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Pembroke Apr. 17th, 1864.

Wm J. L. Hodsdon,

Adj: General of Maine.

Sir:

In answer to your enquiry as to ~~the~~
what I want of a copy of my husband's
"enlistment-papers" and "muster in"
Certificate I would say; that he
Dennis Driscoll enlisted in December
for the 1st Maine Heavy Artillery. At
the date of his enlistment that Regt-
was not full and the Recruiting Officer
promised to place him there but
neglecting to send him forward for a
week or two it was found when he
arrived in Belfast that the above
named Regt- was full. so he was
placed where he now is in the 2^d Maine
Battery. He desires to be transferred
to the Regt. for which he originally
enlisted, and informs me that

Capt. Thomas wished to procure
a copy of his enlistment papers for
what purpose I do not definitely know
but presume he thought they might
aid in procuring his transfer to the
1st Maine Heavy Artillery for which
as I before stated he originally enlisted.

This is all I know with regard to it.

If you will have the goodness to interest
yourself in procuring the accomplishment
of this act of justice you will thereby
confer a lasting favor

Respectfully yours

Catherine Driscoll,

Wife of

Catherine Driscoll
Pembroke

April 12, 1864