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Andrew H

March 19. 23

The honorable Governor.

Mr. McCloud excuse Madison Smith

I saw a piece in the paper about the old people it rouse my anxiety and I am in my 89 years of age I spent 14 months in the defence of the Confederation. I mounted the gun in Sullivan Island and the magazine by the gun & covered it with square of grass and also planted the Palmeto tree in the top of it from James Island over in Johns Island was carried there by

in regards to what I seem
in The papers please sir let
me know I Thank The honor
for excepting it.

your humble
servant,

Madison Smith

Colonel Lippen and belong
to William Cunison The
President was Mr Solaman
And Mr Ande Graham was
The over locker Mr William Safney
was The quarter-master served
14 month faithful your intress
is my intress and forever tin
And now Mr Governes Juge
Mineral Smith of Camden
Can rejoynt me and also
Mr W. B. de Loach of Camden
please Mr Governes to answe me
and let me know what to
abide by for I am seasey able
to get about - I hope that I
been faithful in your ranke
for least 60 years what ever
is due to The servente