

State of South Carolina,

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Spartanburg 7 March 1865.

Colonel.

From representations which have been made to me it is proper that you should give with the force under your command protection to property in your neighborhood.

If called upon you will detail a force to proceed to the place indicated by the Rev. Mr. Wagner, and at once arrest the lawless proceedings which have been already attempted & may be repeated.

If the detail is required, be it be of suspicious force at once to put down these practices & to arrest those who perpetrate them. Be careful also in the selection of the officers who will command them.

Respectfully  
A. S. Matthews

Col. Scaife  
Inman, Ck.

State of South Carolina

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

Charleston, S.C. June 1862

70 Lee Street

7 March 1862

My dear Sir,  
 I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 28th inst. in relation to the matter of the purchase of the land for the purpose of building a school house for the colored people of the city of Charleston. I have the pleasure to inform you that the same has been approved by the Board of Trustees of the City of Charleston, and that the necessary steps are being taken to carry out the same. I am, Sir, very respectfully,  
 Yours truly,  
 A. G. Magrath