

Champaign Ill
Feb 4 1873 I dear Sir
I like to read your
note it gives me
much ease but hell
is at hand the sooner
the better there is no
right for the black man
I am now 30.00 years old
my attitude from a boy
for the colored race to
out and kill or be killed
at the south this of
fair is very embarrassing
~~I am~~ good night

I am most truly
John R. Butler

more members to
the roll call
George Commin
Champion Lee
J. H. Griffin ¹⁸⁷¹ Gift St
404 Champion Lee
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Champion Lee

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