

Abraham Washburn Jr
D^r Sir

I rec^d your dispatch
requesting me to bring the Bangs
experiment of troops to New Mills
tomorrow morning, at 8.30 AM
on Saturday - too late to reply that
night - I informed Mr. Wilcox
yesterday who called with
the same request, that I
should be ready at 8.10 AM
tomorrow with a train for that
purpose - Knowing the liability
to detention in starting
so large a body of men
it is not likely we shall
arrive at New Mills much
if any before 11. AM

Very yours
Edwin Hayes

May 12. 61

E. Noyes
Supt. R. R.
Bangor