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## DOCUMENT · E.

EASTON, December 27th, 1861.

To Tench Tilghman, Isaac C. W. Powell, Samuel Hambleton,  
Dr. Griffin W. Goldsborough, James Merrick, William  
Slaughter, David Knotts.

*Gentlemen:*—The President and Directors of the Maryland and Delaware Railroad Company, having qualified and organized, we have been instructed by the board to demand of you the books, papers, monies, and all other property and effects belonging to said Company.

We respectfully ask the delivery of the same at the earliest practicable moment.

Respectfully Yours,

HENRY H. GOLDSBOROUGH,

President of the Board of Directors of the Maryland and Delaware Railroad Company.

Attest:

R. THARP, Secretary.

The above is a true copy of a letter, delivered by me this twenty-seventh day of December, 1861, to Isaac C. W. Powell, of Easton.

J. M. THARP.

## DOCUMENT · F.

EASTON, January 6th, 1861.

To *Honorable* H. H. GOLDSBOROUGH,

Dear Sir:—Our board met yesterday, at which time was received a communication from I. C. W. Powell, proposing on the part of those claiming with him, to leave the decision of the matter in dispute to the Courts. To which our board replied, declining the proposition, and renewing the demand for the books, papers, &c., which answer I handed to Mr. Powell, about 6 o'clock, P. M., at about 10 o'clock, the following reply was received from them.