

All Official Letters to this Office must be addressed to the "Second Auditor of the Treasury," and in replying to Letters from this Office the initials on the upper left-hand corner should be referred to. The name, company, and regiment of the soldier must also be given.

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Treasury Department,

SECOND AUDITOR'S OFFICE,

Washington, D. C.,

Oct 14, 1887.

Sir:

Action upon the claim filed by you in this Office for *Arrears of*
Pay bounty, &c., as *Element* in the case
of *Jennell* Leuk . Co. *F. 9th A. S. Vols*
is deferred until the necessary official information called for from the
War Department shall have been obtained, upon the receipt of which,
the claim will in its order be taken up for examination, and should
additional evidence be required, you will be advised. No unnecessary
delay will occur in the final disposition of this claim. Frequent in-
quiries in relation to individual claims, by the examination necessary
for a reply, only delay final action. The inability of the clerical force
at this time to keep up with the current work makes this communication
necessary.

N. B.—This notice must be accepted as the true condition of the claim
until you are called on to furnish additional evidence, or notified that
it has been finally disposed of.

Respectfully,

Wm. A. Day

Auditor.

Charles H. Hilcox

Milford

Mass.

By