

North Newburgh

Sept 13, 1861

Gen J S Hodsdon

Sir

I should be glad to undertake to get up a company of cavalry, in this vicinity and have good reason to believe that I could do it at a very short notice. If you see fit to issue orders to me to that effect I will make the attempt at the earliest possible moment.

I am permitted to refer you to Hon H Hamlin of Hammondsport & C. A. Whitney of this place

Respectfully  
Yours

Srpt  
W L Whitney

P.S. If the above matter is not subject to your decision if you will refer it to the Governor you will very much oblige.

Any communication will reach me at Bangor during the coming week  
W. L. W



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