

Sumter Feb 6. 1863.

His Excellency Gov Magrath -

Dear Sir - I respectfully ask a renewal of the details of S. M. Spauld, W. J. Reynolds and Hosea Wilson from militia duty. These gentlemen had details from you granted under the act of 1864 as agriculturists, which have been revoked by your order of 3d inst. By reference to their applications, you will perceive that the detail of S. M. Spauld was granted on the ground of his owning three plantations, the overseers of which have been called into service - that he was executor of an estate having lands & negroes - the testator leaving a widow & two infant children - no overseer procurable - & that he superintended the business of a maiden lady over 60 yrs of age, having sixteen negroes - added to this his health is feeble. His age is fifty six.

That of W. J. Reynolds was granted on the ground of his being committed of a Sumter lady, his sister, viz. ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~lady~~ ^{lady} - having plantation & thirty negroes which he has to attend to - no overseer procurable - with minor children who he has to attend to. He is the owner of two plantations on which there are near eighty negroes - no white male adult but himself on any of the places. Added to this he is in delicate health, and is Post Master at Bradford Springs.

That of H. Wilson was granted on the ground of

of his owning a plantation with twenty six negroes -
a wife & two young daughters - is executor of an estate
consisting of a plantation and sixty negroes - is manager
of plantation of R. J. Anderson with 20 negroes - Anderson
in service - also manager of farm of Benj. Wilson
who with his son are in the army - ~~both the age~~
of applicant 53 years.

I also send you the applica-
- cation of W. Frederick S. Green, and of W. Thos.
B. Tucker executor of est of the late Genl. Chandler
the first for detail of himself, & the other for
detail of W. A. Parham's Overseer.

Requesting the favor of an
early reply,

I am Truly Yrs,
J. J. Mosley.