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**1862-12-28 General Hiram Berry recommends Captain Whitcomb
for promotion**

Hiram Gregory Berry

N. Quarters 3rd Breg 1st brs 3rd Corps
Camp near Malvern Pa

Dec 28th 1862

Wth Excellency
Hon & Respected Gen
Gov of Maine

Sir

The friends of Capt Eben Whitcomb
of the 4th Me Vols have applied to me for a letter
recommending the Capt for the place in said Reg-
iment made vacant by the death of Major Pitcher.

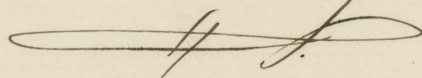
It gives me great pleasure to say
that Capt Whitcomb is one of the most efficient
Officers in that Command. He has been with the
Regiment every day as Capt from the organiza-
tion of the Regiment at Rockland. He is
brave, intelligent, patriotic, enterprising & devoted,
& I consider him well qualified for the
place he seeks, besides he is the only original
Captain now serving in that Command -

I think that the appointment of
the Capt to the Majority of the Regiment will
give good satisfaction to the entire com-
mand

I am Sir with much respect

Your Obedt Servt

N G Berry



Falmouth, Me.

Jan. 6. 1863.

Berry, Gen. H. G.

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4th Me Vols for promotion

1 Enclosure

to
the
Adjutant
General
Washington

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