

Camp Howard, Co.

Dec 13th, 1861.

Gov Washburn.

Sir.

Agreeably to your request elections have been held in Co D and K. Sergeant Woodbury Hall was nominated as 1st Lieut of Co D in case the 1st & 2nd Lieuts are promoted, which is advised. Should Acting 2nd Lt McIntyre be commissioned as Adjutant. Sergeant John O Keene is nominated to fill the vacancy. Gen Sedgewick is not willing to express an opinion in relation to Acting Lt Col Gurt. The health of the regiment is good. We have but one man in the hospital.

With respect

I remain

Yr Obedt Servt

Henry G. Staples.

Col 6th Me Regt.