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Bangor Nov 20, 1861  
 Gov. Washburn

Dear Sir

Lieut James Dean of the 2<sup>d</sup>. Maine. and myself went to Lowell yesterday to see Col Porter. his Son Thomas has been Recruiting a Squad of Men. he has now about 30 Men enlisted. we want to make arrangements to have him come into our Company and go into the 2<sup>d</sup>. Maine. Col Porter said that his Son wanted a Lieut<sup>o</sup> Commission. the young man says that he expects orders soon, and shall go where you order him. I would like to have him go in with us and take the 2<sup>d</sup>. Lieutenantary. and I think that I can arrange with Sherwood to give him the Orderly. and be satisfactory all around. what men I saw seemed to be pleased to go in with us. Col. Roberts is very anxious to have us fill up and join the Regiment as soon as possible. and I am getting tired of Recruiting having been engaged with the two Companies since the 1<sup>st</sup> October and would like to have a chance at the Rebels as soon as possible. Hoping to hear a favorable answer

I Remain

Most Respectfully  
 Saml White