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MS 1206 Smith, Channing Robert E. Lee letter, 6 Nov. 1865

DESCRIPTION

One-page letter of reference written by Robert E. Lee about Channing M. Smith, dated Nov. 6, 1865. It states that Mr. Smith served in the cavalry of the Confederate Army and was one of General J. E. B. Stuart's most trusted scouts. Lee found him to be active, bold, faithful and intelligent in the discharge of his duties.

1 box, .1 linear ft.

HISTORICAL NOTE

Robert E. Lee was Commander in Chief of the Confederate Armys in the U. S. Civil War; he later served as President of Washington College from 1865 to 1970.

ACQUISITION

Unknown.

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PROCESSING

Kim Frontz prepared this finding aid in October 2001.