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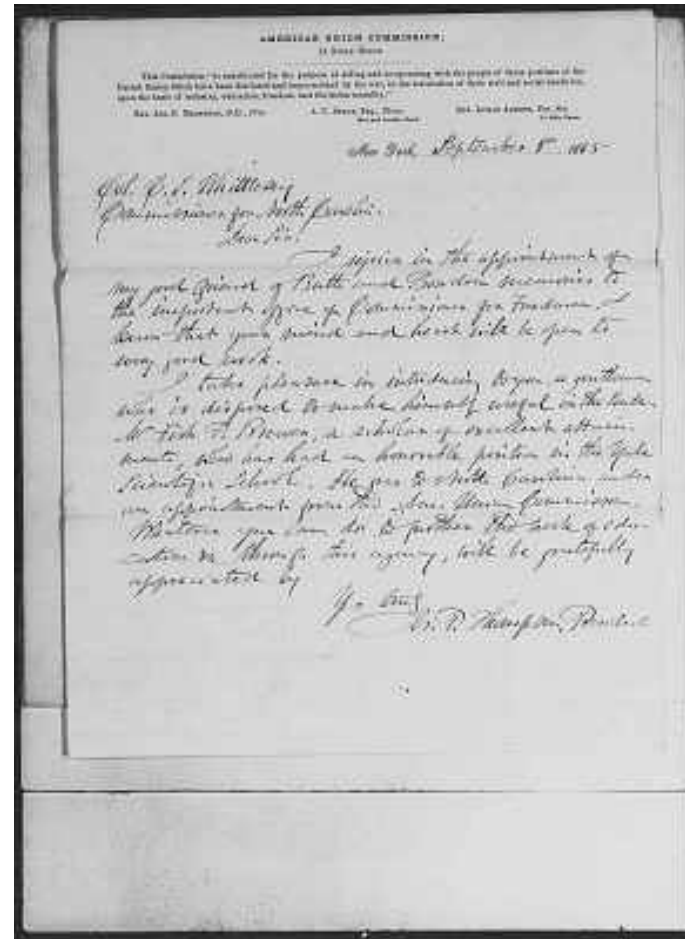
Col. E.S. Whittlesey
Commissioner for North Carolina

Dear Sir.

I rejoice in the appointment of my good friend of Bath and Bowdon memories to the important office of Commissioner for Freedmen. I know that your mind and heart will be open to every good work.

I take pleasure in introducing to you, a gentleman who is disposed to make himself useful in the South. Mr Fisk P. Brewer, a scholar of excellent attainments, who has had an honorable position in the Yale Scientific School. He goes to North Carolina under an appointment from the Am. Union Commission. Whatever you can do to further the work of education &c through this agency, will be gratefully appreciated by

Yrs truly
J. P. Thompson, President



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