

Clayton Ga June the 10th 1870

To the Worshipful Master Wardens & Brethren
of Palm Gap Lodge No 265 F&A M

I Wm D Edleard being free born and
the lawful age of twenty one years ^{By occupation} a farmer
do declare that unbiassed by the improper
solicitations of friends and uninfluenced
by attorney or other improper motives

I freely and volentarily offer my self
a candidate for the mysteries of Freemasonry
that I am prompted by a favorable opinion
conceived of the Institution and a desire
for knowledge and that cheerfully conform
to all the ancient usages of the order
vouches for by

W M Cannon

William D Edleard

Petition of William

O'Ellan

deceased per by

H W Cannon

paid \$10 ⁰⁰

Committee on
Character

J. M. Green

Mrs. S. S. S. S.

H. W. Cannon

Robert F. Farnsworth

H. W. Cannon