

The State of South Carolina
Executive Department.

(Circular) 21 April 1865

Officers in Command of troops are notified
that by a special despatch to this Depart-
-ment, the information has been Communi-
-cated that an armistice has been agreed
upon between Gen. Johnston & Gen. Sherman
for a final settlement.
for a final settlement. The armistice made at
Greensboro, & dated the 19th April 1865. The
opposing forces to occupy their present
positions until notified of the cessation
of hostilities;

As the State of South Carolina, &
all troops therein are under ^{Military} the
Command of Gen Johnston
a notice of their armistice is given
to all armed parties in the State:
that it may restrain them from
hostilities; & be communicated
also to such troops of Gen Sherman
as are not informed of it.

By the Governor

A. S. Matthews

(Official)

Mr J. G. ...
Contract ...

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sent to each Colonel
in the State.

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