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General. Modesto

Dier Sir

P B Marmond of
Gardner. a sol in the
5th Maine Co. I has a discharge
by Maj J W Gardner. dated at
Augusta 28 March 1862 by reason
of Physical disability.

Complains of ill health, but looks
regeed. Says he is ready to reenlist
or stand his draft,

Joseph W Stewart of
East Pittston

a sol in 3^d Maine Co. C came home
on Furlough the first of July last,
has been sick, but is now well

Says he will report to Maj Gardner
tomorrow without fail. His Furlough
expired last month, I reported his

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Purboagh in substance the first of
this month, and himself with
as I found him at the time.

General

I received orders from you
to arrest one John Blodget of East
Pittston, if I could find him.

I have not had sight of him for
Months - nor do not know where he
is, but think he can be found.

Some of his friends came to me
this morning, wishing to know if
he enlisted in the nine months' Sol
(which he is ready to do they say) if the
Government would overlook the
past, or if it would still hold him
as a Deserter and treat him as such.

I informed them I would enquire
at Head Quarters and give them an
answer, and also said to them, I
thought it would not aggravate his
case if he volunteered.

Yours Truly

John Boryman