

Boston Nov 11/61

Capt. H. S. Sherman  
Fort Warren

So in I have before  
me this order, passed by the committee  
the medical board, with the proposed  
in terms for the Board to be  
and your papers of the day. I  
will give me much pleasure to  
be permitted to add to the comfort  
of every of those who are in captivity  
with you from the old North State  
if you are permitted, I should like  
to have the very presence from Washington  
D.C. that we are acquainted with are  
now at Fort Warren. In fact I  
should like to have a lot of those who  
at, perhaps the living & dead. This  
I do not wish to say anything about  
the rules of the "Fort Regulation"  
don't fail to call for anything which  
I can do consistent with the rules &  
orders, we have nothing from Washington  
D.C. for nearly 3 mo.

In haste for the Book

Wm. M. May

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P. A. Simmons  
Nov 11<sup>th</sup> 65

Office  
Leaving

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