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N. A. Robbins

Camp 4th Me. Regt.
Harrison's Landing Bea
July 21st 1862

Sir.

I take the liberty to address
you on a subject wholly person-
al and I will be very brief—

My object is to solicit
the position of Quartermaster
in one of the new regiments from
Maine

Having volunteered fourteen
months ago from an obscure
country town I held my place
in the ranks two months when
I was appointed to my present
position— here I have labored
to do my duty every day for a
year— Realising that my ed-
ucation, social position and
experience in the business en-
titled me to a higher position

than I now occupy I respectfully
ask your favorable consideration

Col. Walker and Jr. Mr. Abbott
also Gen. Berry have offered me
recommendations to you; but I
will not annoy you with such
a collection of papers - I could
refer you to the faculty of Bow-
doin College also G. F. Gilman
and A. C. Robbins of Brunswick
Hon. Lt. M. Morrill & Judge Rice
of Augusta also Col. Wilde and
and Nathan Farwell Esqr.

I would also refer you to Capt.
Bean and Surgeon Libby, recently
connected with this Regt.

Hoping that you will consider
that the Jr. Mr. Sgt. is removed
from the line of promotion and
has no chance to rise, however
deserving and that you will
aid me if expedient -

I remain Respectfully, Jr. Cpt. Legat.
Hon. S. Washburn Gov. } N. A. Robbins Jr. M. Sgt.

Harrison's Landing, Va.

July 21. 1862.

Robbins. N. A

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Solicits promotion