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Farmington July 31, 1863

Hon. A. Coburn:
Governor State of Maine.

Dear Sir;

In the U. S. Gen. Hospital, York, Penna. is one, W. H. Batchelder private of the 16th Regt. Main Vols., wounded severely in the face - it must be some five or six months before he will be able to do duty. He has a family and is very desirous to get home with his family & remain at home till in a condition to serve his country again - he has performed his duty like a faithful soldier up to the time of this misfortune & deserves every favor consistent with military regulations that government can grant. My object in addressing you is to request you to assist him, if in your power, to obtain a furlough. Anything you can do for him will be gratefully acknowledged by him and

Your Very Obt. Servt.
C. Alexander, Surg.
16th Reg. Me. Vols.

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P. S. I hope to see you before I leave for the army. My wound is doing well. Many thanks to you for past

favours.

Truly Yours

C. A. C.

My account is being well. Many thanks to you for past
 P.S. I hope to see you before I leave for the country.
 The Reg. Mr. Lee
 C. A. C.

Everything you can do for him will be
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 every favor possible with suitable regulations
 the time of this unfortunate's absence &
 his duty like a faithful soldier up to
 leave his country again - he has performed
 necessary at home till in a condition to
 business to get home with his family &
 to do duty. He has a family and is very
 fine or his interests before he will be able
 directly in the face. It must be done
 private of the 1st Regt. Mass. Inf., now at
 Hospital, Fort Green in the N. H. District

Dr. H. D. B.

The
 Governor State of Mass.
 Nov. 21, 1863