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Arlington, near Alexa VA 31 July 1858

Major Irwin McDowell
Asst Adjt Genl HdQrs: of the Army
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Major

I have the honour to report that my address for the month of August next will be Arlington near Alexandria VA.

I remain very respy your obtservt

R E Lee BtCol LtCol 2 Cavy

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Reports his address for the month of Aug 1858