

Munsonick Aug 15th 1862

Dear Col,

As the Governor must be much occupied, I address a word to you in regard to some matters in the 2nd Regt.

I have had a great many applications for staff appointments, & have taken some pains to look into their merits, and if I have any thing to say about them, I would suggest the following.

Mr. A. L. Loring of Yarmouth for Quartermaster. He makes out a strong case.

Mr. Henry S. B. Smith of Munsonick sergeant major. the Governor will recollect Smith's claims.

Thomas. D. Chamberlain of Bangor

a brother of mine, wants to be
Quartermaster Sergeant. He is
abundantly competent for the place
having been for some time chief
clerk in F. M. Sabine's store, and
I should like to have him receive
the appointment.

A. S. Packard jr of Monmouth
wants the place of Hospital Steward.
The surgeon recommends, I believe,
but I mention him here.

The above frees my mind &
conscience, & as I suppose the ap-
pointments will be made when Col.
Aenes comes I wish to place in
your hands whatever I have to
suggest in the matter.

I report in Portland
Monday.

I am obliged for your
courtesy while I was in Aus-
gusta.

Very truly yours

J. L. Chamberlain

Col. Eugene Hale

aid de camp

Brunswick Me.

August 15. 1862.

Chamberlain J. L.

Recommends A. L. Loring
for appointment as Av. Mr.
in Me. Vol. Inf^{try} 20th Regt.

Recommendation for Av. Mr.

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Jt. Col. Chambliss