

*The BOOKER T. WASHINGTON Papers*

ments of the school, and we have determined to erect a suitable building for the purpose, and we hope Mr Washington may meet with success.

G. W. Campbell  
Pres. Board Trustees  
Waddy Thompson  
Co. Supt. of Ed.

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To [James Fowle Baldwin Marshall]

Northampton Mass. May 21 1882

Dear Genl: I saw several gentlemen yesterday in Plantsville and one here to day who signified their intention of doing something for us; and said that they would send their amts to you.

As we want to have the building ready to use by Sept 1st it is important that no time be lost. For this reason I want to ask you to forward what ever amt you receive to Mr. G. W. Campbell, Tuskegee. He understands the whole arrangemts at Tuskegee and will see that the money [is] correctly applied. He and I had an understanding before I left. Mr. Campbell is to keep the accounts and one of the other commissioners is to superintend the work.

Please get his receipt. Mr. Fessenden<sup>1</sup> & Mr Smith<sup>2</sup> have been very kind to me. I have met with encouragement so far. Yours faithfully

B. T. Washington

P.S. Any mail sent to Norwich Ct before the 8th inst will reach me.

B. T. W.

ALS BTW Folder President's Office Vault ViHaI. BTW's instructions to forward contributions to Campbell establishes the correspondent as J. F. B. Marshall. A letter the following month acknowledged receipt of funds from Marshall. (George W. Campbell to Marshall, June 26, 1882, *ibid.*)

<sup>1</sup> Thomas Kendall Fessenden.

<sup>2</sup> Henry D. Smith.