

208  
Sir

Head Quarters 3<sup>rd</sup> Mo Regt  
Whit's Ford W<sup>o</sup>

October 2<sup>nd</sup> 1862

After having been kept in the position of Adjutant of this Regt. for ten months by my superior Officers without your sanction I am now returned to the ranks for no other reason than that you have not commissioned me, as I have always done my duty and as I did not seek the position at first myself, it seems very hard that I should be seemingly disgraced by the change being made at so late a period, and as I am physically unable to do duty in the ranks and at the same time anxious to serve my country I have taken

the liberty to write your excellency  
asking if there is any possibility  
of my being commissioned by  
you to a position (which I  
am told by all with whom I  
have served) that I am capable  
of filling and which I think  
I have duly earned by my  
past application. Trusting you  
will view my case with con-  
sideration and have the  
kindness to reply I remain Sir

Your most obedt Servt  
Donald McIntyre  
3<sup>rd</sup> Maine V Co

To his Excellency  
J Washburn  
Gov. of Maine }



Col has a young daughter  
and his name

Small the office.  
3 & 1/2 ft.  
Oct. 2  
Cammilleri.