General R. E. Lee  
commanding b&b  

General

In accordance with the substance of my letter to you of the 8th instant propose to receive the surrender of the Army of the Potomac on the following terms to wit:

I will by all of the Officers and men to be seated in duplicate one copy to be given to an officer to be designated by one of the others to be retained by such officer or officers as you may designate. The officers to name their individual names not to take up arms against the Government of the U.S. until properly discharged & each company or regimental commanders to sign a list perolle for the men of their commands. The Orms Artillery and public property to be Parceled Stacked and turned over to the officers appointed by one to receive them. This will not include the side arms of the officers nor their Pores horses or baggage. This list each officer and man will be allowed to return their homes not to be disturbed by United States authorities along as they observe their parole and the laws in and where they reside.

Respectfully,

[Signature]

Officer of Orms Artillery  

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