

Camp 5th Va Cav.

Aug. 12th, 1863 -

Supt R. S. Morgan -

Dear Sir -

Having been informed that you have been empowered to raise a Cavalry Company, we take much pleasure in congratulating you on this expression of confidence reposed in you by those, who know you only by reputation. We have been intimately associated with you for the past ~~twelve~~ fifteen months, and have known you but to admire your affability, your gentlemanly manners and your high soldierly bearing.

We have marked your coolness, gallantry, skill and dash on more than one battle field, and we believe you to be eminently suited to serve the Confederacy in any capacity, <sup>whether it be</sup> either to command or to obey.

Our best wishes for your success attend you.

Dear C. Fox Capt Co G 5th Va Cav Most Respectfully,

J. H. Allen, Capt. Co. H 5th Va Cav

T. W. Leary Lieut. Col. 5th Va Cav

Wm. P. Johnson Lt. Col. Co. E

E. M. Ware Lt. Col. H

J. W. Lane Lt. Col. H

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