

Fort Benj. Harrison, Ind.
June 18 1917

General Roger Williams,
Lexington, Kentucky.

My dear sir:—

As you remember, I was asking you for some advice a few days ago about taking the examination for a commission in the regular army, and I now desire to ask you for a recommendation to accompany my application for examination for a commission in the regular army.

I was a 1st Lieut. for a short while in Co. I. of 1st Ky Inf. of your brigade and resigned as such to accept a lieutenancy in the Philippine Constabulary, in which organization I served for almost three years being stationed in Sulu for a greater part of my time where I had a good deal of field service.

I have my application all ready to send in but I desire this letter of recommendation from you, knowing the estimation in which it will be held