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Navy Department,

Bureau of Construction and Repair,

October 9th 1864

Commodore

J. B. Luce, U.S.N.
Newport, R.I.

Sir:

In reply to your letter of the 6th inst., you are informed that the furniture, now in the house on Coasters Harbor Island, was purchased for the commanding officer of the Training Squadron; and as the building has now been given up to the Bureau of Navigation, for a War College, the Bureau has directed that the furniture be put aboard the "New Hampshire," to be used by the commanding officer of the Training Squadron.

Very respectfully,

Your obedt servant
J. D. Wilson,
Chief of Bureau.