JAMES M. COCKEFAIR
LETTER, 1863 SEPT. 6, ROLLA, MO. [TO] THOMAS A. DAVIS

Collection Information

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Historical Sketch

Scope and Content Note

Folder and Contents Listing

Cataloging Information

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COLLECTION INFORMATION

VOLUME OF COLLECTION: 1 folder

COLLECTION DATE: 1863

PROVENANCE: Indiana State Library, originally from Conway Barker, La Marque, TX, October 1865.

RESTRICTIONS: None
A postmaster in Cambridge City, Wayne County, Indiana, Lieutenant James M. Cockefair was mustered into the Third Battery Light Artillery on December 9, 1861. The Third participated in the Meridian and Red River expeditions. Cockefair was dismissed by Court Martial for disloyalty.

Source:


Young, Andrew W. *History of Wayne County, Indiana*. Cincinnati: Robert Clarke Co., 1872.

The collection contains one letter written by Cockefair to Brigadier General Thomas A. Davis. Cockefair, writing from Rolla, Missouri on September 6, 1863, requests the commission of two Second Lieutenants for his company.

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