

Augusta Maine

Feb'y, 19th 1863.

To the Governor of Maine

Am Sir,

It would give me great pleasure to learn of the promotion of the veteran Calvin L. Huskell of the 4th Regt Maine Vols, under Warren, believing him to be a brave man & capable of holding a commission & performing the duties of a line officer in our army, & well deserving of your high consideration. Huskell has been in his Regt. ever since its organization & I learn he has been in all the battles his Regt. has been in. Believing such men to be deserving of commissions rather than those taken fresh from the country, I think I can safely recommend him to you for promotion.

Very Resptly

Your Obedt Servt

Wm J. LaKeman
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