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1st Maine Heavy Artillery

Adjutant General Correspondence

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**1864-05-03 H. McKellar and Joseph Farwell recommend Corporal James McKellar for promotion**

H. McKellar

Joseph Farwell

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Washington D. C. May 3. 1864

Hon S. Cony  
Governor of Maine

Sir

Corporal James Fred Mc Kellar  
of Company F. 1<sup>st</sup> Maine Heavy Artillery,  
desires a Lieutenants Commission in one of the  
Companies of the 3<sup>d</sup> Regt of Infantry now being  
raised in Maine. Corporal Mc Kellar is a citizen  
of Rockland Maine. has been in the service  
thirteen months, & was promoted Corporal about six  
months since. This Regt drills both as Artillery  
& Infantry and it is said are very proficient in  
Infantry Tactics. I enclose letters of Recommendation  
from Hon L. M. Morrill, Hon J. W. Kimball  
& Hon John Bridges. Hon Joseph Farwell. I  
feel assured will favor his appointment

I am Sir Very Respectly Your Obedt Servt  
A. Mc Kellar