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Genl S B Cluett is author-  
ized to receive <sup>in regard to receipts</sup> men for my regt  
all acts of his, will be regarded  
by me as by authority from me

W. Stearns Maj  
Chief of the Staff of my  
Genl J A Mc Cluett

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Col Stewart - Nov 4 1862

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 2nd inst. in relation to the purchase of a horse for the use of the staff of the 1st Cavalry. I am sorry that I cannot do so at present, but I will be glad to purchase one for you as soon as I can.

Very respectfully,  
 Wm. Stewart, Capt.  
 Chief of the Staff of the 1st Cavalry