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LAW OFFICES
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HIBBS BUILDING
WASHINGTON, D.C.

March 12, 1917.

The Honorable,
The Secretary of War,
Washington, D. C.

Sir:-

Referring to the application of the Honorable Huntington Wilson for examination for admission to the Judge Advocate General's Officers' Reserve Corps, organized under the authority of Congress, I beg to say that I have known Mr. Wilson most intimately during the last ten years. I know him to be a man of honesty, industry, integrity and loyalty, of high ideals and of intense patriotism. He has had a wide experience and has served his country with ability and distinction, both in foreign fields and in the Department of State. He is widely travelled. He is a member of the Bar of the District of Columbia and during the four years of his incumbency of the office of the Assistant Secretary of State, he considered and passed upon many difficult questions of law, not only of international law, but of federal and local law as well. There is in my mind no question but that he could render invaluable service to his country in case of difficulties, by working in the Judge Advocate General's Officers' Reserve Corps.

Very truly yours,

J. Reuben Clark Jr.

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