

HEADQUARTERS EIGHTEENTH ARMY CORPS,
In the Field, Va., December 3, 1864.

Brigadier General CHARLES DEVENS,

Commanding First Division, Eighteenth Army Corps:

GENERAL: I am instructed by the major-general commanding to inform you that he has directed Colonel J. H. Potter, Twelfth New Hampshire Volunteers, to report to you with his regiment for duty. He directs that you assign Colonel Potter to the command of the brigade now commanded by Colonel Cullen. The **Eleventh Connecticut** Volunteers you can assign to the brigade of your command that you think best. The regiment has been ordered to report to you.

Very respectfully,

THEODORE READ,

Major and Assistant Adjutant-General.