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MARTHA NOGGLE, ADMINISTRATRIX.

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LETTER FROM THE ASSISTANT CLERK OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
TRANSMITTING A COPY OF THE FINDINGS FILED BY THE COURT  
IN THE CASE OF MARTHA NOGGLE, ADMINISTRATRIX OF JACOB  
NOGGLE, DECEASED, AGAINST THE UNITED STATES.

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MARCH 27, 1900.—Referred to the Committee on War Claims and ordered to be  
printed.

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COURT OF CLAIMS, CLERK'S OFFICE,  
*Washington, March 26, 1900.*

SIR: Pursuant to the order of the court, I transmit herewith a certified copy of the findings filed by the court in the aforesaid cause, which case was referred to this court by the Committee on War Claims, House of Representatives, under the act of March 3, 1883.

I am, very respectfully, yours, etc.,

JOHN RANDOLPH,  
*Assistant Clerk Court of Claims*

HON. DAVID B. HENDERSON,  
*Speaker of the House of Representatives.*

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[Court of Claims. Congressional, No. 7811. Martha Noggle, administratrix of Jacob Noggle, deceased, v. The United States.]

This case, being a claim for supplies or stores alleged to have been taken by or furnished to the military forces of the United States for their use during the late war for the suppression of the rebellion, the court on a preliminary inquiry finds that Jacob Noggle, deceased, the person alleged to have furnished such supplies or stores, or from whom the same are alleged to have been taken, was loyal to the Government of the United States throughout said war.

Filed June 14, 1897.

BY THE COURT.

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[Court of Claims. Congressional case No. 7811. Martha Noggle, administratrix of estate of Jacob Noggle, deceased, v. The United States.]

STATEMENT OF CASE.

The claim in the above-entitled case, for supplies or stores alleged to have been taken by or furnished to the military forces of the United States for their use during the late war for the suppression of the rebellion, was transmitted to the court by the Committee on War Claims of the House of Representatives on the 5th day of June, 1890.

On a preliminary inquiry the court, on the 14th day of June, 1897, found that the person alleged to have furnished the supplies or stores or from whom they were



alleged to have been taken, was loyal to the Government of the United States throughout said war.

The case was brought to a hearing on its merits on the 4th day of January, 1899. Charles and William B. King, esqs., appeared for claimant, and the Attorney-General, by F. W. Collins, esq., his assistant and under his direction, appeared for the defense and protection of the interests of the United States.

The claimant in her petition makes the following allegations:

That she is the administratrix of Jacob Noggle, deceased, appointed on the 20th day of June, 1889, by the clerk of the superior court in and for the county of Cherokee and State of North Carolina, her warrant of authority being herewith brought into court; that said decedent was, during the war, a resident of the State of North Carolina and did not give any aid or comfort to the said rebellion, but was throughout that war loyal to the Government of the United States.

That the following property belonging to Jacob Noggle was taken from him by the United States Army and used by the said Army, the date, place, and command being particularly stated below:

In Cherokee County, in the State of North Carolina, on or about the 19th day of February, 1864, by the forces of the United States, namely, Smith and Robinson's battalion, to wit:

1 bay horse about 9 years old .....	\$100.00
1 saddle .....	3.00
1 bridle.....	2.00
1 bed quilt.....	2.00
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>107.00</b>

The court, upon the evidence, and after considering the briefs and arguments of counsel on both sides, makes the following

#### FINDINGS OF FACT.

There were taken from the claimant's decedent, in Cherokee County, State of North Carolina, during the war of the rebellion, by the military forces of the United States for the use of the Army, stores and supplies of the character of those above described, which, at the time and place of taking, were reasonably worth the sum of one hundred and five dollars (\$105).

It does not appear that any payment has been made for any part thereof.

BY THE COURT.

Filed January 9, 1899.

A true copy.

Test this 26th day of March, A. D. 1900.

[SEAL.]

JOHN RANDOLPH,  
Assistant Clerk Court of Claims.