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Dear Gov.

I have been informed that the Office of 2^d Lieut in Co. A. Maine ^{Carabny} will probably be vacant before long, and in that event I cordially recommend Joseph W. Phipps a Sergeant in said Co. He is a steady likely good young man and will fill the place well - I shall be glad if he can receive the apt if one shall be made -

Yours Truly
W. H. Beaulieu

Gov. J. Washburn Jr.