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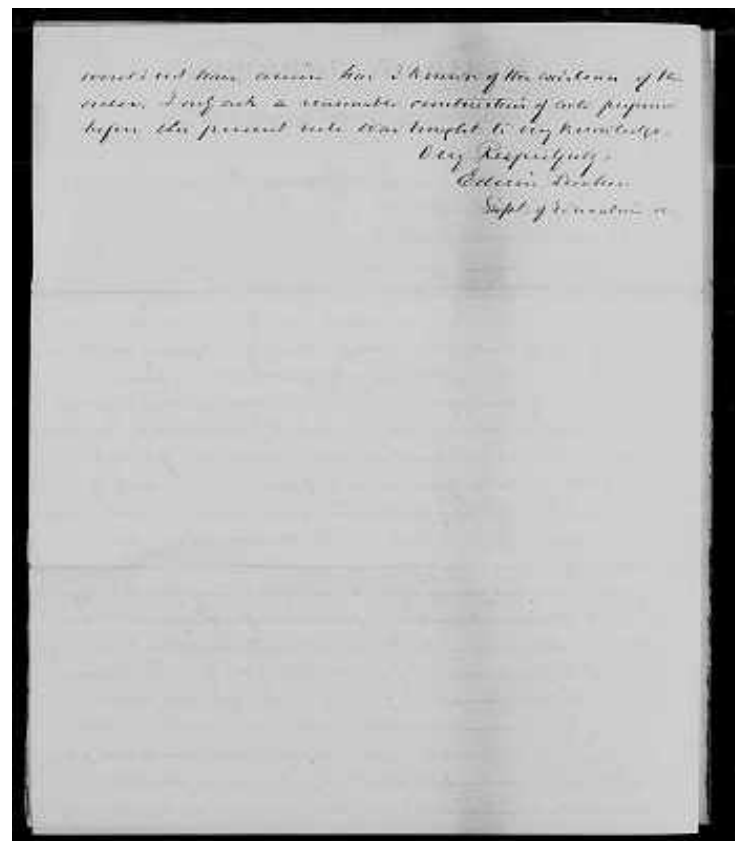
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would not have arisen had I known of the existence of the order. I only ask a reasonable construction of acts performed before the present rule was brought to my knowledge.

Very respectfully,  
Edwin Beecher,  
Supt. of Education &c.



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