

Head Quarters 2nd Regiment Maine
Fort Corcoran Va. Sept. 14, 1861

Sir.

You have caused to be sent to W^m S Mudgett of Stockton - a Commission as 2nd Lieut. in Co. B (Castine) Capt Tilden - this Regt, it is not right - Geo. S Brown is 2nd Lieut.

Unless I made a very

great blunder - I wrote at the request of Col Roberts - as follows - "Please appoint W^m S Mudgett Co. B 1st Lieut vice D. D. Wardwell resigned" If I did not so write, I ought to have done so. Capt Tilden will return the Commission for correction, & will you do me the favor to say, if it was my error.

No fight last night - none to day - as we all hoped there would be - I regret to say that Lieut Kittridge of Co. D. (Milo) Capt Sampson) has not returned from Picket to day - those out with him were driven in last night by the enemy & report him a prisoner. Raised a very nice flag staff to day - hoisted our flag - & gave it a salute of 34 rather heavy guns (64 Pds) - gave them times, for you all - too you it went off in good style John L. Hodson } In last to S. W. Hoxie's
advt Genl. }

It was Gov. Washburn who wrote to
I think — pardon the horrible expression
you — son [unclear]

Wm. Brewster and
Wm. Brewster & Co.

Highly well to today at the
E.O. in Twinsburg
- situation is this - probably -
will be soon decided

But still the question is do we want
and the answer will be simple and
is "Young Rembrandt & Co. Miss
and the Shows. We know of
going to remain with our organization
with us or do we do very illus +
- come you

and you are up - each of us - the man that takes all
the splitting this with you at times & get involved with
to him - and another to [unclear] (child) &c. &c.
this man is now in the same position - and at
your service, remained in your theater & company with you
so to play & - half - no better. - back at home & we are
with you - (why not) very good weather & we go outside &
spending time in the sun - also very convenient
about it. & not bad

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Answered W.M.B.