

Camp Penobscot

Augusta Dec. 9th 1861

To B. F. Tucker

Adjutant 1st Me. Cavalry Regt.
Sir,

The two tents furnished the
Commissary department of the 1st
Me. Cavalry Regt. for storage of sub-
sistence are entirely insufficient.
It is absolutely necessary that
this department be furnished with
at least four more tents of like size
with the two we now have, and
in addition thereto we must have
sixty square yards of tarpaulin to
cover and protect the meat barrels
which, even with the six tents, must
be piled up in the open air.

Your Obedt. Servt.

J. M. Patterson.

Dr. M. & A. A. C. S. 1st Me. Cavalry Regt.

Em. Patten to B. F. Lucke
forwarded to this department
for instructions

Dec 9th 1861

Respectfully forwarded
and recommended
that the articles
called for be furnished
as they are ab-
solutely necessary
for the public
service

Thos Hyatt
Mol let McC
Comdr

Dec 9th 1861

Respectfully forwarded to his
Excellency Gen Washington for
instructions. E. K. Hanning
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Procure the ~~the~~ plants
A. W. H.