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Head Quarters 4th Reg Me Vel
March 5th 1862

Sir

I have the honor to report to You - That
Doct Can Acting Surgeon of this Regiment
under special contract with War Dep-
artment resigned his commission Yester-
day to take effect to-morrow. I have to
say that the Doctor has conducted the af-
fairs of his department in a manner
highly satisfactory to myself & Command
& the relations have been most pleasant.

Doct Abial Lilly our assis-
tant - Surgeon enjoys the confidence of
the entire Regiment - He is very attentive
& as he is blessed with a vigorous consti-
-tution & with habits of industry, I respect-
fully recommend him to Your most
favourable consideration for the place
of Surgeon - Should he receive
the appointment asked for, I will assure
You this Regiment will be well satisfied,
as the Members all have unbounded
confidence in his skills, & good intent -

Hon & Dear General
Gov^o Maine

Respect Your Obedt Servt
N. G. Berry