Camp, King
Balt. and Aug. 13th 1862

My dear I. Washburn,

Dear Sir:

What is to be done with my men? We have enlisted 119 in all in eleven days, and reported according to orders. I have no particular fault to find with anyone though the lack of able and especially the first rate have not treated me at least with the same respect. I have ten or twelve men of the first rate. What Reg are we to go in — I enlisted three with the understandin —
that I must go with them if I go as a private and close up my business accordingly. And hence labour hard and spend my money judiciously. That you be might not be behind in this expenses. This rebellion - the want of which labour you know.

Will you recommend me to the God for your friend? - I am to receive it. And we expect to have something in return. I can give any amount of recommendation - Dan Andrews, etc. If I cannot turn there can. I have some place under him - then my men who enlisted with this assurance that I was a good will be satisfied - Booth so it will for Lieutenants.
I would not make this request if it was not for the treatment we have received in the 19th Do something to satisfy my own
And let the officers
Yours truly,

B.F. Nander

P.S. Please answer this by return mail as your kind note was no longer may he in suspense.

[Signature]

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