

H. G. Parker

to

Mr. J. Adams

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Head Quarters, 2nd. Brigade 3. Division
Millport. Sept: 25th 1838

Major Genl Atetison.

Dear Sir. I received this morning a despatch from the Governor, directed to you, which I took the liberty to open & advise you thereof - You will see by the letter of the Commander in Chief that he is bringing into the field a large body of troops as Jun: derstand, under the command of 4 major Genls.

I have thought it my duty to advise the Commander in Chief, that I deemed the force now under my command amply sufficient to preserve tranquillity & enforce the law. Since my last to you by Mr. Stone, I have been at this place employed in fulfilling the orders left by you. I am happy to be able to state to you that the deep excitement existing between the parties, has in a great degree ceased, and so far I have had no occasion to resort to force in assisting the Courtables. On tomorrow a Committee from Daviess County meets a Committee of the mormons at Adamondi-Ahmon, to propose to them to buy or sell, and I expect to be

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there - On Saturday the 29th inst. there are
15 or 20 of the Snormons cited to tread at
Gallatin, where Lyman Wright has pledged
himself to me they will attend - The officers
and men here are all in good health at
present, & have been actively employed in
the above duties. I have this moment heard
a threat thrown out by the men of this County
that should the above measures fail, their
intention is to drive the M. with powder and
lead from this County - how far such a
measure will be executed, I know not, but
I will exercise my utmost vigilance in this
affair, & advise you thereof, from time to time.
I remain your obt. Servt.

H. G. Park, Brig. Genl.
Commanding