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Camp John Pope,
Bangor Oct 1st 62

John L. Hadsdon

Adj. Gen

Augusta

Dear Sir,

According to your
advice I enlisted, and
came to this Camp, and was
detailed to do the actual duty
of this post, and appointed
as temporary adjutant of
"Penobscot Regt." and as
such I have acted, doing
all my duty promptly day &
night up to day.

At this late hour I have
been informed that another
is to take my place one
that never has enlisted nor

As I am informed know
nothing of Military.

Now General what shall
I do? It leaves me in a
poor place, —

There is not one Company
Officers in the 2^d. Regt. —

but protest against the
appointment made by Colonel
forward. every officer has sign-
ed for me to have the appoin-
tment. and I think it is quite
heard. not using me right.

I have worked hard. done
4 and 5 mens work most the
time. I stalked the Ground
round the whole camp. and attend-
ed to it until the two Regt.^s
were ~~forward~~ organized.

I wish you would give
me some advise.

I cannot go in the
ranks as a Private.

Will you not answer by
return of mail and
oblige, in haste

Yours truly
F. G. Flagg