

Camp 20th Maine Vols.

Dec. 31. 1863

Hon. C. O. Frueh;

Second Auditor W. S. I. Dep.^y

Sir,

I have a particular request that I desire to lay before you.

Feeling a deep interest in Weston H. Kunt and being particularly desirous of having his merits fully appreciated I desire to recommend him as Cap.ⁿ of Co. H. there being an original vacancy in said Company. I have ever found him prompt in the discharge of his duties and as becomes a good soldier. Of course I have great reluctance in losing him from my Company, but I feel that it is due the young man from his

soldierly qualities and deportment.

He has always proved himself equal to the emergency and conducted himself in a perfectly gentlemanly soldier like manner. It is therefore with the greatest pleasure and as becomes my duty, I recommend him to your favorable notice.

Hoping you will use your utmost endeavors to secure him this position and that you will succeed, is my earnest and heartfelt wish.

If any testimonials are needed they can easily & cheerfully be furnished.

I have the honor

to subscribe myself

Yrs Fraturnally

Joseph B. Fitch
Cap Co. D. 20 Mo. Vol.

Hon. E. P. Rauch & Capt. Arch

In favor promotion

1st Lieut. W. H. Keene

C. D. 20th Regt.