

Head Quarters Dept. of Virginia &c  
Fort Monroe Va. May 25th 1861.

Colonel

Your letter of this date upon the subject of errors in your rolls, has been received and laid before the Major General, who instructs me to say in reply, that it has been the custom, as far as his observation extends, to muster the men situated as yours are, from the date of their coming under the authority of Officers of the United States, and that he sees no objection to the men whom you name being mustered as you request.

I am Col. Very respectfully

Your Obedient Servant

Gen. Salunard  
Acting Asst. Adjt. Genl.

Col. J. W. Phelps  
1<sup>st</sup> Vermont Vol, Mil.

Camp near Fort Monroe Va