

10-27-1862

**1862-10-27 Colonel Staples acknowledges receipt of  
commissions for Plaisted, Wiggins, and Drew**

Henry G. Staples

Head Qrs 3rd Me Regt.

White's Force Mass.

Oct 27th 1862.

His Excellency J Washburn Jr

Gov of the State of Maine.

Governor.

Commissions  
for Capts Plaisted & Higgins & St Brew  
arrived this evening. I was misinformed  
in regard to the resignation of St Hill  
of Co F. His resignation endorsed by  
Maj Gardner arrived this evening. It has  
not been accepted as yet. Prepare to  
advance via Sussburgh and cooperate  
with McSillan's army at Keybrake  
to morrow. Our colors are a perfect shambles  
I will forward them as soon as a new  
stance can be drawn.

Very Respectfully

Wm. G. Stewart

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