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STATE OF NEW JERSEY
OFFICE OF THE ADJUTANT GENERAL
TRENTON

September 21, 1940.

Captain Thomas M. Gregory
507 N. Ohio Avenue
Atlantic City, New Jersey

My dear Captain Gregory:

This office has carefully considered your application for a commission in the New Jersey National Guard. In view of your honorable service in the New Jersey Guard, I have used every resource at my command to secure a waiver of age limitation in your case. The Chief of the National Guard Bureau, however, would not extend the limit beyond four years above the maximum prescribed by National Guard Regulations, which is twice that extended in the case of other officers of the National Guard.

It is with sincere regret that I have to advise that your application cannot be favorably acted upon for the reason that you are over the special age limit he will allow. In this connection and for your information, I am inclosing copy of correspondence with the War Department on this subject.

In view of the disbandment of your unit of the New Jersey Guard when the analogous unit was mustered into the National Guard, the Governor has transferred you to the Unassigned List, as required by the Revised Statutes.

May I request that you sign and return the inclosed Resignation in order that you may be honorably separated from the service.

With kind regards and best wishes, I am

Sincerely yours,

William A. Higgins
Brigadier General
The Adjutant General.

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