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Return Department
C.S. Ordnance Bureau
Richmond Jan 21st 1864

Commander of Hotchkiss Arty Batter
Cleburnes Divn. Hardees Corps
Army Ten. Tunnel Hill. Geo

Sir

The "Property Returns" of the following named Batteries, for fourth quarter 1863 have been received at this Office - No vouchers accompany them, and the Returns are not in duplicate, consequently an examination cannot be entered upon. The Regulations require that Invoices for articles recd and Receipts for those issued, shall accompany the Return and that, the latter named paper shall be in duplicate - Your early attention is respectfully called to the subject -

"Swells Battery - Keys Battery - Semples Battery"

Very Respectfully Your obdt. servt.
Edw. B Smith Maj.
Asst to Chief of Ordnance

Hd. Qrs. Hotchkiss Battery
March 21st 1864

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Wm Dorsten
1st Lt & acting adjt
Hotchkiss Battery