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On the late December, at Hilton Head, Private Lee, of the Maine Volunteers, was executed for desertion. Leaving the picket station, where he was posted, he was taken by his platoon to the rear of the line, and there, in the hands of a sentry, he was shot. The following day the Maine Volunteers were ordered to the front, and subsequent events led the Federalists to be assured that he had given information to the enemy. The Maine Volunteers, however, of respectable and well-to-do parents, not, I think at any rate of the restrictions of home, he, here in the army, in the face of the enemy, and here he found associations and acquired habits which he had formed at home.

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