

To his Excellency A. G. Magrath
Governor of South Carolina

Your Petitioner

James L Harris, a citizen of York
District, South Carolina, 34th
Regiment Solar Militia, sheweth
that he is thirty seven years of
age and is a regularly officiating
-along clergyman of the Baptist
Church, having been ordained
in 1858 & now having charge
of two churches or congregations
in said district. He therefore
respectfully asks to be exempted
from military service & the
oath to be sworn to & subscribed
Before me July 10th 1865

G. W. Williams
Not Pub

James L Harris

South Carolina {
York District { Personally appeared
Amos C Biggers &
Moses J Harris two respectable
credible citizens of the district
aforesaid who depose & say the
facts above stated by J L Harris
are true & correct. They are members
of one of Petitioner's congregations
& heathily join in his prayer for
exemption from military service
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Respectfully recommended
Edw Jones Senator
Mr. Peally Rep
J. T. Ligon
J. S. Bratten Rep

York
J. S. Harris

Roanoke Forks
P. O.