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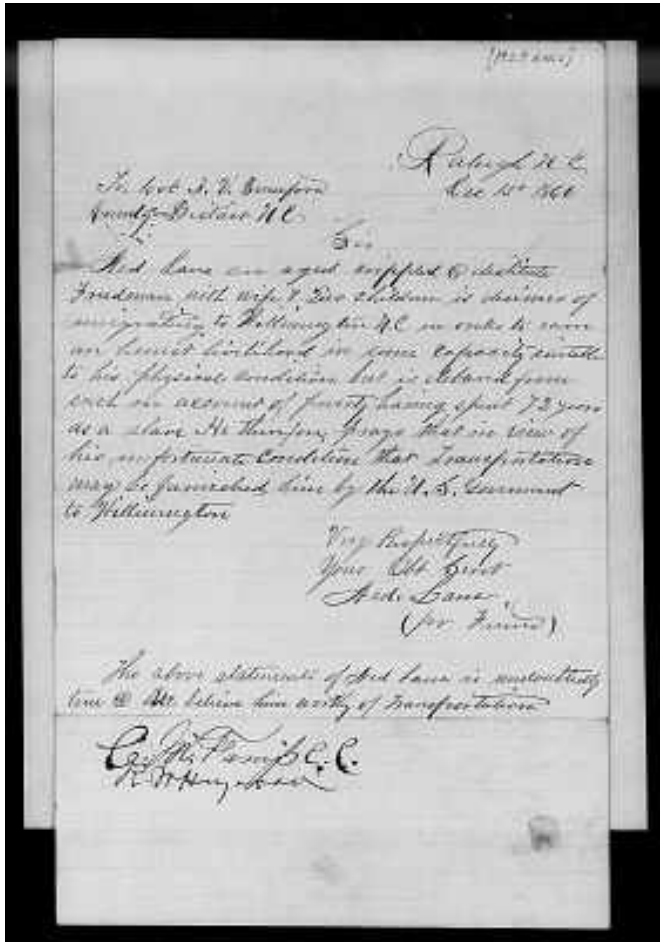
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[M29 ENCL]
Raleigh NC
Dec 13" 1866

To Col J.V.Bumford
Comdg"/ District NC

Sir
Ned Lane an aged crippled and destitute Freedman with wife & two children is desirous of immigrating to Willmington N.C in order to earn an honest livelihood in some capacity suitable to his physical condition but is debared from such on account of poverty having spent 72 years as a slave. He therefore prays that in view of his unfortunate condition that transportation may be furnished him by the U.S. Government to Willmington.
Very respectfully,
Your Obt Servt
Ned. Lane,
(pr Friend)
The above statement of Ned Lane is undoubtedly true & and we believe him worthy of transportation
[[signature]]C.M.Farris C.C.[[/signature]]
[[signature]]R.W. Heywood[[/signature]]



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