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To His Excellency

Israel Washburn jr
Gov of the State of Maine

allow me to

call your attention to the request of the friends of
D. P. Stoll Esq of Canton who are desirous of
his appointment as Lieut Col in the Regt
of Cavalry now being raised in the State.

I believe the appointment one in every way
fit to be made as Mr Stoll is a man
of good habits, superior talents and possessed
of undoubted courage, and I feel to
recommend him to your favourable
notice hoping he may obtain the appointment.

Yours Obedt Servt
Otis Cutter