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General —

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of one set of blanks for Company returns mentioned in your letter of the 10th inst. —

Those containing the names and date of muster of the men composing the different Companies have not been received.

You will please forward them at once that we may fill and return them to your office before leaving this place. The importance of continuing the record of the names of those who have gone forth from Maine in defence of our beloved Country is too obvious to need any argument in its favor. And I assure you sir, that any labor or attention which may be required of me in furtherance of your object, will be cheerfully bestowed.

Very Respectfully

Your Obedt. Servant —

S. G. Fernald

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