

Those
Send it attend
to your care in Washington

Baltimore Sept 26th 1863
Genl Hoodson

Dear Sir

I take the liberty of writing a few lines to you to see if you wont help me out of my difficulty I am one of the old members of the second Maine Regiment (and a member of Company A) I have been kept four months over my time and I would like to get my Discharge now and return home. I have lost my Father and oldest Brother since I have been in the Service and I have now a Mother and three Brothers and Sisters depending upon me for their support and I should like very much to get home to take care of them and if you can assist me to get my Discharge I shall be very -

Thankful to you if you will do it
very respectfully your Obedt Servt
Private Dudley H. Seavitt
Patterson, Park Hospital
Baltimore Maryland

Dudley H. Leavitt
"Patterson Park Hosp."

Baltimore Md

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