

Belfast, May 14, 1863.

Gov. Caburn,

Sir:—

The undersigned would respectfully recommend the appointment of James E. Doak, now Sergeant in Co. K. 4th Reg. Me. Vol., as Lieutenant in said Company. Mr. Doak enlisted in said Co. at the beginning of the war in the Spring of 1861, and has been on duty from then to the present time, with the exception of a furlough of 15 days granted the present Spring. He has sustained the character of a brave & faithful soldier, and in our opinion is entitled to promotion, especially as several vacancies exist in his Company.

We would refer to his recommendations on file in the Council Chamber, dated in Aug. last, for a Commission in one of the new Regiments.

J. G. Dickerson

W. H. Harmon

N. H. Abbott

James P. White

Thos. Marshall

J. D. Tucker M. Davis

S. L. Miliken
W. G. Rye

Belfast, Mr.

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Citizens of Belfast

³ Recommend Sergt Doak
⁴ th Mr. Vols. for promotion

3 Enclosure