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Office of Provost Marshal
Nashville Tenn Jan 5 1864

Respectfully returned to
Capt H Kevin A. A. G.

H. G. Ewing was arrested
baggage searched and
also the goods that arrived
directed to Miller & Green
Ewing is now under fifty
thousand dollars Bond
to report at this office daily
until further orders

E. B. Tuttle
Lt Col 18th Mich V.I.
and Provost Marshal

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Fort Wayne Dec 9th 63

Scott S Baylis
Citizen

States that Wm G Ewing is suspected of attempting to smuggle Quine and other medicins to Nashville It is supposed that he is in with Geo Miller and will ship ~~the~~ ~~goods~~ it with mullen goods.

Nashville Dec 14/63

I recd this Letter this morning from a friend whom I know to be a good Union man and one of high standing & repute, and believe his statement to be correct. the Wm Ewing mentioned within is a ~~rule~~ a butternut and prides himself upon being a high toned Southern Gentleman, and I respectfully call the attention of the Govt Cmdg to his Case, — this Ewing is Expected

here seen by Rail
Road from Louisville
his goods are arrive
in care of Miller &
Green. Coleman building
Cherry St,

I would also
respectfully request
as the parties connected
with this smuggling are
all neighbors of mine
in Fort Wayne Ind
that my name be
kept confidential

your obt Serv

Jas Walker

60 Broad St
Mobile

Hd Qrs U S Forces
Nashville Tenn Dec 14/63

Respectfully referred to Lt Col Spalding Pro Mar who will investigate this matter

By order of Brig Gen Granger

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Capt

Office of Pro Marshal
Nashville Dec 14 1863

Respectfully referred to Capt Ed M Hulburd. 18th Ind who will investigate this matter and report

By order
Pro Marshal
Lt Col 18th Ind
Provost Marshal
Dept of Ohio

Nashville Jan 2nd 1864

Respectfully returned. I have kept strict watch of all goods coming to Miller and Green. Have seized and examined the only lot that has been received and have found no contraband goods. Capt Mills has a party now on the road for their goods

Ed M Hulburd
Capt & Chief of Military Commission

Fort Wayne Dec 9 1863

James Walker Esqr

Dear Friend

On yesterday Little William G. Ewing left here under suspicious circumstances It is strongly suspected that he took with him a lot of Quinine and other Medicins to Nashville to smuggle thru the lines it is supposed he is in with Geo Miller that is he will ship it thru to Nashville with Millers goods Miller leaves here this Morning for Cincinnati where he will meet Ewing if they come to Nashville it would be well he will to Post the Provost Marshall on their trails as they are both coffee sacks all well Bill Mitchell has gone to Washington to Billyway I am thru with the Ewing Estate so I am Ready for any speculation that will turn up

Write soon

Truly yours Lott. Bayless