3003 Communication from
Col M. R. Lawler
Comander of Post
Jackson Nov 3rd/62

Citizens

Head Quarters Commander of Post,

Jackson, Tenn. 3d Novr 1862.

Major Smith
Pro Marshal

You will release from confinement and allow them to return home the six men held as hostages for the return of Thomas Sturdevant Warren Dew, Woodson and Yancy Gray who were arrested and carried within the Confederate lines. The said Sturdevant and others having been released by the Confederate authorities

By order of
Col M K Sawyer
~~Col~~ 18th Ill Infty Comg Post
R R Townes
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