

December 18, 1931

Dr. J. O. Spencer,
Morgan College,
Baltimore, Maryland.

Dear Dr. Spencer:-

I beg to acknowledge, with thanks, your favor of December 16th, advising me of the resolution of the Interracial Commission relative to the recent lynching in Salisbury. Perhaps it is unnecessary for me to review the steps I have taken and am taking in an endeavor to apprehend the perpetrators of the lynching. They have in the main been recorded in the public press, including particularly the editorial in The Baltimore Sun of December 11th. Under my direction the Attorney General of the State has been on the Eastern Shore this week and is there today in the discharge of his duties in this connection.

With kind regards, I am,

Very truly yours,

Governor.

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