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John H. Kelly letter to Major E.S. Barford, dated July 28, 1864.

John Herbert Kelly  
*Confederate States Army*

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16<sup>th</sup> of July Kelly Sir  
McDonough & Atlanta road  
1. A.M. July 26<sup>th</sup> 1864.

I have the honor to state  
that my command is on the road,  
I will strike the flat-shoals & Jones-  
town road, at a point less than four  
miles from flat-shoals, between flat  
shoals & Jonesboro - It is so dark  
that the Command is necessarily compelled  
to move slowly, I fear my Cherokees  
will find great difficulty in reaching  
you owing to the darkness -

Rushing

J. H. Kelly  
Brigade Adj't

Maj C. H. Barfield  
Adj't

Two Canaries

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