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WASHINGTON, D. C.,

March 17, 1896

Sir

In reply to your communication of Mch. 13, 1896 relative to  
the disability of John W. Smith, Lds., U.S.N.

you are informed that

"POTOMSKA"

Admitted, one John Smith, colored, Lds., Age 19. Queen Anne Co., (name of state not given.) July 1, 1864. Diarrhoea - origin not stated Discharged, July 3, 1864, to duty.

Admitted, Sept. 9, 1864. Furunculus - origin not stated Discharged, Sept. 13, 1864, to duty.

The medical journals of the other vessels named afford no information in his case.

Enclosure 1.

Very respectfully,

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Surgeon General, U.S. Navy

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