## 1862-09-21 Petition of Phineas Tolman, John Rice, and others in support of promotion of Forrest Douglass

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To His excelency

The Governor

We the

the undersigned would present

the name of Forrest T. Douglass

of Milo as a suitable man for a

Lieutenant to fill any vacancy

which may occur. Mr Douglass

has been in the service since a

year ago last May. He has served

with credit in the Battles of Bull

Run, York Town, Hanover, Court

House, and the minor skirmish

before Richmond, in all those

engagements he won the respect

and admiration of his comrades

and particularly his commanding

Officers by his unflinching courage

and bravery. Such a man

as Mr Douglass would, we think, be

admirably qualified to lead our

brave soldiers on the field

of battle, and sincerely

hope you may find a

place for him whare he

may render the best service

to his country

Phineas Tolman

John S. Sampson

Lewis S Mayo

John J. Ramsdell

Samuel V. Millett

Isaac Hanscom

R A Monroe

H. W. Macomber

W E Gould

I.W. Pratt

Foxcroft Sept 21 1862

I fully concur in the

foregoing

John H. Rice

I certify F T Douglas

is well known to me

and is qualified to

fill the place asked for

Milo Sept 21 1862

J.H. Macomber

Foxcroft Me.

September 21, 1862

Rice John H.

Recommends F.T. Douglas

for appointment to position

in Me. Vol. service.

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Promotion of

F.T. Douglas]

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