

CW/VFM-135: *Abraham Lincoln*

Autograph endorsement by Lincoln stating, “Let the appointment be made as within requested dated.” Signed and dated 2 Sept. 1861. Following Lincoln’s endorsement is that of Brigadier General James W. Ripley, signed and dated 14 Sept. 1861. The letter is addressed to Senator Ira Harris of New York and regards the service in the Ordnance Corps of his son, Lieutenant William H. Harris, graduate of West Point in June 1861. AES-1p.

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