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File, Fort, Battery:

36997

Ft. Wetherill

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SUBJECT:

Office of the Chief of Engineers,
United States Army,

Washington, August 24, 1901.

Maj. Geo. W. Goethals,
Corps of Engineers,

Newport, R. I.

Major:

With reference to previous correspondence upon the subject, you are advised that it has been decided to change the mounts for the 15-pounder guns to be emplaced in the battery now under construction near Fort Wetherill, R.I., from balanced-pillar to pedestal.

Detailed information as to the changes necessary to be made in the emplacements will be furnished you within a few days.

Very respectfully,

Your obedient servant,

James D. Sisk
Acting Chief of Engineers.

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Subject: Mounts for guns of 15-pdr. battery, Ft. Wetherill, R.I.

U. S. Engineer Office,

Newport, R. I., August 19, 1901.

Brig. Gen. G. L. Gillespie,

Chief of Engineers, U.S. Army,

Washington, D.C.

General:

In connection with the telegram regarding the change from pillar to pedestal mounts for the 15-pdr. gun battery near Fort Wetherill, R.I., I have the honor to request that plans be furnished in order that the plans for construction may be revised.

Very respectfully,

Your obedient servant,

G. W. Gough

Major, Corps of Engineers, U.S.A.

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