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J. C. Jr. 1st Mass. Cav. Vol
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Assistant Adjutant General
State of Maine
Sir:

I beg leave
to enquire through your Office for
information concerning a prisoner of mine
Daniel McDonald, who was a member of
Company "D" Third Maine Regt. (Infantry)
He was taken prisoner about the 18th or 20th
of East May, since which time I have not heard
anything concerning him.

I have been told this week, by an officer
of the 1st Maine Regt. that he saw a
Daniel McDonald's death Record in a
State of Maine Periodical, as having died in
a Southwold prison. I long to know the
facts, Any information which you may be
enabled to give me from the Records of
your office will be most gratefully
received, by your very obedient servant
(over)

And one of the Union's true
defenders—

D. M. McDonald

Brigade Sgt.

1st Mass. Cavalry

Washington

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1st Mass Cavalry
July 3 '65