

Augusta April 24<sup>th</sup> 1863  
His Excellency Gov Coburn.  
Governor.

I desire to  
call your Excellency's attention to John A. Philbrook a  
private in Co G 1<sup>st</sup> Maine  
Regt - He has been connected  
with the Regiment since  
its organization and has  
served faithfully for many  
months as mail carrier.  
I take pleasure in recom-  
mending him for the po-  
sition of Supt. Hoping  
your Excellency may favor-  
ably consider his case.

Augusta Me.

April 27. 1863.

Staples H. G.

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Recommends John A.  
Philbrick 3<sup>d</sup> the Vets for promotion

3 enclosures

I have the honor to be Sir  
Very Respectfully  
Yours  
H. G. Staples  
Date for 3rd May 1863

N. Y. Staples, lat Col 3<sup>o</sup>  
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Rec<sup>d</sup> Philbrook, G. 3<sup>d</sup> for Sent 7  
Apr 27, 1863

Other Rec<sup>d</sup> same kind.