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Head quarters Yellville Marion co Ark  
Oct 7<sup>th</sup> 1849

Sir;

I am of opinion that one company of the  
troops is amply sufficient to aid the civil  
authorities at this place in the support and  
execution of the Laws; and therefore deem it  
necessary to disband one of the companies.  
You are the junior captain, and therefore think  
it advisable that you should march directly  
with your command to Carrollton, where you  
will discharge your troops—you will then make  
a full and Detailed report to the Governor  
of the State of Arkansas, of all your proceedings,  
Bills of expese, and your muster roll so that  
settlements may be made and soldiers  
paid for their services; and you will also  
keep a copy of all your papers, muster roll  
and all accounts yourself.

I highly approve of your conduct  
in promptly obeying all my orders and  
commands, and am pleased with the order  
department of ~~yourself~~ your subaltern officers  
and privates

By order of A Wood

To  
Captain Tilford Denton

Adjut. General of Ark

J M Cox

Sidecamp

*[Faint handwritten notes and scribbles at the bottom right of the page]*



the account should be working both  
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all the purchases were both savings to me &  
since all the other things I have to spend  
have required all my ready cash to continue  
to make myself comfortable all the while

— I am going all the way through it  
I will myself have, making every all the  
I should have made my last observations to  
my wife, and having a business was very thin  
when I had this my account and I should like  
to have all of my things sold to me and  
I should like to have the whole of my  
cash or the whole of my business, and so  
I should like to have all the things I  
should like to have, and so I should like  
to have all the things I should like to have

— I should like to have all the things I  
should like to have, and so I should like  
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to have all the things I should like to have

~~Order to~~  
~~Stewart D. Linton~~

Order  
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