

Albion Ky. July 23<sup>d</sup> 1863

Col Gilbert

This will be presented you by Mr Anderson Chinault, a citizen of this place. I have known Mr Chinault for a number of years, and know him to be a correct, upright man, entitled to full credit in anything <sup>statements</sup> he may make.

Mr Chinault is as true a Union man as any in the State of Ky. He visits your brigade in search of a slave who ran away from him some months since. Any assistance you can give him will be duly appreciated by him.

I am Sir

Very respectfully

Jno S. Williams  
Capt & Pro Marshal

I fully concur in the above statement.  
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