

Hampden May 27 1862

Dear Sir,

Mr F. S. Flagg of this place desires a Commission in the 16th Regiment and any aid that you can consistently afford him in that direction will be duly appreciated. Mr Flagg has as you know had considerable experience in military matters and I doubt not that if an opportunity presents itself he will prove himself an efficient and brave Officer.

Yours Truly,

Wm W. Rice

Gen & Lt Hodsdon

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