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**1865-10-24 Special Order 566 regarding Private John Stinson,
who is to be released from prison and honorably discharged from
service**

War Department

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SPECIAL ORDERS, }
No. 566. }

WAR DEPARTMENT,
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
Washington, October 24th, 1865.

(Extract.)

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11. The unexpired portion of the sentence of the General Court Martial, promulgated in General Orders, No. 69, Headquarters, Military Governor, Alexandria, Virginia, January 25th, 1865, in the case of Private *John F. Stinson*, Company "I," 1st Maine Heavy Artillery, is remitted. He will be released from confinement at Clinton Prison, New York, where he is now supposed to be, and honorably discharged the service of the United States, upon the receipt of this Order. He will be furnished transportation to Augusta, Maine, to enable him to report to the Chief Mustering Officer, who will furnish him with such discharge papers as he may be entitled to.

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By order of the Secretary of War:

E. D. TOWNSEND,
Assistant Adjutant General.

OFFICIAL:

E. D. Townsend
Assistant Adjutant General.

*Governor of
Maine*

Spe. Ord. 566 Par. 11.

War Dept. A. S. O.

Washington D. C.

Oct. 24, 65

Remitting sentence of
Pri. John F. Stinson
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