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Capt. Cyrus H. Walker,
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Dear Sir:-

I am glad to be able to inform you that the Auditor's Office has just registered your military pay claim, and that it is what is known as an "original" claim, that is one in which there has been no previous settlement.

There is required for use in the claim your final discharge certificate, with which you should return to me, duly executed, by yourself, the enclosed duplicate receipts.

You should try to send me, if possible, your commission as 1st Lieut. If sent, it will be returned to you in a few days. Your discharge certificate will also be returned upon the completion of the claim.

When you send me this evidence please inform me whether upon your discharge you paid your transportation and subsistence from Fort Vancouver, the place of your discharge, to Forest Grove, Ore. the place of your enrollment, and if so, the route and character of the conveyance by which you traveled that distance.

Yours truly,