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To Whom It May Concern:

Accompanying this letter are: 1851 Colt Navy, serial number 93632, original issue holster and cartridge box; Spencer carbine serial number 37413. These belonged to my great, great grandfather William H. Lovering with the 1<sup>st</sup> New Hampshire Cavalry, he was from Hillsbough, NH; and, his father built numerous stone arch bridges, still in use today. Some of his laborers were Confederate prisoners of war, captured at Gettysburg.

One page of my great, great grandfather's diary lists as actions for June, 1864: June 13, 1864, White Oak Swamp, June 22 and June 29, Reams Station, June 23, Nottoway Court House, June 25, Weldon Railroad Station.

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Thank you,

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