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CAMP GEO. H. THOMAS, CHICKAMAUGA PARK, GA. May 11, 1903.

W. J. Kerr,
Pres. Agricultural College of Utah,
Logan, Utah.

Dear Sir:

Replying to yours of the 4th; ⁽¹⁾ I am 46, married,
wife & 5 children; ⁽²⁾ Professor Mil. Service at Cornell
College, Mt. Vernon, Iowa; ⁽³⁾ This college and Army Schools;
⁽⁴⁾ Two years, full length of detail (see G.O. #94, July 10, 1902.)
⁽⁵⁾ Depending on what is furnished and expenses.

I believe I could please you as to character,
habits &c. Would refer to Pres. King, of Cornell College.

Does your college class according to G.O. 94 as
belonging to the 2^d class as most Agricultural colleges?
and is the college prepared to pay the Mil. Dept. the
time & work prescribed by the War Dept. in that
grade? I would not care for the detail unless I
could make satisfactory reports to the War Dept.

I have looked over your catalogue with interest.
I desire, on my part, a detail at a place at
which there are good schools (public) for my
younger children, that is 8th grade, 10th 11th & 12th.

completing the high school grade. I would
ask the nature of the religious services at
the college, the denomination, also of the
churches in Logan.

Does the college furnish the head of the Military
Dept. quarters, if so what size and kind?

If satisfactory I shall be pleased to hear
from you in reply.

Yours truly,
J. C. Watkinson,
Capt. U.S.A.