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Wallace, Thomas S.
Reports and general orders, 1868-1878

DESCRIPTION

Handwritten military reports by Lt. Thomas S. Wallace, 1st Lieutenant, 3rd U.S. Infantry, from Fort Missoula, Montana Territory and Fort Dodge, Kansas. Includes a Sept. 5, 1868 Special Field Order placing Wallace in command of a party of mounted Infantry near Fort Dodge, Kansas and Wallace's Sept. 2, 1868 report on an expedition to rescue a group of men attacked by Indians. The other documents, from 1878 at Fort Missoula, Montana Territory, consists of General Orders expressing appreciation for good conduct of Thomas S. Wallace and his company for their participating in an engagement with the Nez Perce at the middle fork of Clearwater River, Idaho and two reports on the campaign against the Nez Perce in July 1878.

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BIOGRAPHICAL NOTE

Thomas S. Wallace served in the Civil War, and was later 1st Lieutenant of the 3rd U.S. Infantry until his death in December 1878.

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