

New York State Adjutant General's Office Telegrams Received and Sent A4148

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Overview of the Records

Repository: New York State Archives

Summary: This series pertains to the state's effort in raising and equipping

the volunteer forces mustered into federal service during the early years of the Civil War. Specific subjects include the appointment of officers, mustering in of regiments, assignments

of companies to regiments, promotions, arrangement of

transportation for regiments leaving the state, recruitment of new regiments, procurement of arms from the Commissary General's office, mustering out of three-month regiments, and the payment

of troops.

Creator: New York (State). Adjutant General's Office

Title: Telegrams received and sent

Quantity: 0.6 cubic feet

Quantity: 2 volumes

Inclusive Date: 1862

Series: A4148

Arrangement

Chronological by date of telegram.

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Scope and Content Note

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Volume one, containing letter press copies of telegrams sent by the Adjutant General's Office, dates from February 1 through September 23, 1862. Most of the telegrams in this volume were signed by J.B. Stonehouse, who was the Assistant Adjutant General to Thomas Hillhouse. Volume two consists of original telegrams sent to the Adjutant General's Office as well as copies of telegrams directed to Governor Edwin D. Morgan. The telegrams in this volume date between August 21 and September 12, 1862.

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Related Information

Related Material

A4130Series A4130, Duplicate Correspondence Directed to and Received from Military Offices

A4145Series A4145, Letter Books of Outgoing Correspondence and

B0462Series B0462, Correspondence and Petitions, all contain additional Adjutant General's correspondence.

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Other Finding Aids

Available at Repository

Volume one contains alphabetical name index in front.

Volume list.

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Use of Records

Access Restrictions

There are no restrictions regarding access to or use of this material.

Access Terms

- United States--History--Civil War, 1861-1865
- New York (State)--History--Civil War, 1861-1865
- Armies--Organization
- Supervising
- Military service, Voluntary
- Telegrams
- Recruiting and enlistment
- New York (State). Governor (1859-1862 : Morgan)
- Hillhouse, Thomas, 1816-1897
- New York (State). Commissary General's Office
- New York (State). Military Department
- Morgan, Edwin D. (Edwin Denison), 1811-1883.