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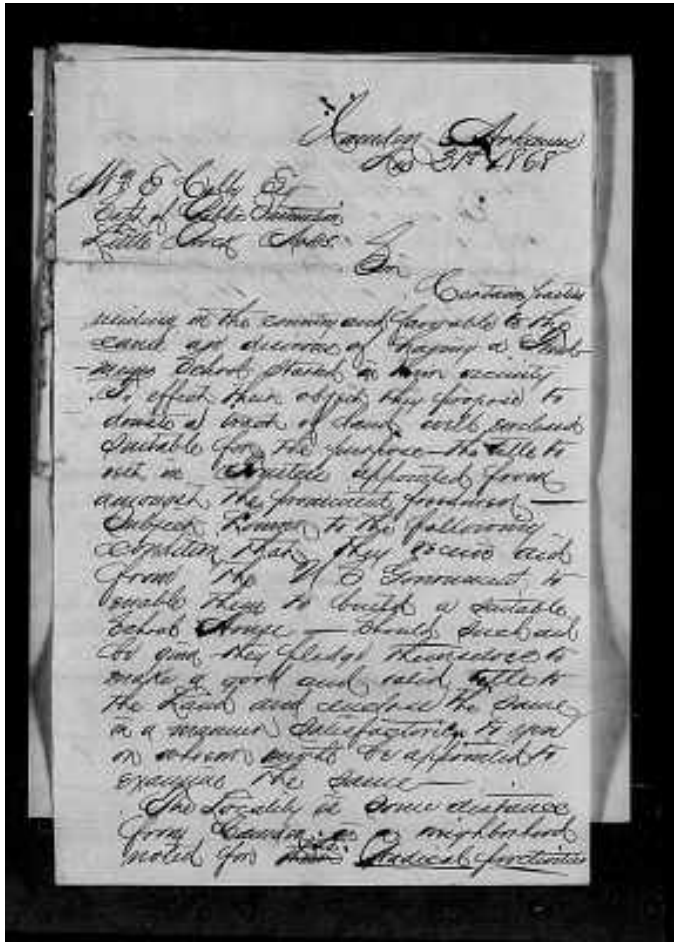
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Camden Arkansas
Dec 31st 1868

Wm E Colby Esq
Supt of Public Instruction
Little Rock Arks.

Sir
Certain parties residing in the county and favorable to the cause and desirous of having a Freedmens school started in their vicinity In effect their object they propose to donate a track of land well enclosed suitable for the purpose - the title to rest in trustee appointed from amongst the prominent freedmen - Subject however to the following condition that they receive aid from the US Government to enable them to build a suitable School House - should such aid be given they pledge themselves to make a good and valid title to the Land and enclose the same in a manner satisfactorily to you or whoever might be appointed to examine the same -
The Locality is some distance from Camden in a neighborhood noted for [[strikethrough]] their [[/strikethrough]] its radical proclivities



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