The South Carolina Society Of The

Sons of the American Revolution

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2101 Forest Drive Camden, S. C. 29020 March 12, 1984

Rev. Dr. E. H. Peeples 8 Moom Shell Road Hilton Head Island, S. C. 29228

Dear Compatriot Peeples,

I was speaking with Sec/Tres George Oliver the other day and he told me he had been in touch with you concerning the chapter. It appears that there are enough members on Hilton Head to have a charter issued. Would you like to make the request for the charter at our next managers meeting, which will be at the annual state convention at Clemson? It would be an ideal time and location for the request and approval of the chapter.

Secondly, would you consider becoming our State Society Chaplain? The Chaplain performs certain religious ceremonies, etc at meetings - spec: "The Chaplain, preferably an ordained clergyman, shall pronounce the invocation and benediction at state society meetings and ceremonies, and he shall furnish the membership with spiritual guidance. He shall conduct any religious services relative to state functions".

During the annual meeting at Clemson we conduct a 30 min memorial service. During this service the Chaplain usually speaks for 10 to 15 minutes - the sec/tees reads the list of departed members, we sing a few verses. have prayer. etc.

We would like for you to accept the position of Chaplain of the State Society. Will you?

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Please reply as soon as possible to George Oliver on both questions - if you can come to Clemson to present your charter request -- and second if you will become the State Society Chaplain for the coming year, and preside at the memorial service at Clemson Sat April 28.

We need to know as the programs are going to the press very shortly.

Fraternally yours,

Walter Barron President