

OBVERSE

[This letter was written on stationary with a stamp of the Canadian coat embossed in the top centre. The stamp is an image with a ribbon like banner in a semi circle across the top likely containing unknown words in Latin. There is then an unknown image in the middle. Across the bottom the word CANADA can be seen in the ribbon]

Ottawa

4th January 1868

Sir,

I have the honor to transmit to you herewith a copy of a Petition of the Municipal Corporation of the County of Middlesex for your remarks on the same, for the information of His Excellency the Governor General.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your most obt. Servt [abbreviation of obedient servant?]

[unknown name]

Under Secretary of State

REVERSE

[Written in centre left of page in different script than in the obverse document]

[unknown word] [number 6 crossed out] 5.

From

Provincial Secretary

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With copy of Petition

of Municipal [unknown word]

of Middlesex, with

my answer