Head Quarters West Suffolk.

April 24, 1863.

SIR:

I am directed to say that if you are satisfied that the cars from the East side of the swamp are closed up, by the bridge being destroyed &c., you may move your main force back to Gettysburg and employ your cavalry on the duty of observing and guarding those roads, and particularly the Chownaw. If transports attempt to pass up, they should be attacked with your rifle gun, and such other means as you may devise to annoy them. It is not material about firing on their quoads. You may reserve your efforts for transport, particularly if they are laden with troops.

The Commissary would like to have a report from you daily.

Pleased to hear that you are well.

Respectfully yours,

Gillmore

Bingham & Bingham.