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Philadelphia July 29th/66

Adjutant-General State of Maine

Dear Sir

I would wish to make a few statements to you, On the 11th day of June 1861 I enlisted in Capt Walkers Comp "B" 4th Maine Vol Militia to serve for the period of Three Years on the 17th of February 1862 I was sent on detached Gun-boat Service under Com Hood with whom I served until the 14th day of August 1862 when I was discharged from the U.S. Naval Service on account of "Disability" incurred while in the Service. On the 14th day of Aug 1863 I Re Enlisted as a 1st Vol in the 1st Batt

1st Colorado Cavalry from which
I was discharged on the 18th
of last November, I received
the Tetran Bounty of \$402.00
but was unable to get my
old Bounty of \$100.00 on
account of having no discharge
from my Old Regiment - or any
Papers to show that I had ser-
ved in the Land Service I
had my Naval discharge but
it is now lost, & as the Bounty
bill is passed I would be
much obliged to you if you
would send me a Certificate
to the effect that I was a mem-
ber of Co "B" 4th Maine Regiment
& am entitled to the \$100.00
Bounty for Soldiers who enlisted
after the 19th of April 1861 to
serve for three unless sooner
discharged. I have my dis-
charge from the 1st Colorado

Cavalry & if you will send my
Certificate I will have no trouble
in obtaining the Bounty which
justly belongs to me after
four years Service during the
late Rebellion, Hoping to hear
from you soon I remain

Respyy yours

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