

Brunswick July 31. 1862.

Mr. Gov.

Permit me to introduce
to your consideration and
acquaintance my friend
P. M. Jeffers of Fincastle who
wants in you for the purpose
of getting the men from
Piscataquis recruited by
him into the 18th Regt. -
Mr. Jeffers has seen
service and is a most
energetic and patriotic man,
desiring to leave a large
farm and large business
to serve the Country in the
field - Every body in the
Country have great confidence
in him as a citizen and
a Soldier - You may rely

upon all statements he
may make to you in
regard to the situation
of matters in the County
relative to the enlisted,
with perfect confidence -
and hoping that you
be able to give him a
Captain's Commission, for
which he is eminently
qualified & deserving, & otherwise
comply with his wishes,
I remain

Very truly

(In haste)

Br. O. S. S. S.
J. M. W. S.

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Rice John H.

Recommends P. M. Jeff-
ferds for appointment as capt-
ain 18th Regt. Me. Vol. Infantry