

Century House



During February 17-19, 1865, General P. G. T. Beauregard, with Wade Hampton's cavalry acting as rear guard, made his headquarters at the Century House, telegraphing General R. E. Lee in Virginia news of the evacuation of Columbia, twenty miles south, before retiring to Winnsboro. Following and destroying the railroad, Union troops arrived February 21. The Century House is now used as a library and boy scout meeting house.