

Company which appear according to their representa-
tion is vacated most indelicately to injure the interests of
the City of Baltimore. The Committee have requested
me to transmit these Resolutions, to the Governor of
Pennsylvania, and to deliver them to a Committee of
Citizens or Commissioners for that purpose.

Although as I have
said to the Committee of the City Council, it seems
to me that the Mayor of the City of Baltimore
would be the more proper officer for the transmission
of these Resolutions, yet as they have earnestly urged
my interposition on the matter, I cannot but propriety for-
itally refuse. I would ^{therefore} respectfully request that
you take charge of a communication which I have
addressed to the Governor of Pennsylvania ~~covering~~^{covering}
a copy of the Resolutions referred to, and which
you will receive with this. And that you will bring
to the notice of his Excellency such facts and
Circumstances as in your judgment may be
best calculated to accomplish the object of your
mission.

I am informed by the Committee that pro-
vision has been made for your expenses &c. and
that the State therefore is not expected to incur any
outlay, to which understanding you will excuse
me for calling your attention. I have the honor to be

Very Res^tly Yours
Wm. Bradford

State of New Jersey
Executive Department
Trenton April 22nd 1864

His Excellency
Augustus W. Bradford
Annapolis Md

Sir
During the recent session of the New
Jersey Legislature a concurrent resolution was
passed, requesting me to confer with Executives
of other States who may be interested in paying
a tribute of respect to the dead who fell at
Antietam with a view to provide a suitable
monument to the sons of New Jersey who
fell on that field. Before writing to Governors
of other States, I deem it proper to address
you on the subject for the purpose of inquiring
whether any legislation has been had in your
State looking towards a Cemetery at Antietam