

3-7-1863

**1863-03-07 E. Elders recommends George S. Blake for promotion**

E. Elders

Waterville Meh 7<sup>th</sup> 1863

Your Obedient

Or Sir -

In filling the vacancy  
occasioned by the promotion of Am Plested Co  
St. Third Reg - please consider the claims of  
Geo S. Blake. who has acted as Capt much  
of the time for one year past.

If in your judgment  
he is worthy of promotion, you will confer on  
myself, and his friends, an especial favour, by  
giving him command of the Co -

Respectfully your friend  
E. S. Elden,