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Adjutant General Correspondence

**Undated - Reverend John H. Ingraham recommends William
McDavitt for lieutenant**

John H. Ingraham

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To the Governor and
Commander in Chief of
the State of Maine.

The undersigned would respectfully recom-
mend Corporal William M^r Davitt to be
commissioned as 2^d Lieutenant in some Regiment
of the Maine Volunteers. He has been a member of
Co. B. of the 3^d Regiment of Maine Volunteers, ever since
the Regiment was first formed. He has been in six engage-
ments with the Rebels, has evinced great courage, perseve-
rance in battle as we understand and aptness to encourage
his comrades in conflict. We esteem ^{him} as a young man of great
promise, endowed with such talents, courage and love for
his Country as will make him an efficient officer. His Cap-
tain in a letter to one of the undersigned says, "M^r Davitt was a
nice young man, one of my best men, one that I ever could
depend upon."

H. M. Harlow

Sam^l Cony

M^r Bradbury

M^r Smith

W. A. Brooks

W. T. Johnson

John H. Ingraham.

J. B. Allan

Jefferson Parsons

A. B. Hopkins

J. Dering

J. G. Peirier

John W. Chase

Chas. Hecox

I heartily concur in the above recommendation.

E. A. Bachelier

Capt Co B 3rd Me Vols

Promotion of
Captain McDavitt.
Co. B. 3^d Regt.

Augusta Me. 1862.

Ingraham J. H. Rev.

Recommends W^m McDavitt
for appointment as Lieut.
in Me. Vol. Inftry.