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Head Quarters 1st Maine Hvy Art'y
February 17th - 1865 -

Gen J. L. Hodsdon }
Adjutant General }
of Maine }

General,

Your communication concerning certain soldiers, formerly Coast Guard, in Co. H reached me several days ago, but owing to the late move and the absence of the Train I have not been able to reply till the present date.

All of the Coast Guard, twenty five (25) in number, originally were mustered out. I herewith forward you a copy of the Muster-out Roll. The remarks in reference to absentees may not be correct. We can give their present location only as we have received notice from Surgeons in charge of Hospitals.

I also forward you a

Roster of the Regiment, revised
to the present date.

Very Respectfully
your Obedt Servt
R. B. Shepherd
Capt, 1st Me. H. A.