

Belfast Oct. 7. 1863

Hon. Abner Coburn;

Dear Sir;

I have for several years been well acquainted with Dr. James Watson & Brooks, the present assistant Surgeon in the Third Regiment of our Volunteers. From what I know of his ability and experience in his profession I believe him to be well qualified to perform the duties of a Surgeon in the army; and I should be glad to see him promoted to that position.

Very Respy Yours Obedt. Servt.

Woodbury Davis

I should be glad to see him promoted to that position, and earnestly desire Dr. W's promotion.

J. G. Dickerson.
A. G. Jewett