inf of A.D. Memphis Tenn

March 15" 1862

Special Orders
No 47

Sergeant Aaron Nolan is hereby
reduced to the ranks for being absent
from camp without leave.

II II Corporal Jefferson is hereby promoted
Sergeant G.D. vice Nolan reduced.

By order

Trust of the new
Col Com

R B Macpherson
S. L. & Co

Special Orders
No. 48.

Head Quarters 2^d West Tenn. Inf. A.D.
Memphis, Tenn. March 19th 1864

I.

Lieut. Mac-
pherson re-
lieved from
duty as Adj.
Adjutant.

1st Lieut. Robert B. Macpherson is
hereby relieved from duty as Adj. Adjutant, and
will report with his company for duty.

II.

Lieut. Frank
E. Morris
appointed as
Adjutant.

1st Lieut. Frank E. Morris, 2^d West
Tennessee Infantry of A.D. is hereby appointed Adj-
utant of the 2^d Regt. West Tennessee Infantry of A.D.
and will be obeyed and respected accordingly.

III.

Lieut. Morris
East reduced
to the ranks.

Agreeable to application from Lieut.
Morris, comdg. Co. A. 2^d West Tenn. Inf. of A.D., Corp.
Thomas Goss is reduced to the ranks.

Private Miller
promoted to
Corporal.

Private Willis Miller is hereby promoted to be
Corporal Co. A. 2^d West Tenn. Inf. vice Goss reduced,
and will be obeyed and respected accordingly.

IV.

Rank of
Tomlinson
promoted.

In accordance with recommend-
ation from J. S. Coy, 1st Lieut. comdg. Co. "E",
private Wash. Tomlinson, is hereby appointed Corporal
vice Parks promoted, and will be obeyed and
respected accordingly.

V.

Appointed
of A.D.

The following named non-com-
missioned officers of the 2^d West Tennessee Infantry
of A.D. are hereby detailed for Color Guard
and will be excused from all other details until
further orders:

1. Sergeant Bennett Crawford, Co. "F"
2. Corporal John Morris, Co. "A"
3. Corporal William Maxwell, Co. "D"
4. Corporal George Morris, Co. "G"
5. Corporal William Taylor, Co. "H"

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6. Corporal Vergo Gillion Co. "D".
7. Corporal Anderson Hunt Co. "E".
8. Corporal Richard Robinson Co. "F".
9. Corporal Robert Johnson Co. "G".
10. Corporal Barton Sheffield Co. "B".

VI.

Corporal Tony Battiff, Co. "E" 2^d

West Tennessee Infantry of A.D. is hereby reduced to the ranks for attempting to smuggle goods through the line.

Private Benjamin Reines is hereby promoted to be Corporal of Co. "E", ~~vice~~ Battiff reduced.

By Order of
Frank A. Kendrick
Col. 2^d West Tenn. Inf't of A.D.
Commanding.

Frank E. Nevins
Adjutant.

Special Orders
No. 49.

Head Qrs. 6th United States Inf't (Colored)
Memphis, Tenn. March 20th 1864.

¶ I. Private George McBlond, Co. "E" 6th United States Inf't (Colored), is hereby appointed musician.

¶ II. Private Benjamin Wammuck, Co. "E" 6th United States Inf't (Colored) is hereby detailed for Special Duty as Ambulance driver, until further orders.

By Order of
Frank A. Kendrick
6th United States Inf't (Colored)
Commanding.

Frank E. Nevins
Adjutant

Ed. Q. no. 61st United States Inf. (Col'd)
Memphis, Tennessee March 30th 1864.

Special Order
No. 50.

I. Sergeant Gabriel White Co. "A" 61st U. S. Inf. (Col'd) is hereby reduced to the ranks for drunkenness and disorderly conduct.

II. Corporal Willis Miller Co. "A" 61st United States Inf. (Col'd) is hereby promoted to be Sergt. vice White reduced.

III. Corporal Peter Houst Co. "B" 61st U. S. Inf. (Col'd) is hereby reduced to the ranks for insubordination.

IV. For good conduct and attention to duty Private Thomas Shelton is hereby promoted to be Corporal vice Houst reduced.

V. Corporal Charles McDowell Co. "C" 61st U. S. Infantry is hereby reduced to the ranks for drunkenness on duty. Also, Corporal James Williamson Co. "C" 61st U. S. Inf. (Col'd) is hereby reduced to the ranks by his own request.

VI. Privates Nelson Bachula and Henry Kealey are hereby promoted to be Corporals Co. "C" 61st U. S. Inf. (Col'd) vice McDowell and Williamson reduced.

By Order of
Frank A. Kendrick
Col. 61st U. S. Inf. (Col'd)
Commanding

Frank C. Nevins
Lieut. and Adjutant

Special Order
No. 51.

Ed. Q. no. 61st United States Inf. (Col'd)
Memphis, Tennessee April 2nd 1864.

Private Hiram Dawson is hereby promoted to be Corporal of Co. "A" 61st United States Inf. (Col'd), for good conduct, vice Miller promoted.

By Order of
Frank A. Kendrick
Col. 61st United States Inf. (Col'd)
Commanding

Frank C. Nevins
Lt. & Adjutant

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Hd. Qrs. 61st United States Inf. (Col^d)
Memphis, Tennessee April 6th 1864.

Special Orders
No. 52

I. Private Charles Brock Co. "D" and Corp.
Private Brock Wammuck Co. "B" 61st United States Inf. (Col^d) on duty at
2nd Wammuck Regimental Hdq. Quarters are hereby relieved, and will
be relieved from report to their respective company commanders for
duty at Hdq. duty immediately.

II. The following named enlisted
men of the 61st United States Inf. (Col^d) are hereby detailed
for special duty at Regimental Hospital and will
report to Surgeon S. J. Quincy for duty immediately:

1. Christopher Haust, Company "A."
2. Albert Sneed, Company "B."
3. Robert Anthony, Company "C."
4. Gustavus Mason, Company "D."
5. Leonardas Vaughn, Company "E."
6. Caleb Taylor, Company "F."
7. Allen Hale, Company "G."

By Order Of
Frank A. Kendrick
Col. 61st United States Inf. (Col^d)

Frank C. Stevens
1st Lt. and Adjutant

Hd. Qrs. 61st United States Inf. (Col^d)
Special Orders { Memphis, Tennessee April 9th 1864.
No. 53.

I. Private Benjamin Wammuck, Co. "B" 61st
United States Inf. (Col^d) is hereby detailed for
special duty at Regimental Hospital, and will
report to Surgeon S. J. Quincy for duty immediately.

II. Private Robert Richardson Co. "B" 61st United
States Inf. (Col^d) will report to the commanding
of his company for duty immediately.

III. Sergeant Robert Patterson Co. "B" 61st
United States Inf. (Col^d) is hereby reduced to the rank

by his own request; and Private Aaron Aden promoted to Sergeant. vice Patterson reduced.
 IV. Corp. Charles Briggs, Co. "D" is hereby reduced to the ranks.

By Order Of

Frank A. Kendrick
 Col. 61st United States Inf. (Col. 5)

Frank E. Stevens
 1st Lieut. and Adjutant

Col. 61st U. S. Inf. (Col. 5)
 Memphis, Tenn. April 14th 1864

Special Orders {
 No. 534. {

Corporal Robert Deat is hereby promoted to be Sergeant of Co. "B" vice House deceased,

Private George House, to be Corporal of Co. "B" vice Deat promoted, and,

Private William Tatter, to be Corporal of Co. "B" vice Johnson deceased, and they will be obeyed and respected accordingly.

By Order Of
 Frank A. Kendrick
 Col. 61st U. S. Inf. (Col. 5)
 Commanding

Frank E. Stevens
 1st Lieut. and Adjutant

Col. 61st United States Inf. (Col. 5)
 Memphis, Tenn. April 18th 1864

Special Orders {
 No. 535 {

I. Private Richard Pryor of Company "D" 61st Regt. United States Inf. (Col. 5) is hereby detailed as fifer, and will report immediately to Principal Musician, William T. Stator, for duty.

II. Private Peter Williamson is hereby promoted to be Corporal of Co. "D" vice Brown reduced, and will be obeyed and

respected accordingly.

By Order Of
Frank A. Kendrick
Col. 61st U. S. Inf't (Col'd)

Frank E. Stevens
1st Lieut. and Adjutant

Special Orders {
No. 56,
61st U. S. Inf't (Col'd)
Memphis, Tenn. April 20th 1864

Major E. R. Wiley is hereby detailed
for the trial of Private George H. Black, Co. E
61st U. S. Inf't (Col'd) under the provisions
of Sec. 7th A. of Congress, July 17th 1862. and
such other cases as may be brought before him.

By Order Of
Frank A. Kendrick
Col. 61st U. S. Inf't (Col'd)
Commanding

Frank E. Stevens
1st Lieut. and Adjutant

Head Qrs. 61st Regt. U. S. Inf't (Col'd)
Memphis, Tennessee April 25th 1864

Special Orders {
No. 57

First Lieut. William M. Peters
Co. F 61st Regt. U. S. Inf't (Col'd) is hereby placed
in close arrest and will confine himself
strictly to his quarters.

By Order Of
Frank A. Kendrick
Col. 61st U. S. Inf't (Col'd)
Commanding

Frank E. Stevens
1st Lieut. and Adjutant

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Hd Qs. 61st U.S. Inf. (Col'd.)

Memphis, Tennessee

Special Orders
No. 58

April 27th 1864

Corporal Robert Johnson is hereby promoted to be Sergeant of Co. "E" vice Marshall, deceased, and private John Harris to be Corporal vice Johnson promoted, and they will be obeyed and respected accordingly.

By Order of
Frank A. Hendrick

Frank E. Kerins

Col. 61st U.S. Inf. (Col'd.)

1st Lieut. 2nd Adjutant

Commanding.

Hd Qs 61st U.S. Inf. (Col'd.)

Memphis Tenn April 28th 1864

Special Orders
No 59

Private Playes Murrell Co. "E" 61st U.S. Inf. Col'd. is hereby detailed as fifer and will report to Principal Musician William T. Skaton for duty immediately.

By order of

Frank A. Hendrick
Col 61st U.S. Inf. (Col'd.)
Commanding

F. E. Kerins
1st Lieut. 2nd Adjutant

Head Quarters 61st Regt U.S. Inf. Col'd.

Memphis, Tennessee April 29th 1864

Special Orders
No 60

I, Brevet Major C. R. Wiley, do detail pursuant to Special Order No. 56 from these Hd Quarters for the trial of offenses punishable by a Regimental Court Martial was arranged and tried by Private Samuel Carlton, Co. "E" 61st U.S. Inf. Col'd.

Charge. Absence without leave.

Specification

In this, that the said Samuel Carlton a private in Co. G. 61. United States Infantry (Colored) was absent from his Company at the Tattoo Roll call on the night of Sunday April 17th 1864 without permission from his commanding officer.

To which Charge and Specification the accused pleaded. "Not Guilty."

The Court having maturely considered the evidence adduced found the accused as follows:

Of the Specification & the Charge "Guilty."

Of the Charge "Guilty."

And the Court does therefore sentence him Private Samuel Carlton Co. G. 61. U.S. Inf. (Col'd) to ten days confinement at hard labor in his Regiment.

3^d Private Stephen Carlton Co. G. 61. U.S. Inf. (Col'd)

Charge First Absence from Roll Call Specification

In this, that Stephen Carlton a private of Company "G" 61. Regiment U.S. Inf. (Col'd) did absent himself from Tattoo Roll Call without leave. All this at or near Memphis Tennessee on the night of the 20th of April 1864.

Charge Second Absence from Camp without leave.

Specification

In this, that Stephen Carlton a private of Co. G. 61. Regiment U.S. Inf. (Col'd) did absent himself from Camp without leave, and did so remain absent from Camp without leave until after Tattoo Roll Call.

This at or near Memphis. Tenn. on

night of the 20th of April 1864
to which Charges and Specification
the accused pleads "Not Guilty".
The Court having maturely considered the
evidence adduced find the accused
as follows.

Of the Specification to the 1 st Charge	Guilty
Of the first Charge	"Guilty"
Of the Specification to the 2 ^d Charge	"Guilty"
Of the Second Charge	Guilty

and the Court does therefore
sentence him, private Stephen Carlton
Co. "A" 61st Regiment U.S. Inf. (Colo.) to ninety
days confinement at hard labor in his
Regiment.

The proceedings in the foregoing cases having been
forwarded to Col. C. Bouton, commanding the brigade
and approved, the regimental commander is charged
with the execution of the respective sentences and privates
Samuel Carlton and Stephen Carlton will be confined to hard
labor for the time specified in the sentences of the Court
martial.

V. Private Caesar Collins Co. "A" 61st U.S. Inf. (Colo.),

Charge. - Absence without leave.

Specification.

On this, that Caesar Collins a private of
Co. "A" 61st U.S. Inf. (Colo.) was absent from his company
without permission from proper authority between the
hours of 7 o'clock P. M. and sunrise on the nights of
the 22nd and 23rd of April 1864.

To which charge and specification the accused
pleaded "Not Guilty".

The Court having maturely considered the
evidence adduced find the accused as follows:

Of the specification to the charge. "Guilty"
Of the Charge. "Guilty"

And the Court do, therefore, sentence him, private, George
Hollins, Co. "A" 61st U. S. Inf., colored, to ten days imprisonment at
hard labor at such place as the Col. commanding may
direct.

VIII. Private Levi Stokes Co. "I" 61st U. S. Inf. (Colored)

Charge. - Absence without leave.

Specification:

In this, that the said Levi Stokes, private of Company
"I" 61st U. S. Inf., colored, did without leave of his commanding
Officer absent himself from his company and remain
absent several hours, going beyond the limits of the comp
of said regiment.

All this at or near Memphis, Tennessee on or
about the 20th day of April 1864.

To which charge and specification the accused
pleaded "Not Guilty"

The Court having maturely considered the
evidence adduced find the accused as follows:

Of the specification to the charge "Guilty"
Of the Charge "Guilty"

And the Court do therefore sentence him, private, Levi
Stokes, Co. "I" 61st U. S. Inf., colored, to ten days confinement
at hard labor at such place as the Col. commanding
may direct.

IX. Private James Stokes Co. "I" 61st U. S. Inf. (Colored)

Charge. - Absence without leave.

Specification:

In this, that the said James Stokes, private of
Co. "I" 61st U. S. Inf., colored, did without leave of his
commanding officer absent himself from his company
and remain absent several hours, going beyond the

the camp of said regiment,

All at or near Memphis, Tennessee on
or about the 20th day of April 1864.

To which charge and specification the accused
pleaded "Not Guilty."

The court having maturely considered the
evidence adduced find the accused as follows:-
Of the specification to the charge, "Guilty."
Of the charge, "Guilty."

And the court do, therefore, sentence him,
James Stokes, private of company Ist 6th regiment
United States Inf. Colored to ten days con-
finement at hard labor at such place as the
Col. commanding may direct.

The proceedings in the foregoing cases (589)
having been forwarded to the brigade commander
and approved, Fort Pickens is designated as the
place of confinement.

By Order Of

Frank A. Kendrick

Col. 6th U. S. Inf. (Col. d.)

Commanding Regt.

Frank G. Morris

1st Lieut. and Adjutant,

Head Quarters 61st U. S. Inf't. (Col'd.)
 Memphis, Tenn. May 14th 1864

Special Orders
 No. 61.

Capt. Jacob Grimes, commanding Co.
 "B", 61st United States Inf't. Colored, having been dis-
 charged the service of the United States by order of
 the Sec'y of War, will immediately turn over all
 public property in his possession to
 Lieut. William Coffey, 61st United States Inf't. (Colored).

By Order Of
 Frank A. Kendrick
 Col. 61st U. S. Inf't. (Colored)

Frank A. Kendrick
 Lieut and Adjutant.

Commanding.

Head Quarters 61st U. S. Inf't. (Colored).
 Memphis, Tenn. April 16th 1864

Special Orders
 No. 62.

Lieut. J. C. Mansell, Commandg. Co. "H", 61st
 U. S. Inf't. (Colored) will immediately turn over all public
 property for which he is responsible to Capt. L. Jean, 61st
 U. S. Inf't. (Colored).

By Order Of
 Frank A. Kendrick
 Col. 61st U. S. Inf't. (Colored)
 Commandg. Regiment

Head Quarters 61st United States Inf't. (Colored).
 Memphis, Tenn. May 22nd 1864

Special Orders
 No. 63.

Sergeant Henry C. Hunter, Company
 "E" is hereby reduced to the ranks at his own request.
 Corporal Abner Pulliam is hereby promoted to
 Sergeant vice Hunter reduced, and Private Andrew
 Minkens to Corporal vice Pulliam promoted, and
 they will be obeyed and respected accordingly.

III. Sergeant Henry Holthrop Co. "H" is hereby reduced to the ranks for struggling on the late march, thus setting a bad example for the enlisted men of the regiment.

Corporal Alfred Spence is hereby promoted to Sergeant vice Holthrop reduced, and Private Thomas McNeill is Corporal vice Spence promoted, and they will be obeyed and respected accordingly.

By Order Of -

Frank A. Kendrick
Col. 61st U.S. Infy. Colored
Commanding Regt.

Head Qrs. 61st U.S. Infantry, Colored
Memphis Tennessee May 25th 1864

Special Orders }
No. 64 }

Sergeant John B. Lederman Company "B" 108th Ill. Infantry having reported to the commanding officer of this Regiment for service pursuant to Special Orders No. 31 Extract III. Head Qrs District of West Tennessee, dated Memphis Tennessee May 24th 1864, he is hereby assigned to Company "B," ^{as act as 1st Sgt.} and will report immediately to the commanding officer of that company for duty and will be obeyed and respected accordingly.

By Order Of
Frank A. Kendrick
Col. 61st U.S. Infantry, Colored
Commanding

Frank E. Morris
1st Lieutenant and Adjutant

Head Qrs 61st U.S. Infy. Colored
Memphis Tennessee
May 20th 1864

Special Order
No 65

Corporal Jason Polk Co. E
61st U.S. Infy. Colored, is hereby reduced to
the rank for disobedience to orders

And Private Thomas Haben is pro-
moted to Corporal for general good conduct and
attention to duty. vice Polk reduced. and will be
obeyed and respected accordingly

By Order of
Frank A. Kendrick
Col 61st U.S. I. Colored

Frank G. Mevins
Lieut and Adgh.

Head Qrs 61st Regt U.S. I. Colored
Memphis Tennessee June 2nd 1864

Special Order
No 66

Private Perry G. Hunter
Company "G" 61st U.S. Infantry, Colored,
is hereby detailed as nurse in Regimental
Hospital and will report to Surgeon
Lumbly for duty

By Order of
Frank A. Kendrick
Col 61st U. S. I. Colored

Frank G. Mevins
Lieut and Adgh.

Head-Quarters 61st U. S. Inf. (Col^d)
 Memphis Tennessee, June 4th 1864.

Special Orders
 No. 67. 6

Corporal Amos McGreggor, Co. 3^d
 61st U. S. Inf. (Colored) is hereby reduced to the
 ranks for leaving camp without permission.
 And Private Henry Simpson Co. 3^d, is
 promoted to corporal for general good conduct
 and attention to duty vice McGreggor reduced,
 and will be obeyed and respected accordingly.

By Order Of
 Grant A. Kendrick
 Col. 61st U. S. Inf. (Colored)
 Commanding

Grant E. Stevens
 Lieut. and Adjutant

Head-Quarters 61st U. S. Inf. (Col^d)
 Memphis Tenn June 7th 1864

Special Orders
 No 68 }

If Major E. R. Wiley Jr will investigate
 the circumstances of the shooting of private Nicholas
 Hunt of Company "B" 61st US Inf (Col^d) and report
 the result to these Head-Quarters

Head Qrs 61st U. S. Infy. Colored.
Memphis Tennessee June 11th 64

Special Orders
No 69.

II. The following committee is hereby appointed to ascertain which of the Company Quarters of this Regt is in the best condition with respect to cleanliness, & which Company is in best condition in regard to clothing, neatness of person, and general orderly appearance of its men, and a thorough examination of cots, company sheets, sinks, and slop sinks will be made, and report in writing to these Hd. Qrs. tomorrow.

Committee.

Major C. R. Wiley
Surgeon S. J. Quincy
Quartermaster C. L. Parks

III. Private Henry Smith, Co "H" 61st U. S. A. Col'd, is hereby detailed for special service and will report to Lt. C. L. Parks, R. Q. M. for duty, without delay.

IIII. Private Isaac Jones is hereby promoted to corporal of Co. "D" for capturing enemy and general good conduct vice Johnson deceased and will be obeyed & respected accordingly.

IV. Corp. Arthur Harris Co "G" is hereby reduced to the ranks for neglect of duty. And Prior Moses Caldwell is promoted to be corporal vice Harris reduced, and will be obeyed and respected accordingly.

By Order of
J. A. Kendrick
Col. 61st U. S. I. Colored
Commanding Regt.

J. C. Morris
Adjutant

Head Qrs. 61st U.S. I. Colonel
Memphis Tenn. June 12th, 64

Circular.

Hereafter, at the first call for Guard mounting each morning the 1st Sergeants of each company will form their Guard on their respective Company Parades, & will inspect their arms, equipments & clothing thoroughly, and see that they present a neat and soldierly appearance.

Hereafter, all guards found with dirty or torn clothing with old hats on, Coats or Blouses unbuttoned, unbrushed or without buttons, or with their accoutrements in a careless manner will be sent back to their companies, and a new detail ordered from the delinquent company or companies, whose appearance will come up to the required standard.

Any Sergeant who reports his detail to the Adj^t, which detail has a dirty, slovenly, ragged & unsoldierly appearance will be immediately put in arrest.

The interval between Reveille Roll Call and the time for Guard mounting must be occupied industriously by the men detailed for guard, in cleaning or repairing their clothing, cleaning their arms or brightening their equipments and preparing themselves completely for their tour of duty.

It is not only requisite that men appear clean & well dressed, and in proper condition at regular inspections and on special occasions of ceremony, but that they appear so habitually, which object can only be accomplished except by persistent and vigorous effort in the manner pointed out in these instructions.

Orderly Sergeants will take their positions in rear of their details as prescribed by the Army Regulations until dismissed by the Adjutant.

Ord. Gen. L. U.S. I. Colonel
Memphis Tenn. June 14th 64

Special Order
No 70

II Private Henry Richards
Company "I" 61st U.S. Infantry heretofore on
duty in the Quartermaster's Department is hereby
relieved from such duty and will report im-
mediately to his Company Commander for duty.

III Private Benjamin Kelly
Company "I" is hereby detailed for duty in Regi-
mental Quartermaster's Department and will re-
port without delay to Quartermaster G.D.
Parks for duty.

By Order of

Frank A. Kendrick
Col 61st U.S. I. Colonel
Commanding Regiment

F. B. Morris
Adjutant

Camp 101st U.S. C. Colored
Memphis Tenn June 12, 64

10 1/2 A.M.: The Committee met
in obedience to the foregoing order (69)
Present: Major E. R. Wiley, Jr., Surgeon
S. J. Gentry and Quartermaster E. L. Parks
61st U.S. C. Colored.

The Committee having
immediately inspected the several Companies
of the Regiment and then gone to ascertain
their relative condition as required by the
above Order, have the honor to report - that
in their opinion Captain Hoss' Company
"E" is in the best condition in those matters
to which the attention of the Committee was
directed; but they would further report that
the Privy Sinks of all the Companies are in
very bad condition.

Committee { Edmund R. Wiley
Major 61st U.S. Colored Regt.
S. J. Gentry
Surgeon 61st U.S. C. C.
E. L. Parks Lieut. and
E. J. M. 61st U.S. C. C.

Regt. 2nd 61st N.S.C. Infantry
Memphis Tenn. June 21st 1864

Special Orders }
No. 71 }

Appointments having been made in this regiment the officers as appointed are hereby assigned as follows and will report immediately for duty.

I First Lieutenant Joseph S. Loy, appointed Captain vice Gruse. Appointed must re. v. Regt. and assigned to Co "E".

II Second Lieutenant Washington Fuller, appointed 1st Lieutenant vice ~~Stetson~~ dismissed, and assigned to Co "F".

III Second Lieutenant Henry Gibson appointed First Lieutenant vice L. B. Smith appointed Captain of Battery "D" 2nd Regiment United States Colored Artillery (Light) and assigned to Co "E".

IV Sergeant Major Alexander L. Wiley appointed 2nd Lieutenant vice Gibson promoted and assigned to Co "E".

V First Sergeant Charles Ramsey appointed 3rd Lieutenant vice Fuller vice ~~Fuller~~ promoted and assigned to Co "G".

VI First Sergeant Lorenzo Draham appointed 2nd Lieutenant and assigned to Co "E".

VII Private Henry H. Miller Co "E" 3rd Michigan Cavalry, having reported to these Regts. in compliance with Special Orders No 42, Ext. III, dated "Regt. 2nd N.S.C. Troops in Tenn. Memphis Tenn. June 13th 1864" is hereby assigned to duty.

as acting Sergeant Major

VIII

Sergt J. L. Morris of Co "E" 2d New Jersey Cavalry having reported to these Head-Quarters in compliance with Special Orders No. 47, Head-Quarters, U.S.C. Troops in Tenn. Dated Memphis Tenn June 20th 1864, is hereby assigned to duty as acting Sergeant of Co "K".

All of whom will be obeyed and respected accordingly.

By order of Frank A. Kendrick
Col. 61st U.S.C. Inf.

Head-Quarters 61st U.S.C. Inf.

Memphis Tenn June 22nd 1864

Special Orders
No. 72.

Sergeant Henry Palmer and Corporal John A. Nathan of Co "K" of this regiment are hereby reduced to the ranks for robbing and shooting a citizen.

By order of F. A. Kendrick
Col. 61st U.S.C. Inf.

Head Quarters 61st U.S.C. Inf.
 Fayetteville Tenn. June 26th 1864.
 Special Order }
 No 73.

I. Sergt Allen Carter
 of Company "G" of this regiment is hereby
 reduced to the ranks for lack of
 energy and attention to duty.

II. Corporal Andrew Mickens
 of Company "G" is promoted to Sergt
 vice Carter reduced.

III. Privt Austin Maples
 of Co. "G" is promoted to Corporal vice
 Mickens promoted. And they will
 be obeyed and respected according
 to law.

IV. By order of
 Frank A. Kendrick
 Col. 61st U.S.C. Inf.

Head Quarters 61st U.S.C. Infantry
 Memphis Tenn July 26th 1864.
 Special Order }
 No 74.

Corporal Squire Stan-
 back Company "G" is hereby detailed
 for Extra duty & will report to Dr
 Lumbly immediately.

By order of
 Frank A. Kendrick
 Col. Commanding
 Frank D. Morris
 Adjutant

Wd. Quors. 61st U. S. Col'd Inf't.

Memphis, Tennessee, July 28th 1864.

Special Orders

No. 75

II. Private Flays. Munnell, Co. G.
detached as Fifer is hereby ordered to report to his
commander for duty
immediately.

III. Private Andrew Larson
Co. 'G' is hereby detached as Fifer and will
report to principal musician William F.
Slater for duty immediately.

By Order Of

Frank A. Kendrick

F. C. Davis

Col. Comd'g

Adjt.

Hob. Quers 61st U. S. Col^d Infy,
Memphis, Tenn. July 27th 1864.

Special Orders
No. 76.

Commanders of Co's "A" & "H"
will immediately turn over to the Regimental
Quartermaster the two Hospital Warts in their
possession.

By Order Of
Frank A. Kendrick
Col. Comdg.

Frank C. Stevens
Lieut. and Adjutant

Hob. Quers. 61st U. S. Col^d Infy.
Memphis, Tenn. July 30th 1864.

Special Orders
No. 77.

Private Adam Crawford
Co. 20th is hereby detailed for special service
as Regimental Blacksmith, and will report
to Quartermaster E. L. Parks for duty imme-
diately.

By Order Of
Frank A. Kendrick
Col. Comdg.
Frank C. Stevens
Adjutant

H. L. Ross, c/o U. S. Cold Storage,
Memphis, Tenn. Aug 31st 1884,

Special Orders

No. 79.

II. Lieutenant Fred A. Thurgood
on special service at these Hd Qrs. is
hereby relieved and will report to his
company commander for duty immediately.

III. Privates Kellogg and Benjamin Lewis of Co. C of this regiment are hereby promoted to be ^{corporals} Corporals viz Daniel H. Rice and Jackson Jones deserted.

By Order Of
Frank A. Hendrick
Col. Comdg.
Frank C. Stevens
1st Lieut. and Adjt.

Headquarters 61st U. S. Col^d. Inf^y
Camp Near Memphis Tenn. Sept. 27. 1864

Special Orders
No. 80

No. 811

II. Private Abram M. Kinney Co "K"
of this Regiment is hereby detailed on Special
Duty at these Headquarters, and will report
in person without delay for duty.

H^d Q^{rs}. 61st U. S. Col'd Inf.
Memphis Tenn. July 31st 1864.

Special Orders
No. 78 {

At the instance of company commanders the following reductions and promotions are made:

I. Corporal Sidney Morrison, Co. "A" is reduced to ranks for cowardice and neglect of duty.

II. Corporal Sandy Davis Co. "B" is reduced to ranks for inefficiency.

III. Sergeant George Calvin Co. "C" is reduced to ranks for misbehavior in the face of the enemy.

IV. Corporal Fred. A. Thuragood Co. "C" is reduced to the ranks.

V. Corps. Willis McGee, and James Dickens, Co. "H" are reduced to the ranks for laziness.

VI. Sergt. Edmund Milam Co. "I" is reduced to ranks for cowardice and straggling.

VII. Corp. Squire Standback Co. "I" is reduced to ranks at his own request.

VIII. Private David Meann Co. "A" is promoted to Corporal vice Morrison reduced.

IX. Private Sammel Maymether Co. "B" is promoted to Corporal vice Davis reduced.

X. Corp. Wash. Tomlinson Co. "C" is promoted to Sergeant vice Calvin reduced.

Private Nelson Johnson, same company is promoted to Corporal vice Tomlinson promoted.

Private Isaac Potts, same company is promoted to Corporal vice ~~Thuragood~~ killed in action.

XI. Private Stephen Fletcher Co. "C" is promoted to Corporal vice Thurgood reduced.

XII. Private Duncan Taylor Co. "H" is promoted to Corporal vice William Taylor deceased.

Private James Baker, same company, is promoted to Corporal vice McGee reduced.

Private Percy Ratliff, same company, is promoted to Corporal vice Dickens reduced.

XIII. Corp. James Henderson Co. "I" is promoted to Sergeant vice Milam reduced.

Private Levi Strickland, same Co. is promoted to Corporal vice Robison ^{deceased} reduced.

Private John Bishop, same company, is promoted to Corporal vice Henderson promoted.

Private John Holliford, same company is promoted to Corporal vice Standback reduced.

XIV. Private Daniel Street, Co. "K" is promoted to Corporal vice Archer reduced.

Private John Archer, same company, is promoted to Sergeant vice Palmer reduced.

XV. Corp. Henry Pope Co. "L" is reduced to the ranks for straggling ^{and}.

Private Henry McDonald, same company is promoted to Corporal vice Pope reduced.

All of whom will be obeyed and respected accordingly.

By Order Of
Frank A. Kendrick
Col. Comdg.
Frank E. Davis
1st Lt. Adjt.

H.^d Qrs. 61st U. S. Col'd. Inf't.
Memphis, Tennessee, Sept. 5th 1864

Special Orders
No. 81

II. Sergt. Thomas Houston of Co. D of this regiment is hereby reduced to the ranks.
Corporal John Bishop is hereby promoted to be Sergeant in company I vice Houston reduced.

Private Perry Young is hereby promoted to be Corporal in the same company vice Bishop promoted.

III. Private Robert Patterson is hereby promoted to be Corporal of Co. "C" vice Porter reduced.

IV. Corp. James Smith of Co. "B" is hereby reduced to the ranks.

Private Robert Irving is hereby promoted to be Corporal in the same company vice Smith reduced.

V. Corporal Charles Still of Co. "H" is hereby reduced to the ranks.

Private Charles McDowell is hereby promoted to be Corporal in the same company vice Still reduced.

Corporal George Brown of the same company is reduced to the ranks.

Private Thomas Parker is hereby promoted to be Corporal of the same company vice Brown reduced. All of whom will be respected and respected accordingly.

VI. Private Charles Still is hereby detailed as teamster, and will report to Dr. M. W. L. Parks for duty immediately.

By Order Of
Frank A. Kendrick
Col. Comdg.
Frank A. Kendrick Adjt.

H. Q. Co. 61st U. S. Col. Inf.
 Memphis, Tenn. Sept. 10th 1864.

Special Orders
 No 82.

I. Private Daniel Fisher, is hereby promoted to be Corporal of Company "B" of this Regiment. *vide* Hunter deceased.

II. Private Charles Wharton of Co. "F" is hereby detailed as cook for the Non-Commissioned Staff and will report for duty immediately.

III. Private Lewis Knight Co. "G" on duty as regimental teamster is hereby relieved from such duty and will report to his company commander for duty immediately.

Private Thomas Crawford Co. "D", is hereby detailed for regimental teamster and will report for duty immediately.

By Order of

Frank A. Kendrick
 Col. Comdg. Regt.

Frank C. Davis
 First Lieut. Adjt.

Hq. Qrs. 61st U. S. Cold. Inf.
Memphis, Tennessee. April 30th 1864

Special Orders
No. 3.

Capt. Daniel M. Roberts, 61st U. S. Cold. Inf. is hereby Ordered to turn over (11) eleven Packing Boxes to Capt. J. C. Steley, Dep. Ordnance Officer, Memphis, Tennessee,

By Order Of
Frank A. Kendrick
Colonel Commanding
Frank C. Gibbs
First Lieut. & Adj. Genl.

Special Orders
No. 24.

Hq. Qrs. 61st U. S. Cold. Inf.
Memphis, Tennessee, Sept. 23rd 1864

I, Private Jacob Underwood Co. "A" is hereby relieved from daily duty in the Commissary Department and will report to his company Commander for duty immediately.

II, Private Charles Scharr, Co. "B" is hereby detached for daily duty in the Regimental Commissary Department and will report without delay.

III, Capt. Samson Harris, 61st U. S. Cold. Inf. is hereby placed in arrest and will deliver up his sword.

By Order Of
Frank A. Kendrick
Col. Comdg. Regt.
Frank C. Gibbs
First Lieut. & Adjutant

Al. Co. of U. S. Col'd Inf'ty
Memphis, Tenn. Sept. 28th 69

Circular:

A grand Review and Inspection of the 68th U. S. Col'd Inf'ty will take place at precisely 10 1/2 o'clock this Am. on the plateau South East from this camp under the command of Genl. Col. John Foley - Col. Frank A. Kendrick Reviewing Officer.

The regiment will appear in heavy marching order, ^{and} in best Sunday clothes.

The Surgeon, Quartermaster, Chaplain and Hon. Com. Staff are expected to dignify the occasion by their distinguished presence.

Prof. Mackenhymer, the versatile and accomplished sheepskin fiddler will entertain the Parade by a fine overture by his band.

By Order Of

Frank A. Kendrick

Col. Commandg. Regt.

Frank E. Kennerly

1st Lt. Adjutant

Hd. Qrs. 61st U. S. Cold. Inf.
 Memphis, Tenn. Sept. 26th 1864.
 Special Orders,
 No. 5.

Capt. Henry Sturges 61st U. S.
 Cold. Inf., will immediately turn over
 all Government property for which
 he is responsible to 1st Lieut. R. P. Macpherson,
 61st U. S. Cold. Inf.

By Order Of
 Frank A. Kendrick
 Col. Comdg Regiment

Hd. Qrs. 61st U. S. Cold. Inf.
 Memphis, Tenn. Sept. 28th 1864.
 Special Orders,
 No. 86.

II. The following named Corporals, and
 hereby detailed for duty in the Regimental Color
 Guard, and will be excused from all other
 service until further Orders.

Corporal Peter Lucas, Co. "H"
 Corp. Robert Patterson Co. "C"
 Corp. Henry May Co. "D"
 Corp. Perry Cunningham Co. "I"
 Corp. Nelson Meadix Co. "Q"
 Corp. Robert Spring Co. "P"

III. Corporal Benjamin Lewis is hereby
 promoted to be Sergeant in Company "D" vice
 Crofts reduced to the ranks for forging.

Private Lem. Hall is hereby promoted to be
 Corporal in Co. "Q" vice Lewis promoted, and
 Private Squire Crockett is promoted to be
 Corporal in the same Company vice
 Maxwell reduced to the ranks for inter-
 fering with camps on the public highway.

161. Co. 61st U. S. Col'd. Inf't.
Memphis Tenn Oct 22nd 1864

Special Order
No 86

The Private Jacob Underwood
Co. "A" 61st U. S. Col'd. Inf't. is hereby detached for
Special Service in the Regt. Commissary
Department and will report accordingly
without delay.

III Private Jack Pearson, Co. "A" is hereby
promoted to be Corporal vice Pearson deceased,
and will be obeyed and respected accordingly.

IV Private Ad Dickinson ^{is hereby promoted} to be
Corporal in Co. "B" vice Curry deceased and
he will be obeyed and respected accordingly.

Med. Qrs. Co. 21. U. S. Cold. Inf't.
Memphis, Tenn. Oct. 25. 1864.

Special Orders
No 87.

First Lieut. Robert B. Macpherson
Co. 21. U. S. Cold. Inf't. will immediately turn over to
First Lieut. Washington Fuller Co. 21. U. S. Cold. Inf't.
(8) Eight Enfield Rifles complete, and (4) four sets
of equipments.

By Order Of
Frank A. Kendrick
Col. Commanding Regt.
Frank E. Morris Adj't.

Med. Qrs. Co. 21. U. S. Cold. Inf't.
Memphis, Tenn. Oct. 31. 1864.

Special Orders
No 88.

I. First Lieut. B. B. Morehouse
Co. 21. U. S. Cold. Inf't. having reported to
these Med. Qrs. for duty, is hereby assigned
to Company "B" and will report without delay.

II. 2d Lieut. John B. Sedgemon, having
reported to these Med. Qrs. for duty, is hereby
assigned to Company "C" and he will report
accordingly without delay.

III. 2d Lieut. Eugene F. Adams, having
reported to these Med. Qrs. for duty, is assigned to
Co. "B" of this regiment and will report accordingly
without delay.

By Order Of
Frank A. Kendrick
Col. Commanding Regiment
Frank E. Morris
Lieut. and Adjutant

2nd Qrs. 61st U. S. Col'd. Regt.
Memphis, Tenn. Nov. 12th 1864

Special Orders,

No. 89

Private Humphrey Means, Co. "F" of this Regiment is hereby relieved from daily duty as Regimental Teamster and will report to his Company Commander immediately.

Private Emanuel Felt Co. "E" is hereby detailed for daily duty as Regimental Teamster and will report accordingly without delay.

By Order Of

Frank A. Kendrick
Col. Comdg. Regiment
Frank C. Harris
Lieut. and Adjutant

Head Qrs. 61st U. S. Col'd. Regt.
Memphis, Tenn. Nov. 13th 64

Special Orders

No. 90

Sergeant Robert Williamson Co. "E" of this Regiment is hereby reduced to the ranks, for relieving a prisoner under his charge while on duty.

Corporal Stephen Fletcher of the same company is hereby reduced to the ranks for an attention to orders respecting the cleanliness of the camp.

Corporal George Morris, is hereby promoted to be Sergeant in the same Co. vice Williamson reduced.

Private Fred A. Shiragood is hereby promoted to be Corporal in the same company vice Fletcher reduced.

Private Wiley Hiten is hereby promoted to be Corporal in the same company vice Morris promoted, and they will be obeyed and respected accordingly.

III. Corp. Charles Jackson is hereby promoted to be Sergeant in Co. "A" vice Spencer killed in action.

Private Isaac Potts to be Corporal vice Jackson, promoted.

Private George Cox to be Corporal vice McDowell killed in action.

Private Joseph Reeves to be Corp. vice Crawford killed in action.

Private James Hyatt to be Corp. vice McNeill deceased.

Private Simon Jackson to be Corp. vice Henry Sampson reduced, all of company "A", and they will be obeyed and respected accordingly.

By Order Of
Frank A. Knappick
Col. Commanding Regt.
Frank C. Stevens
1st Lieut. & Adjutant

Ad. Qu. M. G. S. Cold. Capt.
Memphis, Tennessee, Nov. 16/64

Special Orders
No. 91

Capt. Daniel W. Roberts, 61st U.S.
Cold. Capt. is hereby placed in arrest.

By Order Of
Frank A. Knappick
Col. Commanding Regt.
Frank C. Stevens
1st Lieut. & Adjutant

Head Qrs. 61st U. S. Col'd Inf.
Memphis Tennessee
Nov. 24th 1864

Special Orders

No. 92

Capt. Daniel M. Roberts ^{61st U. S. Col'd Inf.} is hereby
Relieved from arrest and will return
to duty.

By Order Of
Frank A. Kendrick
Capt 61st U. S. Col'd Inf.
Frank E. Harris
Lieut Adjutant

Head Qrs. 61st U. S. Col'd Inf.
Memphis Tenn Nov. 26th 64

Lt Macpherson
61st U. S. Col'd Inf.

You are hereby ordered
to sign a check on the Order for one
dollar for Horday Thomas, a private
of your company, "C".

By Order Of
Frank A. Kendrick
Capt 61st U. S. Col'd Inf.
Frank E. Harris
Lieut Adjutant

Head Quarters 61st U. S. Colored Inf.
Memphis Tenn Nov. 27th 1864

Special Orders
No. 93.

Corpl. Wilson Polk. Co "E" 61st U. S. Colored Inf.
is hereby Relieved to the Ranks. for absence
without leave.

Corpl. Alexander Means Co "E" 61st U. S. Col'd Inf.

is hereby Reduced to the Ranks, for discharging his Gun in Quarters.

Private Jackson Whitlow, is promoted to be Corp. vice Polk Reduced, and Private William Burton, to be Corp. vice Means Reduced. They will be Respected and obeyed accordingly.

By Order of
Frank A Kendrick
Col. Commanding

Frank E. Nevins
1st Lieut^{3rd} Adjt.

Head Quarters 61st W. S. Colored. Inf.
Memphis Tenn Nov 28th 1864

General Orders
No 4

The attention of the Commanding Officer of the Regiment has recently been called to the Lack of cleanliness in company Quarters, also want of instruction and proper deportment, on the part of the Enlisted Men. For the purpose of obviating these evils and inducing a wholesome and Rigid Reform, the following instructions are issued for the guidance of company Commanders, and their injunctions are expected to be strictly complied with, and actively enforced.

1st Whenever the Quarters of the Enlisted Men are visited, they must be instructed to cease all other business, rise to their feet, and at the word "Attention" from the Senior Noncommissioned Officer present, Salute (See Paragraphs 222nd & 255th Revised Army Regulations)

2nd No food must be eaten in Quarters, except in case of Men who are unable to attend the Table from sickness, and in such cases the food must be brought in by the Cooks, and the dishes immediately Removed.

3rd Every Morning the Bed Clothing and

Blankets, must be folded in such a manner as to show the edges, and the Blanket neatly packed and placed at the head of the Bunk, containing all the Clothing the Soldier possesses.

4" The floor in the bottom of each Bunk, must be swept every morning, and also the floor of the main Barracks, and all reasonable efforts used to prevent the accumulation of filth.

5" An Old Man not fit for active duty, or a light duty Man, must be placed in charge of the Barracks as Room Orderly, and will see that the floor is swept, and constantly clean, and that no dirt or filth whatever is allowed to accumulate.

6" There will be two wood Boxes provided for each of the Company Quarters, and the wood must invariably be cut before carried in, the Stoves shall be three feet above the floor.

7" There will be two Tables provided for each Kitchen, running lengthwise of the room, upon which the dishes will be kept, and no eating shall be allowed in the Kitchen except at the regular hours.

8" Soldiers confined in the Guard House will be served with food, consisting of Bread and water, and will be allowed no meat, vegetables, or fruit.

9" No Man shall be allowed in the Kitchen except the Cooks, only at meal time, and the Kitchen must be visited by one of the Company Officers at least once each day.

10" Each Man must be provided with a Knife, fork, spoon, tin plate, and cup, which will be given in charge of the Cooks, who shall be responsible for their safe keeping.

11" Company Commanders will see that food is properly prepared and cooked.

12" Company Commanders will as soon as practicable make a statement of their Company Funds, showing how much has been previously expended, and for what purpose, and how much remains on hand.

13" The attention of Company Commanders is specially directed to Article XVIII Revised Army Regulations,

By Order of
Frank A. Kendrick

Col. Comdg. Regt.

Frank E. Stevens

Adjt

Head. Qrs. 61st U. S. Cold. Inft.,
Memphis, Tenn. Nov. 30th 1864

Special Orders,
No. 93

Lieut. R. B. Macpherson
61st U. S. Cold. Inft. is hereby placed in arrest
and will confine himself closely to his
quarters.

By Order of
Frank A. Kendrick
Col. 61st U. S. Cold. Inft.,
Frank E. Stevens
Lieut. Adjutant

Head Quarters 61st U. S. Col^d Inf^y.
Memphis Tenn. Dec. 2nd 1864.

Special Orders
No 94,

Corporal Charles Rumph Co.
"A" 2nd Tenn. Inf^y. having been discharged the
service for the purpose of accepting an appoint-
ment as a Non-Commissioned Officer of Colored
Troops. Special Orders No 64 Ext. II dated Baltimore
Maryland Oct. 21st 1864, L Thomas Adj^t. General, he
is hereby announced as Sergeant Major of this
Regiment and will be obeyed and respected
accordingly.

By Order of
Frank A. Kendrick
Col. Comd'g. Regt.
Frank E. Stevens
1st Lieut. 2nd Adj^t.

Head Quarters 61st U. S. Col^d Inf^y.
Memphis Tenn. Dec. 6th 1864.

Special Orders
No 95.

Corpl. Thomas Haynes Co. "H" 61st U. S.
Inf^y. Colored is hereby reduced to the ranks for ^{being} absent
from camp without permission.

By order of
Col. Frank A. Kendrick
Comd'g. Regt.
Frank E. Stevens
1st Lieut. 2nd Adj^t.

Head-Quarters 1st U. S. Col. Infy
Memphis, Tenn., Dec. 10th 1864

Special Orders
No 98

II. The following named Staff-Commissioned Officers of this Regiment are hereby ordered to the ranks for absence without leave.

Corporal Joseph Reeves of Co. "H".

Corporal John Hale of Co. "H".

III. The following promotions of meritorious enlisted men of this Regiment are hereby announced and they will be obeyed and respected accordingly:

Sergt. Abundis Plummer to be 1st Sergt. of Co. "D".

Private Robert Richardson to be 1st Sergt. of Co. "E".

Sergt. Jefferson Parks to be 1st Sergt. of Co. "G".

Corp. George Hume to be Sergt. in Co. "D" *via* Plummer.

promoted.

Private Frank Walker to be Corp. in Co. "B" *via* Hume promoted.

Private Anderson Comer, to be Corp. in Co. "A" *via* Reeves reduced.

Private Herbert Moore, to be Corp. in Co. "F" *via* Hale reduced.

Private Henry Towns, to be Corp. in Co. "H" *via* Hume, reduced.

Corp. Allen Wilson to be Sergt. in Co. "F" *via* Anderson deceased.

Private Mason Randall to be Corp. in Co. "I" *via* Hume promoted.

Corp. Archibald Cassett to be Sergt. in Co. "E" *via* Parks promoted.

Private Robert Jones to be Corp. in Co. "C" *via* Cassett promoted.

By Order Of

Frank A. Kendrick

Col. 1st U. S. Col. Infy

Frank C. Stevens

1st Lieut. & Adjutant,

Head Quarters 61st U. S. C. Infy.
Memphis Tenn. Dec. 13th 1864.

Special Orders }
No. 97 }

Lieut. L. S. Russell
Co. A. 61st U. S. C. Infy. is hereby detailed
to take charge of the detail to work on
the Fort.

He will at once report at the Hd. Qrs.
for instructions.

Hd. Qrs. 61st U. S. C. Infy.
Special Orders }
No. 98 }

Lieut. L. S. Russell Co. A.
61st U. S. C. Infy. is hereby relieved from
duty at the Fort. He will at once report
to his Company Commander for duty.

By order of
Frank H. Kendrick
Capt. 61st U. S. C. Infy.
Frank H. Kendrick, Lt. & adj.

Head Quarters 61st U. S. C. Infy.
Memphis Tenn. Dec. 25th 1864

Special Orders }
No. 99 }

1st Sergt. J. B. Bosarth Co.
D. 61st U. S. C. Infy. is hereby announced as
Commissary Sergt. of this Regt. and will be
dropped from the Rolls of his Company.
He will be obeyed and respected accordingly.

Capt. Daniel W. Roberts 61st U. S.
C. Infy. is hereby ordered to turn over (13)
Thirteen Packing Boxes to Capt
Depot Ordnance Officer Memphis Tenn.

Head Quarters 61st U. S. Col. Infy.
 Memphis Tenn. Dec 31 1864

Special Orders

No. 100

1st Lieut. Robert B. Shackelford
 is hereby ordered to turn over all Ord. and
 Ord. Stores and Camp and Garrison Equipage to
 Capt Henry Hughes Co G, 61st U. S. Col. Infy.

By order of
 John Foley
 Lieut Col. Comdg. Regt.

Lieut. Ma Adjk.

Head Quarters 61st U. S. Col. Infy.
Memphis Tenn. January 1st 1865

Special Orders 3
No. 1.

The following promotions of meritorious enlisted men of this Regt. are hereby announced: they will be obeyed and respected accordingly.

Sergt. Abner Sullivan to be 1st Sergt of Co. "G".

Corpl. Thomas Morris to be Sergt. Co. "G" vice Sullivan promoted.

Private Edward Webb to be Corpl. of Co. "G" vice Morris promoted.

Corpl. Henderson Hunt to be 1st Sergt of Co. "A".

Private Isom Gear to be Corpl. Co. "A" vice Hunt promoted.

Private Henry McKel to be Corpl. of Co. "I" vice Corpl. Williamson deceased.

1st Sergt Michael Whitlow Co. "A" is hereby relieved from duty as Company Commissary, and will be reported as for duty with his Company.

By Order of
John Foley
Lieut. Col. 61st U. S. Col. Infy.
Comd'g. Regt.
Frank E. Morris
1st Lieut. 2nd Adjt.

Head Quarters 61st U. S. Col. Infy.
Memphis Tenn. January 9th '65

Special Orders 3
No. 2.

Hereafter Commanding Officers of Companies will draw rations on provision

returns for their respective Companies made and approved in the manner required by Army Regulations.

A Commissioned Officer from each Company will be present when the Rations are issued by the Commissary Sergt. and superintend the issue, in order that no mistake need occur or injustice be done to enlisted men of the regiment, in issuing.

By Order of
John Foley
Lieut. Col. 61st U. S. Col. Infy.
Command'g. Regt.
Frank C. Stevens
Lieut. 2nd Adj't.

Head Quarters 61st U. S. Col. Infy.
Memphis, Tenn. January 11th 1865.

Special Orders
No 3.

I The Council of Administration organized by Special Orders No 45 Par. II from these Head Quarters is hereby revoked, and a Council of Administration is hereby ordered for this Regt. with the following named Officers as Members will proceed to business as soon as practicable.

Surgeon William J. Quinby
Captain Lorenzo Jean
Quartermaster Eustace L. Parks

II Private William Hill 61st U. S. Col. Infy. is hereby promoted to be Corp'l in Comp. C, vice Potts deceased.

By Order of
John Foley
Lieut. Col. 61st U. S. Col. Infy.
Command'g. Regt.
Frank C. Stevens
Lieut. 2nd Adj't.

Head Quarters 61st U. S. Col. Infy.
Memphis, Tenn. Jan. 12th 1865.

Special Orders
No. 4

I. Sergt. Benjamin Lewis Co. "D" is hereby reduced to the ranks for misbehavior and inattention to duty.

Corpl. Nelson Haddix, same Comp. is hereby reduced to the ranks for unsoldierly conduct.

Private Andrew Garrison is hereby promoted to Sergt. vice Lewis reduced, Private William Maxwell to Corpl. vice Haddix reduced.

Sergt. Abraham Anderson to First Sergeant, and Private Abraham Broyles to Sergt. vice Anderson promoted, all of the same Company.

Private Lewis Exam Co. "B" is hereby promoted to Corpl.

They will be obeyed and respected accordingly.

By order of

John Foley

Lieut. Col. 61st U. S. Col. Infy.
Comd'g Regt.

Frank E. Harris

1st Lieut. 2nd Adjt.

Head Qrs. 61st U. S. Col. Infy.

Memphis, Tenn. Jan. 15th 1865

Special Orders
No. 5

II. 2nd Lieut. Boonson Halley 61st U. S. Col. Infy. is hereby placed in arrest.

By Order of

John Foley

Lieut. Col. 61st U. S. Col. Infy. Comd'g

Frank E. Harris

1st Lieut. 2nd Adjt.

Head Quarters 61st U.S. Infy
Memphis Tenn, Jan. 16. 1865

Special Orders
No 6.

2 Lieut. O. W. Cross and
Bernhard ~~Coplin~~ 61st U.S. Infy. are here-
by detailed for duty until
further orders, and will report to Capt.
Charles R. Riggs for instructions immediately.

By order of
John Foley
Lieut. Col. 61st U.S. Infy.
Comd'g. Regt.
Frank E. Stevens
1st Lieut. and Adj't.

Head Quarters 61st U.S. Infy
Memphis Tenn, Jan. 17. 1865

Special Orders
No 7.

In compliance with instruc-
tions received from Head Quarters Dist of West
Tenn., the following named Officers of this
Regiment are hereby placed in arrest, and will
confine themselves to the limits of their Quar-
ters to await trial on the accompanying charges:

1st Lieut. Robert B. Macpherson Co. G.
2^d Lieut. Orion W. Croft Co. H.

By order of
John Foley
Lieut. Col. 61st U.S. Infy. Comd'g.
Frank E. Stevens
1st Lieut. and Adj't.

Head Quarters 61st U. S. Col. Infy.
Memphis, Tenn. Jan. 18 1865.

Circular.

II For the better efficiency and more thorough discipline of this command, the following instructions are issued, and will be strictly complied with by Officers of this regiment:

I. II Each company shall be divided into two platoons and each platoon into sections. Each section must be placed in charge of one Sergeant and two Corporals. The second platoon will be placed in command of the 1st Lieut., and the first platoon in command of the 2^d Lieut., and these Officers will be responsible to the Captain of the Company for the cleanliness of the mens clothing, arms, accoutrements and quarters, and they will hold the Serjts. and Corpls. of squads responsible to them. The Company must be numbered and each man taught to know his number.

I. III All business or complaints must pass from the man interested to the Serjt. of his squad, from the Serjt. to the Orderly Serjt., and by the Orderly Serjt. must be laid before the Captain for his action.

I. IV Whenever a punishment is to be made the Officer must not do the punishing himself, but must order the Non-Com. Officer in charge of the squad to execute the punishment under his supervision.

V Article 13 and Paragraphs 254, 255, 256, 257, of Article 29 Revised Army Regulations must be read to companies once each day for two weeks at roll call, and after that time until further orders twice a week.

VII The responsibility of Officers on duty in and about Camp does not cease in

consequence. Whenever Officers see anything going wrong in their Companies they shall correct it, and take such steps at all times as they shall deem for the good of the Service.

Companies must be brought up to the standard of discipline required by the Army Regulations, and Officers failing in their duties, will be reported to the Inspector for dismissal.

V. The habit of Officers leaving camp without the permission of their Commanding Officer is strictly prohibited and Officers disobeying this command will be reported to the proper authorities for their action.

VI. Officers of Companies must visit and inspect their Company quarters, Commissary and Kitchen habitually from two to three times each day and particularly observe whether or not the cooking utensils are washed and dried properly, and kept thoroughly clean. The habit of men going into the Company Commissary and into the Kitchens except when on duty or at meal times must be discontinued.

VII. No enlisted man but the Commissary Sergt. and the orderly Sergt. shall be allowed to visit these places except on the occasions above specified.

This circular shall be copied in the order book of each Company.

By order of
John Foley
Lieut. Col. 61st Regt. Inf.
Comd'g. Regt.
J. M. E. Quinn
1st Lieut. and Adj't.

Head Quarters 61st U.S. Infy.
Memphis, Tenn. Jan. 27. 1865.

Special Orders }
No 8

I Private Rolan Alton is hereby promoted to be Corporal in Co. "C," vice Shelton, reduced.

I I Corpl. Thomas Crook Co. "D" is hereby reduced to the ranks for neglecting his duty while on grand guard.

I I I Private Maurice Young is hereby promoted to Corpl. in same Company vice Crook reduced.

I V Corpl. William Shields, same Company is hereby reduced to the ranks for leaving camp without permission.

I V Private Henry Burmann same Co. is promoted to Corporal vice Shields reduced.

All of whom will be obeyed and respected accordingly.

By order of
John Foley
Lieut. Col. 61st U.S. Infy.
Comd'g. Regt.
Frank E. Arvin
Lieut. and Adj.

Head Quarters 61st U.S. Infy.
Memphis, Tenn. Feb. 3. 1865.

Special Orders }
No 9

I Private Henry Palmer is hereby promoted to be Sergh. in Co. "K," vice Archer discharged, and he will be obeyed and respected accordingly.

I I Corpl. D. J. Street same Comp.

is hereby reduced to the ranks, and Private Green Hoagner appointed in his stead, and he will be obeyed and respected accordingly.

Sergt. George House Co. "B" is hereby reduced to the ranks for fighting.

Capt. William Falley is hereby promoted to Sergt. vice House reduced, and Private Hardin Hollyday promoted to Capt. vice Falley promoted, both of Comp. "B"; and they will be obeyed and respected accordingly.

By order of
John Foley
Lieut Col. 61st U.S. Inf.
Comd'g. Regt.
Frank E. Morris
1st Lieut and Adj't.

Head Quarters 61st U.S. Inf.
Memphis Tenn. Febr. 16 1865.

Special Orders
No. 10.

II 2nd Lieut. Lorenzo Durham "C" Comp. is hereby detailed as Acting R. Q. M. and will at once report to the Regt. Commander for instructions.

III 2nd Lieut. Eugene J. Adams "B" Comp. is hereby detailed as Acting Adj't. of this Regt. and will at once report to the Regimental Commander for duty.

By order of
John Foley
Lieut Col. 61st U.S. Inf.
Comd'g. Regt.
Frank E. Morris
1st Lieut and Adj't.

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Head Quarters 61st U.S. Col^d Infy.
Memphis Tenn. Febr. 21st 1865.

Special Orders

No. 11

I. Captain Jamson Harris Comd'g
Co. "F", 61st U.S. Col^d Infy. having been dis-
charged the Service of the U.S. by order of
Maj. Genl. Canby will immediately turn
over all public property in his possession
to 1st Lieut. G. C. Murroe 61st U.S. Col^d Infy.

II. Lieut. G. C. Murroe will at once
take charge of Comp. "F" 61st U.S. Col^d Infy.
until further orders.

By order of
John Foley
Lieut. 61st U.S. Col^d Infy.
Comd'g. Regt.
Frank J. Harris
2^d Lieut. 2nd Actg. Adjt.

61st U.S. Col^d Infy.
Memphis Tenn. March 4th 1865

Special Order
No. 12

I. Par II 1st Lt. St. John
"B" Co. "Therson Co." "D" 61st U.S. Col^d Infy. is
herby placed in close arrest
and will confine himself to
his quarters.

III. Sergt. Jacob Fields Co. "D" of this Regt.
is herby reduced to the ranks for drunken-
ness on board the Ste John Harris, and
smuggling.

IV. Capt. W. Maxwell is herby promoted
to Sergt. Vice Fields reduced to the ranks.
Walker to Capt. Vice Maxwell promoted.

and they will be obeyed and respected accordingly

IV - 2^d Lt Eugene J. Adams of this Regt. is hereby relieved from such duty and all report with his company immediately

By Order of
Col Frank A. Kendrick
Comdg. 61st U.S.C. Infy
(signed) Frank E. Harris
Lt. & Adj. Gen.

Head Qrs 61st U.S.C. Infy
Morganza La. March 7th 1865

Special Order }
No 13. }

II Private James Rulaford
Co E 61st U.S.C. Infy is hereby detailed as
Saddler & will report to Lt. Durkin A. R. Co.
M. in person for duty immediately

By order of
Col. Frank A. Kendrick
Comdg. Regt.
Frank E. Harris

1st Lieut. 61st U. S. Col & Infy
ad. g. b.

Head Qrs 61st U. S. Col & Infy
Morganza La. March 8th 1865

Special Orders }
No 14. }

I 1st Lieut. Eugene J. Adams of this
Regt. having been duly appointed and mustered
into the service in his present grade, and having
reported to these Hq. Qrs. for duty, is hereby
assigned to Co. I and will report accordingly
without delay

1st Lieut. Julius M. Walling having

been duly appointed and mustered into the service of the U. S., and he having reported to these Hq. for duty with this regiment, is hereby assigned to Co. 'K' and will report accordingly without delay.

T. T. T. 1. Lieut. Launette Stearns having been duly appointed and mustered into the Military service of the U. S. in this regiment and having reported to these Hq. for duty is hereby assigned to Co. 'C' and will report accordingly without delay.

By order of
Frank A. Kendrick
Col. 61st U. S. Col. Infy.
Frank A. Norris
1st Lieut. and Adj.

Head Quarters 61st U. S. Col. Infy.
Morgansia La. March 9th 1865.

Circular.

Commanding Officers of Companies are hereby notified that a brief leave of absence to visit New Orleans will be obtained if possible for the company Officers who will make the greatest progress in the bayonet exercise with their company during the coming week.

By order of
Frank A. Kendrick
Col. Commanding Regt.
Frank A. Norris
1st Lieut. and Adj.

Head Quarters 61st U. S. Col. Infy.
Morgansia La. New Orleans La. March 28th 1865

Special Orders
No 15,

Par II 2^d. Lt Alexander G. Edlitz having been mustered into the service of the United States and reported for duty to the commanding officer Lt Col. Inf. is hereby assigned to Co. "E" of that Regt. and will be obeyed & respected accordingly.

By Order of
 Lt Col. John Foley
 Adjutant & Quartermaster
 1st Lt & Adj. Lt Col. Edlitz

Head-Quarters U. S. C. S.
 New Orleans La March 28th 1865

Special Order }
 No. 16. }

Par II 2^d. Lt George Durham A. R. C. M. is hereby ordered to turn over all public property for which he is responsible to Q. M. & L. Parks without delay and report with his company for duty.

By Order of
 John Foley
 Lt Col. Lt Col. Edlitz
 1st Lt & Adj. Lt Col. Edlitz
 Adj. & Quartermaster
 1st Lt & Adj. Lt Col. Edlitz

16th Co. 61st Regt. Infantry
 New Orleans La March 30th 1865

Special Order }
 No. 17. }

Par II In compliance with the provisions of Par 7, S. O. No 73. H. Q. Dept of the Gulf dated New Orleans La March 17th 1865. Companies "A"

and 'D' of this Regt are hereby ordered to embark forthwith and will report on arrival at Barrancas Fla to the Comdg. Officer at that place and await the arrival of the ballast of the Regt.

By Order of

John Foley

St Col 61st U.S. Infy

Comdg Regt

Frank E. Harris

1st Lt & Adj't.

No. 18 61st U.S. Infantry

New Orleans La April 2nd 1861

Special Order }
No 18

Par II 1st Sergt. Nathaniel Washburn of Co 'E' is hereby detailed for special duty and will report to the Regt Q.M. for duty immediately

By Order of

John Foley

St Col 61st U.S. Infy

Comdg Regt

Frank E. Harris

1st Lt & Adj't.

No. 19 61st U.S. Infantry

Barrancas Fla. April 5th 1861

Special Order }
No 19

Par II 1st Lt S. L. Moore Comdg. Co. 'F' is hereby relieved from such duty and will turn over all the public property for which he is responsible to Lt. William Joseph Ludden and report with his company for

duty immediately having complied with this order

III 2^d Sicut Charles Rumph having been mustered into the service as such and assigned to this Regt is hereby assigned to Co. "B" and will report accordingly for duty without delay.

IV Pot Samuel D. Heland Co. "A" 9th Ill. Cav. having been discharged the service for the purpose of re-enlisting as Sergh. Maj. of this Regt. is hereby announced as such and will be obeyed and respected accordingly.

V The following reductions and promotions of Non Com. Officers are announced in Co. "F" of this Regt. and they will be obeyed & respected accordingly. Viz.

Sergh. Bennett Crawford reduced to the ranks for misbehavior and disobedience.

Corporal Augustus Blank to be Sergh. Vice Crawford reduced Ed Pot William Davis to be Corp. Vice Blank promoted both for behavior and soldierly conduct.

VI The following promotions ^{of Non Com. Officers} are announced in Co. "I" and will be obeyed and respected accordingly.

Private Manum Randal to be Corp.

VII The following appointments of Non Com. Officers are hereby announced in Co. "H". Private Benjamin Huns. to be Corp. & Pot Peter Sneas. to be Corp.

By Order of
 Lt Col. John Foley
 Frank E. Stevens
 1st Lt & Adj.

Co. "C" 61st U.S. Colored Infantry
 Barrancas Florida April 13th 1865

Special Orders
 No. 20

II 1st Lt William Lofnick 61st U.S. Infy. having received an appointment from the President as Captain in Co. "E" 1st Regt.

Karris discharged is hereby assigned to duty in that grade and will be obeyed and respected accordingly.

By Order of
 Lt Col John Foley
 Frank C Harris
 1st Lt Adjutant

No. 61 3d Co. Infantry
 In Board St. Crockett
 April 22nd 1865

Special Order }
 No 21 }

I. The following men born
 Officers in Co. "B" are hereby ordered to the
 ranks for inefficiency & general worthlessness
 Sergt Robt East
 George Ephraim Mathias

The following named men are promoted
 to fill vacancies in same company &
 will be obeyed & respected accordingly.

Capt. Thomas Shelton to be Sergt
 Pot Wm Horton to be Capt
 Pot Nelson Campbell to be Capt

By Order of
 Lt Col John Foley

1st Lt Adjutant

No. 61 3d Co. Infantry
 Montgomery Ala May 3rd 1865

Special Order }
 No 22 }

II Pot Albert Sneed Co. "B" 61
 3d Co. Inf. on daily duty in Regt Hospital is
 hereby relieved from such duty and will

report to his Corp Commander for duty immediately
 III Corp'l Augustus Mason Co "D" 61st U.S.C. Infy is
 hereby reduced to the ranks & Pot Allen C. Sumner
 promoted to be Corp'l. Vice Mason reduced

IV Corp'l John Mason Co "A" 61st U.S.C. Infy is hereby
 reduced to the ranks at his own request for
 physical disability & Pot Henry Lelay promoted
 to be Corp'l. Vice Mason reduced

V Pot Lydel Bunden Co "F" 61st U.S.C. Infy is
 hereby promoted to be Corp'l. Vice Levi Strickland
 deceased.

By Order of
 Lt Col John Foley

1st Lt & Adj

Co "D" 61st U.S.C. Infantry
 Mobile Ala May 18th 1865.

Special Orders
 No. 22

~~1st Lt. David Dorrance Dorrance~~
 Co "C" is hereby detailed on daily duty as
 Regt Quartermaster until further Orders
 VI Corp'l Austin Maples Co "E" 61st U.S.C. Infy
 is hereby reduced to the ranks for insub-
 ordination & Pot Peter McCreavan promoted
 to fill the vacancy

VII Privates Benjamin F. Miller & Jacob
 Ellis (recruits) having reported to this Regt
 from Recruiting depot are hereby assigned
 to Co "E" of this Regiment

By Order of
 Lt Col John Foley
 Frank C. Nevins
 1st Lt & Adj Co "E" U.S.C. Infy

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 16th Co. 1st U.S. Inf.
 Near Mobile Ala May 23/61.

Special Order }
 No. 24. }

Par II 1st Dist. Army
 Garrison 1st U.S. Inf. is hereby ordered to
 take the command of the 16th of this
 Regt. immediately. Vice Capt. D. H. Roberts
 discharged.

Capt. Roberts will turn over all company
 property belonging to the U.S. Gov. in his
 possession to the Adjutant without delay.

By Order of
 Sr Col John Foley
 Frank E. Harris
 1st Sr. Adj. 1st U.S. Inf.

16th Co. 1st U.S. Inf.
 Near Mobile Ala June 10/61.

Special Order }
 No. 25. }

Asst Surgeon Arthur
 Hazlewood is hereby appointed Treasurer
 of the Council of Administration for
 this Regt.

By Order of
 Sr Col John Foley
 Comdg. Regt.
 Frank E. Harris
 Adj.

1st Co. 6th Inf. Infantry
 Carroll's Company 15th Regt.

Special Order
 No. 126

Par II Corpse Wiley Askeew Co E is hereby reduced to the ranks for drunkenness and absence from camp without leave. Pot Pierce Whitfield same Co is hereby promoted to Corpse Vice. Kistew reduced.

III Corpse Jack Pearson Co A is hereby reduced to the ranks for disobedience and inattention to orders. Corpse Isaac Lee is promoted to Sergeant Vice Miller discharged. Pot Henry White to be Corpse Vice Lee promoted. Pot Jack Jennings to be Corpse Vice Pearson reduced. All of Co A & they will be obeyed and respected accordingly.

IV Thomas Mayben Co E is hereby promoted to be Sergeant Vice Walker Co E deceased & Pot Charles McDonald promoted to be Corpse Vice Mayben promoted.

V Corpse Henry McNeal Co B is hereby reduced to the ranks for drunkenness and neglect of duty while on guard.

VI Corpse Lewis Aron Co B is hereby reduced to the ranks.

VII Pots James Baker & Daniel Evans Co H are hereby promoted to Corpse & they will be obeyed & respected accordingly.

By Order of
 1st Lieut John Foley
 Frank C. Stevens
 Adj't.

16th Dis. 1st U.S. Inf. Infantry
Alexandria La. June 30th 1861.

Special Orders
No. 27

- I Par Corpl Nelson Johnson Co "C" 1st U.S. Inf. is hereby reduced to the ranks for leaving his post while on guard and Par Samuel Apleton promoted to be Corpl Vice Johnson reduced.
- III Corpl Charles McDowell Co "K" 1st U.S. Inf. is hereby reduced to the ranks for drunkenness & disobedience of Orders & Par Alfred Duke promoted to Corpl Vice McDowell reduced.
- IV Par William Brooks Co "B" 1st U.S. Inf. is hereby promoted to be Corpl Vice McNeal reduced and will be obeyed and respected accordingly.
- V Corpl Moses Caldwell Co "A" 1st U.S. Inf. is hereby promoted to be Sergt. Vice Morris reduced & Par John Henry to be Corpl Vice Caldwell promoted & Par Chas Williams to be Corpl Vice Webb reduced.
- VI Corpl Squire Crocker Co "D" is hereby reduced to the ranks for disobedience of orders & Par Lifas Young promoted to be Corpl Vice Crocker reduced.
- VII Sergt Augustus Clark Co "F" is hereby reduced to the ranks for bad conduct and Par Henry Simpson promoted to Sergt Vice Clark reduced.
- VIII Par Samuel Haley Co "B" is hereby promoted to be Corpl Vice Exham reduced.

By Order of

St. Col. John Foley
Frank C. Morris

1st Lt & Adj.

Head-Quarters 61st U. S. C. I.
Minden, La. Aug 9th 1865

Special Orders
No. 28th

Par. II. Corp. Lytle Bunden, Co. I,
61st U. S. C. I. is hereby reduced to the ranks for
disobedience to orders.

Private William Small is hereby promoted
to Corporal vice Bunden reduced and will
be obeyed and respected accordingly.

By Order of Lieut. Col. John Foley
Commanding Regt.
Frank C. Perkins
1st Lieut. 61st U. S. C. I. Adjt.

Head-Quarters 61st U. S. C. I.
Minden La. Aug. 14th 1865

Special Orders
No. 29

Corp. Edward Harrison, Co. B
is hereby reduced to the ranks for inattention
to duty.

Private Eli Scott is promoted
to Corp. vice Harrison reduced and he will
be obeyed and respected accordingly.

By Order of Lieut. Col. John Foley
Commanding Regiment
Frank C. Perkins
1st Lieut. 61st U. S. C. I.
Adj. Asst. Asst. (Genl.)

Head Quarters 61st U. S. Col.

Minden La. Aug. 24th 1865

Special Orders
No. 24.

Sergeant Henry Simpson Co "F" is hereby promoted to 1st Sergeant.
Corporal Isaac Potts is promoted to Sergeant vice Simpson promoted.

Private Moses McDonald to Corp. vice Potts promoted.

Corporal Andrew Heimer is hereby returned to the ranks for bad conduct on the march from Shreveport to Minden.

Private John A. Waltrous is promoted to Corporal vice Heimer returned, all of whom will be obeyed and respected accordingly.

By Order of Lieut. Col. John Foley,
Commanding Fort
Frank E. Stevens
1st Lieut. 61st U. S. Col.
Adjutant

Head Quarters 61st U. S. Col.

Minden La. Sept. 1st 1865

Special Orders
No. 25

Par II. Sergeant Elijah Douglas Co "D" is hereby returned to the ranks for disobedience to orders.

Corp Monroe Young is hereby promoted

To Sergeant vice Caspary reduced.

Private Wyatt Fields is promoted to Corporal vice Young promoted.

And they will be obeyed and respected accordingly.

III. Corp. Ward Huldoy Capt" is hereby reduced to the ranks for disorderly and factious conduct.

Private Alexander Hoad is promoted to Corporal vice Huldoy reduced.

III. Priv. Thurston William J. Station is hereby promoted to be Quartermaster Sergeant and will be obeyed and respected accordingly.

IV. Private Garalt Allen Capt" et" U. S. & I. is hereby detailed for daily duty as teamster and will report to Quartermaster J. L. Parks without delay.

V. Sergt. Archibald Cassett Capt" is hereby reduced to the ranks for disobedience to orders and inattention to duty.

Corp. James Fiser is promoted to Sergt. vice Cassett reduced.

Private William Reese is hereby promoted to Corporal vice Fiser promoted and they will be obeyed and respected accordingly.

VI. Sergt. Heywood Golph Capt" is hereby reduced to the ranks for unsoldierly appearance.

Corp. Daniel Brown is hereby promoted to Sergt. vice Golph reduced.

Private James Young is promoted to Corporal vice Brown promoted, and they will be obeyed and respected accordingly.

VII. Corp. Katie Dickens Capt" et" U. S. & I. is hereby reduced to the ranks for leaving camp without authority.

Private John Homan is promoted to Corporal vice Dickens reduced and he will be obeyed and respected accordingly.

By Order of
Lieut. Col. John Foley

Commanding Regiment
Frank E. Harris
Adjutant.

Special Orders 3
No. 26 3
Hq. Qrs. 61st U. S. C. I.
Meriden, Sept. 26th 1865.

War. II. Capt. C. S. Croff
Co "D" 61st U. S. C. I. will immediately turn
over all the public property for which
he is responsible to 2^d Lieut. Norton Markham
III. In compliance with
instructions from Brigade Head Quarters
Capt. C. S. Croff is hereby placed in arrest^{and}
will turn over his command to the
next officer in rank, and will confine
himself strictly to camp.

By Order of Lt. Col. John Foley
Commanding
Frank E. Harris
1st Lt. 61st U. S. C. I.
Adjutant

Hq. Qrs. 61st U. S. C. I.
Meriden, La. Oct. 1st 1865

Special Orders 3
No. 27. 3

Capt. L. J. J. 61st U. S. C. I.
will immediately turn over all public
property for which he is responsible to
2^d Lt. Samuel D. Belland.

By Order of Lt. Col. John Foley
Commanding
F. E. Harris, adjt.

Head Quarters 61st U.S. Col^d Infy
Miner La. October 12th 1865

Special Orders
No. 28, 3

The following promotions of Non-Comm. Officers are announced in Company "B" of the Regt. and they will be obeyed and respected accordingly. Viz:-

Sergeant A. McNeil to be 1st Sergt. vice Holler discharged
Corpl. P. Wiley to be Sergt. vice McNeil promoted.
Private J. Hancock to be Corpl. vice Wiley promoted.

Corpl. George Eastman "G" Company 61st U.S. Col^d Infy. is hereby reduced to the ranks for drunkenness and unsoldierly conduct.

Private Jacob Wells "G" Company is hereby promoted to Corpl. vice Eastman reduced.

He will be obeyed and respected accordingly.

Capt. Henry George "G" Company 61st U.S. Col^d Infy. will immediately turn over all Government property for which he is responsible to 2nd Lieut. John B. Letterman "G" Company 61st U.S. Col^d Infy.

By Orders
Lt Col John Foley
Syrac. Chas. Knapp
St & Acty Adjts.

Head Qrs 61st U.S. Col^d Infy
Miner La Oct 20th 1865

Special Order 3
No. 29 3

1st Lt Henry Gibson of "E" Co. 61st U.S. Col^d Infy will immediately turn over all Govt. property for which he is responsible to Capt. J. B. Letterman.

In Order of
J. B. Letterman

Capt Chas. Riggs
County Adjutant
Frank Cleveland
St & Actg Adjnt.

St & Actg Adjnt. U.S. L. Inf.
Minden La. Oct 23rd 1864

Special Order

Oct 30th

II Capt Peter Lucas Co
"H" 61st U.S. L. Inf. is hereby reduced to the
ranks for abusive and insubordinate
conduct toward Surg. Davis Dec 1st Surg.
Co "H" 61st U.S. L. Inf. & F. M. Rubin William for
challenges & attention to duty is hereby
promoted to fill the vacancy. Capt
William will be obeyed & respected accordingly.

III 2nd St. Louis Marauder having reported
to the County Officer as U.S. L. Inf. for duty
is hereby assigned to Co "H" 61st U.S. L. Inf.

IV 2nd St. Louis Marauder Co "H" 61st U.S. L. Inf.
is hereby placed in temporary command
of Co "H" same Regiment.

By Order of

Capt Chas. Riggs

County Supt.

Frank Cleveland

St & Actg Adjnt.

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 No. 61 1st Regt. Inf.
 Mendocino Nov 28/65

Special Orders

No. 33

1st Regt. Inf. St. Henry Garrison
 will immediately
 turn over to Capt. T. C. Hoas all
 lost property for which he
 is responsible.

By Order of
 Col. John Foley
 J. M. Deland
 1st Adj. Gen.

Head Quarters, 41st U. S. C. I.
 Baton Rouge La. Dec. 14/65

Special Orders

No. 34

1st Regt. Nathaniel Washburn Co. E
 is hereby appointed Commissary Sergeant
 of this Regiment and he will be obeyed and
 respected accordingly.

2nd Regt. Nathaniel Thummes
 Co. B 41st U. S. C. I. is hereby appointed
 Sergeant Major, and he will be obeyed and
 respected accordingly.

3rd Regt. Samuel D. Deland
 is hereby relieved from duty in the Adjutant's
 Office and temporarily assigned to duty as
 regimental Quartermaster and will turn
 over the company property for which
 he is responsible to Capt. L. J. Jones.

By Order of
 Lieut. Col. John Foley
 Comdg. 41st U. S. C. I.
 1st Lieut. and Adjutant