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**MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.  
HOSPITAL NOTICES.  
MISCELLANEOUS.**

1 / 27 / 60  
Tutor to Mr. W.  
March 19th

Jameson John W.

Representing the cases  
of Messrs. Lokenan,  
and Mindarson, and  
requesting that justice  
be done in their cases.

Wm. W.

Rec<sup>d</sup> March 22<sup>d</sup> 1860

Menderson's refusal to  
give evidence of crimes  
against the United  
States simply proves  
that his "representations  
of loyalty" were  
false. No wonder  
a certificate obtained  
by such means has  
proved rather a  
curse than a  
blessing".

<sup>petition</sup>  
Sakimans, he being  
charged with robbery  
which even he does not  
deny, can not be granted  
of course.

J. W. Schofield  
Brig Genl

Citizens,

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Fulton Mo. March 19<sup>th</sup>/61.

Brig. Gen. Schofield.

Sir,

As the Attorney of Messrs Lakenan & Henderson, I desire to call your attention to the following appeal in behalf of those gentlemen. They have been confined in the military prison in Fulton for several weeks. There are no charges against Mr Geo. B. Henderson. When your command passed through Concord, in this County, you gave him a certificate of loyalty protection, on his representations of loyalty to the government. He has been arrested and testimony sought to be forced from him, with respect to matters, that occurred long anterior to the time he obtained said certificate, which has proved rather a curse than a blessing to himself & family. Knowledge may have incidentally come into his possession, that would indispose citizens who have <sup>acted</sup> hastily, owing to the extraordinary excitement of the times & nature of surrounding circumstances, but who have long since repented of their

<sup>fully</sup> returned to their allegiance. Most of our citizens  
may be reckoned in that class. I know not what  
that knowledge may be, nor has he himself been informed  
what he has been called upon to witness. He says he  
knows nothing that could possibly be of service to the gov-  
ernment, in putting down the rebellion, ~~and~~ unwilling  
to become an informer against his neighbors for the  
mere purpose of bringing to light old scores, that  
are no longer wounds on the body politic, & have been forgot-  
ten by all but a few malicious individuals. He is  
willing to bear full testimony as to facts occurring subse-  
quent to the date above mentioned, and to file his oath &  
give bond if required, and perform his duty faithfully as a  
loyal citizen.

Mr Joseph G. Lakeran is held under  
the charge of robbing the State Lunatic Asylum  
& refusing to testify in ~~that~~ <sup>matter</sup> ~~case~~. Mr Lakeran  
rests this, his petition, on the agreement for compromise  
that was made with Gen Henderson. coupled with the  
fact, that, when Gen Henderson was in Jail, he  
had Mr Lakeran on trial for that offence, & released  
him from military arrest; the board of managers,  
who were bound therefor, agreeing with Gen. H- to take  
the responsibility of the recovery of the alleged stolen  
blankets, into their own hands. In view of that, &

The fact, that martial law was not then in force in this county, Mr L— asks, in simple justice, that his second trial be before a civil Tribunal on an indictment by the interested parties—the Board of managers. We have had no Circuit Court since the alleged robbery; the regular term being in April next. Mr L— is being charged with that larceny, he of course will not be expected to give evidence in that relation, while himself held as an unsentenced and, even, an unconvicted criminal. Mr L— is willing to sign the oath of loyalty to the U. S. Government & to file his bond for the faithful performance of his duties as a citizen. Both he & Mr H— have made application to that effect, but are still held in custody; & they now petition for an order for their discharge on the granting of said application, or else that they be paroled, under such ~~best~~ conditions as may be thought proper, to attend to the needs of their respective families—which, allow me to add incidentally, on the score of humanity, demand that their cases be not unnecessarily dragged along. The petitioners conceive that they ask nothing unreasonable, or that endangers the interests of the country, & earnestly entreat that their prayer be granted.

Respectfully, in their behalf—

John H. Jameson, atty &c

21/10/19  
Springer City

1919

If I should come down to the  
like to Mary down there, N. D.  
Good-bye then to every one

Monterey Indiana  
March 28, 1861

Andrew B. Burns Esq

Potosi Mo

Dear Sir, Your favor of the 10 inst is just received very unexpectedly too but none the less welcome on that account.

I was afraid that Charly had gone to Burg Jones before this time. You complain of hard times in Mo they are pretty hard here too. You ask whether I know of any chances for "speculation" in this part of the country. I believe I do, there is an old Englishman living a short distance from this place who has about \$10,000 in English Sovereigns buried under his house he has no need of so much as the old cup is getting old and lives like a dog too lends his money at 25 percent. I think it would be a good thing to put some say one half of the in circulation. It could be raised with a little trouble with perfect safety. If you would <sup>like</sup> to relieve him of a little of his trouble write and I think I can raise the sights for you and let you know.

it would be all right. I have not been  
engaged in practice since I left Mo.  
I think I shall settle in Inceport Mo. a  
town of about 12000. If you can sell  
the barkey you speak of I shall look  
for you down this way. Write soon to the  
same address and whenever you get rich enough  
you may send me the bill you speak of  
and if you don't keep it, I will probably  
take a trip to Mo this fall.

I don't want civil war to commence  
though I don't want you to be disappointed  
when the pipes are set to a good advantage  
yourself. Write soon.

Yours Truly  
W. S. Spangler

P.S. give my respects to Neal Bickey

If I should come down to Mo I would  
like to hang down there.

W. S.  
Don't show this to any one

1901. 2. 26  
New Spring Co. Mo.

Cite

C. 16/14 1861  
 Fort Washita, C. M.  
 March 23. 1861.

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Carr E. A.  
 Capt. 1st Cav.  
 Comdg.

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Encloses a letter from  
 Messrs Brown and  
De Armand, in relation  
 to a horse the property  
 of the U. S. purchased  
 from a deserter, from  
 Fort Washita by a  
 citizen of Texas; also  
 copy of his reply thereto.

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(2 enclosures)

Recd. 100 W. / apt 4/61



W. D. Fort Washita Co. M.  
March 23<sup>d</sup>. 1861

Sir  
I have the honor to enclose a letter  
from Messrs Brown & De Armand of  
McKinney Texas, and my reply to  
the same.

The subject is the same con-  
-cerning which I had the honor to  
address you a letter dated 9<sup>th</sup> inst.

Very Respectfully  
Your Obedt Servant  
E. A. Carr  
Capt. 1<sup>st</sup> Cavalry  
Comdy Post

Appl. Adjt. General  
Head Qu. Dept. of the West  
St. Louis Mo.



$\frac{1}{2}$   
C. 10 / d. w. / apl. 4/6s

McKinney Collins & Jones  
March 24/86

Lt. Johnson 1<sup>st</sup> Cavalry U.S.A.

Fort Washita, Dear Sir

We deem a duty to ourselves and the community here to give you a statement of the facts relative to the pursuit of a horse belonging to the U.S. by Sergeant Charles Green. We do so for the reason that one of us (Mr. Brown) has just returned from Sherman where he learned that Sergeant Green had told a very different story to what really exists, and one that wronged us personally as well as this community. When Sergeant Green came to this place he applied to us as attorneys to assist him in getting possession of the horse. We advised him

that by a suit he might get possession  
of the horse. After several ineffectual  
attempts to compromise with Mr Shields,  
Sergeant Green concluded to sue out a  
writ of Sequestration and left the office  
to get security on his bonds. We prepared  
all of the papers but he never returned  
to pursue his remedy and finally left  
without saying any more to us about  
the matter. If Sergeant Green failed  
to get what was justice it was his  
own fault. He treated us badly  
in that instance but much worse when  
he told at Sherman that the attys to  
whom he applied refused to assist  
him as counsel &c. If there was  
any other treatment but kindness  
offered him here we have not  
heard of it; on the contrary he  
would have been supported in his  
claims.

We know that in the present political  
crisis these things are exaggerated &  
need to injure Southerners by showing  
that they are lawless. We do not consider  
that we owe any allegiance to the United  
States now, but we do not recognize the  
right of individuals for their own  
private encroachment to appropriate  
public property. Capt Shields says  
that he told Sgt Green that if he  
would pay him the reward offered  
he might take the horse which he said  
he could not do as he had not the  
money with him. Of these things we  
know nothing however. We believe that  
Capt Shields was advised here that he  
could hold the horse till the reward  
should be paid.

We are Respectfully &c.

Thos J Brown,  
R. De Armond

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C. 16, 20. W. J. April 4/61

Head Quarters Fort Washita, P.M.  
March 25<sup>th</sup>, 1861.

Messrs.  
The J. Brown &  
Co. De Armand,  
M<sup>o</sup> Kinney, Collier Co.,  
Texas.

Dear Sir:

The letter sent by you to  
Lieut. Iversen has been handed to me as Com-  
mander of this Post. Sergt Green's statement  
to me which I have reported to my superior  
Officers was, "that several attorneys declined to  
act for him but he finally found one who  
would do so": he says that he made no  
different statement in Sherman. He  
does not find fault with you personally:  
he says that after failing to get any one  
to go on his bond, he went to Mr. De Armand's  
Office & found him out, & told persons in  
the store that he could get no one to go  
security —

So far as your Community is con-  
cerned the facts are these.

A person buys a horse, saddle &c., evidently  
stolen, (of which fact he is warned,) for  
half their value.

He well knows where the property belongs but sends no word.

The agent of the owner appears & shows to the satisfaction of every intelligent person that the property belongs to the U.S. & that he is authorized to receive it; but he is obliged to resort to legal process, which process fails on account of the indisposition of Citizens to give assistance.

If your community wish to be thought lovers of justice they will induce Shields to deliver up the horse without expecting any reward.

It would be our law & justice for the receiver of stolen goods to claim to hold possession against the proper owner till he was reimbursed what he had paid.

I am, Very Respectfully &c.  
E. A. Cass  
Captain U.S. Army,  
Quincy Post

James of New  
at Navy Yard,  
with memoranda in them.

Apr 11/12  
Collyer

Probable,  
Parracollis,  
H. M.



Names marked thus x left the party and joined the Rebels  
 Names marked thus was secessionist

Names	Names
Tom Bell .	Richard Macary x
John Bell .	<del>At Davis</del>
George H.D. Neal .	John McCloud +
Robert Fell x	Maxwell +
L.J. Mathews .	Hulberson +
John Burk .	James Haley x
John Conklin x	James Dacy .
Wm Conklin x	Coleman Crosby .
Goodrich Clifford .	Richard Crosby x
Michael F.D. Brian .	Henry Mitchell +
Wm O Brian x	James Mungie x
Lewis O Brian x	Shorter .
Wm Morrill Jr .	John Woods .
Webber Morrill .	Serjt Gardner .
Azema Sylvant .	George C Patison x
Patrick Mooney x	Stephen Williams .
Hugh Peavy x	Robt Anthony .
Wm Polick x	James Hession .
Wm Russell x	Robt Smith x
John Myers x	Alexander Baller .
Albert Skinner x	Amos Rob x
George Mc Mahon x	Augustus Crosby .
Washington Brice .	George Fleming .
Wm Brice .	Patric Hession .
John M Johnson +	Tho Etheridge .
Richard Bassett .	Jago Truss x
Wm Minor .	Emmanuel Villar .
George W Brown x	Chas Strong .
William Brown .	Patric Constantine x
John Adams .	S.M. Davidson .
Wm Adams .	Hugh Hutting x
Wm Morrison x	Michael J. Henning x
A. Verdier x	At Davis x
	x drove off by the Rebels

The union party from Washington and Woolsey #  
 now in this city in good standing up to April 7 = 61

Names

Joseph Wilkins  
 Samuel Glass  
 Wm Hughes  
 Jeremiah O'Neal  
 George Jolly  
 Thos Devery  
 Edward Grady  
 Wm Diffin  
 John Hoodless  
 Patrick Mooney  
 Wm Doyle  
 Bryant Wilson  
 John O Brian  
 Chas Wheat  
 Wm Miller  
 Wm Hanlon  
 John Powers  
 Wm Bond  
 Chas M'Castell  
 Thos M'Mahon  
 George OaMixon  
 Michael Gallager  
 John Gallager  
 John Kelley  
 George Wilson  
 John Villar  
 Henry Simons  
 Wm Lamberton  
 David Martin  
 P. J. Mooney  
 John Purden  
 W. D. Kimball

Names

Manuel Jones  
 Martine Jones  
 Augustine Jones  
 George Jenney  
 Manuel Lopez  
 J Allen  
 Michael Burns  
 Julien Laverrier  
 Ben Foster  
 Patrick O'Neal  
 Michael Nelson  
 James Conlin  
 Patrick Conlin  
 John Noon  
 John Mitchell  
 Wm Kee  
 Lorenzo Collins  
 Capt Holland  
 Michael Davis  
 John Curry  
 L G Tull  
 Patrick M'Cauly  
 Francis Sherman  
 Robert Ganett  
 Doctor Bishop  
 Doctor Greenhough  
 Robt Pepper  
 Joseph Poach  
 Edward Riley

+ a Lieutenant in  
 volunteer Company

Names of Absentees

James Watson  
 James Walsh  
 Patrick Conklin  
 Manuel Palmus  
 Pablo Palmus  
 Peter Palmus  
 Moses Pierson  
 Munie M'Carthy  
 Michael Mezer  
 Darby Maxwell  
 Albert Skinner  
 Louis Favorite  
 Wm Minor  
 Matt Langley  
 Thos Stearns  
 Wm Stearns  
 Thos Stearns Jr  
 Henry Mitchell  
 John Flynn  
 James Mooney  
 Albert Philibert  
 Barton Philibert  
 Celestino Philibert  
 John Devenport  
 Celestine Sarah  
 Wm Hutt  
 Chas Hutt  
 David Williams  
 Wm Lasky  
 Jeremiah Woolsey

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MISCELLANEOUS.  
HOSPITAL NOTICES.  
MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

Wm. H. B. Co.  
No. 111  
New York

Books and notes

5<sup>th</sup> Amount to Near 2000 \$  
belonging to Commission  
for internal improvement  
Fund Huntsville,  
Madison County Ala  
Number 94.

Apr. 61

No. 21 Second Div. A. F.  
Camp Totten Apr 10/61

Morse C. C. Lieut. P. M. ~~...~~

Enclosing herewith 94 notes  
due to the internal improve-  
ment fund Madison Co  
Alabama. Amount to near  
2000. Here is thousand dollars  
order

Recd. 10. 4/10/61

C. W. Beechey  
Notes \$60.50  
Note approved  
March the 10 1841  
G. W. Beaumont  
County Judge

1861 Twelve months after date every either of  
of no promise to pay Thos. Ray as Auditor and Commis-  
sioner for Madison County Arkansas  
or his successor in office the sum of sixty \$<sup>00</sup>  
dollars with interest at ten per cent per annum  
from date until paid for value received with  
our hands and seals this 10<sup>th</sup> day of March 1861

Wm. H. Boutright (Seal)  
L. P. Pitzer (Seal)  
J. Berry (Seal)

Jonas Bevan's  
Note \$ 65.90

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Note approved

Feb the 5<sup>th</sup> 1861

G. W. Bevan's

County Judge

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\$ 65.50

Twelve months after date we or either of us promise  
to pay Henry Ray as Internal Improvement Commission-  
oner for Madison County Arkansas or his successor  
in office the sum of sixty five \$<sup>00</sup> dollars with  
interest at ten per cent. from date until paid  
for value received witness our hands and seals this  
the 1<sup>st</sup> day of February 1861

George Beal

J. M. Mowdy

J. J. Payne



James Berner's  
Note \$66.00

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Note approved  
Feb the 9<sup>th</sup> 1861  
G. W. Berner  
County Judge

\$ 6600

Twelve months after date we or either of  
us promise to pay Henry Ray as Internal  
Improvement Commissioner for Madison County  
Arkansas or his successor in office the sum of  
Sixty six dollars with interest at ten per cent  
from date until paid for value received witness  
our hands and seals this the 1<sup>st</sup> day of February  
1861.

John C. Henry (Seal)

Ransom J. Jones (Seal)

E. C. Vaughan (Seal)

Thomas Balmain's  
Note of 100.00  
Note approved  
Jan. the 1<sup>st</sup> 1841  
G. W. Leavens  
Secretary Judge

\$ 1000/100

Twelve months after date we or either  
of us promise to pay Henry May as  
Interim Improvement Commissioner for  
Madison County Arkansas or his successor  
in office the sum of one hundred dollars  
with the interest at five per cent per annum  
from date until paid for value received  
witness our hands and seals this the  
1<sup>st</sup> day of January, 1861.

Thos Bateman      Seal  
Wm C Bohannon      Seal  
J. C. P.      Seal

W. M. Phelps's  
Vote \$ 31.46

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a vote approved  
by Mr. North  
Clerk of New York  
G. W. Linnans  
County Judge

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\$ 31.46

Twelve months after date we or  
either of us promise to pay Henry Ray  
as Internal Improvement Commissioner  
or for Madison County Arkansas or his  
successor in office the sum of ~~thirty~~ <sup>thirty</sup> one  
dollars & forty six cents with the interest at  
ten per cent from date until paid  
for value received witness our hands &  
seals this the 6. day of November 1861.

Wm. Phillips  
J. J. Payne  
G. W. Phillips

David  
Boyd  
Note of 44,515

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a Note approved  
Jan 24 1864  
Gov. Seimens  
County Judge

\$4445-

Twelve months after date we or either  
of us promise to pay Henry Ray as  
Internal Improvement Commissioner for  
Madison County Clerk or his successor  
in office the sum of fortyfour dollars and  
fortyfive cts. with the interest at ten per  
cent per annum from date untill paid  
for value received with fees and  
and seals This the 11<sup>th</sup> day of January  
1861.

David <sup>his</sup> ~~Wright~~ <sup>mark</sup> Seal  
Robert <sup>his</sup> ~~Wright~~ <sup>mark</sup> Seal  
Luzette <sup>his</sup> ~~Wright~~ <sup>mark</sup> Seal



S. G. Phelps  
Note \$5300

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note approved  
this the 11<sup>th</sup> of Jan 1851

Goff Beaman  
County Judge

5500

Twelve months after date we or either of  
of us promise to pay Henry Bay as  
Internal Improvement Commissioner for  
Madison County Arkansas or his successor  
in office the sum of fifty five dollars  
with the interest at ten per cent from date  
until paid for value received with seals

our hands and seals this 11<sup>th</sup> day of  
January 1861  
Test  
A B Berry

Samuel G. Phillips (seal)  
J. F. Derrickfield (seal)  
G. W. Phillips (seal)

Paid on this Vato  
four dollars  
April 9th 1860  
Received on this  
date 2.65 Cts this  
the Friday Feb

\$40,000

And before the 1<sup>st</sup> day of January  
Next we promise to pay John Van Dyke  
as Internal Improvement Commissioner  
for Madison county Arkansas or to his  
Successor in office the sum of forty  
dollars having ten per cent interest  
from date until paid for Valued  
witness our hands and seals this  
the 9<sup>th</sup> day of April 1860

Frederick Bolinger Seal

G. W. Smith Seal

H. H. Bolinger Seal

J S Polk

date

\$ 125.00

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date approved

Feb the 8<sup>th</sup> 1861

G W Summers

County Judge

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\$1250 Twelve months after date we  
or either of us promise to pay  
to every Roy as internal Improvement  
Commissioners for Madison  
County, Ark. the Sum of <sup>one</sup> ~~one~~ ~~hundred & twenty five~~ <sup>hundred & twenty five</sup> Dollars, for  
value Reed Bearing Three per cent. Interest  
from date until paid  
This 5<sup>th</sup> day of February A.D. 1861

Wm. S. P. R.   
By Wm. S. P. R.   
J. D. Volk 

Ben Sherman  
Note \$62.00

Note approved  
this 9th day of  
February 1862  
Gott Seaman  
County Judge

(G. 6200) Twelve months after date five or  
either of us permitted to pay to the  
Royal National Improvement Commission  
or his Successor in office the sum of  
Sixty two dollars for value received  
with interest at the rate of ten per  
cent from date until paid  
This the 1 day of February 1862

B. B. Anderson  
Philip Martin  
John H. Martin  
Master



W. H. Hunt  
2nd Secy  
10th Dec 1861

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Note approved  
Jan the 28 1861  
Gov. Sherman  
County Judge

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\$ 5000

Three months after date we or either of us  
promise to pay Henry Kay or his legal representa-  
tive or commissioner for Madison County  
Tennessee or his successor in office the  
sum of \$5000 with interest at  
the rate of 6% from date until paid for  
value received including our hands and seals  
this the 11th day of January 1860

Alfred Beshen *seal*  
G. W. *seal* Henry *seal*  
J. J. *seal*

H B Sanders  
Note for \$75<sup>00</sup>

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Note executed  
and approved  
Oct the 10<sup>th</sup> 1860  
G W Saunders  
County of Judge

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<sup>in</sup>  
Charles Matthews after that we or either of us  
promise to pay Harvey May as Internal Improvement  
Commissioner for Madison County Arkansas  
or his successor in office the sum of seventy  
five dollars with interest at ten percent per  
annum from date until paid for value received  
with this our hands and seals this the 10<sup>th</sup> day  
of October 1860

C. B. Sanders seal  
Ralph Luce seal  
P. S. Brown seal

J. W. Cluck  
State \$50.00

Note approved  
this the 8 day of Nov  
1960

Gov. Seaman  
County Judge

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\$50.00

Twelve months after date we or either of  
us promise to pay Henry Ray as  
Internal improvement Commissioner  
for Madison County Ark or his success  
or in office the sum of fifty dollars  
with interest at ten per cent per ann  
from date untill paid for value  
received witnesses our hands and  
seals this the 9<sup>th</sup> day of November 1860

John S. Choate (seal)

Wm. L. Choate (seal)

A. J. Botinger (seal)

\$ 9.50

Jarvis W. Elroy  
Notary approved

For my fee  
1946

G. W. Seaman  
County Judge

Twelve months after date we or either of us  
promise to pay Henry Ray as Internal Impro-  
vement Commissioner for Madison County  
Arkansas or his successor in office the sum  
of Nine Dollars and fifty cents with  
interest at ten per cent from date until  
paid for value received witnesses our hands  
and seals this the 30<sup>th</sup> day of January 1861

James McSherry

(Seal)

Leander Dixon

(Seal)

William C. Bohannon

(Seal)



James McElhenny  
Note for \$53.00

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Jan the 14th 1861  
Note approved  
Gov Seaman  
County Judge

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Twelve months after date we or either of us  
promise to pay Henry Ray as internal  
improvement commissioner for Madison  
County Arkansas or his successor in  
office the sum of fifty five Dollars  
with interest at ten per cent from  
date until paid for value received with  
us our hands and seals this 1<sup>st</sup> day of  
January 1861

James M. Elkhorn

(Seal)

William M. Elkhorn

(Seal)

J. S. M. Elkhorn

(Seal)

Thos. Bateman

No 1

to \$6000

to John W. W. W. W.  
W. W. W.

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Jan 28th 1837

Examined and approved  
this 3<sup>d</sup> day of Feb  
1837

C. D. Bennett  
County Judge

Recd am This Note \$5.00  
Jan 28th 1858

Recd 23d Oct. 1865 on this  
note \$5.00 Cash

\$5000

Twelve Months after date we do  
cather of no Promise to Pay John Vaughan  
or Internal Improvement Commission  
for Madison County Arkansas or to his  
Successor in office the sum of fifty  
dollars bearing ten per cent Interest  
from date til Paid for Valued witness  
our hands and seals This the 28th  
day of January 1857

W. C. Lowe

J. B. Beach

John Vaughan

Seal

Seal

Seal

State of Pennsylvania  
County of York  
I, the undersigned  
Judge of the County of York  
do hereby certify that  
G. W. Seaman  
is a resident of the County of York

\$ 45.00

Twelve months after date we or either  
of us promise to pay Henry Ray as internal  
improvement commissioner for Madison  
County Arkansas or his successor in office  
the sum of Forty five <sup>00</sup> dollars with interest  
at ~~ten~~ <sup>ten</sup> per cent from date until  
paid for value received witnesses our  
hands and seals this <sup>16</sup> 26 day of  
January 1861

J. F. Berry (seal)  
his  
Andrew W. Newmon (seal)  
W. C. Robbitt (seal)

J. S. M. M.  
valued 37.50

Examined and  
approved this  
the 4 day of  
February 1861  
J. W. Simons  
Co. Judge



\$ 37.50

Twelve months after date we or either of  
us promise to pay Henry Ray as Internal  
Improvement Commissioner for Madison  
County, Mo. Kansas or his successor in office  
the sum of Thirty-seven  $\frac{50}{100}$  dollars with interest  
at ten per cent from date until paid  
for value received. Witness our hands  
and seals This the 1<sup>st</sup> day of January 1861

Richard W. H. [Signature] (Seal)  
E. C. [Signature] (Seal)

J. Hawks

Auto \$100.00

W. C. approved

the 14th day of

March 1946

G. W. Swanson

County Judge

\$ 100.00

Twelve months after  
date we or either of us  
promise to pay Henry Ray  
as Internal Improvement  
Commissioner for Madison  
County Arkansas or his  
Successor in office the  
sum of One hundred  
dollars with interest at  
ten percent from date  
until paid for value  
received with our  
hands and seals this  
J. H. Koch  
J. H. Koch

W. Smith  
No 105 000

State approved

This the 14th day of Jan 1861

G. W. Saunders

County Judge

\$ 50.00

PAID

Twelve months after date we or either of us  
promise to pay Henry Ray as Internal  
improvement Commissioner for Missouri  
Security, Ark or his assigns in office  
the sum of fifty dollars with interest  
at ten per cent from date until paid  
for value received witness our hands and  
seals this the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_

W. A. G. [Signature]  
Simon - Smith (Seal)  
G. A. [Signature] (Seal)

J. H. Stansell

Note for \$ 100 00

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Note approved this 10 day of  
October 1860

G. W. Seaman

County of Judge

W. H.

\$ 100<sup>00</sup> Five months after date we or  
either of us promise to pay Henry Bay as  
Internal Improvement Commissioner for  
Madison County Arkansas or his successor  
in office the sum of one hundred dollars  
bearing ten percent int from date until  
paid for value received witness our hands  
and seals this the

J. H. Starnes Seal  
Allen Bas ham Seal  
E. M. Bas ham Seal

\$ 100<sup>00</sup> twelve months after date we or  
either of us promise to pay Henry Bay as  
Internal Improvement Commissioner for  
Madison County Arkansas or his succe-  
ssor in office the sum of one hundred  
dollars bearing ten percent int from date  
until paid for value received witness  
our hands and seals this the

J. H. Starnes Seal  
Allen Bas ham Seal  
E. M. Bas ham Seal

W. M. Run  
No. 28413

W. M. Run

See the 15-1460

Gold bearings

W. M. Run



\$ 28413

Twelve months after date we or either of us  
promise to pay Henry Ray as Internal improve-  
ment Commissioner for Madison County  
Arkansas or his <sup>and eighty four</sup> successor in office the sum  
of <sup>13</sup> Two hundred ~~100~~ dollars with interest at  
Ten per cent from date until paid for  
value received witnesses hands and  
Seals This the 1<sup>st</sup> day of December 1860

J. D. Reynolds Seal  
Alex C. O'Connell Seal  
Carrick & Montgomery (not seal)  
1860

of the Sutherlands

Note ~~of~~ \$5.00

Note appeared

Jan the 1841

J. W. Sutherlands

Henry Dally

5-8-1861

Twelve months after date, we or either of  
us promise to pay Henry Ray as internal  
improvement Commissioner for Madison  
County Arkansas or to his successor in  
office the sum of fifty <sup>five</sup> dollars with interest  
at ten per cent from date until paid  
for value received. This the 1<sup>st</sup> day of January  
1861.

William Southard seal

William McElaine seal

Wm Robinson seal

of Gray, Vaughns  
dated 10.0.00

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Note copied  
this thing from  
Gov. Scamans  
County Judge

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\$10,000

Twelve months after date we or either of  
us promise to pay Henry Ray as interest  
improvement Commissioner for road work  
County of Kansas or his successor in  
office the sum of one hundred dollars  
with interest at ten per cent from date  
until paid for value received with our  
hands and seals this 11<sup>th</sup> day of January  
1861

Benj. Vaughan (seal)  
George W. Todd (seal)  
Isaac Anderson (seal)

S. W. Starns  
Note \$5000

Note approved  
at a meeting of Board 1841  
G. W. Seavers  
County Judge

\$50,000

Twelve months after date we or either of us  
promise to pay Henry Ray as international prome-  
nent Commissioner for Madison County  
Kent or his successor in office the sum  
of fifty dollars with interest at ten per cent  
from date until paid for value received  
witness our hands and seal, This 11<sup>th</sup> day  
of January 1861

S. W. Starns

seal

Alfred Beckeney  
his  
James Phillips  
mark

seal

seal

G. A. Forest  
dated 1820

State approved  
See the 1860  
Gov Seaman's  
County Judge



Sept 26

Received from the father of James  
William King in the name of James  
William King from the County of  
was in the his subscription in office the sum  
of twenty five dollars & 24 Cts being interest  
on the tax present for the year  
for James King

Sept 1<sup>st</sup> 1860

G. W. Newton  
J. O. Pitner  
P. W. Newton

Isaac Andersson's  
Note \$50,00

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Bond approved  
this the 30 day of Oct 1860  
G W Seaman  
County Judge

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\$5000

Twelve Months after date  
we or either of us promise to  
pay Henry Hayes International  
Commissioner for Madison County  
Arkansas, or to his successor in  
office the sum of fifty dollars  
bearing ten per cent interest  
from date until paid for value  
received of him witnesses our hands  
and seals This 30<sup>th</sup> day of Oct 1861

Isaac Anderson seal

Philip <sup>W</sup> Hearn seal

J R Anderson seal

Henry Chenoweth  
Wate \$39,50

Examined and approved  
This 20<sup>th</sup> day of Sept  
1865

Samuel P. Langhorne  
County Clerk

\$37.50

Received before the 1<sup>st</sup> day of January  
Next we or either of us promise to pay  
John Vanhook as Internal Improvement  
Commissioner for Madison County Arkansas  
or to his Successor In office the Sum  
of Thirty seven dollars & fifty cents bearing  
ten per cent Interest from date until  
paid for Value recd with our hands and  
Seals this the 12<sup>th</sup> day of March 1860

Thomas C. Hancock (Seal)

John Vanhook (Seal)

G. M. Payne (Seal)

111111

J D Berry  
Wate \$92.70

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Examined and approved this  
19<sup>th</sup> day of January 1858

E B Cheworth  
County Judge

\$92.70

Twelve Months after date we or either  
of us Promise to pay John Vanghan as  
Internal Improvement Commissioner  
for Madison County Arkansas or to his  
Successor In office the Sum of Ninety Two  
dollars & Seventy cents bearing ten per cent  
Interest from date until paid for value  
Hereof witness our hands and seals this the  
19th day of January 1858

J. V. Berry Seal  
Abner Adams Seal  
H. C. Berry Seal

J. D. Mitchell  
Vate \$5000

Examined and  
Approved this  
8<sup>th</sup> day of Nov.  
1858

Samuel P. Vaniper  
Camp Clerk



\$50.00 ten months after date  
we or either of us promise to pay  
John Vaughan as interest and  
- promised compensation for Mad-  
- ison County Arkansas or to his suc-  
- cessors in office the sum of fifty  
- dollars bearing interest at ten per  
- cent per annum from date till  
- paid for Value Paid this 8<sup>th</sup>  
- November 1858.

J. D. Hildreth

R. B. Garrett

M. A. Vandenberg

Geo

Recd on this date ten dollars & 50cts

July 2nd 1860

\$10.50

Received on the 2nd of July 1860

October 2 1861

Wm. H. Miller  
New York

J. W. Alderson  
Note \$100,00  
to Ana Vaughan  
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Examined and Approved  
this 20<sup>th</sup> day of March 1838

E. B. Chinworth  
County Judge

Draw on this

Note 23.31

1. No ~~total~~ 60  
September

\$100,000

Twelve Months after date  
we or either of us promise to  
pay John Van Dyke as Internal  
Improvement Commissioner  
for Madison County Arkansas  
or to his successor in office the  
sum of One Hundred dollars  
bearing ten per cent interest  
from date until paid for Valued  
witness our hands and seals this  
The 20th day of March 1858

J. W. Alderson (Seals)  
J. M. Cornett (Seals)  
J. D. Berry (Seals)

J. W. Alderson  
Wate \$100.00  
to the Vantage  
C...

Received and approved  
this 20<sup>th</sup> day of March 1838  
O. B. Bennett  
County Clerk

Dam on the  
Wate 23.31  
1.76 ~~1.60~~  
Expenses

Rec'd on this Wate ten dollars April  
21st 1859  
Paid on this Wate thirty dollars & 50 cts  
wark dam on the C- & 14 & 21st Merles at the  
State Road from Harbottle to Springfield Mo  
this the 1st June 1860

Sub Ledbetter  
Vat of \$37,50

Examined and  
approved this 20<sup>th</sup>  
day of Aug. 1860  
Samuel P. Langston  
County Judge

3750 An or Before the first day of January next  
we as either of us promise to pay John Bangham  
as in Interval Improvement  
Commissioner for Madison County or to  
his successor in office the sum of  
thirty seven dollars and fifty cents (any  
two per cent interest from date until  
paid for Valued this the 1st March 1860

James Ledbetter Seal  
Mc Dennis Seal  
Howey Seal

G. W. Harris  
Note \$100.00

Examined and  
approved this 20<sup>th</sup>  
day of Augt 1860  
James P. Conigh  
County Judge

\$19.00 int



\$10000

Owear before the first day of January  
Next we promise to Pay Lake Vanhook  
as Internal Improvement commissi-  
oner for Madison County Arkansas  
or to his Successor In office the sum of  
One Hundred dollars bearing ten  
per cent Interest from date until  
paid for Valued witnesses purchase  
and Deals this the 16th

1859

day of March  
G. W. <sup>W. H.</sup> Starnes Deal  
D. B. <sup>W. H.</sup> Berrity Deal  
P. F. Payne Deal

W. S. Jones

Note \$37.50

Examined and  
approved this  
10<sup>th</sup> day of Aug.  
1859

Samuel P. Vanston  
County Judge

\$37.00

On or before the first day of January  
next ~~we~~ either of us promise to pay John  
Vaughan as Internal Improvement  
Commissioner of Madison County Ark  
or to his Successor in office the sum of thirty  
seven dollars with interest at ten per cent  
from date until paid for value Received

This 23<sup>rd</sup> August 1859

D. J. Jacks

Seal

Seal <sup>his</sup> Darsey  
Mark

Seal

P. W. Newton

Seal

A. Likos

Value \$24.00

Examined and  
approved this 2<sup>nd</sup>  
day of August 1859  
Samuel P. Vinton  
County Judge

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Can of or before the first day  
of January next me or either of us  
promise to pay John Vaughan as  
Internal Improvement Commissioner  
for Madison County Arkansas or to  
his successor in office the sum of  
twentyfour dollars bearing interest at  
ten percent from date until  
paid for value received witness  
our hands and seals this  
the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of August A. D. 1859

J. M. Lyles Seal

W. M. Berry Seal

C. H. Boutwell Seal

Berry & Phillips  
Vats \$22000

Examined and  
approved this  
28<sup>th</sup> day of Sept  
1858

Samuel P. Caston  
Caring Judge

\$220.00

Twelve months after date we or either  
of us promise to pay John Vaughan as  
Internal Improvement Commissioner for  
Madison County Arkansas or to his successor  
in office the sum of Two Hundred and  
Twenty dollars, bearing ten per cent from  
date till paid for value received, witness  
our hands and seals this 28<sup>th</sup> day of September  
1858

D. G. Phillips (Seal)

J. A. Berry (Seal)

Comet <sup>per</sup> Montgomery (Seal)

W. H. Boatright (Seal)

J. D. Bury  
No. 6000  
to Geo Vanhook  
Carr

Examined and Approved  
this 27th day of January

1858

C. B. Bennett

County Judge

26.50



\$ 5000

Twelve Months after date we or  
either of us promise to pay John Dwyer  
as Internal Improvement Commissioner  
for Madison County Arkansas or to  
his Successor in office the sum of  
fifty dollars bearing ten per cent  
Interest from date until paid for  
Valued witness our hands and seals  
this the 26<sup>th</sup> day of January 1858

Thomas D. Bergsma  
Hugh S. Bergsma  
B. G. Gilliland Seal

Received on this  
Note of \$45.50  
January 26<sup>th</sup>  
1861.

\$6000

Now before the first day of July  
next we promise to pay John W. Wright  
as Internal Improvement Commissioner  
for Madison County Arkansas as to his  
Receipts in office the sum of Sixty  
dollars Baring ten percent Interest  
from date until paid for Valued  
witness our hands and seals this the  
16th day of January 1859

at Test J. D. Mitchell

Andeigh <sup>per</sup> ~~Thomas~~ ~~Henry~~ Seal  
Thomas <sup>per</sup> ~~Henry~~ Seal  
Henry <sup>per</sup> ~~Ray~~ Seal

\$5,000  
S. G. Phillips  
Vats

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Received and  
approved this the  
10th March 1858  
C. B. Chenoweth  
County Judge

\$50.00

Twelve Months after date we promise  
to pay John Vanphan as Internal  
Improvement Commissioner for  
Madison County Arkansas or to his  
Successor In office the sum of fifty  
dollars Baring ten per cent Interest  
from date until paid for Valuer  
witness our hands and seals this the  
10th day of March 1858

S. G. Phillips

J. S. Berry

W. M. Moxey

Seal  
Seal  
Seal

J. Dixon  
Vato 95000

4505

Examined and  
approved this  
10th day of  
November  
1858

Samuel P. Vaughan  
County Judge

\$50,000 Six months after date Me or either of us  
promise to pay to John Vanhook interest  
Improvement Commissioner for Madison County Arkansas  
or his Successor in  
Office the sum of fifty dollars with interest  
at the rate of ten per cent per annum from  
date until paid for value received this 10<sup>th</sup>  
of November 1858

Seander Dixon seal  
John M. Mauley seal  
J. M. Johnson seal

Recd on This Note \$20 dollars & 25 cts  
May 10th 1860.

J. Dwyer  
Note \$25.00

4505-

Examined and  
approved this  
10th day of  
November  
1858

Samuel Planchon  
County Judge



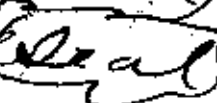


James Mitchell  
Note \$8.00

Examined and approved  
this 27<sup>th</sup> day of July  
1838

E. Blewitt  
County Judge

Twelve Months after date we  
promise to pay John Vanhook  
at Internal Improvement  
Commissioner for Madison  
County Arkansas or to his  
Successor in office the sum of  
Eight dollars having ten per  
cent interest from date until  
paid for Value of witness our  
hands and Seal this 17th day of  
July 1858

James <sup>our</sup> Mitchell   
Benj. Vanhook   
J. S. Mitchell 

R. S. Brown  
Date \$ 72.00

Examined and approved  
this 20<sup>th</sup> day  
of Aug 1861  
Samuel P. Vanhook  
County Judge

\$7200

Arrsd before the 1st day of January  
Next we promise to pay John Vanhook  
ad Internal Improvement commissioner  
for Madison County Arkansas or to his  
Successor in office the sum of Seventy  
two dollars bearing ten per cent Interest  
from date until paid for Valuered  
witness our hands and seals this 15th day  
of May 1860

R. S. Brown (Seal)

J. G. Gads (Seal)

J. N. Payne (Seal)

E. Norton  
Date 8/15/00

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Examined and  
approved this 20th  
day of Aug 1860  
Samuel P. Vaughn  
Comr - Dodge

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due yet 7.25-

\$15.00

Arrive By the 1<sup>st</sup> day of January  
Next we or rather of no previous to say  
John Vainyan as Internal Improvement  
commissioner of the Madison County Arkansas  
or to his Successor In office the sum of  
fifteen dollars bearing ten per cent interest  
from date until paid for Valued as witness  
our hands and seals this 1<sup>st</sup> day Jan 1860

E. V. Vainyan Seal  
J. H. Pines Seal  
F. W. Vinton Seal

Received on this note Ten dollars This 18<sup>th</sup> day  
of February 1861

E. W. Foster  
No 181500

Examined and  
approved this 20<sup>th</sup>  
day of Aug-1861  
James E. Pritchard  
Cashier

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done got 725-

Jas McElhenny  
 Note \$37.50

Examined and approved  
 and this 28<sup>th</sup> day  
 of May 1860  
 Samuel P. Langston  
 County Judge

39376



\$ 3750 now before the 1st day of January  
Next we promise to pay John Vanhook  
as Internal Improvement commissioner  
for Madison County Arkansas or to his  
Successor in office the sum of thirty  
seven dollars & fifty cents (being ten  
per cent interest from date until paid  
for balanced witness our hands and  
Seals this the 28th day of May 1860

James E. H. Haney (Seal)  
M. E. Robinson (Seal)  
Samuel <sup>Haney</sup> <sub>1860</sub> (Seal)

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W. C. Suters  
Note \$202.20

Note approved  
May the 24 1866  
G. W. Beaumont  
County Judge

202.20

Twelve months after date we or  
either of us promise to pay Henry  
Ray International Improvement Commis-  
sioner, for Madison County Ark or his  
successor in office the sum of  
Two hundred and two dollars and Twenty  
cts with interest at ten per cent  
from date till paid witness our  
hands and seals this 28<sup>th</sup> day of  
May 1862.

H. P. Jones Seal  
H. C. Smith Seal  
Wm. C. Fisher Seal

S. S. Phillips

Notes 110.00

to Mrs Chapman

Adm

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Examined and Approved  
This 2<sup>nd</sup> day Feby 1888

C. B. Cheworth

County Judge

\$ 110,000

Twelve Months after date we or either  
of us promise to pay John Vanhook  
as Internal Improvement commis-  
sioner for Madison County Ark  
or to his Successor in office  
the sum of one hundred and  
ten dollars bearing ten per cent  
interest from date until paid  
for Valued witnesses our hands  
and seals This the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of  
February 1858

Self Phillip Seal  
Thomas L. Kemp Seal  
James Beck Seal

J. Jay's

Note No.

Note approved  
Aug. 24<sup>th</sup> 1860  
G. W. Seaverns  
County Judge

~~State~~

~~W. H. Seaverns~~

\$ 2,000

Twelve Months after date we or  
Either of us promise to pay Henry  
Ray as internal Improvement  
Commissioner for Madison County and  
or his successor in office the sum of  
Seventy dollars, with interest at ten  
per cent from date until paid for  
value received of him with <sup>the</sup> our  
hands and seals This, 25, day  
of Aug, 1860.

James A. Kernal  
Robert B. Gossett seal  
R. M. Kitchin seal

late appearance  
of the the  
of the  
of the  
of the



\$ 5500 Two weeks months after date this or either  
of us promise to pay Henry Ray as entry tax and  
equipment and commission for Madison & Jay  
to Kansas or His superior in office as the  
order may be. Five of fifty five Dollars  
Being due for but from date when paid  
for value paid of Henry's bill over Henry  
Sees His 22 day of February 1862

R B Garrett R W Sherman  
L C Hildreth

J. C. Smith  
dated 20th 1862

Not wrapped  
May the 24 1862

G. W. Lewis  
Security Judge

\$ 205.95

Twelve months after date we or either  
of us promise to pay Henry Ray  
Internal Improvement Commissioners  
for Madison County Arkansas  
or his successor in office the sum  
of Two hundred and five dollars  
and ninety five cts with interest  
at ten per cent from date till  
paid for value received witnesses  
our hands and seals this 28<sup>th</sup>  
day of May 1862

H. C. Smith (Seal)  
J. S. McConnell (Seal)  
J. W. Pitzer (Seal)

C Brown  
Rate of 5000

Examined and  
~~and~~ approved May  
20th 1859  
Samuel P. Vaughan  
County Judge

Dated Day 26th 1859

\$5000

On or before the first day of July next  
we promise to pay John Vaughan as  
Internal Improvement Commissioner  
for Madison County Arkansas or to his  
successor in office the sum of five thousand  
dollars bearing ten percent interest from date  
until paid for value received witness  
our hands and seals this the 26th day  
of July A D 1859

Wm Brown (Seal)  
Leander Dixon (Seal)  
J. D. Reynolds (Seal)  
H. A. Boatright (Seal)

James Mc  
Murree  
No. 6281

\$ 6291

Twelve months after date we or  
either of us promise to pay Henry  
Hay as Internal Improvement commis-  
sioner for Madison County Arkansas  
or to his successor in office the sum  
of sixty two dollars  $\frac{9}{100}$  having interest  
at ten per cent per annum from date  
until paid for value received with  
our hands and seals This the 25 day of  
October 1866 J. C. Mc Murray (seal)

Anney McMurray (seal)  
Alex Seely (seal)  
(seal)

Note approved this the 6 day of Nov 1960  
G M Seaman's County Ga

James Mc  
Whitney  
No. 10086281



W. C. H.  
of  
Leadville  
\$1,5000

Examined and  
found to be a  
copy of Sept-  
1850

James P. Langston  
County Judge

\$50.00

Twelve months after date was or  
either of us promise to pay Henry Ray as Internal  
Improvement Commissioner for Madison County  
Clark or his successor in office. The sum of  
fifty dollars bearing ten percent from date until  
paid for value received of him witness our  
hands and seals this the 7<sup>th</sup> day of ~~September~~ <sup>November</sup>  
1860

William Lee (seal)  
Jefferson Lee (seal)  
James Rainey (seal)

John McKim  
Date of \$37.50

Examined and approved  
this 20<sup>th</sup> day  
of Augt 1860  
Samuel P. Langdon  
County Judge

This note 370 cts this  
April 1861

\$ 3750

And we before the first day of January  
Next we or either of us promise to pay  
John Vanhook as Internal Improvement  
Commissioner for Madison County  
Arkansas or to his Successor in office  
the sum of thirty seven dollars & fifty  
cents having ten per cent interest  
from date until paid for Valued  
witness our hands and seals this the  
24th day of April 1860

John Mcracken Seal

J. J. Jack Seal

J. C. Peter Seal

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Joseph Loops  
note \$10000

W. H. C. C. C.

\$ 100.00

Twelve months after  
date we or either  
of us promise to pay  
Henry Kay as Internal  
Improvement commis-  
sioner for Madison County  
Arkansas or his success-  
or in office. The sum  
of one hundred dollars  
with interest at ten  
percent from date  
until <sup>paid</sup> for value re-  
corded witness our hands  
and seals this the

his  
Joseph C. Loper seal  
mark  
J. Joseph seal  
D. Joseph seal

J. Looper sum  
note ~~left~~ ~~over~~

Note approved  
this 1st of Feb 1891

Wm. Seaman  
County Judge

Joseph Looper  
Note \$100.00

Ben. Vaughns  
date 8/9/91

Note approved  
Jan the 11 1891  
G. W. Beaumont  
County Judge



\$ 9771

twelve months after date we or either of  
us promise to pay Henry Ray as Internal  
Improvement Commissioner for Madison  
County Arkansas or his successor in office  
the sum of Ninety seven <sup>70</sup>/<sub>100</sub> dollars with interest  
at ten percent from date until paid for value  
received witness our hands and seals this 11<sup>th</sup> day  
of January, 1861.

Benj. Vaughan

Isaac Anderson

J. W. King

Seal

Seal

Seal

Carnell  
Mailgram  
Rate \$5.00

John W. W. W.  
Feb. 10, 1891  
G. W. W. W.  
Carnell

\$5000

Twelve months after date  
we or either of us promise  
to pay Henry Ray as  
Internal improvement  
Commissioner for Madison  
County Arkansas or his  
successor in office the  
sum of Fifty dollars  
with interest at two per  
cent from date until  
paid for value received  
witness our hands and  
seals this the 24<sup>th</sup> day of  
February 1861

Cambell <sup>his</sup> ~~Hand~~ Seal  
Jubert & Lee <sup>his</sup> ~~mark~~ Seal  
J. B. <sup>mark</sup> Seal

Wm. Hall

Note \$4000

Note approved

Jan 15<sup>th</sup> 1841

Wm. Beaman

Secretary

Twelve months after date we or either of us  
promise to pay Henry Kay as International Promer-  
ment Commissioner for Madison County  
Arkansas or his successor in office the sum  
of Forty Dollars with  
interest at ten per cent from date until  
paid for value received witnesses hands  
and seals this the 17<sup>th</sup> day of January  
1861

William G. Hall  
Henry McElhany  
James McElhany

R. W. Kelch  
Vate 3812

Note approved

Jan. 15 1871

G. W. Summers

New City Indg

Twelve months after date me or either of us  
 promise to pay Henry Ray as Internal  
 Improvement Commissioner for Madison  
 County Arkansas or his successor in office  
 the sum of thirty eight <sup>100</sup> dollars  
 with interest at ten per cent from date  
 until paid for value received witnesses  
 hands and seals this the 7<sup>th</sup> day of  
 January 1861

R M Seetham (seal)  
 W W Robinson (seal)  
 William Southard (seal)

Wm King's  
Warrant \$12,000

State approved

Apr 29 1861

G. W. Seaman

County Judge



One day after date I promise to  
pay Henry Ray as internal improvem-  
ent Commissioner for Madison  
County Arkansas or his successor  
in office the sum of Twelve  
dollars with interest at Ten per  
cent from date until paid for  
value received witness my hand  
and seal. This the 28<sup>th</sup> day of  
April 1861.

Wm M. Betts <sup>Com</sup>  
J. C. Smith (Seal)

Seldon Parks  
Note of 145, 20  
a. to approved  
a. to 1861  
G. W. Beaumont  
County Judge

\$145.20

Twelve months after date  
we or either of us promise  
to pay Henry Ray as Internal  
Improvement Commissioner  
for Madison County Arkansas  
or his successor in  
office the sum of one hundred  
and forty five  $\frac{20}{100}$  dollars  
with interest at ten percent  
from date until paid for  
value received witness our  
hands and seals this the  
29<sup>th</sup> day of May 1861

Fielden Portner

J. D. Parks (Seal)

J. C. Parks (Seal)

A. D. Mitchell's  
Note \$20000  
Not approved  
Jan the 1. 1861  
J. W. Seaverns  
County Judge

\$ 200.00

Twelve months after date we or either  
of us promise to pay Henry Bayas  
Internal Improvement Commissioner for  
Madison County Arkansas or his receipt  
in office the sum of Two Hundred  
dollars with the interest at ten per cent  
from date until paid for value received  
witness our hands and seals this the  
1<sup>th</sup> day of January 1861. L. C.

J. B. Mitchell & George Smith

Witness our hands

G. H. Phillips Secretary (seal)

(seal)

G. W. Forest's

Note \$ 55.25

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Note approved

March the 11 1861

G. W. Seaverns

County Judge

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\$ 55.25-

Twelve months after date we or  
either of us promise to pay Henry  
Ray as Internal improvement commis-  
sioner for Madison County Arkansas or  
his successor in office the sum of  
fifty five <sup>25</sup>/<sub>100</sub> dollars with interest at  
ten per cent from date until paid  
for value received with this our hands  
and seals This the 11<sup>th</sup> day of March  
1861.

Attest P. W. Newton

Wm. J. Seal  
Benjamin Seal  
notary Seal

J. W. Landy  
Wife \$3800

Wife appeared

Jan. 10, 1880

G. W. Learners

County Judge



38.00

Twelve months after date we or either of us  
promise to pay Henry Ray, as Internal  
Improvement Commissioner for Madison  
County Arkansas or his successor in office  
the sum of Thirty eight dollars  
with interest at seven per cent from date  
until paid for arrearages and  
months and days. This the 1<sup>st</sup> day of January  
1861.

J. M. Lammert

J. J. Casey (Seal)  
Jonathan G. G. G.

Henry Willson's  
Note \$20.80

Note approved  
by me this the  
1 day of Jan 1861

G. W. Seaverns

County Judge

7-10-81  
100  
Twelve months after date we or either of us  
promise to pay Henry Ray as. Intervenor  
commissioner for Madison County Arkansas  
or his successor in office sum of twenty <sup>100</sup>/<sub>80</sub> dollars  
with interest at ten per cent  
from date until paid for value received witness

our hands and seals this the 1<sup>st</sup> day of  
January 1861

Jerry Walden. (seal)  
Cameel Montgomery (seal)  
Peter Cook (seal)

J. H. Garrett  
Rate \$5.00

58 65

Examined and approved  
this 26<sup>th</sup> day of January  
1858

C. B. Chewin

County Judge

Dec 21st 1860

\$50.00 Twelve Months after date we or  
either of us promise to pay Solid  
Vaughan as Internal Improvement  
Commissioner for Madison County  
Arkansas or his Successor in office  
the Sum of Fifty Dollars bearing ten  
per cent Interest from date till paid  
for value recd this 26<sup>th</sup> day of January  
1858

~~Wm. H. Garrett~~  
D. H. Garrett (Seal)  
Phillip Harper (Seal)  
William Southwell

Received on this note of \$790. to this 12 day of January  
Received on this note fortyone dollars & 18/100  
due on this 1<sup>st</sup> day of January 1960  
\$4666 balance due of \$7444

D. H. Garrett  
Date 8/6/00

578 65

Examined and approved  
this 26<sup>th</sup> day of January  
1858  
C. B. Cheever  
County Judge

Witness my hand  
1860

W. H. Berry  
State of 1890

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State of Iowa  
Feb. 14 1891  
G. W. Berry  
County Judge

\$119.00

Twelve months after date we or either  
of us promise to pay Henry Ray or Internal  
Improvement Commissioner for Madison  
County, Kan. or his successor in  
office the sum of one hundred and twenty  
dollars with interest at ten per cent from  
date until paid for value received witness  
our hands and seals this the 1<sup>st</sup> day of February  
1861.

J. King (Seal)  
D. L. Sanders (Seal)  
John Smith (Seal)



C. White

Note of \$1000

Note approved  
by me this 11th  
day of Nov 1864  
G. W. Lawrence  
County Judge

1000  
11/11/64

\$4500

Twelve Months after date due  
or either of us promises to pay Henry  
Ray or his Successor in office as  
Interstate Improvement Commission  
for Madison County Ark the sum  
of forty five Dollars with interest at  
ten per cent from date unless paid  
for value Recd of Hilar witness  
our hands and seal This 4 day of  
October A D 1861

Wm. H. White Seal  
Alfred Anderson Seal  
Robert B. Garret  
J. C. McMillen Seal

Thomas Belmont  
1750

one day after date. I promise to pay  
to the order of Henry Ray the  
sum of fifteen dollars bearing ten  
percent interest from date till  
paid for value recd of him this  
January 12<sup>th</sup> 1861 Geo. Putman GedB

Gas. Loughridge  
Notes of 10000

Will appear  
in the May 1860  
G. L. Seaman  
Learney Judge

\$100,00

Twelve months after date we or either of us promise to pay Henry Gray as intenal improvement commissioner for Madison County Ark, the sum of one hundred dollars with interest at ten per cent per annum from date until paid for value received witness our hands and seals this day of

James Longbride

H. H. H. H. (Baker)

A. C. Smith

Jonas Bevans  
Note of \$50.00  
to John Vanhook care

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Examined and Approved  
This 7<sup>th</sup> day of May 1837

E. B. Cheworth  
County Judge

\$5000 Twelve Months after date we are  
leather of no promise to pay John  
Vaughan as Internal Improvement  
commissioner for Madison County  
Arkansas or to his successor in  
office the sum of fifty dollars  
having ten per cent. interest from  
date until paid for Valued  
witness our hands and seals this  
the 7th day of May 1854

James B. Sanders  
J. L. Berry Seal  
W. B. Sanders Seal



James Cairns  
No 24156

Note approved  
Jan 1st 1862  
G. W. Seaman  
County Judge

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\$24.56

Twelve months after date we or either  
of us promise to pay Henry Ray interest  
Improvement Commissioners for Madison  
County Arkansas or his successors in  
office the sum of Twenty four ~~50~~ dollars  
with interest at two per cent from  
date until paid for value received  
witness our hands and seals this the  
first day of January 1860.

James Lewis (Seal)

A. Pitner (Seal)

Foreate & Vangbe  
Vate \$107.00

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Examined and Approved  
This 11<sup>th</sup> day of August 1858

C. B. Chenoweth

County Judge

\$ 10.00

Twelve Months after date  
we promise to pay John Vaughan  
as Internal Improvement commis-  
sioner for Madison County Arkansas  
or to his Successor In office the  
Sum of One Hundred and Seven  
dollars for Valued witness our  
hands and Seals this the 11th day  
of August 1858

Harriet Vaughan Seal  
B. R. P. H. Seal  
Richard M. Johnson Seal

Lanas Brewing  
Note of \$50,000  
to Geo Vainyan  
Camm

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Examined and approved  
This 6<sup>th</sup> day of April 1858

E. Bechenworth

County Judge

\$5000

Twelve Months after date we  
or either of us promise to pay  
John Vanhook as Internal  
Improvement Commissioner for  
Madison County Arkansas to  
his Successor in office the sum  
of fifty dollars Baring ten per  
cent Interest from date until  
Paid for Valued witnesses our  
hands and seals This the 6<sup>th</sup> day  
of April 1858

Jonas Berry Seal  
J. J. Berry Seal  
W. D. McKeever Seal

Chadwick  
Note \$10000

Note approved  
November the  
28th 1860

Gov. Seaverns  
County Judge

No. 9

Twelve months after date we or either  
of us promise to pay Henry Ray internal  
improvement commissioner one hundred dollars  
for value received with interest at the rate of ten  
percent per annum from date until paid this  
the 1<sup>st</sup> of July 186

Given in full by Seal  
Campbell <sup>my</sup> Montgomery Seal  
mark Seal  
Thomas Nichols Seal



J. C. Smithson  
Vat. \$100.00  
to Geo. Vaughan  
Carr

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Examined and Approved  
this 13<sup>th</sup> August 1857  
E. Blewett  
County Judge

\$ 100<sup>00</sup>

Twelve Months after date we or  
either of us promise to pay John  
Vaughan as Internal Improvement  
Commissioner for Madison County  
Arkansas or to his successor in  
office the sum of one Hundred  
dollars bearing ten per cent Interest  
from date until paid for Valued  
witness our hands and seals this the  
13th day of August 1857

D. G. Smith

J. S. Berry

H. H. H. Seal

Seal

Seal

Seal

D. M. Johnson's  
Note \$5000

Note approved  
Nov 29. 1861.  
G. W. Bennett

\$5500

Twelve Months after date we  
or either of us promise to pay  
Henry Ray Internal Improvement  
Commissioner for Madison County  
Arkansas or his successor in office  
The sum of fifty five dollars  
with interest at five per cent  
from date until paid for value  
received witness our hands and  
seals this the 13<sup>th</sup> day of October  
1861

J. M. Johnson (Seal)  
B. B. Davis (Seal)

S. H. McNeill (Seal)

A paper of 6. long  
and on the 3 day of  
Feb. 1842

J. W. Cummings  
County Judge

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\$50 Twelve months after date we or  
either of us promised to pay unto Henry  
Ray Internal Improvement Commissioner  
or his Successor in office the sum of  
fifty dollars with interest at the rate  
of ten per cent from date until paid  
This the 25 day of January 1842

G W Beersmans

H R Benderson

Philip Martin

John <sup>Mrs</sup> Martin  
mark

G. W. Sumner's  
Voting box

I appear to be  
all on the 3 day of  
Feb. 1862  
G. W. Sumner  
County Judge

J. C. Smith  
1 Va of H. O. O.

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Note approved  
Feb. 10<sup>th</sup> 1862  
G. W. Beaman  
Security Judge

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9  
\$4000 One day after date we or  
either of us promise to pay Henry Ray  
Internal Improvement Commissioner  
for Madison County Arkansas or his  
Successor in specie the sum of Forty dollars  
with interest at ten per cent from date  
until for value received witness our  
hands & seals this 6<sup>th</sup> day of February  
1862.

H. C. Smith Seal

J. M. Moody Seal

J. C. M. Goud Seal

C. S. Harris  
Receipt

Received of John Ormiston  
As Internal Improvement Commis-  
sioner one state on J. D. Ormiston  
A. G. Mounsel & Co. Lumber & Montgomerie Paper  
Company for two hundred and forty  
& sixty Cts with interest at the rate  
of ten percent from the 13<sup>th</sup> day of February  
A. D. 1859 which I agree to collect on  
account for according to law this 24<sup>th</sup> day of  
Feb. A. D. 1860

J. D. Ormiston  
Attorney for Co.

10  
The Court  
County of [unclear]

Examined and approved

This 6<sup>th</sup> day of  
August, 1856.

Samuel P. Washburn  
County Judge

Know all men by these presents that we Gerard  
C Lowe as principal and Hugh S Berry and  
John Vaughan as Securities are held and bound  
unto Rufus S Hawkins as Internal Improvement  
Commissioner for Madison County Arkansas and  
to his Successors in office in the sum of  
hundred dollars for the payment of which well  
and truly to be made we bind ourselves our  
heirs and assigns jointly by these presents  
Signed and sealed this 11th day of August  
A. D. 1856

The condition of the above obligations is such  
that the above bounden Gerard C Lowe has  
this day borrowed out of the Internal Improve-  
ment fund of said county the sum of Fifty  
dollars of the said Gerard C Lowe, Hugh  
S Berry or John Vaughan or either of them  
shall pay or cause to be paid to the said  
Rufus S Hawkins as such Commissioner or to his Successor  
in office the said sum of Fifty dollars  
with ten per cent interest thereon within  
twelve months from this date. When this bond  
to be void otherwise to remain in full  
force.

Gerard C Lowe (Seal)  
Hugh S Berry (Seal)  
John Vaughan (Seal)

August 6th 1857.

Credit by cash, \$5.00

August 6th 1858

Credit by cash, \$5.00

Received the value five  
dollars Oct 22nd 1859

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Rec'd Oct 28, 1859  
note for \$5.00 cash

Mitrow's  
dated 1531

and approved  
by the 1512 1481

General Court  
of the City of London

\$15300

Twelve months after date, we or either  
of us promise to pay Henry Ray as  
Internal Improvement Commissioner for  
Masson County, Arkansas <sup>or his successor in office</sup> the sum of  
one hundred and fifty three <sup>+</sup> 00 dollars with  
interest at ten per cent. from date  
untill paid for value received, witness  
our hands and seals, this the 12 day of  
April 1861

Samuel W. Throw <sup>seal</sup>

Richard Throw <sup>seal</sup>

John S. Pott <sup>seal</sup>



J. H. Wilson  
No. 100 of 5600

file approved  
the 1st day of Feb 1866  
G. J. Seaman  
County Judge

560.00

Twelve months after date we or either  
of us promise to pay Henry Ray as Internal  
Improvement Commissioner for Madison  
County Arkansas or his successor the sum of  
The sum of Seven and sixty dollars with interest  
at ten per cent from date until paid for  
value received witness our hands and seals this  
The 12<sup>th</sup> day of January 1861

J. N. Johnson (seal)  
E. B. Mason (seal)  
Elijah Drake (seal)  
J. C. Pitney (seal)

D. J. Gaskell  
Sales 1860  
Not approved  
but this 1860  
Gov Secumers  
County Dudge.

Received on the within  
\$ 500 Five dollars this the 1<sup>th</sup>  
day February 1862  
By J. C. Penn

\$10,000

Twelve Months after date we or either  
of us promise to pay Hervey May  
as Internal Improvement Commissioner  
for Madison County or his successor  
or in office the sum of Ten dollars  
bearing Ten per cent from date until  
for value received of him witness our  
hands and seals This the 7<sup>th</sup> day  
of September 1860

D. L. Gaskill Seal  
James Payne Seal  
P. W. Newton Seal

J. C. Smith  
Wallingford

Vote approved  
Jan 14 1862  
Geo. Sumner  
County Judge

\$ 50,000

Twelve months after date we or  
either of us promise to pay Henry  
Ray Internal Improvement Commissioner  
for Madison County Arkansas or his  
successor in office the sum of fifty  
dollars with interest at ten per cent  
from date until paid for value of  
rights our hands and seals this 6<sup>th</sup>  
day of January 1862

Wm L. Smith (seal)

S. C. M. Low (seal)

James <sup>his</sup> Martin (seal)  
Wm

J. O. Mitchell's  
Note \$ 68.16

Note approved  
Nov 3 1861  
G. W. Seaman & Co

\$69.16

Twelve months after date we or  
either of us promise to pay Henry  
Ray as Internal Improvement  
Commissioner for Madison County  
Ark or his successor in office  
the sum sixty eight dollars & 16 Cts  
with interest at ten per cent  
from date until paid for value  
received witness our hands &  
seals this the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of Novm 1861

J. D. Mitchell (Seal)

S. C. Phillips (Seal)

Robert B. Garrison (Seal)




W. H. Smith  
No. 38,000

Note approved  
by me on the  
15 of Jan 1902  
G. W. Keenan  
Co. Inc.

No 3100

Twelve months after date here or either of us  
promised to pay Henry Kay as Internal Improvement  
Commissioner for Madison County Arkansas  
or his successor in office the sum of ~~one~~  
~~hundred~~ Thirty eight dollars with interest  
at ten per cent from date until paid  
for value received. witnesses our hands and seals

This the 15<sup>th</sup> day of January 1861

William Sutherland 

Wm - Henry  
M P Mitchell   


Ben. Waukena  
No. 4830.

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Note approved  
this 11th of Jan 1856

G. W. Seaverns

County Judge

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\$ 48.30

Twelve months after date we or either  
of us promise to pay Henry Ray as  
Internal Improvement Commissioner  
for Madison County and or his successor  
in office the sum forty eight dollars and thirty  
cts with the interest at ten percent from  
date untill paid for value received with us  
our hand & seals this the 11<sup>th</sup> day of January  
1866

Benj. Vaughan (seal)  
George W. Todd (seal)  
Isaac Anderson (seal)

J. J. of W. W. W.  
Date 30,000

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Note approved  
this the 6<sup>th</sup> day of Nov 1860  
G. W. Seaman  
County Judge

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\$ 30.00

Twelve months after date we or  
either of us promise to pay Henry  
Ray as Internal Improvement  
Commissioner for Madison County Ark  
or his successor in office the sum of  
thirty dollars with interest at ten per  
cent per annum from date until paid  
for value received witnesses hands  
and seals. This the 1<sup>st</sup> day of October  
1860

A. W. Moore (seal)  
G. W. Payne (seal)  
Samuel P. Langston (seal)

Benj W. Vaughan  
a/c to: \$45.00

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Note approved  
this 9th of March 1861  
G. W. Vaughan  
M. W. Vaughan

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\$45.00  
100

Twelve Months after date  
we or either of us promise to pay Henry  
Ray as Attorney at Law Impersonation Commission  
for Madison County Arkansas  
of his successor in office the sum of  
Forty five dollars at two percent  
interest per annum from date until  
paid for value received

Witness our hands and seals  
this 5th day of March A.D. 1861  
Ben Vaughan Seal  
G W Vaughan Seal



F. H. Summers  
Note \$3750

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Note approved  
this 1st of Jan 1864

G. W. Summers

County Judge

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\$ 37.57

Twelve months after date we or either of us  
promise to pay Henry Ray as Internal Improv-  
ement Commissioner for Madison County  
Arkansas or his successor in office the sum  
of thirty seven dollars and fifty cts with interest  
at ten percent from date until <sup>paid</sup> for  
value received witness our hands and  
seals This the 12<sup>th</sup> day of January 1861

D. H. Sumner (seal)

D. L. Sumner (seal)

Wm. B. Sumner (seal)

Wm. Leadbetter  
of the \$42,000

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a vote appeared  
on the 11 day of Jan 1891

J. W. Secumore

County Judge

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\$ 49.23

Twelve months after date we or either of  
us promise to pay Henry King as Internal  
Improvement Commissioner for Madison  
County Arkansas or his successor or  
agent the sum of forty <sup>four</sup> dollars and  
~~forty~~ <sup>four</sup> cts with the interest at ten per  
cent from date until paid for  
value received in large our hands and seal,  
This the 11<sup>th</sup> day of January 1861

G. C. Fidelity, Secy  
H. C. Fidelity, Secy  
J. F. Fidelity, Secy (Seal)

G. W. Phillips  
Waltz 17297

Not approved  
Jan 11 1891

G. W. Leavens  
County Judge

Waltz

\$172.97

Twelve months after date we or  
either of us promise to pay Henry  
Ray as Internal improvement  
Commissioner for Madison County  
Arkansas or his successor in office  
the sum of one hundred and seventy  
two dollars ~~and~~ ninety seven cts with  
interest at <sup>ten</sup> two per cent from date  
until paid for value received  
witness our hands and seals this  
the 1<sup>st</sup> day of January 1861

G. W. Phillips (Seal)

William Phillips (Seal)

Wm. Matman (Seal)

Serge Leadbeters  
Wats 2800

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Note approved  
the 31st of Jan 1861  
G. W. Seemans.  
County Judge.

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\$28.00

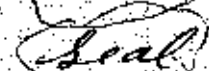
Twelve months after date we or  
either of us promise to pay Henry Ray  
as Internal improvement commissioner  
for Madison County clerk or his successor  
in office the sum of twenty eight  
dollars with interest at ten per cent  
from date until paid for a license  
witness our hands and seals

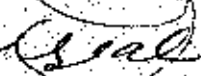
This the 1<sup>st</sup> day of January, 1861

George Sedbetter 

W. M. <sup>in</sup> Leabetter  
mark





C. P. Seddson 



W. M. Leadbetter's  
Note of 26.00

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Note approved  
this 24th of June 1861  
G. W. Seemans  
Security Judge

\$2600

Twelve months after date we or  
either of us promise to pay Henry Ray  
as Internal Improvement Commissioner  
for Madison County clerk or his successor  
in office the sum of twenty six dollars  
with interest at ten per cent per annum  
from date until paid for value and  
witness our hands and seals this the  
1 day of January 1861 his

H. M. Loddin (seal)  
mark

R. B. Cook (seal)

R. B. Paek (seal)

Mr. Berry's

Notes 10987

Note approved

Can Mr. 1841

Gov. Secretary

Henry D. Dwyer

\$ 1087 1/2

Twelve months after date we or  
either of us promise to pay Henry  
Ray as Internal improvement Commission  
or for Madison County Arkansas or his  
Successor in office the sum of  
one hundred and ~~thirty~~<sup>nine</sup> dollars and  
~~eighty~~<sup>thirty</sup> seven cts with the interest at ten  
percent from date until paid for  
value received withing our hands and  
Seal This the 1<sup>st</sup> day of January 1861

Wm. H. Berry (seal)

W. S. Betty (seal)

S. W. Berry (seal)

Received of Lieut Moore 2<sup>d</sup> Marshal 2<sup>d</sup> Div  
 Army Frontier the following promissory notes given by  
 sundry persons to the Commissioner of internal  
 improvements for Madison Co Arkansas

Payee	When Given	When Due	Amount of Note
J. M. Johnson	Jan 12 <sup>th</sup> 1861	Twelve months after date	\$560.00
Thos Bottomons	" " "	one day "	\$15.00
Saml Mathews	Apr " "	Twelve months "	\$153.00
J. C. Smith	Feb 6 <sup>th</sup> 1862	one day "	\$40.00
D. L. Eastell	Sept 7 <sup>th</sup> 1860	Twelve months "	\$11.00
J. C. Smith	Jan 6 <sup>th</sup> 1862	" " "	\$30.00
J. D. Mitchell	Nov 3 <sup>rd</sup> 1861	" " "	\$68.16
Mrs Southland	Jan 16 <sup>th</sup> "	" " "	\$38.00
Benjamin Vaughan	" 7 <sup>th</sup> "	" " "	\$48.30
" "	Mar 5 <sup>th</sup> "	" " "	\$45.00
J. W. Moody	Oct 1 <sup>st</sup> 1860	" " "	\$30.00
Jas. A. Jay	Aug 25 <sup>th</sup> "	" " "	\$20.00
J. C. McMurtry	Oct " "	" " "	\$62.57
Wm Lee	Nov 7 <sup>th</sup> "	" " "	\$50.00
John M. Coe	Apr 24 <sup>th</sup> "	Eight " " "	\$37.50
P. H. Sanders	Jan 7 <sup>th</sup> 1861	Twelve " " "	\$37.50
Eli Ledbetter	" 11 <sup>th</sup> "	" " "	\$72.20
G. W. Phillips	" 1 <sup>st</sup> "	" " "	\$112.97
Wm Berry	" " "	" " "	\$709.97
Levy Ledbetter	" " "	" " "	\$28.00
H. M. Ledbetter	" " "	" " "	\$26.00
Josias Bevins	Feb " "	" " "	\$63.30
" "	" " "	" " "	\$66.00
Thos Bottomons	Jan " "	" " "	\$100.00
Wm Phillips	Nov 6 <sup>th</sup> "	" " "	\$37.46
David Baisel	Jan 11 <sup>th</sup> "	" " "	\$44.45
Samuel Phillips	" " "	" " "	\$56.00
Calvin White	Oct 4 <sup>th</sup> "	" " "	\$45.00
Jos S. Polk	Feb 6 <sup>th</sup> "	" " "	\$125.20
Fredrick Bolinger	Apr 5 <sup>th</sup> 1860	Eight " " "	\$40.00

Calvin White	28	Oct 7	"	"	"	\$45.00
Ans S Polk	29	Feb 6 <sup>th</sup>	"	"	"	\$125.00
Fredrick Bolinger	30	Apr 5 <sup>th</sup> 1860	Eight	"	"	\$46.00

G. W. Simmons	31	Jan 28 <sup>th</sup> 1862	Doelce	Months of the date	\$37.00
C. B. Larrut	32	Feb 29 <sup>th</sup> "	"	"	\$55.00
J. C. Smith	33	May 28 <sup>th</sup> "	"	"	\$205.55
B. W. Henderson	34	Feb 1 <sup>st</sup> "	"	"	\$ 02.00
H. G. Phillips	35	" 2 <sup>nd</sup> 1858	"	"	\$110.00
J. C. Pitner	36	May 28, 1862	"	"	\$222.20
James M. Cheney	37	" " 1860	Seven	"	\$ 37.50
E. Norton	38	Jan 7 <sup>th</sup> "	Twelve	"	\$ 15.00
R. S. Brown	39	May 15 <sup>th</sup> "	Seven	"	\$ 72.00
James Mitchell	40	Jul 19, 1858	Twelve	"	\$ 8.00
Leander Dixon	41	Nov 16 <sup>th</sup> "	Six	"	\$50.00
B. G. Phillips	42	Mar " "	Twelve	"	\$50.00
Andrew Newman	43	Jan 26 <sup>th</sup> 1858	Five	"	\$60.00
Thos L Berry	44	" " 1858	Twelve	"	\$50.00
B. G. Phillips	45	Sept 28 <sup>th</sup> "	"	"	\$220.00
E. Brown	46	Jun 26 <sup>th</sup> 1858	Five	"	\$30.00
A. Sikes	47	Aug 9 <sup>th</sup> "	"	"	\$24.00
J. B. Quere	48	" 23 <sup>rd</sup> "	Four	"	\$37.00
G. W. Stearns	49	Mar 15 <sup>th</sup> "	Nine	"	\$100.00
James Lebetter	50	" 7 <sup>th</sup> 1860	Ten	"	\$37.50
J. W. Alderson	51	" 20 <sup>th</sup> 1858	Twelve	"	\$100.00
J. D. Mitchell	52	Nov 8 <sup>th</sup> "	Six	"	\$57.00
Henry Chenoweth	53	Mar 12 <sup>th</sup> 1860	Nine	"	\$37.50
J. D. Berry	54	Jun 18 <sup>th</sup> 1858	Twelve	"	\$52.50
James Bevans	55	May 7 <sup>th</sup> 1858	"	"	\$50.00
D. C. Smithson	56	Aug 13 <sup>th</sup> "	"	"	\$100.00
James Bevans	57	Apr 6 <sup>th</sup> 1858	"	"	\$50.00
Ernest Vaughan	58	Aug 11 <sup>th</sup> "	"	"	\$100.00
James Cairn	59	Jan 7 <sup>th</sup> 1862	"	"	\$24.50
J. M. Johnson	60	Oct 13 <sup>th</sup> 1864	"	"	\$50.00

Alfred Berthear	61	Jan 7 <sup>th</sup> 1864	Twelve	Months of the date	\$50.00
C. B. Saunders	62	Oct 10 <sup>th</sup> 1860	"	"	\$75.00

Alfred Besshear	61	Jan 1 <sup>st</sup> 1867	Twelve Months of the date	\$57.00
E. B. Saunders	62	Oct 10 <sup>th</sup> 1865	" " " "	\$75.00
Geo S. Bluer	63	Nov 9 <sup>th</sup> "	" " " "	\$30.00
Geo M. Elhany	64	Jan 30 <sup>th</sup> 1867	" " " "	\$9.30
" "	65	" 4 <sup>th</sup> "	" " " "	\$63.00
H. C. Lowe	66	" 28 <sup>th</sup> 1859	" " " "	\$50.00
J. D. Berry	67	" 26 <sup>th</sup> 1867	" " " "	\$45.50
" "	68	Feb 1 <sup>st</sup> "	" " " "	\$15.00
D. H. Everett	69	Jan 26 <sup>th</sup> 1858	" " " "	\$50.00
Jessy Waldon	70	" 4 <sup>th</sup> 1867	" " " "	\$20.80
J. M. Cannedy	71	" " " "	" " " "	\$38.00
G. W. Forest	72	Mar 11 <sup>th</sup> "	" " " "	\$55.25
E. H. Boulright	73	" 10 <sup>th</sup> "	" " " "	\$60.50
J. D. Mitchels	74	Jan 4 <sup>th</sup> "	" " " "	\$200.00
Fielding Parks	75	May 29 <sup>th</sup> "	" " " "	\$743.20
Wm M. Berry	76	Apr 28 <sup>th</sup> "	one day	\$12.00
R. W. Kelchum	77	Jan 9 <sup>th</sup> "	Twelve Months	\$38.12
Wm J. Hall	78	" " "	" " " "	\$40.00
Cambell Montgomerie	79	Feb 4 <sup>th</sup> "	" " " "	\$50.00
Benjamin Vaughan	80	Jan 17 <sup>th</sup> "	" " " "	\$97.71
J. D. M. Reynolds	81	Dec 1 <sup>st</sup> 1860	" " " "	\$284.13
Wm. Southland	82	Jan " 1867	" " " "	\$55.00
B. Benjamin Vaughan	83	" 11 <sup>th</sup> "	" " " "	\$100.00
E. G. Williams	84	" " "	" " " "	\$50.00
G. W. Forest	85	Feb 4 <sup>th</sup> 1860	" " " "	\$74.20
Isaac Anderson	86	Oct 30 <sup>th</sup> 1867	" " " "	\$50.00
J. J. Withrow	87	Jan 1 <sup>st</sup> "	" " " "	\$37.50
Joseph Cooper	88	Feb 6 <sup>th</sup> "	" " " "	\$100.00
James Macleary	89	Nov 28 <sup>th</sup> 1860	" " " "	\$100.00
James Lanebridge	90	Dec 21 <sup>st</sup> "	" " " "	\$100.00

Alger



Duplicate

Major Odum Clements

1860

To P. H. Whitehurst Sgt

Oct 24. For difference in purchase of 354 Bags  
Unpeeled Green Peaches, charged and sold  
(as per bill) as Halves, which prove upon ex-  
amination to be Halves and Quarters mixed

as appears from a survey held upon the same

37181<sup>ll</sup>

@ 1/2

557.76

For Damage sustained on the above 37181<sup>ll</sup> by

371.81

929.57

~~Feb~~C. J. G. G.P. W. Whitcomb  
vs. C. J. G. G.  
Adom & ClementsSums Paid. reble.April 6 61

Monday

1861

MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.  
HOSPITAL NOTICES.  
MISCELLANEOUS.

*Wm. James*  
Co. D, 4th Regt. N.Y. Cav.

April 15 - 67

May 15 - 67  
of the

at

This Indenture made the Sixteenth day of April, in the Year of Our Lord, One thousand eight hundred and Sixty one, between Mary Boyle trustee for Sarah Mulrenan of the hereinafter described Land and premises, Henry Mulrenan and Sarah Mulrenan, the Estate, Due Trust and the Wife of the said Henry Mulrenan, all of whom are residing in the City of Key West in the County of Monroe and State of Florida, of the first part, and George W. Carey of the same place of the second part. Witnesseth, that the said parties of the first part in consideration of the Sum of Fifteen hundred dollars, lawful Money of the United States to them in hand paid, the Receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, have granted, bargained, sold, Aliened, Remised, Released, Conveyed and Confirmed, and by these presents do grant, bargain, sell, Alien, Remise, Release, Convey and Confirm, unto the party of the second part, and to his heirs and assigns forever. All that certain piece or parcel of land lying and being in said City of Key West, known as part of Lot Number Six (No 6) in Square Number eight (No 8) according to the Map or Plan of said City delineated by William A. Whitehead, February 1829, having a front on Front Street of One

hundred and thirty one feet. More or less, and bounded as follows, East, by lands of William a Russell, North, by lands of James C. Clapp, South, by lands of Manuel Farina and West, by said Front Street, as per Diagram annexed to the Deed from Asa J. Jeff to the said Mary Boyle Trustee as aforesaid now on Record, together with all and singular the tenements, hereditaments, and Appurtenances thereunto belonging or in any wise Appertaining, and the Reversion and Reversions, Remainder and Remainders, Rents, issues and profits thereof, and also, All the Estate, Right, title, interest, Claim and demand, whatsoever, as well in Law as in equity of the said parties of the first part, of, in and to the same: To have and to hold, the above granted and described premises, with the Appurtenances unto the party of the second part, aforesaid, to his heirs and assigns and to his and their own proper use, benefit and behoof forever: Provided always, and these presents, are upon this condition, that if the said parties of the first part, shall well and truly pay their certain joint and several Promissory Notes (three in Number) bearing even date herewith, given to the said party of the second part, each one of said Notes for the sum of Five hundred dollars, making in the whole,

the aggregate sum of Fifteen hundred dollars,  
lawful money as aforesaid, as they may sever-  
rally become due, with interest at the rate of  
Six per Cent. per Annum, according to the  
tenor and effect of said several Notes, then  
these presents shall become void, and the  
Estate hereby granted shall cease and utterly  
determine.

In witness whereof the said  
parties of the first part, to these presents  
have hereunto set their hands and seals,  
the day and Year first before written.

~~Signed, sealed and~~  
Delivered in presence  
of us

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Letter

Washington  
May 31. 61

Capt S. H. Stone

~~Capt~~

Transmitting the  
Oaths of Allegiance  
of  
J. E. Beach  
A. C. Robinson  
J. W. Chute  
W. A. Moore  
Thomas Brown



Washington,

May 31, 1861.

General,

I respectfully enclose the oaths of allegiance of the following named men:

1. Joseph E. Bush.
2. Lewis C. Robinson, also testifying in this case.
3. J. M. Chute, also a statement made by himself.
4. William A. Moore.
5. Thomas Brown.

All of these men have been released in compliance with your special orders or on my own responsibility acting in your name.

I am very respectfully

Your Obedt. servant

S. H. Starr

Capt. U. S. Army.

Genl. J. M. F. Mansfield

Commanding Dept of Washington  
Present.

Citizens

Club

May 22 61

May 22<sup>d</sup> 1861  
To General Price Commander of the  
Missouri forces!

Dear Sir

We the undersigned  
Citizens of St. Louis County - being desirous of  
Engaging our Services for the Defence of  
Missouri and our rights. And being over  
run or a standing Army of Dutch  
whom we <sup>are</sup> not allowed to Express our opinion  
much less shoulder arms in defence  
of our State. We most humbly tender  
you our Services with all we can  
muster up to go with us to act in  
any capacity you may direct.

If you can use us Please write to us  
at Manchester Po Stating full particulars  
as to when and where we can meet.

This Communication openly Avowed  
never would Subject us to imprisonment  
but we are Americans born and raised  
in St. Louis County. And never as long as  
life exists will we tamely Submit to this

dictation and rule of a Dutch Power  
We are men of families owning property  
here and can give every assistance  
required and as those we may bring  
with us — It is currently reported here  
that the federal troops intend and  
attract the Japanese in a few days and  
if you are desirous of our services  
we can be there at short notice  
we can equip ourselves with all  
necessaries but not except arms  
hoping to hear from you immediately  
we will not move in this matter  
until further notice

Yours very respectfully  
G. H. Hollister  
J. W. Snitzer

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Oct

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Cincinnati, O.

May 15, 1861.

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Waverly C.

Supt. South<sup>n</sup> Klein.

West<sup>n</sup> Union Tel.

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In relation to the ap-

provement of Mr.

A. Stager, Genl.

Superintendent, as

Special aid, by Genl.

M<sup>r</sup>. Clellan.

W. H. C.

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Recd, May 31, 1861

# WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH COMPANY.

No. 1.]

TERMS AND CONDITIONS ON WHICH MESSAGES ARE RECEIVED BY THIS COMPANY FOR TRANSMISSION.

The public are notified that, in order to guard against mistakes in the transmission of messages, every message of importance ought to be repeated, by being sent back from the station at which it is to be received, to the station from which it is originally sent. Half the usual price for transmission will be charged for repeating the message; and while this Company will, as heretofore, use every precaution to ensure correctness, it will not be responsible for mistakes or delays in the transmission or delivery of repeated messages, beyond an amount exceeding five hundred times the amount paid for sending the message; nor will it be responsible for mistakes or delays in the transmission of un-repeated messages from whatever cause they may arise, nor for delays arising from interruptions in the working of its Telegraphs, nor for any mistake or omission of any other Company, over whose lines a message is to be sent to reach the place of destination. All messages will hereafter be received by this Company for transmission, subject to the above conditions.

A. STAGER, Gen. Supt., Cleveland, Ohio.

I. R. ELWOOD, Sec'y, Rochester, N. Y.

To *Chas. Davenport* By *Telegraph*, from *St. Louis* *1860.*  
*Gen. Supt.*

The following document was just handed over to the Manager of the Telegraph at St. Louis *Percy's* *Lucy's* *Lucian J. Barnes* to intercept, at this point, any treasonable correspondence offered at your office, or passing over the lines under your control, and correcting any unwarranted reports attempted to be sent abroad for publication.

His instructions in the matter are by authority of the United States Officer (signed) *W. Egan*, Capt. 2d Infantry, Commanding (over)

Is this all right?

Geo. M. Smith

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To Genl H. H. Harney  
Brigs Genl Emory  
By Telegraph, from Cincinnati 16/861.  
St. Louis May 16<sup>th</sup> 1861.

The would respectfully suggest that  
our Manager at St. Louis Mr Geo H Smith  
be appointed Proprietor of dispatches  
at St. Louis Mr Anson Stager our Genl  
Supt & myself will touch for his fidelity  
& implicit obedience to your orders  
Mr Barnes appointed by Capt Lyon is many  
reasons exceedingly objectionable to us



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L. R. ELWOOD, Sec'y, Rochester, N. Y.

To \_\_\_\_\_ 1861.  
By Telegraph, from \_\_\_\_\_ 1861.

For the value of the endorsement  
offered I would refer to Genl  
McClellan

Very Respy  
Chas Wainport  
Supt Coun Div  
W U Telg Co

## SUPERINTENDENT'S DEPARTMENT.

Western Union Telegraph Company.

Cincinnati May 15 1861.

Maj. Genl. Geo. B. McClellan

I have just received the enclosed message from our Manager at St. Louis. The James named does not, in any way, belong to our company, though he was formerly an operator in St. Louis Office. We were glad to get rid of him, and I have since refused to re-employ him. His appointment, which was made without any notice to, or consultation with us is, in the highest degree, offensive. If the military authorities will engage to protect us at St. Louis, we will cheerfully engage to observe the orders there, that we obey in your territory, but we desire that any authority of the sort, indicated in the enclosed message, shall be given to some one of our own people, for whom Mr. Stager and myself will vouch. If you will be good enough to say as much to Capt. Lyon, I suppose he will not hesitate to give his order to our Mr. Geo. W. Smith, Manager of St. Louis Office.

Respectfully  
Yours  
Chas. W. Thompson

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John W. Harney  
U. S. Army

St. Louis May 16 1864.

By Telegraph, from Cincinnati 16 1864.

I have just recd the following from Barnes in his possession of the telegraph office at St. Louis by my authority no change can be allowed signed A. Lyon

I telegraphed you last evening upon this subject was the extraordinary proceeding of Capt Lyon directed by you as usual

A. Lyon

Gen. B. M. Callan  
Maj. Genl

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To Genl. W. S. Harney

St. Louis May 15 1860.

By Telegraph, from Cincinnati 15 1860.

Captain Ryan is interfering with the telegraph I has appointed an agent to supervise dispatches at St. Louis, I Central Telegraph on this side of the River and hope you will prevent Capt Ryan from interfering in St. Louis But take the matter in your own hands; Capt Williams will explain fully,

L. B. McCallan

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I. R. ELWOOD, Sec'y, Rochester, N. Y.

To Chas. Danforth, Cincinnati, May 15 1860.  
By Telegraph, from St. Louis 15 1860.

Dear Sir, The following document was just handed me. It is the Manager of the Telegraphs of St. Louis. It is hereby given License of Powers to intercept, at this point, any telegrams, or correspondence offered at your office, or passing over the lines under your control, and correcting any unwarranted reports attempted to be sent abroad for publication. His instructions are the matters hereby authority of the United States Officer (Signed) W. Lyon, Capt. Ed. Infantry, Comd'g.

As this is right? G. M. Smith

H. Hilkey, President  
J. H. Wood, Sec'y & Treas'r

Rockester, N. Y.

J. H. Wade, Gen'l Agent  
Amos Stager, Gen'l Supt.

Cleveland, O.

# Western Union Telegraph Company

GENERAL SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE,

Cincinnati ~~Ohio~~ May 15 1861

W. S. Harney  
Brig. Gen'l.  
Sir

Enclosed copy of an order made by  
Capt. Lyon, and served upon our Manager at St. Louis  
today. Our Company, which owns and controls most of  
the lines West of Pittsburgh & Buffalo, North of  
Louisville, and East of St. Louis, in the last degree,  
loyal and devoted to the interest of the General Government.  
Our Gen'l Superintendent, Mr. Amos Stager, has  
been appointed special aid by Gen'l. McClellan, for  
the conduct of such business as involves the use of  
the telegraph, and has received from the Governor of  
Ohio, Indiana, — and probably, by this time, of  
Illinois, — such authority as is needed to carry  
out thoroughly Gen'l. McClellan's views, and our  
Company is ready by all means in its power to render  
you the same service in your department, which  
is afforded to Gen'l. McClellan in his. We desire,  
however, to remonstrate against such an appointment,  
as the enclosed document makes, as the person designated  
is, for good reasons, very objectionable to us. He was  
formerly in our employ, and only saved himself

H. Libbey, President  
J. W. Elwood, Secy & Treasr  
Rochester, N.Y.

ESTD BY NORTHERN TELEGRAPH CO. CLEVELAND, O.

J. H. White, Genl Agent  
Amos Stager, Genl Supt  
Cleveland, O.

# Northern Telegraph Company

GENERAL SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE,

Cleveland, O.

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from dismissal by resigning, since which time  
he has made applications for re-employment which  
we have declined to give him. He is also not  
a person of the sort of discretion needed for the  
proper discharge of such duties. We would  
respectfully suggest our Manager at St. Louis,  
Geo. W. Smith, as an entirely suitable person  
for such duty, and both our Genl. Supt.,  
Mr. Stager, and myself will cheerfully  
vouch for his implicit obedience to your orders.  
For the value of the proffered security, I would  
respectfully refer you to Genl. McCallan

Yours Very Respectfully  
Chas. Warrington  
Supt Northern Division N. T. Co.

*City*

Mayer's Office  
City of New York  
May 11, 1864

I have the honor to receive  
in compliance with  
your letter a list of ~~all the~~  
licenses by the City  
for the retailing of  
liquor from & since  
then the honor to be

Very respectfully,  
Wm. A. S. C.  
Gov. Sullivan  
Mayor

French Hill  
New York  
City



~~City~~

Mayor Office  
City of Key West  
May 11, 1861

Sir

I have the honor to enclose  
herewith in compliance with  
your request, a list of ~~the~~  
persons licensed by the City  
Council for the retailing of  
Spirits and liquors Per & Car  
I have the honor to be

very respectfully

Yours Obedt

Wm P. Burdison

Mayor

Wm P. Burdison  
Commanding  
Key West

Not narrow

870  
Summer

May 12 61

City

Boston  
May 13<sup>th</sup> 1852

Dear Sumner:

Carlisle was here  
last week in my absence at  
Phillips, made a Black Republican  
speech, and he and his  
confederates who are seeking  
to divide off Northern Whigs  
& to sell us to the Black Republican  
secretly organized opposition  
to me. Blackwell Jackson  
of Lane Mass is the man.  
They proposed for him an  
Circular which I have told  
at Lowell's being and they have  
summers and now in different  
counties of the district circulating  
it, except in this county. They  
have suppressed it here, probably  
no doubt and I have not  
been able to see it yet. They

and meaning my the matter  
very secretly, they do not  
know now that we know  
it. They will see us to the  
Black Republican, secretly  
if they can otherwise.

Let me insist on your  
active efforts for me. I shall  
do my whole duty.

Your friend  
John Brown

A. Garrison, Esq.

P. 28/B. 53 1861

Head Quarters

Missouri State Guard

Jefferson City, May 21  
1861

Price S.  
Major Genl.  
Cmndg.

In reply to communication relative to the seizure of lead the property of Messrs. Blow and Kennett. Citizens  
(3 enclosures)

Recd. / 10. W. Stone / 61

Fort Camp Mo  
May 28<sup>th</sup> 1861

To His Excellency

L. G. Jackson

Jefferson City Mo

Dear Sir. We wish to make known to you our defenceless condition, and to ask of you that protection which no peaceable citizens in a civilized community we think we have a right to ask at your hands as the Executive of our State.

We are surrounded with a population of Germans and Protestants exceeding our numbers about ten to one who differ with us in sentiment and sympathies warmly with the Lincoln Administration. They assembled yesterday about four miles from this place headed by a satellite of Frank Blair by the name of Cook, and adopted a series of Resolutions looking to assistance to the military, law of the State also putting the civil law at defiance. After which some light military companies were organized and Cook dispatched last night to St Louis for arms. Our lives and property have been threatened and our citizens have been ordered to suppress their sympathy

for the South under threats of invasion from  
the North & Kansas.

<sup>Mr</sup> the bearer will give  
you in detail the peculiar circumstances  
of our situation and we ask of you as a  
matter of justice in view of the dangers of  
our situation to station one or two companies  
at or near this place.

Respectfully  
(then follows the names of eight reliable citizens)

Smithton May 29<sup>th</sup> 1861

This morning a man whose name is Cook called out William Beck's store in this place acting himself a persecuted man, and without being interrogated on any subject, began to curse and abuse Gov Jackson calling him a traitor &c. Saying he (Cook) had called on Gov J for protection but received no promise, but every one of his opposers should be hanged - that he was in possession of information by which they would be detected, he Cook was making it his business to find out all such men and bring them to the halt. On yesterday he made a statement in the presence of Genl Smith & Montgomery & others in Sedalia that receiving no encouragement from the Gov he had on leave left Lyon of St Louis who told him to seize all the force in his vicinity who were of his opinions and report himself to Jim Lane of Kansas who would relieve him. He Cook also stated in another store that slaveholders were the cause of the war in the world and the wrong of Slaves was the cause of it.

About 12 o'clock today a man in a covered wagon, driving 2 brown mules stated that Jim Lane would make a demonstration near Levee Camp in Benton County in a short



time, his information was drawn from  
hearing a speech made by David Cook  
yesterday to a body of Germans, informing  
them that General Harney would give them  
arms to defend themselves, and that one  
German was to make five of 3 Americans.  
This latter comment he had to a stranger  
he met on the road who was moving to  
Texas, telling the stranger he would sell  
hell in less than 50 miles from here.

Cook also stated that 300 desperados  
in Warsaw had determined they would hang  
him, but last night he was guarded by  
15 armed men and he could have had  
8 times the amount if he had wanted them.

Cook & Macky took the cars this morning  
for St Louis to bring the arms promised the  
Antes.

(Signed by ~~John~~ Citizens)

Fort Leavenworth Mo May 29<sup>th</sup> 61

To His Excellency

L. G. Jackson

Jefferson City Mo

Dear Sir

We the Citizens of the eastern portion of Benton City wish to inform you of the fact that on yesterday about 6 or 700 of our neighbors, men in Lincoln men assembled about 3 miles from this place, and was addressed by one A. H. W. Locke with a strong Black Republican speech; after which some 7 or 8 companies were formed, and last night he left for St Louis, telling them he would bring sufficient arms for their use, and that he had assurances he could get them, as he had just returned from St Louis a few days previous. He stated publicly in our streets we had better be very cautious how we uttered Southern sentiments and how we conducted ourselves and that he could get a thousand men from St Louis in a short time if necessary if the arms could be captured consistent with some

we think it ought to be done. He set  
at defiance the military law in his  
speech. The most of his men are  
Irish and Germans. We  
learn of this can give you such other  
information as you may need  
Respectfully

(Signed by eight citizens)

Head Quarters Missouri State Guard  
Jefferson City Missouri  
May 31<sup>st</sup> 1861

General

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of a communication from Major William your Asst Adjutant General, transmitting an extract from a letter to Messrs Blow & Bennett of Saint Louis - Complaining that "the Governor through his Agents had seized upon, and intercepted a quantity of lead belonging to the concern". On receipt of said communication I lost no time in laying the matter before the Governor, and he most positively assured me, that he never gave any order, or authorized any such seizure as is complained of, nor has he sanctioned or permitted interference with any private property whatever. He will immediately order the restitution of the lead, and dispatch a special messenger to inquire into the facts of the case, and will give such instructions as will prevent a recurrence of such acts.

I herewith enclose <sup>copies of</sup> you three letters that I have just received; they will, I think, satisfy you of the correctness of the views contained in my letter of the 29<sup>th</sup> - in relation to your proposition to establish, and arm a "Home Guard" in certain localities in the State. I feel confident that you will now concur with me in the

opinion that such a step would be attended with the  
most unfortunate consequences, and fatally destroy  
the peace and harmony that now seems to prevail, and  
the continuance of which we both so earnestly desire.

I have the honor to be General  
with much respect your

Obedient Servant

Stirling Price

Maj Gen Commanding

To

Brig<sup>d</sup> Gen<sup>l</sup> W<sup>m</sup> S. Kearney

Com<sup>d</sup> of the West U. S. A

Saint Louis

Missouri

Name of voters at  
Ball Cross Roads  
on May 23<sup>d</sup> 1861  
for & against Secession

How or more  
Citizens

Box 3 MCG

Copied from the Election Roll  
May 30/61 Dub

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Voters at an election held at  
Ball's Cross Roads in the fifth election district  
of the County of Alexandria Va.

For Secession

Against Secession

1	George Vitch	1	G. B. Brown
2	William Birch	2	John Hicks
3	James Roach	3	Jay B. Philips
4	H. B. J. Fry	4	Jno W. Vitch
5	Edward Beble	5	Samuel Birch
6	John R. Johnson	6	H. T. Bae Jr.
7	George C. Jackson	7	J. W. Walker
8	S. L. Summers	8	H. M. Kauter
9	W. J. Minor	9	L. B. Corbit
10	Geo. A. Thomas	10	Samuel Casien
11	James C. Roach	11	Henry Sherry
12	Wm J. R. Birch	12	H. Bae Sr.
13 <sup>covered</sup>	Rich <sup>d</sup> Williams	13	Jas. Howard
14	James V. J. Bae	14	Thomas Simmonds
15	Wm H. T. Carlin	15	James Marcy
16	Jno. W. T. Bowen	16	George Reed
17	Thomas Hitchcock	17	Robert Harrison
18	Smith Minor	18	H. Donaldson
19	W. D. Nutt	19	Newton Burns
20	V. J. Sudath	20	John L. Barnes
21	Wm C. Vitch	21	Thomas Harrison
22	Thomas A. Tucker	22	Henry Travis
23	Rich <sup>d</sup> S. Shreve	23	Wm Marcy Sr.

- 24 Isaac A. Vetch
- 25 Benj. F. Crabb
- 26 <sup>under</sup> <sup>872</sup> D. S. Jarens
- 27 James Runnels
- 28 N. B. Clarke
- 29 Rich<sup>d</sup>. H. Vetch { voted twice  
in Capt's or Alty  
& at the same  
Roads
- 30 <sup>Coated</sup> W. Schrevo
- 31 O. R. Coane { voted twice  
as above

- 24 E. C. Pearl
- 25 Edward Buel
- 26 Samuel Marcy
- 27 H. S. Wounded
- 28 Wesley Carlin
- 29 Richard Southern
- 30 William Elliott
- 31 W. B. Lacy
- 32 Wm Marcy Jr.
- 33 Robert Walker
- 34 J. R. Herreck
- 35 Robert Hearst
- 36 Lewis Marcy
- 37 Samuel Birch Jr.
- 38 G. Vandenburg
- 39 Robert Marcy
- 40 Samuel S. Phelps
- 41 Noah Drummond
- 42 J. A. Pison
- 43 Marcus Pear
- 44 Alen Pearce
- 45 Caleb Birch Sr.
- 46 Henry C. Jewell
- 47 Amos Dye
- 48 Robert Donaldson
- 49 Caleb H. Birch
- 50 Robert Dyer



Voters at Balls Cross Roads  
May 23<sup>d</sup> / 61 —  
For & against Secession

- 51 John Birch Jr.  
 52 James Finicee  
 53 Rich<sup>d</sup> Lorrell  
 54 Randolph Birch  
 55 John W. Merrieth  
 56 Thomas Glover  
 57 Elijah R. Birch  
 58 James Donelson  
 59 C. E. French  
 60 John T. Birch  
 61 James W. Horner  
 62 George C. Wonders  
 63 Bazil Hae  
 64 Thos. Merchant  
 65 E. J. Cxley  
 66 Harvey Bayley  
 67 Samuel Case  
 68 Wm R. Birch  
 69 George Marcy  
 70 J. Thomas Clark  
 71 Jno W. Travers  
 72 Wm J. Marcy  
 73 Wesley Davis  
 74 Geo. W. Donelson  
 75 Robert H. Donelson  
 76 John Marcy  
 77 John Brown  
 78 C. D. Graham  
 79 W. P. Taylor

*June*  
**1861**

**MISCELLANEOUS,  
HOSPITAL NOTICES,  
MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.**

*Wilmington, Dec. 6*  
*Co. A, 14<sup>th</sup> Regt. N.Y. Cav.*

Perth Hilland

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Deschamps

Jan 61  
C. J. Hilland

Washington  
June 18<sup>th</sup> 61

The Messrs. Mr. Keitt, Mr. Hill -  
have been released from jail on  
taking each an oath not to bear  
arms against the government of the  
United States. Nor to oppose the  
secession government in any way  
whatsoever.

J. H. Stone  
Capt. U.S. Army

Letter <sup>16</sup>

Capt. Starn  
June 7. 61

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In witness the oaths  
of allegiance of Ball  
and Kirby.

Citizens

Washington, June 7, 1861  
General.

I have the honor of enclosing herewith the Orders of Allegiance of Geo. L. Kirby and J. T. Ball. They were released in compliance with your order.

I am very respectfully

Your obedient servant

J. H. Stan

Capt. U.S. Army

Genl. J. H. F. Mansfield  
Commanding Dept. of Washington  
Washington  
Present.

HEAD-QUARTERS, DEPT. OF WASHINGTON.

OFFICIAL BUSINESS.

Orders of  
W. J. Lillard  
J. North

Allyson

and



~~HEAD-QUARTERS, DEPARTMENT OF WASHINGTON.~~

Washington, D. C., June 18, 1861.

General,

I respectfully  
enclose the oaths of W. J. Hillard  
and Henry Nevitt, prisoners taken  
by our troops, in arms against  
the United States. They each  
swore not to bear arms against  
the Government of the United  
States, or to oppose it in any  
way, during the existence of  
the present war. They were  
accordingly released as you di-  
rected.

Very respectfully  
Your obt servant  
S. H. Starr  
Capt. U. S. Ar.

Genl. J. M. F. Mansfield

Courtesy Dept of Washington

Washington, Present.

18 1861

No. 12

Kansas City, Mo.

No.

ABSTRACT A.

~~Baker & Slick~~

~~claim for bonds~~  
Dollars

Paid

of

Baker & Slick

1861

A

The United States,

To Bales & Hicks

Dr.

Date of purchase.			DOLLARS.	CENTS.
June 19 1861	336	Half Kegs Rifle Powder	9 <sup>00</sup>	3 024
	84	Half Kegs Rifle Powder 1/4 lbs ea	42 <sup>50</sup>	3 99
	125	Quarter Keg Rifle Powder 1/4 lbs ea	250	3 12 50
	120	Half Kegs Blasting Powder	8 <sup>00</sup>	9 60
	41	Four Pound Cannisters	19 <sup>00</sup>	7 79 0
	7	Cannisters Electric 1 lb ea	12 <sup>50</sup>	8 75
	50	"A.S.P." 1 lb Cannisters	55	2 75 0
	250	"I.R.P." 1 lb Cannisters	55	13 75 0
	87	"K.R.P." 1 lb Cannisters	55	4 78 5
	650	"K.R.P." 1/4 lb Cannisters	40	26 0
	138	"K.R.P." 1/2 lb Blanks	40	5 52 0
	13	Iron Kegs 5 lbs ea	19 <sup>00</sup>	2 47 0
	35	Pokes Cannisters	9 <sup>00</sup>	3 15
				5 649 90

By order of Major I D Sturgis 1st Cavalry  
 this powder was removed from Hyandatt  
 and is now stored in the Arsenal at  
 this Post. The owners are gentlemen who  
 zealously support the Govt in her present  
 troubles and justice demands that they  
 should be reimbursed any loss resulting  
 from this seizure of their property, which  
 can be regarded only as a self protecting  
 act of the Govt

Signed

W E Primer

Capt Capt

I John M Hicks a member of the firm of Bales &  
 Hicks do hereby certify that the foregoing account  
 against the United States and the endorsement  
 appended thereto by W E Primer is a true  
 and perfect copy of the original account  
 and endorsement thereon made by and

against the United States and the endorsement  
appended thereto by "W E Prince" is a true  
and perfect copy of the original account  
and endorsement thereon made by and  
signed by "W E Prince" Capt Inf

John M. Hicks

Sworn to and subscribed before me Englewood Clerk of the Kansas  
City Court of Common Pleas within the County of Jackson  
State of Missouri this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of September AD 1861 Witness  
my hand and the seal of said Court at office in Kansas  
City the day and year aforesaid  
Englewood Clerk

Included in the above are Forty Kegs Rifle  
sold to J Staab, and Ten Kegs Rifle sold  
to J Beuthner of New Mexico. the amount  
of which viz: Four Hundred and Fifty  
Dollars, is to be deducted from the above  
if the said Fifty Kegs are delivered to  
said Purchasers by order of the Government  
Balis Hicks

I certify that the above account is correct and just, and that the articles have been accounted  
for on my property return for the quarter ending on the \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ 185 .

Quartermaster.

RECEIVED at \_\_\_\_\_, the \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_, 185 ,  
of \_\_\_\_\_ Quartermaster U. S.  
Army, \_\_\_\_\_ dollars and \_\_\_\_\_ cents,  
in full of the above account.

Union

Stated there was a mass meeting held in the Virginia Settlement - Wayne Co. Mo. in June 1861 for the purpose of ~~selecting out~~ all Union Men in that neighborhood and enclosing names of all who would acknowledge themselves such. Also states that they believe themselves in great danger from their neighbors influence over the Guerrilla bands which infect that country.

Recd. Head Qrs. Dist. So. East. Mo. Sept 25/61

U. # 391.

*[Handwritten signature]*  
*[Handwritten signature]*  
*[Handwritten signature]*

A Map meeting June 1861  
 held in the Pigeon settlement  
 Wayne Co Mo; this was held for  
 the purpose of knowing all the persons  
 were in and around this settlement  
 And the following names were the  
 only persons who would declare their  
 determination to stand by the United  
 States Government at all ha yards.

- J. M. <sup>appointed</sup> ~~Harrison~~ afterwards Major 110<sup>th</sup> Cal. U.S.
- J. J. Millitt. Do 11<sup>th</sup> 38<sup>th</sup> Vol<sup>ts</sup> In<sup>fy</sup> U.S.
- John W. Andrews. Do 29<sup>th</sup> 95<sup>th</sup> In<sup>fy</sup> U.S. (Dead)
- C. B. L. Spewland. Do Sergeant 118<sup>th</sup> S. M. Coy Iowa
- J. M. Woods.
- Samuel Andrews.
- H. Fulton.
- W. E. Lurise.
- J. C. Lurise.
- James Spore
- John Spore
- A. McFadden
- B. McFadden
- W. H. Hovell
- Wm. Patterson
- J. W. English
- David Hines
- James Fulton. If there were other persons were here

Veracruz

States there was a mass meeting held in the Virgin in late month of May in Co. No. in June 1861 for the purpose of getting out all Union men in that neighborhood and encloses names of all who would acknowledge themselves such. Also states that they believe themselves in great danger from their neighbors influence over the Guavilla band who inhabit that country.

Recd. Head Qrs. Dist. So. East. Mex. at 9:00

U. # 39.

*[Handwritten signature]*

We have not known them yet to be such. We have heard of very many who are Union men in the presence of <sup>the</sup> ~~the~~ Soldiers but he is to all others by their words and acts.

Yours Truly  
Union.

We believe ourselves in great danger from our neighbour influence over the general but all Guavilla bands who inhabit this country.

Genl Ashmun's  
Report

June 30 '61

2 citizens



I have the honor to report  
that a detail of two from the  
Chicago Dragons Capt C W Barker  
proceeded Sunday June 30<sup>th</sup> 1861  
under the direction of John Boyer  
and Phil Rigger up the Packerston  
Gape six miles. They arrested Mr.  
Higgenbotham by their orders and  
brought him to Head Quarters  
They took from Mr. Patterson two  
horses. Gray, which are now at our  
stable having been fed and shod

Respectfully  
O D Stand  
1<sup>st</sup> Lieut Chicago Dragons Com Genl Escort

Charges <sup>21</sup> 1/2

J. J. & S. W.

of  
meent  
& Henry Block.

June 21, 1867

Oliver

Drafton June 21<sup>st</sup> 1861

J. T. & S. W. Vincent were taken prisoners in the vicinity of Kenton Ferry by Simeon Taylor of Com. F. 20<sup>th</sup> Reg. A. M. They are charged of being secession spies, of belonging to the secession army and of being very dangerous men. They left Fairmont with Capt Thompson as members of his company and joined the Rebel forces. The accompanying "P" was found on the person of J. T. Vincent. It is supposed that they were raising secret forces to aid rebellion and to carry information to the Rebels.

Witnesses can be procured at Fairmont where they are well known.

Kewy Block - a German was arrested by Capt Cook 20<sup>th</sup> Reg. A. M. near Slowers Gap. It is supposed he was passing along the R. Road to report condition to the enemy. He refuses to take the oath.

J. E. Selama  
Dr. Master 20<sup>th</sup> Reg  
A. M.

22<sup>d</sup> Md. Inf. 69<sup>th</sup> Regt. N.Y.

30th Colorado

June 9, 1861

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Michael Coreoran

Colonel 69<sup>th</sup> Regt.

Report the result of scout by  
which the following named pris-  
oners were made to wit:

- 1 R. A. V. Veitch
- 2 Hamilton Dye
- 3 J. J. Ball
- 4 W. A. Dyer
- 5 J. H. Hammer

Also 3 horses & some revolvers  
muskets &c taken.

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Portage

Rank of 69<sup>th</sup> Regt.

Recd. June 9, 1861

# National Cadets.



Head Quarters, 69th Regiment, U. S. A.

Fort Coconan, Va. June 9 1861

To Col. David Hunter

3<sup>d</sup> U. S. Cavalry

Commanding Brigade of the Regulars

Sir:

I have the honor to report that about noon yesterday a detail of ten men sent forward under a sergeant to recover some strayed cattle, received information that some party of Rebels were in the habit of assembling at the house of a man named Beitch, about three miles in advance of our position, between Columbia Pike and the cross roads. Also that one J. J. Ball and several others in the immediate neighborhood, were members of the Company of Rebels, and active in their organization.

The sergeant with his men immediately repaired to the house of Beitch, but an alarm was raised as they approached, and Beitch with several followers fled into the woods, where they raised a peculiar whistle, as if to call reinforcements to their aid, or warn their associates in neighboring houses. It being impossible to pursue them through the

woods with a force so inadequate, the Sergeant re-  
pairs to Veitch's House where he found a loaded  
musket on the front stoop; and within twenty paces  
a pair of bedding, ten trunks, a large cooking stove,  
for a company mess, and plates, knives, forks &c  
sufficient for 50 men. on this he returned to me and  
made report; whereupon taking with me the En-  
gineer Corps, under Lieut. D. Homenque and M. E.  
Quade, and details from Companies A and B under  
Captain Haggerty, I immediately proceeded to the house  
indicated, having previously communicated the  
facts to Lieut. Gordon, the officer commanding  
Co. B, 2<sup>nd</sup> Cavalry, who promptly proceeded to-  
wards Veitch's house and joined me in its imme-  
diate vicinity.

Having sent a scouting party of six of my  
men in advance, they captured two prisoners giving  
their names as R. A. V. Veitch, and Hamilton Dyer,  
and also fired upon several persons whom they  
observed retreating from Veitch's House into the  
woods, ~~on their~~ ~~woods~~ on their approach. at the  
same time the Cavalry under Lieut. Gordon sur-  
rounded the three suspected houses at this point,  
and the prisoner giving his name as J. J. Ball, re-  
presented as a ringleader of the rebels, was arrested  
by one of Co. B's men while in the act of trying  
to escape on horseback into the woods.

On searching the premises of Veitch, another

loaded musket, a revolver and a bullet mould were found; and in one of the trunks, the uniform jacket cap, sash, and trousers stripes of a sergeant in the Rebel army, the cap being marked "8". On searching Ball's house, we found a revolver and shot gun, and in the barn a saddle cloth of the rebel uniform pattern, trimmed with yellow. Also three horses, one of them being saddled by the prisoner giving his name as W. A. Dyer; and in this house also the prisoner giving his name as J. H. Hammer was arrested. In another house in the immediate vicinity, a revolver was found and taken; and another house was searched, which had evidently been vacated and stripped in the interval between the first visit of the sergeant and ten men, and our second visit. We returned to camp at 7 o'clock P. M. last evening. The five prisoners, three horses, and all the weapons, and other articles seized are now in my possession and subject to your instructions.

I have the honor to be

with great respect

Very obediently Yours

Michael Corcoran  
Colonel

Most respectfully  
referred to the  
Ses. Div. of War.  
of N. E. Virginia

Disunter  
Col. 3<sup>d</sup> Cav.  
Com. Brigade

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23  
H. J. N. J. Brigade  
Camp Trenton. June 20/64

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Genl Theo. Runyon

Comd. N. J. Brigade

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Requiring what disposition shall be  
made of certain persons under ar-  
rest in the Camp of mentioning a num-  
ber of arrests recently made

Ans

Runyon

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Recd June 22/64

Dist 20 - 1770.0

Head Quarters N. J. Bryant -  
Camp Newton -

June 20. 1861

Capt James B. Fry A. A. S.

Sir:

What disposition shall I make  
of the three prisoners (two soldiers and one  
civilian) now in arrest in this camp on the  
charge of outraging or attempting to outrage,  
a colored woman? I have to day caused  
Mr. Beuther, James Carroll, Thos. McDonald  
John Cotton, Chas Johnson and Ephraim Ellison  
to be arrested and placed under guard for the  
protection of Mr. Frazer,

Respectfully Yours  
Rudolf W. Fry  
Maj. Gen. C. N. J. Bryant.

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Camp Union  
 Kansas City.  
June 20. 1864

Prince W. C.  
 Capt. 1st Inf.

Respecting the  
 capture of powder  
 the property of  
 Messrs. Bales & Hick

Recd. K. C. July 1/64

Kansas City Mo June 19. 1861.

Captain:

Some time since I purchased from Messrs Bales & Wicks of this place, a lot of powder, among which were ten kegs for Mrs S. Bentlines of Las, New Mexico. which these gentlemen allowed me to keep in their magazine until such time as the wagons would arrive and be ready to load. The wagons arrived yesterday, and upon making application to Messrs Bales & Wicks for the powder purchased I was informed that all that was in the magazine had been taken possession of by the government.

This powder was purchased in good faith and is intended exclusively for the New Mexican Market, and if not incompatible with the public service you would oblige the purchaser by causing an order to be issued for its delivery, and I will guarantee that it shall be loaded and started immediately to its destination.

As the wagons are in waiting you will oblige me by giving me an answer at your earliest convenience.

Very Respectfully Yours  
David V. Whiting

Capt W. E. Prince  
Command of Camp Union  
Kansas

# DAVID V. WHITING,

(SUCCESSOR TO McCARTY & BARKLEY.)

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" C. E. KEARNEY, Kansas City.

" F. CONANT, " "

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" SPIEGELBERG BROS., " "

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" HILBERG & AMBERG, " "

" DELGADO & BRO., " "

" PEREA & DELGADO, " "

Mr. J. M. GALLEGOS, " "

Col. C. ST. VRAIN, Mora, " "

Mr. L. B. MAXWELL, Rayado, " "

Mr. S. BEUTHNER, Taos, " "

Hon. C. BEAUBIEN, Taos, " "

Dr. S. BOICE, Las Vegas, N. M.

Messrs. DOLD & BRO., Las Vegas, N. M.

" MOORE & REES, Tecolote, " "

Dr. H. CONNELLY, Peralta, " "

Mr. JUAN PEREA, Bernalillo, " "

" JOSE L. PEREA, " "

" J. C. ARMILLO, Albuquerque, " "

" S. M. BAIRD, " "

" AMBROSIO ARMILLO, " "

" S. ROSENSTEIN, " "

Messrs. A. & L. ZECKENDORF, " "

Gen'l J. GARLAND, - - U. S. A.

Col. W. W. LORING, - - " "

Col. J. B. GRAYSON, - - " "

Maj. J. E. DONALDSON, " "

Capt. L. C. EASTON, " "

Surg. W. J. HLOAN, " "

Surg. E. H. ABADIE, " "

P. 33/10. W/ July 1/61

1 Copy of letter sent to Mr. Whiting 1

W. L. Camp Union  
Kansas City, Mo. June 20. 1861.

Sir:

I received your communication of the 17th inst, last evening, respecting a quantity of powder, taken from the magazine of Messrs. Wallis & Nicks, You are aware this article is contraband of War, and I regret that it is impossible for me to comply with your wishes for its delivery, at present. This powder will be safely stored, and the circumstances reported to the Government, which will undoubtedly act in the matter with that justice which has ever characterized its proceedings.

Respectfully

Your Obedt. Servant  
W. L. Bruce  
Capt. U.S. Army

W. David, J. Whiting  
Merchant  
Kansas City, Mo.

M 835

Washington D. C.

June 1. 1861.

Col Geo Wilson

2<sup>nd</sup> Regt Conn Militia

Relative to three men  
arrested charged with  
tampering with the men  
of his command.

W. H. C. W.

Recd (W. H. C. W.) June 1. 1861.



W. D. Lott's 2nd Ohio Volunteer  
Camp Ellsworth  
June 1st 1861

Brig Genl Mansfield  
Dear Sir

I have the honor to  
present to you the names of ~~five~~ <sup>three</sup> individuals  
who have been arrested, charged with tampering  
with the men of my command, advising  
them not to enlist for a longer term than  
three months, making inquiries about raising  
arms, the number of sentinels and whether  
arms were kept loaded continually, Under  
the circumstances, I thought proper to place  
them in charge of Capt Finch, instructing  
him to report to you, that you might deal  
with them as you see fit, I have the  
honor to be

Your obt servant

Lew Nelson  
Col. Comdg 2<sup>nd</sup> Regt Ohio

Names

T. M. Wilson - School Teacher - lives on 5<sup>th</sup> St bet West,  
D A Smith - Coach Wheeler - " Wash<sup>g</sup> Building  
Geo. A. Shyne - School Teacher - " 3<sup>rd</sup> bet 3<sup>rd</sup> & Mary

MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.  
HOSPITAL NOTICES.  
MISCELLANEOUS.

*Cornell J. Farrell*  
Co. 4<sup>th</sup> Regt. N.Y. Cav.

Ex. 11.      25/1861

St. Louis,

July 29. 1861.

Glover S. S. O.

~~Expenditure~~

In relation to the  
capture of slaves  
by Col. Surchin, 19th  
Illinois Vol.

(one enclosure)

See letter to Col Surchin  
of July 30th

~~Outgoing~~

2 or more

Recd. (W. D.) July 31/61

Sturgis July 28 1861

Samuel T. Glover Esq

Dear Glover

A negro boy  
named Henry about 14 years  
old. Coxsper complexion property  
of Mrs Lambert tells me as  
I recollect, was taken from here  
yesterday by 19 Regiment Ill  
Vol Commanded by one Col Terrell.

Mr. W. Willis goes to St Louis  
to recover him. Will you give  
him letters to Genl Fremont  
or other person who may have  
authority to order the boy  
free. And in addition render  
him such aid as you may  
find convenient & think proper  
for the red in need.

Truly yours

See letter to Col Terrell  
of July 30 -

H. S. L. S. S. S.

G. 14/10. 60/ July 30/61

St Louis July 29/61

My dear Fremont

Sir Col. Turchin of the 19<sup>th</sup>  
Illinois on yesterday, by an act of  
robbery took from his owner a slave  
and has the slave now in this  
city. (See no Lipscomb's letter)

On the same day he took another  
slave from the Rev. Geo. Seighton whom  
I know to be a devoted union man  
he brought the latter named slave  
has also, I respectfully request  
in order to prevent the latter day  
transaction ~~the~~ union cause in Ma-  
non country & vicinity

(1) The prompt restoration of  
the property (2) The overt and  
punishment of the offender

I am glad to learn that Col  
Turchin is now in presence of

My dear Fremont

with very great respect  
Yours sincerely  
S T Glover

See letter to Col Turchin

26 July 30.

Lambert

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Camp & Cleland

July 24<sup>th</sup>

Major J. D. Sturgis

24 July

24 do

Cts

July 24 61



Mr. Advertiser  
to the enclosed  
to the  
P. R.

Camp McCallan  
July 24th 1861

Gene:

I learned this morning that one Mr. Dodds living some 2 miles from this Camp was about to start for Lachens Army on the plea that one of his sons had either died or been killed & that it became necessary for him to look after the effects, arms, &c of his son, inasmuch as Mr. Dodds had been frequently absent from camp, I deemed it proper to arrest him & accordingly sent a party for that purpose. On the arrival of the party at his house, he had already left & the party pursued & overtook him with one Mr. C. Ontario some 10 miles on the prairie, they having avoided all roads. I respectfully ask what disposition is to be made of these supposed spies -

Mr. Richardson has been here, but reports that he is not ready to gather grain in the vicinity of Chesapeake -

As to the Cove some 4 miles from this, your agents has reported nothing. Yours respectfully

D.V.V

I am Sir

Very Respectfully

Yours vob. serv.

J. D. Thompson

Aug. 16. 60

Calif

To  
Prof. Geo. A. Smith  
Calif.

Springfield July 24. 1861

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Contract for 1 Bear  
with  
Jacobs & W. C. Clark

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~~Act~~

See next

Articles of Contract made this the  
Twenty fourth day of July Eighteen hundred  
and sixty one by and between Jacobs and  
McClure of the County of Dade and State of  
Fla on the one part and Clark Wright Captain  
of Dade County mounted home guards for  
the use of the U.S. Troops on the other part  
to wit.

The said Jacobs & McClure agree to  
deliver to the proper authorities under the  
Command of Brigadier General W. Lyon  
at such points as said General Lyon or  
his officers may suggest and in such num-  
bers or quantities as said General Lyon or his  
officers may require, one hundred head of  
Merchantable Beef Cattle said Cattle to be  
branded and kept under the Command  
of said General Lyon by said Jacobs and  
McClure at the own expense. And the  
said Capt Clark Wright on the part of the  
United States Government agree to butcher  
said Cattle when turned out according to  
the rules established by the armies of the U.S.  
and to pay the said Jacobs and McClure  
in Government scrip at the rate of three  
and one half cents per pound net weight  
in writing whereof we hereunto set our  
hands & seals

attest

Temple & Bell for  
L. A. Purdiss

Jacobs & McClure Seal  
Clark Wright Seal  
Capt Dade Co Mounted Home Guards

~~17-10-6~~

Handwritten

Key West July 1<sup>st</sup> 1861

Mrs Sarah Mulrennan

Dear Madam

Mr Ware claims  
against Mr Mulrennan in for two notes of  
\$400<sup>00</sup> each dated Nov 17 1860 payable (I  
think) 6 & 12 months after date; and has  
no connection with the transfer to him of 1/8  
th of the Schooner Cloud Jim co; which became  
8/8th months previous on the 15<sup>th</sup> of March 1860.

It is perhaps better that I should not say  
anything about the reasons which led to the  
transfer; simply saying that no consideration  
was given and consequently no title in equity.

I am yours respectfully  
Wm Pinkney

July 1-61

M. M. M.

Clan G. M.

M. M. M.

C. S.

1861

Mrs. Muberman

The notes given to Mr. Ware by Mr. Muberman grew out of their transactions as partners in business, long subsequent to the transfer of title in the Pills Post to Mr. Ware.

Although the title at the Customhouse stands in the name of Mr. Ware, he has never had any property in the Post. He has never exercised the rights of ownership from the day the transfer was made to the present, never supplied her, or paid her Bills or received her earnings.

The title to the Post was made in the name of Mr. Ware without the consideration of one dollar even, between Mr. Muberman and Mr. Ware. I know all the circumstances out of which this transfer of title grew, and can only for your sake, as well as the other creditors, regret that the State Court has been abolished. Had we recourse to that Court now Mr. Ware might learn that no man is permitted by law to be the judge of his own rights, and that he is not a preferred Creditor merely because he has the paper title to that Post. In my opinion you are taking more trouble than is necessary at present, when Mr. Ware takes certain steps which may bring him ~~into~~ and the case within the jurisdiction



of the Admiralty, I shall then take steps also  
in the matter and the result I have no  
fears of.

Yours truly

W. C. Mackay

A. H. Bulley

Pres Com<sup>y</sup>

of Safety

Chicago Ill.

July 30<sup>th</sup> 1864

about Suits,

I would like to know the names of several houses in Chicago, that will furnish Suits cheaper than they can be bought in New York, & Philad<sup>a</sup>.



CITIZEN'S

Committee of Safety Office,

44 and 46 La Salle Street.

Chicago, July 20 1861.

Major General  
John C. Fremont  
St Louis  
Sir

Our committee  
deem it a duty to report to you that  
honest & reliable Tent makers of this  
city, can furnish common tents,  
of same qualities, at 10 per cent less  
than the prices in N York & Philadelphia

The Sibley tent including the Patent  
for 45 which costs in N York \$55<sup>00</sup>.

A tent equal to the Sibley, without  
a patent fee for \$30<sup>00</sup>. Tent pins 1<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>.

Labor being cheaper here than in N York &  
Phila will account for the difference  
in price.

The delivery here will save time,  
& Expense of transportation.

The following named houses have  
facilities for furnishing 100 to 200  
tents per day

Wm. Gilbert & Hubbard & Co

" Geo. F. Foster & Co

" Parryington & Seranton

Our interest in the cause is our  
only apology for addressing you  
with which accept

the assurance of the

high consideration of the  
Committee

M. H. Buckley  
President

W. 43

1861

Roller Mr  
July 30/61

J. B. Wyman,  
Col.

Ohio

Furnishes a list  
of political prisoners

Recd. (w. D.) Aug. 6/61

Released Aug 12

Head Quarters Post at Rolla  
Rolla, Mo. July 30<sup>th</sup> 1861

Charges preferred against the following named persons  
arrested by order of Colonel John B. Weyman Commanding  
said Post

Do

Elijah Moorland } Violent secessionist and being in arms  
and open rebellion against the Government  
of the United States.

Charges same as above

Noah Sieler

do do do do

James Wright

do do do do

George Higgins

do do do do

Oliver Longgrea

do do do do

George W. Bullock

do do do do

Leiborne Phillips

do do do do

Solomon Bradford

do do do do

W. H. H. Thomas

Violent secessionist and aiding and abetting  
the enemy and giving information as a spy.

Same as above

Nicholas Daniels

do do do J. Wright

George W. Jones

do do do E. Morland

A. B. Wofford

do do do Bullock

F. M. Jones

do do do Wally Marra

Milton Followell

do do do McAdlock

Wiley Miller

A. Parsons	Charge	same	as	above
Fountain B. Farley	Do	do	do	do
J. G. Dickinson	Do	do	do	do
Paul. Smith	Do	do	do	do
William. Followell	Do	do	do	do

We the undersigned witnesses do hereby agree when  
~~when called upon by the proper Authority to testify against~~  
 the foregoing persons charged with secession sentiments and  
 acts of aggression against the Government of the United States  
 Witness our hands at Rolla Phelps Co Mo  
 this 30th day of July 1861

(Sgd)

William. Ammerman  
 Aaron. Brown  
 Albert. Curtis  
 Capt. Walter Blanchard  
 Sanford. Ing.

I hereby certify that all the persons who have  
 subscribed as witnesses are personally known to me  
 and are all true and loyal men.

J. P. Thompson  
 Commanding Post at Rolla

See letter to Col. Buswell, Aug. 7.



J. J.

Saint Louis Arsenal

lest July 28<sup>th</sup> 1861Bissell L. St.  
Col Comdg Post

Transmits a list of  
names of Prisoners now  
confined in St Louis Arsenal  
Has examined them can  
find no charges whatsoever  
against them. Report says they  
have been engaged in the  
late Bridge Burning.

2 Enclosures

Jackson Brewer - 25<sup>th</sup> - July 22<sup>nd</sup> -  
farmer - Phelps Co. - Col. Wymann -

Alfred Nichols - 27 - July 22<sup>nd</sup> -  
farmer & minister - Phelps Co. - Col. Wymann -

Fulden Fleming - 53 - July 25<sup>th</sup> -  
merchant - Palmyra, Marion Co. - Col. Turchin Ill.

Franklin M. Jones - 21 - July 16<sup>th</sup> -  
farmer - St. Charles - Capt. Snyder of Home Guards.

Arsley Owens - 45 - July 25<sup>th</sup> -  
farmer - Marion Co. - sent in from Hannibal  
by Col. Smith of the Ill. Vols. - has been before  
the Grand Jury here and testified -

William Vix - 26 - July 24<sup>th</sup> -  
farmer - 10 miles from Columbia Mo. - taken  
near Fulton, Callaway Co., by Col. Hamner,  
while returning home from Fulton -

The following memorandum, referring  
to above named prisoner, was furnished by  
Geo. Glaserer, whose name follows here;

H<sup>ts</sup> Regt., Mo. Vol.  
Co. No. 10<sup>th</sup>

Geo. Haasner  
Sergeant Andrew Walsh  
Priv John Nunn  
" Fred Koch  
" Oswald Jacob  
" Henry Puhmann

Witnesses in  
William Turk's case

there was taken from  
him 1 horse & saddle  
bridle - 1 U.S. Musket  
some ammunition  
powder flask -  
Balls & Knife -

St. Louis Arsenal

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July 28<sup>th</sup> 1861

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List of prisoners of war

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J. W. Shiple

Col. Engnr. Regt.  
Commanding Post

List of prisoners in confinement at the  
St. Louis Arsenal, July 28<sup>th</sup> 1861.

William Arthur - age, 67 years - brought to  
the St. Louis Arsenal, July 22<sup>nd</sup> - occupation, Farmer -  
raid was, Pulaski Co. sent down by Col. McNeil

W. H. McCallough - 212 - July 12<sup>th</sup> -  
constable - Rolla - Col. Wymann of Ill. Co.

George W. Johnson - 21 - July 26<sup>th</sup> -  
prisoner 13 days before coming here - teacher and  
minister - Tipton - Col. J. D. Stephenson

William Moler - 34 - July 15<sup>th</sup> -  
jailer - Jefferson City - Col. Key Barnatt  
has been before Grand Jury and testified and  
them sent down here.

William Church - 44 - July 22<sup>nd</sup> -  
jailer - Jefferson City - Col. Key Barnatt  
has been before Grand Jury here and testified.

Oswald Suran - 38 - July 19<sup>th</sup> -  
carpenter - Warren Co. - taken in  
Phelps Co., does not know by whom, had been  
to the South West -

J. G. Henderson - 35 - July 22<sup>nd</sup> -  
farmer - St. Charles - sent in from Rolla,  
returning from the South West -

D. S. Marquis - 49 - July 14<sup>th</sup> -  
minister - Tipton - led S. D. Stephenson

S. B. H. Woodrider - 36 - July 26<sup>th</sup> -  
minister - Tipton - sent in from Bonville  
by led S. D. Stephenson -

S. B. Miller - 23 - July 22<sup>nd</sup> -  
farmer - St. Charles Co. - sent in from  
Rolla by led S. B. Wyman of the Ill. Vol.

John Lowrey - 54 - July 22<sup>nd</sup> -  
physician - Phelps Co. - led. Wyman -

Ludwell Watts - 53 - July 22<sup>nd</sup> -  
farmer - Wright's City, Warren Co. - sent in  
from Rolla by led. Wyman, while on the way  
home from Barry Co. in the South West.

St. Louis Arsenal  
July 28<sup>th</sup> 1861

Sir.

I have found in the Guards House at this Post eighteen prisoners, whom I personally examined last evening.

They have given me their names, ages, residences, occupations &c, a memorandum of which I enclose.

I do not find against any of them any charges whatsoever, nor any memoranda except one against William Vier, a copy of which follows his statement.

I learn by common report that a part of these men have been in some way implicated in one or two of the late bridge burnings.

Very respectfully,

Your obt. servt.

J. W. Rippe

Col. Engns. Regt.

Commanding Post

Captain P. C. Helton USA

Apt. Adjt. Gen.

St. Louis Arsenal

July 28<sup>th</sup> 1861

Col. Bifell, Commandant  
of Post, encloses list  
of prisoners

Mr. Bifell  
Col. Egan, Regt.  
Commanding Post



July 31, 1861

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Clayton

Washington City  
July 30, 1861

Brig. Genl Mansfield  
Sir

Wero Was committed by your

order in yesterday, the following prisoners to wit

Isaac Miller  
Daniel Moran  
Peter McGinnis  
Henry Qualey  
Lewis Lytle  
Benjamin Harrison  
Thomas Simmons  
Alfred Heale

You will please at your convenience  
order the proceedings in the matter. They are the cases  
of arrests by direction of House Committee. Respectfully

Thomas C. Linn  
Justice of the Peace  
for Washington County  
District of Columbia

4<sup>c</sup> July 1841

Mr Justice Down  
reports Case on  
hand

Washington. Octy July 4. 1864.

Brij. Gen Mansfield. Sir the following is the Prisoner  
Complaint in legal. J. W. Fleming and J. S. Green, Prisoners of War

W. J. Walker and Gen. McMill. firing at the ears

and a Negro Woman as a Witness

A Man Name Unknown sent from Va. supposed to be a spy of an insane Man  
I have had him examined by Physicians and shall report in a few days

Two Reeves arrested for tampering with Soldiers. Report Made

Two Le. Garrett. Prisoners of War. taken at the same time with Roberson. <sup>released</sup> who was

~~W. J. Walker~~ and ~~W. J. Walker~~ to be examined on Saturday

Two. L. Emerson also Lieut Hill arrested as a spy

Gen. Bates ~~(sent)~~ sent to Genl Sandford supposed to be insane

I shall have him examined by Physician Malle & Report

2 Soldiers brought in by the Military, leaves examined. I shall turn  
them over to civil authority and send you a Report. — their offence is <sup>on civil laws</sup> a crime

The 2 Negro Runaways as Reported

Reds

Thomas L. Jones Jr.

35 14:36

Fort Washington Ma.  
July 9. 1861.

Major J. A. Hopkins  
Comdg Post.

Relative to three slaves  
and requesting information  
as to their disposition.

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Citizens

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Recd 1 copy Wash

Recd (W) July 12. 1861.

Fort Washington Md.  
July 9<sup>th</sup> 1861

To  
Captain Theo. Talbot  
A. Adj't Gen'l U.S. A.  
Wd. Dr. Dep't of Washington

Captain

This morning

three slaves gave themselves up here. One, an old man says he belongs to Mr. Barnis Compton near Post Tobacco Md. I shall deliver him to the Captain of the Steamer Pipsy, to be returned to his master. The two others, named Griffin and Ben say they belong to William Josier, who lives near Machodoc Creek - King George's County Va. I have set these two at work. I respectfully request information as to what disposition I shall make of them and for information to guide me in like cases hereafter.

I am, Captain

Very respectfully

Your Obedt. Serv't

J. A. Custis  
Bvt. Maj. U.S. Army  
Command. Post

D. 15 36

Washington D. C. July 2/61

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Thomas C. Davis. J. P.

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Relative to arrest of two  
runaway negroes.

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Act Dept Wash

Recd. D. M. July 6. 1861.

Washington July 2 1861  
To Genl Mansfield

Sir

On Yesterday two colored  
~~men~~ <sup>men</sup> Named Rodan Griffin and Leona Griffin  
were arrested by some soldiers under the command  
of Capt Clark. ~~At the~~ ~~District~~ ~~of~~ ~~Washington~~ ~~District~~ ~~of~~ ~~Washington~~  
District Volunteers, as runaways from the State of  
Virginia. Upon questioning the said Negroes, I find  
they are the property of a Man named Buckley  
Ward residing about 2 Miles from Fairfax Court  
House, he is a secessionist and has a Brother  
Capt H. C. Ward, in the secession Army, they  
further state that their Master has removed with  
all his female Slaves to Warrenton, and was about  
to send them to the Rebel Army, fearing they would  
be sent. They ran away and in crossing the bridge  
they were arrested by the Military.

Our usual course is when a Negro Man is  
arrested as a Runaway, to commit to Goal  
and when the Master comes forward and proves his  
Property to deliver them up, but believing in  
the present case and under the circumstances  
of the case learning from an enemys Security they  
should be considered Contrabands, if that is your  
view of the case, I shall commit them, as usual  
in Military arrests, subject to your order for  
disposal

Respectfully

Thomas C. Donw  
SP



W. T. Richmond

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Dept of Justice  
of  
Dept of Justice

Brig Genl Rosecrans

July 27 61

~~Richmond~~

Charlottesville Va  
July 29 1861

Capt Charles Lieb  
U S Army  
Sir

From the moment since  
Gen Rosecrans is here it looks like the enemy was  
near at hand. There is hanging round Deats Tavern  
several secessionists. who I think need watching one  
named George Paim a nephew of the post master  
Wenue and who has access to the post office another  
William Deat who is just from Baltimore another  
young man by the name of Griffin who has been  
a mail agent from Wheeling to Cumberland and  
lately removed and now assisting in the post office  
now Sir I don't think such men should run loose  
while Rebels are laying in the bushes assassinating  
Union men I believe it is the duty of persons in  
power to at once arrest these men and keep them  
separated at least until our fight is over in  
the Rucka valley. Old Deat himself is a great  
old Rebel. The Post master should be closely  
watched if he is all night he should not  
suffer Rebels to be at his office handling public  
documents. You know I can have no feeling against  
these men what I say I believe for the good  
of the Government. I am credibly told that the secession  
Wives of men in the Southern Army are getting letters  
through this post office. I drop you this line knowing  
you will be the better Judge how to act. The whole  
party are glorying over our defeats at Manassas Junction  
and praying for our destruction now and I think the  
Government better take charge of them for a while

Yours very respectfully  
David Rosecrans

~~33~~  
Dispatch

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To

Col E. P. Scammon

Aug 1st 1861

Bellevue

Head Quarters A. O. N. Va

Clarksburg Va

August 7<sup>th</sup> 1861

Col E. P. Scammon

Weston.

The Commanding General directs me to say that one of the parties referred to in last dispatch is Morrow not Frimble. The other is Butcher.

Brig Genl Rosecrank U.S.A  
per Joseph Darr Jr  
A. V. A.

{Duplicate}

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Report of  
Officer of day  
July 15<sup>th</sup> 1861

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Citizens (?)

Brig Genl. Rosecrans

Sir  
The undersigned Officer  
of the day would make the  
following report as to his  
doings: That he attended  
to the posting of the guards  
at the various places where  
needed That he caused  
the following to be arrested  
for being out without a  
written pass to Me: -  
Charles Maye A. O. Bessie  
N. J. Brown C. Murphy  
Jas. Wood D. Mc Kaseen  
Gov Lynch E. M. Ledley  
Geo Thring Jas. Lawrence  
M. Powell G. Harten  
C. J. Scott J. Lytle W  
Mc Kay C. Gillespie W.  
Lucas T. Hunt C. Bell

M. Morton - Knight  
- Sowden - Winch Har  
rison - Evans - Clark  
Moore - Kenforth -  
Brooks - Barron -  
Dathell - Braunenburg  
Foley - Musgrove - Frig-  
son - Killery - Loner -  
Chiller - Edwards - At-  
kins - True - Ellery - Long  
Broughton - Thomas - Finck  
Kuey - Sutton - Sigler -  
Powell - Wright - Miles  
Miller - Lamb - Lankton  
Burbhart - Palmer -  
Lacey - Crane - Kerapo  
Massey and one who re-  
fused to give his name  
all of whom were libera-  
ted except Paul by order  
of Genl. Rogers and  
the one name unknown  
~~white~~ who were left under

guard  
I caused the pickets  
to be properly posted and  
would say that as a gen-  
eral thing the guards be-  
haved well & performed  
their duty promptly

Yours  
Respectfully  
Wm C. Keffer  
Officer of the day  
Brooklyn July 15/61



40  
Sueb H. Gaud  
Report July 3/61

Citizens

Brigade General Rowan,

Commander Brigade U. S. M. I.,

Camp Buchanan, Va

Sir!

I have the honor to inform you, that the two  
Scouts sent to day the first rode Lieut. Shurwell  
captured the horse of the notorious David Hall  
(of Philippi correspondence notoriety) Hall took to the  
mountains. Two other men were captured J. M.  
Leinger and Dexter Smith. They visited the houses  
of all the leading Secessionists, but they had fled.  
2<sup>d</sup> Lieut. Shurwell, who commanded the other  
expedition captured a private of the Secession in  
<sup>in full uniform</sup>  
my late Indian Camp and advanced on that road  
to within 4 miles of the enemy's pickets, which are  
stationed at Middlefork bridge to the number of  
500 or more and has a cannon planted on the  
bridge, so as to rake the road. We will push on  
as fast as we can. We have reliable information  
that the Secessionists in the neighborhood of Pine  
coveille have retreated. We were arranging to start  
to the assistance of the Union men in that neigh-  
borhood, but will delay this until we hear from  
them. The following named persons:

Stewart Bennett

James F. Bennett

Chas. Bennett

Mr. Small

W. B. McDowell

Geo. Boyle,

will present themselves to morning to receive the  
oath of allegiance to the United States, ~~with~~

Respectfully

A. Scotland,  
Lieut. Commanding

P. S. I send the horse captured this afternoon  
which you can make such disposition of, as you  
see proper.

Army of Genl. A. Forsyth

41  
Lieut. Hedges  
Bretschneider  
July 3<sup>rd</sup> 1863

Report of the two  
Prisoners. Trust & Times.

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2 ~~Prisoners~~

~~Prisoners~~  
~~the two prisoners~~  
~~Lieut. Hedges~~  
~~Prisoners~~

Camp Buchanan July 5th 1867.

Brig General Radeson

Sir The following persons James H. Sims & David H. West, the former is charged with circulating disunion sentiments, threatening the lives of Union men, as a constable under the laws of Virginia he should be retained. The latter is a deserter of general Beauregard as a deserter a dangerous man he should be retained by all means.

Yours truly  
J. A. Keyland

P.S. one of these men was arrested in  
Lynchburg the latter at  
Walkersville Lynch Co. Virginia

July 61

~~bottoms~~

United States of America  
 To Robert L Harris Wm  
 To 1 horse \$8500  
 To Bridle & Saddle & blanket 1500  
 \$100,00

Robert L Harris of Texas  
 that on the 18<sup>th</sup> day of July  
 1861 he was the owner of  
 and had in his possession  
 one or certain new horse  
~~fourteen~~ ~~between~~  
 and fifteen hands high  
 white mane and tail  
 deal with a Mexican brand  
 with a small bump and  
 his back caused by a  
 saddle smiting his tail  
 when rode that said  
 horse is worth the sum  
 of eighty five dollars  
 and also a bridle & saddle  
 & blanket worth  
 fifteen dollars that on  
 said day he loaned said  
 horse saddle and bridle  
 to one John Cayspell  
 that he is informed and  
 believes that a party of  
 United States Soldiers  
 under the command of Col  
 Smith took from said



Boyswell said ~~he~~ <sup>he</sup> ~~is~~ <sup>is</sup> ~~not~~ <sup>not</sup> ~~able~~ <sup>able</sup> ~~to~~ <sup>to</sup> ~~say~~ <sup>say</sup> ~~that~~ <sup>that</sup> ~~the~~ <sup>the</sup> ~~property~~ <sup>property</sup> ~~has~~ <sup>has</sup> ~~not~~ <sup>not</sup> ~~been~~ <sup>been</sup> ~~returned~~ <sup>returned</sup> ~~either~~ <sup>either</sup> ~~to~~ <sup>to</sup> ~~this~~ <sup>this</sup> ~~affiant~~ <sup>affiant</sup> ~~or~~ <sup>or</sup> ~~to~~ <sup>to</sup> ~~the~~ <sup>the</sup> ~~said~~ <sup>said</sup> ~~Boyswell~~ <sup>Boyswell</sup> ~~by~~ <sup>by</sup> ~~reason~~ <sup>reason</sup> ~~of~~ <sup>of</sup> ~~which~~ <sup>which</sup> ~~this~~ <sup>this</sup> ~~affiant~~ <sup>affiant</sup> ~~says~~ <sup>says</sup> ~~he~~ <sup>he</sup> ~~is~~ <sup>is</sup> ~~damaged~~ <sup>damaged</sup> ~~in~~ <sup>in</sup> ~~the~~ <sup>the</sup> ~~sum~~ <sup>sum</sup> ~~of~~ <sup>of</sup> ~~one~~ <sup>one</sup> ~~hundred~~ <sup>hundred</sup> ~~dollars~~ <sup>dollars</sup>

Robert J. Davis makes  
oath and says the above  
statement and the matters  
and the matters therein as  
stated he believes to be  
true

R. J. Davis

Subscribed and sworn to before  
me on this 6<sup>th</sup> day of August  
1866

C. H. Ward J.P.

State of Missouri  
County of Audrain  
This

This day personally  
appeared before the  
Deputy Sheriff & Justice of the  
peace within and for the  
County of Audrain James H.  
Wright and says on his  
oath that <sup>on</sup> ~~about~~ ~~the~~ ~~day~~  
of ~~July~~ 1861 he and  
John C. Layswell came to the  
town of Mercier in the County  
of Audrain that the  
said Layswell was riding  
a horse belonging to the  
estate of L. H. Hays and <sup>was</sup> carrying  
a saddle bridle & blanket  
off of the said Hays.  
He further says that on  
said day a body of un-  
ited States Soldiers un-  
der the command of Col  
Smith took upon the pos-  
session of said Layswell  
said property he further  
says that said property  
is worth one hundred  
three dollars said horse  
is of following description  
to wit a brown horse ~~about~~  
~~about~~ about fourteen or  
fifteen hands high white  
mane & tail ~~fringed with~~  
a Mexican brand with  
said horse was taken & retained

Leutnant Col Schaffer  
~~Companion to the~~

James H. Wright

Subscribed & sworn to before me  
on this 6<sup>th</sup> day of August 1861

C. K. Wray

State of Missouri  
County of Indian

This day personally  
appeared before me to wit  
a Justice of the Peace within  
and for Indian County  
Francis M. Sullivan who  
on his oath that he has  
a certain horse belonging  
to Robert J. Lewis of the fol-  
lowing description a  
horse ~~of the color of~~ which  
stands and that between  
fourteen and fifteen  
hands high branded with  
a Mexican brand said horse  
is worth the sum of eight  
fifty dollars & with the  
girth is worth one hundred

dollars, that is today the piggings  
consist of a T. Kelly & salt  
ell & Blankett and is worth  
fifteen dollars

Francis McSalles

Subscribed and sworn to before  
me on the 16<sup>th</sup> day of August  
1861

C. R. Ward J. P.

State of Missouri  
County of Audrain

This day came before  
the undersigned a justice of  
peace within and for the coun-  
ty of Audrain John Leasure  
who says on his oath  
that on the 18<sup>th</sup> day of July  
1861 Robert B. Adams put  
him a horse of the follow-  
ing description a brown  
horse ~~with~~ with  
white mane and tail be-  
tween fourteen and fifteen  
hands high branded with  
a Mexican brand, has a  
small lump on his back  
also a saddle & a bridle and  
of Blankett all worth the

Sum of one hundred dollars,  
that on the same day said  
cross & rigging was taken  
from him by some  
united States Soldiers  
under the command of  
Col Smith and has been  
returned

John B Cogswell

Subscribed and sworn to on this  
6<sup>th</sup> day of August 1861

CR Ward JP

Witness

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Warransburg July 8. 1861

Major Chas Banzhaf

W.

Sends 3 prisoners to St. Thelma

& 2 prisoners to Col Gustin

Charges & Specifications sent to

Major White Jessy Adjutant  
General.

Old Guard, 1<sup>st</sup> Batt 1<sup>st</sup> Mo. Cavalry  
Washington D.C. July 8. 1812

Sir!

I have the honor to transmit to you for  
a Copy by the Military Commission now in Session  
at Jefferson City Mo. and of which Major G. S. White is  
Judge Advocate General, the following three persons, to wit  
"Colwell, Gunn and Ross, together with Charges  
and Pleadings as per Order.

Yours Respectfully  
John

Wm. D. Archer  
J. A. General  
Jefferson City Mo

Wm. D. Archer  
Chas. Bangs  
Major 1<sup>st</sup> Mo. Cavalry  
Serving Post.



July 7/61

2 ovals



Head Quarters 8<sup>th</sup> Batt. M. Br.  
Camp. Greatfalls July 7<sup>th</sup> 1862

Brig. General Mansfield

General

I would most respectfully report, the capture of two slaves, who came within our lines from Virginia on their way to Washington, ~~but~~ they declare to viz:

the first. Frank Oderig, decent colored, at the age of 24 years belongs to widow Eliza Coleman of Fairfax County near Brainsville, has been hired of late to Mr Aaron Daily in Loudon County, he is 5 feet 5 inches high left his home last night and met at goose creek the second boy named

Henry Bent, age 21. colored dark light 5 feet 8 inch belongs to Mr E. L. Bentley of Loudon County left there July 7<sup>th</sup> daybreak.

They crossed the Potomac by Chim Young's Island below Edw. ferry, they only had about their persons two old papers from their masters, which we include.

They will remain within our camp until further orders from you

Ever over

I remain General  
very respectfully your obedt. servant,

H. W. Hays  
Capt. Army

E. J. Allen  
Cincinnati

July 30/41

That Trade & I  
furnished with  
travel in order  
information for

Requesting  
to be  
means to  
to obtain  
you W. C. Allen  
Rosecrans

Citizens

Confidential

Linnconrats July 30<sup>th</sup> 1861.

J. D. Cox.

Brig. Genl. Commanding U.S.A.  
Kanaioha.

Dear Sir.

Genl. Roscrans desires me to have some observations made in the Kanaioha Valley for him. In order to do so I have sent the Bearers of this Meffs Hade and Scully. They are in my employ and acting under my Orders - will you please to give them the necessary means to enable them to reach you at all times. As also for Traveling on the Government Boats or other modes of Transportation as their business will require them to travel frequently between Point Pleasant and your Camp. Meffs Hade and Scully have Traveled over the James River and Kanaioha Turnpike, and if they have any information on this point which is available to you they will cheerfully impart the same.

Respectfully Yours.  
E. J. Allen

List of prisoners released on  
parole by order of Genl. W.  
S. Rosecrans

July 25 1861

2 or more  
Costs

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List of <sup>[Citizens]</sup> prisoners, paid by order of Brigadier General  
 W. S. Rosencrans, July 25th 1861. Captured at the battle of Rich  
 Mountain, Virginia

No.	Name	Rank	Company
1	James S. Vincent	Citizen	Marietta Co Va
2	Samuel W. Vincent	"	do
3	Henry Martin	"	do
4	Jasper Martin	"	do
5	G. W. Shub	"	do
6	Joseph Matthews	"	Lewis Co Va
7	Wm J. Matthews	"	do
8	Jacob Camp	"	do
9	Geo H. Easton	"	do
10	Wm Schiefu	"	Wilson Co Va
11	Hugh O. Donnell	"	Grafton "
12	Wm E. Sively	"	Lewis Co Va
13	Chas. Meredith	"	Taylor "
14	Benj. F. Green	"	do

MARIETTA COUNTY

(copy)

Special Order <sup>47</sup>

July 11 / 11

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Recorded as a

General Order  
No 26-

Head-Quarters,  
EXCELSIOR BRIGADE,  
CAMP SCOTT.

Staten Island July 10<sup>th</sup> 1861

General Order No 39.

An investigation will be held at Head-Quarters  
this evening at 9 o'clock, with reference to charges preferred  
against John Carson & George Jackson, (two negroes)  
for selling liquor without license to soldiers within one  
mile of the Camp.

The following Officers are detailed:

- 1 Capt Joel M. Johnson
- 2 " John Joler
- 3 " J. Barrett
- 4 " Chester
- 5 " H. M. Alles

The Post Adjutant will act as Recorder

By Order

D. S. Sikes

Col 1<sup>st</sup> Regt & Acting

Brig Genl. Commanding

H. J. Gilbert

Adjutant Post



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July 61

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J. C. Robinson says that he  
is a farmer residing in  
Essex County Ky, that  
he is a Union Man, and has  
been long loyal to the United  
States Government, that he  
and James Humphill farmers  
almost adjoining, that he and Young  
Humphill were intimate and  
had frequent conversations in  
regard to a debt he (Humphill)  
had against the firm of Bull  
& Morse.

This debt amounted to about  
\$4000 and was the balance due  
on a lot of mules sold to them  
in the summer or fall of 1861  
Humphill was feeding another  
lot of mules for sale, last summer  
and finding that it was  
impossible to get the debt out  
of Bull & Morse, it was pro-  
posed by them that he should  
drive his stock to Hickman  
County where Morse lived, and  
there feed his mules, the feed  
to be furnished by Morse, and go  
as a credit on the debt.

Hamphill was not on  
field at the time, and had been  
travelling to feed his mules  
and he accepted Bull & Mares  
proprietors in order to have  
a part of what was then  
becoming a doubtful debt.  
The mules were taken  
to Buchanan in the early part  
of July 1861 and were some time  
afterwards sold, as apparent on  
the stands, to Geo. Mares.

Appellant has never known  
Hamphill from his death  
and frequent communications with  
him in the Spring and Summer  
of 1861 and knows that he  
had no intention whatever  
to take any part in the  
Rebellion and has never aided  
or assisted the so called Con-  
federate forces in any  
way and has no connection  
with them, and that he  
retired home in good faith  
for the purpose of attending to  
his private business and with  
no intention of assisting or

adjoining the Confederate States  
~~the further~~ Appellant  
states further that a short time  
before James Campbell was  
taken home, his father Appellant  
Campbell applied to him (Appellant)  
to know if there was  
no way of getting a pass  
for his son James to be  
taken home saying that  
James had written a letter  
home in which he expressed  
great desire to get home.  
The Appellant Campbell requests  
Appellant promised to write  
to Judge Furbush of Paducah  
Ky to see if he could not  
get him permission to pass  
through the Federal lines  
there.

Appellant says further that  
he understands that one of the  
charges against young Campbell  
is that he (Campbell) on some  
occasions said that he would  
rather give his soul to the  
Confederate States than sell  
them to the United States.

Appellant says he thinks this  
change must be a mistake  
as he knows George Humphreys  
did in fact sell to the United  
States Government a part of  
his Pines only a few days  
before he started to Westmore  
County and would have sold  
them all, but for the price the  
Government offered was much  
less than the Pines cost  
~~Appellant had a contract~~  
~~with the United States Govern-~~  
~~ment contracts~~

Appellant sold his own  
small Pines and Humphreys  
small Pines to a contrac-  
tor of the United States Govern-  
ment and both would have  
sold their large Pines but  
the price the Government was  
paying for such Pines was  
greatly under their original  
cost

Appellant states that George Humphreys  
told him once his estimate that  
he was delayed in getting his  
money having sold his Pines

in a short credit, and delayed in  
getting his money changed into  
gold, that he had to go Memphis  
Tenn for that purpose and from  
Apparent further related that  
Young Humphreys is a quite  
reliable and unassuming man  
that he is not a politician  
and has never taken an active  
part in politics. That he has  
a good farm in Gallatin Co  
and that his crop is still  
ungathered in consequence of  
his absence, that he left his  
gold and a negro man with an  
old friend and a quantity  
in Memphis Tenn because he  
was afraid to risk them with  
him and he had great doubts  
whether he could get through  
himself and did not leave  
them with any view of return  
any -

H. Wilson

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Cutup



O. L. Camp, District  
July 30<sup>th</sup> 1861

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Oath of allegiance  
of those persons taken  
at Newport News, Va.

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Done at

City of

Recd July 30<sup>th</sup> 1861



## Oath + Parole

We do underigned do solemnly swear that we will bear true faith & allegiance to the United States of America and will support the Constitution thereof

We do also make and sign this our Parole of honor by which we pledge ourselves in no event hereafter to take up arms against the United States or afford aid or Comfort or ~~services~~ Counsel to the enemies thereof, and in consideration of this our promise and Parole we have received a safe conduct and protection from the troops of the United States and upon the express condition that if we or either of us are hereafter found in arms against the United States or affording aid, Comfort or Counsel to the enemies of the United States we are willing to be at once put to death as traitors in arms, without trial or hearing before any Court or Commission whatever -

Date	Name	Residence
July 28 <sup>th</sup>	Geo. H. Meriam	Newport News
July 28 <sup>th</sup> 1861	Warren J. Gill	Newport News
July 28 <sup>th</sup>	J. B. Rice	United States

Subscribed and sworn to, upon the Holy Bible, by the above named Geo. H. Meriam, Warren J. Gill, and J. B. Rice, at Camp Butler, Newport News, Virginia, this 28<sup>th</sup> day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty one. Before us,

Peter J. Washburn

Serjeant, Co. 1<sup>st</sup> Reg<sup>t</sup> V<sup>o</sup> Vol<sup>s</sup>

Head Qrs Dept of Va  
Fort Monroe Va.

Having taken the oath of allegiance  
to the United States and having given  
his parole of honor not to take up arms  
against the United States or give aid,  
Comfort, or Counsel to the enemies of the  
United States he will receive the protection  
of all the Troops of the United States

Cath,

Jonathan Cartkile

Henry Barron

Citizens

July 61

Washington City

July 24, 1861

Brig. Genl Mansfield

Sir

On this Evening

I heard the testimony in the case of J. H. Catlin  
(and Henry Barron) sent upon the information of  
a man named John Fink, charged with conspir-  
-ing against the Government. said Fink was  
examined as well as the witnesses by your pro-  
-ceed. and in the whole testimony adduced there  
was nothing whatever implicating either of those  
parties as charged, in the case of Catlin one Witt-  
-nep testified to conversations of his favourable to  
the Southern rights. and in the case of Barron there  
was no testimony implicating him either <sup>in</sup> any act  
or language showing disloyalty to the Government of the  
United States. It appears that Fink was set on  
by a man who failed to make good his charge and  
endeavored to throw all the responsibility upon his  
shoulders. Believing the charge to be <sup>groundless</sup> made with-  
-out God and sufficient cause and their proposing  
to take an oath of allegiance, and not thinking  
it necessary to trouble you with the case. I ad-  
-vised the enclosed oath and dissuaded them from  
Prison. Much I hope will meet with your approval

Respectfully

Thomas C. Horn

Justice of the Peace  
for Washington Territory  
District of  
Columbia

District of Columbia  
County of Washington

We, Jonathan D. Leath ~~and~~ Henry  
Barron, Residents of the City of Georgetown  
District of Columbia do solemnly swear  
on the Holy Evangelists of almighty God  
that We will bear true faith and allegiance  
to the Government of the United States  
Without Mental reservation or Erasure  
Whate'er, against all the enemies or opp-  
-ressors Whomever, Whether foreign or domestic  
and that We will support the Constitution  
of the United States

Subscribed and sworn  
to before Me this 24<sup>th</sup>  
day of July 1861

Jonathan D. Leath  
Henry Barron

Thomas Brown

Judge of the Peace  
for Washington County  
District of Columbia

Owen Smith

Dayton Ohio

July 15<sup>th</sup> 1861

Recommends

Josiah F

and

bits

S. S. Smith

as honest & experienced

carpenter & plumber.

refer to St Louis

to

Bethold Smith to

2<sup>nd</sup> St St Louis

Layton Ohio July 5<sup>th</sup> 61

Maj Gen. Farnout

Dear Sir. Thinking that  
you might need, one or two men  
out on the Western border, that  
had experience, in the Indian Country  
and a border, there is two men at  
the Arkansas river, at Pueblo, by the  
name of Josiah, J. & Stephen, S. Smith  
brothers, they went to California in 1849,  
and remained there until 1852, and  
then went to Oregon & Washington territories  
they remained there trading with the Indians  
until the war broke out in W. T. they  
then volunteered under Governor Stephens  
and at the expiration of the Indian trouble  
came down the Missouri River from the  
head waters to St. Louis and for the  
last 4 years have been at Pike Poole &  
in that neighborhood they have a good  
knowledge of the Indian Country & speak  
three or four different Indian languages  
they are Union Men and are reliable  
Trustworthy men, and have a fair

Education, if you could give them  
or one of them a situation that  
would be better in a pecuniary  
point of view than Farming, that is  
what they are now engaged in, I am satisfied  
they would give Entire Satisfaction  
to you, and the government you represent  
I have no doubt, but you will think  
me impertinent & troublesome in writing  
this letter to you, a perfect stranger, but  
you will please excuse me, as I take a  
deep interest in the welfare of the young  
men of which I speak, and also, a still  
deeper interest in the welfare and success  
of the U. S. Government, and if you  
should need men of the character  
I describe, you can rely on their  
honesty, Experience & undaunted  
Courage, and also, would be a great  
assistance to the success of the young  
men I have spoken of they can give  
good reference, in St Louis some of  
the oldest & best citizens of St Louis are  
personally acquainted with them  
If you should wish to make any further



Concerning them I would  
refer you to Bethota Smith 22  
2<sup>d</sup> Street St Louis, & through them  
to others. You will no doubt, get the  
drift of what I have written you  
as I am not much of hand at  
letter writing, Hoping that you  
are assisting to strengthen the  
Govt. May I hope. Successful I am

Respectfully  
Yours

Owen Smith

302<sup>d</sup> Street Dayton Ohio

P.S. Should you wish to write the men their  
address is Pueblo, Arkansas River Colorado  
Territory

MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.  
HOSPITAL NOTICES.  
MISCELLANEOUS.

*Cooper, W. K. Jr.*  
Co., 4<sup>th</sup> Regt. N.Y. Cav.

Report of persons and articles imported during the month of August

Running Number	No of each class	Names of Persons Designations and Articles	Service during the month	Days	Rate of their or their contribution	Pay or Month	Date of entry and services
1		Robert M. Swander Clerk	From	31 Aug 30	\$ 55	Month August 2, 61	
2				31	\$ 55		2.61

<sup>1. 11 R</sup>  
No Monthly Report of  
Business, held at  
St Louis, Missouri, on  
the month of,  
August 1868.

Cit's

Report of Persons and articles employed during the month of August

and amount of money expended thereon

Names of Persons and Articles	Designation and Occupations	Service during the month			Rate of pay or compensation	Date of entry into service	Amount of pay for the month	Remarks showing how the money was employed during the month	Time and amount due and remaining unpaid		
		From	To	Days					From	To	Amount
Robert M. Comstock	Clerk	Aug 30	Sept 5	5	Waltham	August 20	Put Clerk to the Commanding Officer	Aug 20	Aug 31	\$ 5.00	
Charles R. Thompson	"	31	31	1	"	" 2.61	" " " " " " " " " " " "	" 2	" 31	2.61	
J. S. Williams	Instructor	"	"	"	"	" 7.	Instructing recruits	" 7	" 31	" 7.	
Frank C. Dinsling	Do	31	25	"	"	" 7.	Do	Aug 7	Aug 25	" 7.	
M. A. Whitmore	Do	31	25	"	"	" 7.	Do	" 7	" 31	" 7.	
M. H. Hayden	Do	"	"	"	"	" 7.	Do	" 7	" 31	" 7.	
C. H. Stone	Do	31	25	"	"	" 7.	Do	Aug 7	Aug 25	" 7.	
C. G. Fisher	Do	31	25	"	"	" 7.	Do	" 7	" 31	" 7.	
Robert M. Allister	Master	31	30	1	Waltham	" 2.	Employed to assist in having business done this duty & to take charge of all articles used for mess purposes,	" 2	" 31	40.00	
A. M. Sumner	Instructor	31	22	"	"	" 10.	Instructing recruits	" 10	" 31	" 10.	
John M. Henry	Do	31	22	"	"	" 10.	Do	" 10	" 31	" 10.	
Geo W. Deacon	Do	10	"	"	"	" 10.	Do	" 10	" 31	" 10.	
R. A. Cohen	Do	11	"	"	"	" 11.	Do	" 11	" 31	" 11.	
Timothy Doe	Instructor	31	17	14	Waltham	" 25	Instructing recruits	" 15	Aug 31	" 25	
John N. Cowdry	Instructor	"	"	"	"	" 7.	Instructing recruits	" 7	" 31	" 7.	
James Roberts	Post Master	"	"	"	Waltham	" 50.	Put Master at Recruit	" 10	" 31	" 50.	
James P. Fitch	Instructor	31	22	"	"	" 10.	Instructing recruits	Aug 10	Aug 22	" 10.	
James K. Bacon	Do	31	"	"	"	" 10.	Do	" 10	" 31	" 10.	
J. S. Buchanan	Do	31	"	"	"	" 10.	Do	" 10	" 31	" 10.	

I certify on honor, that the above is a true and correct list of all the persons and articles employed and used by me during the month of August, 1861, and that the statements under the head of Remarks, and the statements of amounts due and remaining unpaid, are correct.

S. B. B. B.  
Br. Col. Comdr.

Wm D. H. Hoopes  
Monton Aug 29<sup>th</sup> 1861

Bland J. C.

Gov Comby

with Parsons and  
List of Charges against  
them

5 Enclosures

Cts

Head Quarters U.S. Troops  
Fronton Aug 29<sup>th</sup> 1861

Sir:

I send to you in charge of Captain W. C. Fletcher the following prisoners. viz

1- Dennis Fitzpatrick - Believed to be a spy - He is or affects to be insane - He acts the part well and if he should prove to be sound in mind as we believe him to be. He is undoubtedly a spy.

2- Thomas McIntire - Calling himself Foster when arrested. represents himself as belonging to the 7<sup>th</sup> Mo. Vols. I send him up as a deserter.

3<sup>rd</sup> - A Dubouché. Taken in arms by Col. Hecker as you will see by the accompanying statement herewith transmitted marked A.

4<sup>th</sup> - Hedges & Gertes on representation Col. Turchin. See communication herewith transmitted marked B.

McIntire

Spurckins  
has been sworn by Hecker  
to reveal

These prisoners are in custody without  
any further <sup>written</sup> charges against them than  
contained in the papers transmitted  
I send up to be dealt with there.

Respectfully

To - Capt Kelton }  
Asst. Lt. Genl. }

P. E. Mearns  
Col. Commanding

Francis H. H. H.

Robinson

Kelton  
x



Wm. Evans M. D.  
F. W. Casey M. D.  
William Casey

Released Aug 26  
1881 61  
ats

Respectfully referred to  
Department Head  
Quarters.  
Aug. 24/81 J. Burt  
M. Col. Casey.

~~Mr. G. H. ...~~  
~~Attorney General ...~~  
that you release the persons  
against whom no more  
charges are on file - provided  
they take the solemn oath  
promised by them -

Transmit furnish the  
with a paper setting forth the  
fact and ...  
office at ...  
are ...

Lieut. Col. Pasbank, U.S.A.

Commanding Post.

Three Prisoners at the U.S. Arsenal,  
viz. - Wm. Evans & Francis Casey, M.D.'s & Wm. Casey, innocent  
as we have every reason to believe of any connivance with the  
Rebels, or of any disposition heretofore or hereafter to aid  
them in any manner, were arrested during the excitement  
attending & following the attack made on the Home  
Guard at Potosi, Mo. on the 10th inst. The two first named  
being practicing Physicians, were called upon by the Priest  
of Old Mine Village, 7 miles from Potosi, to go to that place  
to attend to those who had been wounded in the fight -  
some 16 hours had elapsed and the men were greatly  
suffering for medical attendance, taking their Surgical  
Instruments in a Buggy they started and immediately  
on their reaching the town they were taken Prisoners  
& subsequently without explanation or examination they  
were hurried to the Arsenal in this City, where they  
remain. These gentlemen conceived that their Profession  
would protect them in the discharge of very urgent duties.  
And now they express <sup>themselves</sup> willing - if there has been doubts of  
their loyalty, without any sort of mental reservation, to pledge

then sacred honours that hereafter they will truly  
& faithfully support the United States Government  
and the loyal Government of the State of Missouri. In  
regard to third and last named, he has not been known  
to take an active part in any manner against the  
U. S. or loyal State Government, and is considered as a  
peaceable and well disposed citizen. He is also willing  
to remove any doubts of his loyalty by solemnly pledging  
his honour to support the loyal State & United States  
Governments. St. Louis, Mo. Aug. 23<sup>d</sup> 1861.

(We undersigned most respectfully recommend  
that the above mentioned Prisoner's be released and  
permitted to return to their families.

Robert A Johnston, Old Mines, Mo.

J. O. Sawyer - Calistonia Mo

John Evans Hopewell

Thos. J. Whiteley Calistonia Mo

Gen. R. F. French Potosi Mo

John A. Morse Jefferson Co

J. W. Morse " "

Mr B. Bell Surgeon 3<sup>rd</sup> Reg Mo Inf

We the undersigned pledge our sacred honors  
that the statements made in the foregoing  
paper are true in every particular. Further  
we pledge ourselves, (without any excuse of  
being forced to do so) to be true & loyal to  
the Government of the United States  
to aid & assist the forces of the same  
against all its enemies; under the  
severe penalty of being hung  
by the neck until dead

St Louis Aug 24/61

John E. Evers U.S.

John Cox Officer of the Guard

J. J. Egan M.D.

William Casey

Act. Burkhardt

If the above is signed you  
can release the prisoners, I do not know  
that they are disloyal, but wish this  
evidence

Respectfully,

A. P. Evans, Lt Col

Aug 24/61

3 no copies

We do solemnly swear that  
we will be true and loyal to the  
Government of the United States, and  
will aid and assist the force of the  
same against all its enemies what-  
soever.

Sworn and subscribed  
before me this 26th  
day of August 1861,  
at St. Louis Arsenal, Mo.

Barth  
W. Col. Connelly

J. Y. Casey  
William Casey  
Maj. Gen. U.S.

St. Louis,

August 2, 1861

George Walker  
et al.

Reports Albert Walker  
and Herman Rose  
gone to the Pilot Knob  
with the intention of  
joining the Southern  
Forces. Wishes his  
brother, Albert Walker,  
arrested.

C. J. [unclear]

Recs. (West. Dept.) Aug 2, 1861

Herman Pose, Train Boy on  
the I. M. R. R. which left here this day  
at 11.30 A. M.  
and Albert Walker both of St. Ange Avenue  
have gone down to Pilot Knob intending  
to make their way down from there to  
join the Southern forces.  
Albert Walker is about 20 years old and  
has been enticed away.

You would oblige me by arresting my  
Boy & bringing back to the Arsenal

Yours respectfully

George Walker

St. Louis Mo. Aug 2/61

There may be others along with them

To The Commander of U. S. Forces in St. Louis

See letter to Col. Brown

aug 2/

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9th

J. S. Williams?  
W. S. Hayden

St Louis,

City

Aug 16. 61

To O. D. Filly

Troops wanting to form  
a Corps of Instructors ab-  
solutely necessary.



St. Louis, Aug. 16, 1861.

Hon. O. D. Kelley

Sir, the undersigned, having during the last two weeks been employed as military instructors, at the Arsenal, have had our attention called to the fact that large numbers of troops quartered in the city, are wasting time, and becoming to a certain extent demoralized in consequence of a failure to put them under effective discipline & training. We would therefore respectfully urge upon you the importance of acquainting Gen. Fremont with the facts, believing that he will see the importance of at once employing an effective corps of Instructors, and designating their rank & pay. We also desire to offer our services, and solicit appointments should the action above suggested be taken.

Respectfully

J. S. Williams

Wm. H. Chandler

St. Louis 57

City July 21 1861

Memorandum  
Statement

of J. Halligan &  
others

accusing ~~them~~ <sup>them</sup>  
of Franklin Col. of  
arresting many  
law abiding citizens  
wantonly & without  
cause & calling  
for protection from  
the Mayor & Council

And signed by

W. V. B. Bury

S. J. Glover

Co. J. W. W. W.

Memorandum & Statement of  
J. Halligan, accompanying letter of  
Miss Bay, Glover, & McKib - all of  
which is respectfully submitted to  
Maj Gen. S. C. Fremont.

In Franklin Co Mo. there has been  
hitherto no violence, disturbance, or  
unlawful proceedings - All our  
Citizens, (excepting a few of the Home  
Guard,) deplore the Condition of our Country,  
& those of Southern proclivities, & those  
supposed to be leaning that way, early  
determined that no unlawful or  
forbidden act should be done by them  
directly or indirectly, that would bring  
themselves, or others, into conflict with the  
authorities of the Union.

They are, with few exceptions,  
men of standing, property & families, &  
have no desire to become soldiers or  
participants in the present Conflict.  
Their object is, to remain obedient  
& secluded, in the performance of their  
proper & lawful duties.

This State of things  
existing - the Home Guard, of Franklin Co.  
under Command of Col. Owens, Capt.  
Maupin, & Wilhelm, & located at  
Washington, & in Camp upon the  
Merrihue River on South West Branch  
S. R. R. without reasonable or known Cause,  
& as is believed, for private purposes, or perhaps, for  
the mere wish to be doing something, over

have been, within the last fifteen days  
arresting & are now arresting & carrying  
off to Camp; Citizens refused to obey, &  
all, worthy peaceful & law observing men.

They have now in custody at  
Capt. Maupin's Camp, Illinois, Messrs.  
Nelson, Breckenridge, Lewis, Hughes, Nicholls,  
& others, and when I left, the 19th inst.  
Squads of Home Guard, with weapons, were  
in pursuit of others.

In this way, they  
have driven off & are driving off into  
hiding places. <sup>into other Counties, worthy</sup>  
and good men, <sup>and by threats of violence &</sup>  
arrest and disturbing & terrifying the  
community.

It is reported to me  
by reputable persons, that the  
prisoners now taken are shamefully  
abused. I do not know this however.

Some of those now taken & none  
upon the reported lists to be taken, have  
been guilty of unlawful acts. I know  
them to be (with one exception regarded by some)  
to be men specially guarded in department  
& language, keeping aloof from all camp  
localities of excitement. Some have been  
or are engaged directly or indirectly in anything  
forbidden by the authority of the U.S.

What charges may be made, I know not, none  
I am sure, will be found resting upon substantial  
authority. These proceedings are fast  
weakening the moral force & influence of law.  
abiding men, & are driving off hundreds into  
conflict that would never have left quiet &  
unmolested homes.

We respectfully ask of the Commanding  
 General, Protection, - that these  
 acts of the Home Guard, if unauthorized  
 be stopped - And if authorized,  
 that prisoners be sent to this City, where  
 reasonable & competent officers may determine  
 upon the cause of detention.

We have property  
 & families which we obey all regulations of  
 the Government in the premises.

Very Respectfully,

W. Halligan

St. Louis 21<sup>st</sup> Aug 1861.

Here

This communication  
is respectfully referred  
to Col. Jefferson C. Davis  
Commanding at Jefferson  
City for his investigation  
and if ~~the~~ ~~facts~~  
~~and~~ ~~found~~ ~~integrity~~  
~~they~~ ~~will~~ ~~be~~ ~~found~~  
~~unimpaired~~ - If the  
facts are as stated Col. D.  
will replace the N. G.  
implication by attachment  
of N. G. from his command  
at Jefferson City & his  
to proceed

1872

Received of Arthur Kellogg two thousand  
 dollars for the ~~buy~~ purchase in cattle. Much  
 hay. Corn. Ocher and farming tools and  
 stock of goods. Made by us in Cooper's mill's  
 August, 1872

Arthur Kellogg

Received of John Kelley two thousand  
 dollars for all my interest in Cattle, Hogs,  
 Hays, Corn, Wheat and farming tools also  
 stock of goods held by us in partnership  
August 1<sup>st</sup> 1864

John Kelley



W. W. Franklin 50 1111

Report of Prisoner sent  
in by J. M. Owen,  
the County, Iowa

Reports that the prisoners  
above named are to be  
sent to jail, to be kept  
under guard at the  
Aurora till trial of  
a trial commission

Rob. Leflow

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Stickerson

~~Hulligan~~

~~Lyon's~~

✓

Headquarters Franklin Co  
W. S. Reserves. Washington Aug 30/64

Cob. Chester Harding Jr.  
Commanding Post  
Franklin Tro.

Sir,

I have to report the arrest of following named persons with charges annexed made by my men by the men under my command

Names

Charges

1 Edmund A. Tickerson.

2 James Halligan

3 Thomas R. Lewis

(Benjamin J. Burch  
& Mr. Bagwell)

Aiding & abetting the enemy  
by inducing & persuading men  
to join the Southern forces,  
giving information to the  
enemy as spies.

Respectfully  
Yours,  
Franklin Co. W. S. Reserves

Witnesses

Anos R. Murphy

La B. Murphy

Chas. W. Jeffries

Elijah R. Murphy

John A. Lusk

Prisoners have been  
sent to the arsenal  
Can not a military  
commission be ordered  
to try these cases properly?

Wm. H. Kelton  
A.S.

Very truly

The matter named per com  
mission to be brought before  
the grand commission

By order of the President  
W. H. Kelton  
A.S.

Sept. 26

Head Quarters Franklin Co  
U. S. Reserve Guards

Washington August 30, 1861.

Col. Chester Harding Jr  
Commanding Post  
Franklin Mo.

Sir

I have to report the arrest of  
following named persons with charges annexed, made by my  
own by the men under my Command.

Names	Charges
✓ 1. Edmund A. Nickerson	✓ Aiding & abetting the Enemy
✓ 2. James Halligan	✓ by inducing & persuading Men
✓ 3. Thomas R. Lewis	✓ to join the Southern forces
4. Benjamin F. Beach	✓ giving information to the
5. Mr. Bagwell	✓ Enemy as Spies.

Witnesses

Amos W. Maupin  
Chas B. Maupin  
Chas W. Jeffries  
Elijah M. Murphy  
John A. Lack

Respectfully

Signed So. W. Owen

Commdy Franklin C. U. S. R. C.

Officer, John Keeton

as a

60  
And J Mead

to

Thomas Carney

&

~~John Carney to~~

~~Laird~~

~~very glad!~~

Concerning mail  
route to Santa Fe  
& New Mexico

our Enclosure

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Washington City Aug 24/1864  
Thomas Carney Esq  
Leavenworth Lt,

My Dear Sir

Will you please  
see Gen James H. Lane and  
have him sign a letter  
addressed to the Post  
Master General similar  
to the enclosed and  
forward the same to me  
at this place <sup>and</sup> at the  
earliest possible moment  
address your letter to one  
Care of Major James Miles  
Department of the Interior  
Washington City D.C.

Very  
Ours, And our families

Genl J. H. Lane

W. Va.

Enclosed

I hand you a letter  
addressed me by Andrew  
J. Ward Esq - a staunch  
Union man - The letter  
will explain itself & I trust  
will meet with your  
approval. Please do  
what you can for  
Kansas in this matter  
and if you can favor  
be accompanied by your  
numerous friends, here

Yours Very truly  
Edw. Carney

Dear. Sept 20/61

Leavenworth City August 30/1861

To The Hon The Post Master General

Sir

In letting the route from Kansas to Santa Fee New Mexico, to contract. I would respectfully suggest that owing to the political disturbances in Missouri that the route commence at Fort Riley instead of Independence. It will be perceived upon reflection that great and important changes in the settlement of Kansas have taken place since the route was made to commence at Independence Missouri. I would therefore respectfully suggest that the service on the Santa Fee route commence at Fort Riley, and run via Fort Larned and Wise to Santa Fee with an invitation to commence the service at Leavenworth, or Atchison or any other points on the Missouri River ~~at~~



that the department may think proper  
to run by Herts. Riley, Larned and Wise  
The department is so well conversant with  
Effecting the object I have in view  
that I think it unnecessary to make  
any further suggestions. Hoping that  
these ~~suggestions~~ may be approved  
I have the honor to be &

July 19, 61

City

We John Gibson James M. Williams Daniel W. Dean  
Wriak W. Singleton John W. Singleton & Louisa  
Gibson do hereby certify that on the day the men  
were shot for which Addison Wyatt was arrested  
he Wyatt was in Wriak W. Singleton's Meadow work-  
ing at his hay, till a little before the shooting was  
heard, and at the time the shooting was done  
the said Wyatt and John Gibson was beating  
apples for cider in the said Singleton's yard  
and we are shure that he was not out with a gun  
that day, the shooting for which the said Wyatt was  
arrested was done on the 12<sup>th</sup> day of Aug<sup>r</sup> 1861 in  
a bout three fourths of a mile from the said  
Wriak W. Singleton's given under our hands this 19<sup>th</sup>  
day of Aug<sup>r</sup> 1861

John Gibson  
J. M. Williams  
Daniel W. Dean  
Wriak W. Singleton  
John W. Singleton  
Mary L. Gibson

Virginia Braxton County. To wit  
I A. Berry an acting Justice of the peace in and  
for said County and State Certify that the  
within certificate was signed and sworn  
to before me this 19<sup>th</sup> day of Aug<sup>r</sup> 1861

A. Berry J.P.

Aug 10 1861  
L. L. L.

Braintree Foster Berks Co Va  
Aug. 18<sup>th</sup> 1861

To all whom it may concern  
Be it known unto you that we the  
undersigned do hereby certify that ~~the~~  
~~following~~ ~~principles~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~above~~ ~~named~~  
Genl. Burton Genl. Wm Collier, David Miller,  
Benjamin Marks, Abram Anglin, John Plummer,  
David Plummer, Abraham Holden, Joseph Collier,  
Johnston Jenkins, Middleton Jenkins, Benoit  
Hartkins, Elijah Potter and Harrison Wolfe  
are traitors to the United States Government  
and dangerous workers in secret in hiding and  
abetting treason. And we further declare that our  
own lives the lives of our families and our property  
are endangered and unsafe whilst the above  
named persons are allowed to run at large.  
And we furthermore declare that they (the above named)  
have threatened to kill plunder and destroy all  
Union Law abiding men. This we declare to be the  
truth the whole truth and nothing but the  
truth So help me God.

George E. Fetter  
Benjamin Miller  
Samson W. Bristol  
Wm J. Christie

Bull. Am. Mus. 18<sup>th</sup> 1861

Brown

Letter containing  
Statement in  
the Case of  
H. Thier & John W.  
Coffman.

Wrong charges  
against them

Aug 17<sup>th</sup> 1861

P. B.

Coffman



Charlottesville  
August 17 1861

Capt G. S. Dartsuff  
Sgt. Ad. G. G. G.

Today this morning delivered to the officer  
of the "Guard" <sup>as per receipt</sup> two prisoners one Wm H. Wine &  
John W. Coffman. Said Wine was in the Secession  
Army at Goopton & Phillippi, and says he intends  
going back as soon as the Southern Army comes  
again in Western Virginia. He has been scouting  
around the County ever since his return, there  
has been several attempts to arrest him but  
he has escaped so far.

John W. Coffman, was in the Southern at  
Goopton, he there tore down the "Stars & Stripes"  
trampled them under his feet, also rode  
his horse over them. He belongs to the  
"Hurry Squad", and is said to be a Captain  
he has been for months dodging around  
the County, with armed Secessionist, and  
is said to have fired at one man, or more.  
There is no doubt but he is a very bad  
man and would do all in his power  
against the Union and Union men. I  
think he ought to be retained by all means.  
I found a loaded Rifle at his house.

he tried to escape us by, hiding in the  
Garret, was very much frightened, and  
told his Mother that it was her fault  
that he was caught. She insisting  
on him returning home that night  
I did not ~~desire~~ desire that he  
maneuver the flag, as Statue.

Also said he would be safe in  
the Rebel Army ~~and~~

~~mother~~ must ~~the~~  
Linn

M. W. Werninger  
Lieut Col 3d Reg USM

Aug 14, 61

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Washington

August 14 1861

Brig Gen Mansfield

Sir

John Ragan, Richard Lacy  
Gen. Hollis, Henry Page (Capt. New  
arrived on Long Boat Richard Lacy,  
Gen. M. Disney, Edward, Capt. &  
Gen. Blake on the Long Boat  
Manning Star

Mr Lawrence & Mr F. Rumer  
on Sloop Jane Wright

Were committed to Goal by me  
on the 10<sup>th</sup> Inst. The leaves of these Boats  
having been tried before Commissions appointed  
by the District Court. I have this day by order  
of the U. S. District Attorney released them  
from Goal

There is still retained in Goal Samuel date

Mr Thomas David King (Capt)

Bro Keyson (Capt) & Benj Fallon

Who were arrested on Sch Buena Vista,

~~There is~~ Not knowing who to report my action in  
this matter to, as the Army Department has taken  
no action, I have thought proper to make my  
report directly to you, I have Beg no  
further action necessary. I remain Respectedly

Thomas Don

*peer*  
District of Columbia  
Washington

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1861

Baltimore Aug 28. 1861

Maj' Genl' J. B. Sill

Ct

Enclosing letters in return  
to John R. Gwynn

also a request from  
prisoners R. Drake, Arthur  
Dawson, J. W. Daniels,  
M. Myers, Jonathan Chris-  
-ton and Jas. G. Davidson.  
to be placed upon parole

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(The Enclosures)

Has been attended to

J. W.

Rec'd H. A. P. Sep 2. 1861

Fort M<sup>c</sup> Henry Pa  
Aug 24<sup>th</sup> 1861

Sir. We the undersigned do respectfully  
request that you would place us upon a parole  
we - promising not to take up arms against  
the United States of America until authorized  
to do so by exchange or otherwise -

We are respectfully  
Yours truly  
G. W. Schultz

Robert Stone  
Arthur Sawson  
James W. Samuel  
Abraham Myers  
Emah Prinson  
James S. Davidson

Major Gen. Geo. B. Lewis  
Commandant  
of Pennsylvania -

D 45                      1861

Enclosure No 2

Baltimore 27 August 1861.

To Major General

George McClellan

The following Citizens  
of No. South R. Gwynn, a prisoner in Fort  
Mifflin, beg leave to lay the particulars  
of his case before you, and ask his  
discharge.

Mr. Gwynn having met with  
reverses in business, found it necessary  
to abandon mercantile pursuits, seek  
a support for himself and a very inter-  
esting & helpless family in some other  
avocation. He determined to rent a  
little farm in one of the lower Counties  
of Virginia, open a little Country Store to be  
kept by his son a lad of fifteen years of  
age, and establish a little school to be  
taught by a daughter just entering woman  
hood.

He applied to Mr. Addison the  
U. States District Attorney to procure a pass  
for him from Genl. Banks, which Mr.  
Addison did do, but by mistake the  
pass was made out for Mr. Gwynn, by the  
name of Gwynn, a name resembling it



with this he went into Virginia, inspected  
his arrangements & returned to carry his  
wife <sup>family</sup> there. The error in the paper was detected  
on his return: for he gave his true name  
Gwyn to the guard near Harper's Ferry -

This led to his arrest. He had a pack  
also of letters from persons in Virginia to  
persons in Baltimore. But there is nothing  
in them, in the opinion of Genl. Jay to  
whom they were forwarded, to exhibit  
any disloyalty on the part of Mr. Gwyn.

He has been in Confinement now  
about ten days & his health is very  
delicate, having within the last eighteen  
months, or two years had an attack  
of apoplexy. His friends & family are  
very uneasy, but the anxiety & distress  
incident to his incarceration may  
induce another attack of the same  
disease.

As we are fully persuaded  
that Mr. Gwyn had no designs other than  
we have mentioned, in going to & return-  
ing from Virginia; and as the motive  
for carrying the package of letters was  
none other, as we are sure, than the  
amiable one of obliging persons who  
could not communicate with their persons

or business friends in the city, by reason of the suspension of mail facilities, we earnestly hope that you will forthwith release him & put an end to the misery that his incarceration inflicts upon his family & himself.

We have the honor to be  
Your very obt. servts.

Chas. Rankin, Rector of St  
Peters Church, North Michigan Street

Wm. Meade Addison  
Saml. C. Bruce

George R. Dodge  
Parrot Marshal  
Brooklyn  
from Henry Black

Geo. E. Sangster (Clerk of  
the Superior Court of Baltimore City)

Mr. Soyne has been known to me for several years. He is one of the best natured men in the world & his circumstances are exactly detailed in the accompanying letter.

Wm. H. Key Sr

I know  
Shure Mr Gwyn for want of having  
knowledge of the facts stated  
with the within application

Wm J Miller

I have known Mr. Gwyn intimately for the  
past 20 years and know the facts stated  
in this letter to be true, devoting himself  
to his business, he has never mingled  
with public affairs, a more honorable  
and at the same time honorable man cannot  
be found.

See letter Nov 1

Lawrence Langston

A few days before Mr. John R. Gwyn  
obtained his pass, he call on me to  
consult as to the best course he should pursue  
in order to move his family on the Rappahannock  
River Va., I advised him to go  
in person or through a friend and make  
application to Gov Banks and state to him the  
necessity of the case, and I had no doubt he  
could obtain the same. The support of a large  
family through friends in Va was the only  
reason for his removal from this city.

Wm J Miller

Head Quarters Dept. of Pennsylvania

Baltimore Md. 27. Aug. 1861.

Maj. Gen<sup>l</sup>. G. B. McClellan,

Comd. Army of the Potomac,

General.

I have the honor to enclose a letter addressed to me by six men sent here by Maj. Gen<sup>l</sup>. Banks. They belong to the Loudoun County Cavalry, and were captured on the Virginia side of the Potomac while on duty as a Picket Guard, with them were thirteen others, who escaped.

Mr. Robert Drane, whose name is first on the list, is an intelligent farmer. I have conversed with him, and if his views are truly stated as I think they are, we shall lose nothing by his return to his home. The other men are of little account. Two of them are laborers, and the others sons of farmers.

I am, very respectfully

Your Obt. servt,

John T. Dix

Maj. Ind. Corp.

How very assured

D 45 by Hudson 1861  
Enclosure No. 3

Head Quarters, Department of Penn.,

Baltimore Md, 28. Aug, 1861.

Major Genl. G. B. M. Cullum  
Comd. Army of the Potomac,  
General.

I have the honor to enclose a letter from a number of our most respectable Union men, in behalf of Mr. John B. Gwynn, vouching for his entire inoffensiveness. From what I have seen of him, I do not hesitate to concur with them. —

There is one point on which they are mistaken, I did not examine the letters Mr. Gwynn carried. But they were carefully examined by Col. Seary and his officers, and though he mentioned their contents so far as he considered them of any consequence, he does not state that there is anything in them impeaching Mr. Gwynn's loyalty. He will, I do not doubt, take the oath of allegiance

I am very respectfully,

Your obt. servt.

John T. Dix

Major Genl. Comd.

Private Property  
taken

May 7, 1861

Private Property  
taken

Private Property  
taken

Private Property  
taken

Box 374

Duplicate

Schedule

of Goods taken by Order of the Board of Ordnance  
Capt. A. Pickens & Lieut. Wm. New York  
from the Store of King George's, Patuxent, & Miller  
Sept. Aug. 7<sup>th</sup>, 1864.

London Old No. Copper Dist. Whiskey

1. 1/2	45 1/2	1	44 1/2	Gal.
1. 1/2	42 1/2	2	40 1/2	"
1. 1/2	40	14	26	"
1. 1/2	39 1/2	2	37 1/2	"
1. 1/2	43	2	41	"
1. 1/2	42	1	41	"
1. 1/2	42 1/2	2 1/2	40	"
1. 1/2	43	16	27	"
1. 1/2	44	16	28	"
1. 1/2	45	2	43	"
1. 1/2	45 1/2	3 1/2	40	"
1. 1/2	40 1/2	2	38 1/2	"
1. 1/2	41	2 1/2	38 1/2	"
1. 1/2	41	8	33	"
1. 1/2	35 1/2	5 1/2	30	"
1. 1/2	40 1/2	2	38 1/2	"
1. 1/2	41	3	38	"
1. 1/2	42	2	40	"
1. 1/2	41	42	29	"
1. 1/2	44	1	43	"
1. 1/2	39	1	38	"
1. 1/2	42	15	29	"
1. 1/2	42	1	41	"
1. 1/2	41 1/2	2	39 1/2	"
1. 1/2	39 1/2	12 1/2	27	"
1. 1/2	41	1	40	"

26. 1/2 Carried forward 445 1/2 Gall.



26. Marcella Brought forward 9 1/2 Gall.

1.	d <sup>o</sup>	39	2 1/2	36 1/2
1.	d <sup>o</sup>	41	18	23
1.	d <sup>o</sup>	41 1/2	1 1/2	40
1.	d <sup>o</sup>	39 1/2	2	37 1/2
1.	d <sup>o</sup>	39 1/2	1 1/2	38
1.	d <sup>o</sup>	42	4	38
1.	d <sup>o</sup>	41 1/2	3 1/2	38
1.	d <sup>o</sup>	40 1/2	3 1/2	40
1.	d <sup>o</sup>	42	9	33
1.	d <sup>o</sup>	43	26	17
1.	d <sup>o</sup>	39 1/2	1	38 1/2
1.	d <sup>o</sup>	42 1/2	12	30 1/2

38. Marcella London Whiskey 45 3/4 Gall 217 1/2

1.	d <sup>o</sup>	42	2	40	120 00
1.	d <sup>o</sup>	41	18	39	46 00
1.	d <sup>o</sup>	38	2	36	54 00
1.	d <sup>o</sup>	43	12	1	1 50
1.	d <sup>o</sup>	42 1/2	1/2	42	52 50
1.	d <sup>o</sup>	43 1/2	16 1/2	27	33 75

45. Marcella Whiskey 46 7/9 35

1.	d <sup>o</sup>	41	22	19	152 00
1.	d <sup>o</sup>	41	28 1/2	22 1/2	75 00
1.	d <sup>o</sup>	41	29	12	60 00
1.	d <sup>o</sup>	42 1/2	8	29 1/2	51 62
1.	d <sup>o</sup>	42 1/2	1	41 1/2	62 25
1.	d <sup>o</sup>	42 1/2	2	40 1/2	60 75
1.	d <sup>o</sup>	43 1/2	2	41 1/2	62 25

50. Marcella Carried forward 42 20 75

53. Wine brought forward

\$ 3203 75

1.	d <sup>o</sup>	Portwine	35-29 = 6	at 500	30 00
1.	d <sup>o</sup>	Madras	34 1/2 - 19 1/2 = 15	at 450	67 50
1.	d <sup>o</sup>	d <sup>o</sup>	36-20 = 16	at 300	48 00
1.	d <sup>o</sup>	d <sup>o</sup>	41-3 = 38	at 325	123 50
1.	d <sup>o</sup>	d <sup>o</sup>	34-19 = 15	at 250	37 50
1.	d <sup>o</sup>	d <sup>o</sup>	34-24 = 10	at 150	15 00

59. Wine

\$ 3525 25

15	at 700	at 700	105 00
3.	at 1600	at 1600	48 00

\$ 3673 25

Alexandria Aug<sup>r</sup> 9<sup>th</sup> 1861.

I hereby certify that the bags  
taken from the Bunch are correct

G. W. Elish. Acting Surgeon

1 Clam

Printed Property

Aug. 61

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Memoranda No. 4 Aug 2<sup>nd</sup> 1864.  
Seized in a letter from Humphrey to  
T. Deaferra (The Miller Agent  
59 Mills Whiskey & Wine 15 Boxes  
Wines 3. Mastette Champagne  
Aug. 1. Warner  
Capt. Hazard  
Aug 10

*Schedule*  
of *Signatures* taken by *Order* of *Warrant* & *Marshall*  
*Capt. S. Dickson* from the *Store* of *Stamphord*  
& *California*, *San Francisco* *July*, *Aug.* 1<sup>st</sup> 1861.

*Linden Mrs. My Copper Dist. Whiskey*

<i>1. Marshall</i>	<i>43 1/2</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>=</i>	<i>44 1/2 Gall.</i>
<i>1. do do</i>	<i>42 1/2</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>=</i>	<i>45 1/2 "</i>
<i>1. do do</i>	<i>40</i>	<i>17</i>	<i>=</i>	<i>47 "</i>
<i>1. do do</i>	<i>39 1/2</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>=</i>	<i>41 1/2 "</i>
<i>1. do do</i>	<i>43</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>=</i>	<i>45 "</i>
<i>1. do do</i>	<i>42</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>=</i>	<i>44 "</i>
<i>1. do do</i>	<i>42 1/2</i>	<i>2 1/2</i>	<i>=</i>	<i>40 "</i>
<i>1. do do</i>	<i>43</i>	<i>16</i>	<i>=</i>	<i>47 "</i>
<i>1. do do</i>	<i>41</i>	<i>16</i>	<i>=</i>	<i>45 "</i>
<i>1. do do</i>	<i>45</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>=</i>	<i>43 "</i>
<i>1. do do</i>	<i>43 1/2</i>	<i>3 1/2</i>	<i>=</i>	<i>40 "</i>
<i>1. do do</i>	<i>40 1/2</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>=</i>	<i>38 1/2 "</i>
<i>1. do do</i>	<i>41</i>	<i>2 1/2</i>	<i>=</i>	<i>38 1/2 "</i>
<i>1. do do</i>	<i>41</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>=</i>	<i>33 "</i>
<i>1. do do</i>	<i>35 1/2</i>	<i>5 1/2</i>	<i>=</i>	<i>30 "</i>
<i>1. do do</i>	<i>40 1/2</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>=</i>	<i>38 1/2 "</i>
<i>1. do do</i>	<i>41</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>=</i>	<i>38 "</i>
<i>1. do do</i>	<i>42</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>=</i>	<i>40 "</i>
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<i>1. do do</i>	<i>41</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>=</i>	<i>40 "</i>

*26 Also Received from 97 1/2 Gall.*

26 Barrels Imported French 94 1/2 Gall

1.	d <sup>o</sup>	39	18	=	36 1/2
1.	d <sup>o</sup>	41	18	=	25
1.	d <sup>o</sup>	41 1/2	18	=	40
1.	d <sup>o</sup>	39 1/2	2	=	37 1/2
1.	d <sup>o</sup>	39 1/2	1 1/2	=	38
1.	d <sup>o</sup>	42	4	=	38
1.	d <sup>o</sup>	41 1/2	3 1/2	=	38
1.	d <sup>o</sup>	40 1/2	3 1/2	=	40
1.	d <sup>o</sup>	42	9	=	33
1.	d <sup>o</sup>	43	26	=	17
1.	d <sup>o</sup>	39 1/2	1	=	38 1/2
1.	d <sup>o</sup>	42 1/2	12	=	30 1/2

38 Barrels London Whiskey 135 1/2 Gall 2372 13

1.	d <sup>o</sup>	42	2	=	40	120 00
1.	d <sup>o</sup>	41	18	=	23	16 00
1.	d <sup>o</sup>	38	2	=	36	54 00
1.	d <sup>o</sup>	43	42	=	1	100
1.	d <sup>o</sup>	42 1/2	1/2	=	42	52 50
1.	d <sup>o</sup>	40 1/2	16 1/2	=	27	33 75

35 Barrels Whiskey 2679 88

Brandy

1.	d <sup>o</sup>	41	22	=	19 1/2	152 00
1.	d <sup>o</sup>	41	28 1/2	=	12 1/2	75 00
1.	d <sup>o</sup>	41	29	=	12	60 00
1.	d <sup>o</sup>	42 1/2	10	=	39 1/2	51 62
1.	d <sup>o</sup>	42 1/2	1	=	41 1/2	62 25
1.	d <sup>o</sup>	42 1/2	2	=	40 1/2	60 75
1.	d <sup>o</sup>	43 1/2	2	=	41 1/2	62 25

33 Barrels Imported French 2203 75

53. Barrels Brought forward \$320.37 1/2

Wines

1.	d <sup>o</sup>	Portwine 35-29 = 6 Gall = 500	30 00
1.	d <sup>o</sup>	Madagascar 3 1/2 - 19 1/2 = 15 " = 400	67 50
1.	d <sup>o</sup>	d <sup>o</sup> 36-20 = 16 " = 500	48 00
1.	d <sup>o</sup>	d <sup>o</sup> 41-3 = 38 " = 525	123 50
1.	d <sup>o</sup>	d <sup>o</sup> 34-19 = 15 " = 200	37 50
1.	d <sup>o</sup>	d <sup>o</sup> 34-24 = 10 " = 500	45 00

59 Barrels \$3525 25

10. Moser's Claret Wine @ 700

3. Martell's Champagne @ 1600

\$3678 25

Alexandria Aug 9<sup>th</sup> 1861

I hereby certify that the charges taken from the Barrels are correct

S. M. Elsh, Acting Sawyer

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1861

St George Del

Aug 22/61

Ogden Ches. S.

In relation to Mr Delaware  
Thinks Dr E Woodell and

Mr. Celia should be stric-  
tly watched

One Endeavor

Respectfully  
to Major Genl.

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Respectfully  
to Lt. Gen

W. D.

Aug 22/61



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St George del  
Aug 22/61

Oyden Chas. S.

In relation to Ft Delaware  
think Dr E Wood and  
Mr Coker should be strin-  
gely watched.

Head Quarters Army  
One S. D. ... Aug. 27/61

Respectfully referred  
to Major Genl. C. C. Callan.

By command:

E. D. Thompson  
a. a. Genl.

Respectfully ref<sup>d</sup>  
to Lt. Genl. Scott  
S. C.

W. D.  
Aug. 24/61

Cats

C. Howell

Dr. + Dr. 1/2

Mr. Cullin

Act. of Newton Coal Co.

Westmoreland City - Pa.

Oct

1861

Enclaves of 1861

St. Georges, Delaware.

22<sup>nd</sup> August 1761

Dear General,

I have been representing very  
since my return from Washington, have had frequent  
opportunities of mixing with the people; I  
desire to call your attention to "Fort Delaware",  
understanding that Capt. Gibson has had  
permission to take the Command of the  
"Commonwealth Artillery Regiment". I presume  
he will leave the Fort & it is very necessary  
at this present time that a **Loyal** Officer  
succeed him one of whom there is not the  
shadow of suspicion. This Military rule should  
also be enforced at the Fort; I have visited  
it personally and speak for a knowledge of  
facts presented to my observation, I enclose the  
names of the individuals over whom strict watch  
keepers should be extended, the Lt. is a relative  
of the General Gen. Mifflin his <sup>interests</sup> and the actions of his  
subordinates mean "No Good".

To His Excellency the General  
Secretary of War

Thomas S. Collins

Respectfully  
refers to the Camp  
officer J. Delamater  
who is desired  
to pursue such  
a course in the  
case as may seem  
most judicious.

By command  
of Maj Gen McClellan

J. W. Williams  
Asst. Surg. Regt.

65th Regt of the Penn  
Sept 5. 1861

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Despatch

No 404

To Gov Perpoint  
Wheeling

Aug 16<sup>th</sup> 1861

Citizens

Copy

Headquarters A.O.W. V  
Charlestown Va  
August 6<sup>th</sup> 1861

For Pierpoint  
Whelby.

Per your request of this day  
sent to Columbus eleven prisoners <sup>for military</sup> charged  
with treasonable & seditious conduct —  
J. J. Hendon. J. S. Fisher S. Basil  
A. Rizer W. Hillman S. Lunsford  
of Buckhannon. J. J. Rhea J. A. Weeks of  
Sutton. G. S. Conway. P. Evans & J. E. Hall  
of Centralia. ————— W. S. Rosecrans  
Brig Genl U.S.A.

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D<sup>r</sup> Boston Aug. 15/64  
~~W. L. G. Co. No. 1800~~  
Peppin Philip & others

Petition to be released  
from imprisonment on parole  
of honor.

W. L. G. Co.



Brigadier Gen Grant.

Wenton Aug. 15<sup>th</sup> 1861.

Sir.

Those of us, citizens of the Towns of Pilot Knob, Wenton and Arcadia, whose names are signed to this paper, being held as prisoners by you, not as we are afraid, because of any charges to be preferred against us, but to insure greater safety to the Army of the Federal Government under your command and to guard against the possibility of any communication with the enemy, desire to be discharged upon <sup>our</sup> parole of honor, that we will not, now, nor hereafter, during the present Civil War, confer with, or communicate to, the enemy, any information touching the condition, disposition, or numbers of the Federal forces, which may now be or hereafter come into our possession or knowledge.

As an inducement to your favorable consideration of our request, we would say that we have long been residents of this valley, that whatever character we may have, is well known throughout this part of the State, that we are all real estate owners, that our homes and families are

here, and that aside from our determination,  
as honorable men, to observe the binding  
obligations imposed upon us, we have no  
inclination to forfeit all these by a wilful  
violation of the pledges we may make, as  
a condition to our discharge.

We cannot close this communication  
without expressing our grateful acknowledgments  
for the courtesies and gentlemanly treat-  
ment we have received in our imprisonment  
and the comfortable quarters furnished  
us at the house of N. N. Tong.

Very respectfully  
Philip P. Kist  
James L. Covert  
John J. [unclear]  
G. W. Farrar  
J. W. Hancock  
W. [unclear]  
Alex. Moore  
Chas. S. [unclear]  
E. [unclear]  
[unclear]  
A. N. [unclear]

The undersigned Thos B. Grigsby of Madison County, also held as a prisoner with the gentlemen whose names are subscribed to the foregoing Communication, desires also to be discharged upon his parole of honor upon the Conditions as set forth in said Communication. He willingly subscribes to every statement, Condition, & pledge therein contained. He desires to state that he is a real estate owner to a considerable extent in this valley as well as in the County of Madison, that he is a resident of the Town of Fredericktown, where his family now is, and that he is also sheriff of that County. (Madison).

Thomas B. Grigsby

I, The undersigned, S. M. Satter, do solemnly swear not to take up arms against the Government of the United States, nor to incite others to like offenses, nor to give information to the enemies of the Government of the United States to be made use of by them, so help me God.

S M Satter

Executed by  
the body of Depts.  
born in the presence  
of Jno. Lipps Esq  
12 O'clock P.M.  
Aug. 12<sup>th</sup> 1861

J. W. Donnelly  
S. C. Esq

*[Handwritten signature]*

Greenbrier county to wit  
to all or any one of the constables of the said county  
whereas William J. Mann of the said county  
has this day made complaint and information  
on oath before me John George a Justice of  
the said county that, <sup>AM G Davis</sup> on or about the month  
of June 1861 in said county one sorrel gelding  
with two white hind feet with some white  
on his face four years old saddle spring of the  
price of one hundred dollars of the goods and  
chattels of the said William J. Mann feloniously  
did steal take and carry <sup>away</sup> these are therefore  
in the name of the commonwealth to command  
you for the with to appear here and bring before  
me or some other Justice of the said county the  
body of the said AM G Davis to answer the  
said complaint and to be further dealt with  
according to law given under my hand and  
seal this 7 day of August 1861

John George Justice

*[Faint, illegible handwriting, likely bleed-through from the reverse side of the page.]*

*[Faint, illegible handwriting, likely bleed-through from the reverse side of the page.]*

Greenbrier County, West.

We, John Lipps and Thos. A. Bell, Justices of  
the Peace, for said County, upon the trial of the  
within cause, after hearing all the evidence  
produced before us, do dismiss the warrant,  
with the expression of the opinion that there  
is no evidence to support the same, and  
that Gen. A. W. G. Davis is not responsible  
for the absence of the horse referred to.

John Lipps J.P.  
Thos. A. Bell J.P.

Com. of P. Safety

Aug 61

~~Butcher~~

Comm of Public Safety

Walter L. Lovelace  
Thomas J. Powell  
James C. Bay  
Charles B. Harper  
Harris Lee

} Comm of Safety  
Montgomery City - for information  
apply to Capt. W. S. Brown  
Montgomery City

Philaander D. Prosser  
Aaron Mc Pike  
Geo. S. Meriwether  
John L. Tribble

} Pike City -  
for information apply to  
Maj. John T. Edwards  
Bowling Green

James M. Shelton Pres.  
Wm Gibson  
Wm H. Triggs  
Isaac Limburger  
Wm Burr

} Boneville

Walter Perkins  
John Smithan  
F. G. Hatt  
E. Norton  
G. W. Parker

} Gray Lincobn City  
Mo.



~~William~~

9. 12  
Isaac Linburgh

James M. Nelson

William Gibson

William Burr

Mr. H. Figs

Bonnelle

Very appointed  
Com. & Safety

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Order

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1 James M. Allen Sec. President

1 William Gibson "

1 Wm H. Trigg Union

1 Isaac Lombard "

William Burr "

Head Quarter District of North Missouri

Sir

St Louis Aug 12 1861

You are hereby appointed <sup>as</sup> member  
of the committee of public safety specified  
in the printed paper enclosed - You are best  
made the order <sup>as</sup> public as possible for the benefit  
& safety of the people & property of Booneville -

The requirements of the special order will be  
strictly enforced and the penalty of breaches of  
the peace exacted to the full extent

By order of Genl Pope

Actd W H Sul.

Phelan & Cooper  
Com. of Safety Pike by  
refusal of Com. will  
not relieve them from  
any responsibility -

Head Quarters Sixth North Missouri

Sir,

St Louis Aug 11. 1861

The Genl Commanding directs me to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 15th and to request you to inform Messrs Geo. D. Meriwether, Samuel W. Wells & John L. Trille that so far from being released from any responsibility by declining to serve on the Committee of Public Safety of Pike County that they will be held to a stricter and more rigid account, personally and in their property for any breaches of the peace or destruction of property which may occur in that County than if they had by cooperation with the Committee prevented ~~such occurrences~~ such occurrences

These Committees were instituted for the benefit of the Citizens and property holders and of prominent Citizens.

and persons largely interested in the  
preservation of order decline taking an  
active part in the suppression of  
the troubles which distract the State  
they will be held accountable for  
the result of their ~~refusal to act~~  
neglect to perform their duty

I am,

To  
Philander Shreve

C. R. Morgan  
Hid. de Camp

Louisiana

Per  
S

Member of Safety Council  
-ter appointed at  
Hutton Messmore

1911

Secretary

President

Member

Member

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(Copy)

Fulton Missouri  
August 7<sup>th</sup> 1861

By virtue of General Order no 3 Head Quarters District  
North Missouri — I do hereby appoint the following named  
Citizens, a Committee of Public Safety — with positive assurance  
that they will be held responsible for all depredations committed  
against peaceable Citizens within the bounds of Callaway  
County — with power to quell all riots and disturbances

John S. Williams — Chairman  
D. H. Overton  
D. L. Whaley  
D. M. Tucker  
Henry Larimore

By order of  
W. R. Goddard, Major  
Commanding Detachment  
15<sup>th</sup> Reg<sup>t</sup> Ills. Volunteers

Committee for  
Montgomery



Committee of Safety  
The following named Gentlemen are  
herby appointed a committee of safety  
for Montgomery Co. Mo.

Walter L. Lovelace

Thos J. Powell

Daniel C. Ray

Chas B. Harper

Arak Lee

By order of  
Gul Topp

Appointed by Capt J McSulta

Appointments

Wm R Martin - Martin's bus of Sub Sup N M R R

Aug 2<sup>nd</sup> 64

Walter G Lovelace

Thos G Powell

James C Bay

Lehal. D Harper

Notah Sei

Committee of Public

Safety for Montgomery Co

For information  
Apply to.

Capt H D Brown  
Montgomery  
City

Philander Draper (Louisiana M D)

Harou Mc Pike

Gen D Merrimethen

John L Trisble

Committee for Pike County  
Mo

For information apply to

Wm John J Edwards

Rowling Green

Bowling Green Aug 5<sup>th</sup> 1861

Mr Philander Draper

Dear Sir

You are hereby appointed chairman of the committee of public safety for Pike Co Mo, when you deem it necessary you will call a meeting of the committee by notifying each member in writing - you will use your best endeavors to maintain peace and quiet in the County. To assist you in so doing you will call upon a sufficient military force and any number of private citizens that you may deem necessary to quell any disturbance; Should any person or persons refuse to assist you in the way you direct they will be held personally responsible for any damage that may be done - and if deemed by you to be irresponsible persons, you will cause their arrest the same as persons assisting in an outbreak and report them at Head Quarters, Should you deem the force at your command insufficient to suppress any disturbance or to protect lives and property. You will call upon a sufficient force of U. S. Troops to do so and give the persons to understand when such danger is expected that they will have to pay all expenses of such troops from the time they leave their post until they return, and furnish suitable quarters for them while on such special duty - Should property be destroyed by any persons for rebellious purposes, the property of the citizens of that neighborhood will be levied upon by the United States

Officers on such quantities as will be amply sufficient to pay all losses & expenses &c. Should any member of the Committee refuse to act or neglect or neglect to ~~do~~ <sup>perform</sup> his duty you will at once report him and in case any damage is done. he or they will be held responsible for all losses to persons through their neglect or refuse to act and their property will be levied upon to pay such losses. and should there not be a sufficient amount of it, the property of persons who are known to encourage outbreaks will be taken to make up the residue. You will read these instructions at the first meeting of the Committee. — It is the intention to secure peace and safety for the persons and property of all citizens of North Missouri, by the means adopted it will be readily seen that it is made interest of every citizen to preserve the peace — The safety of <sup>their</sup> persons and their property depends upon the maintenance of peace in the community.

By order of

J. W. Mulla  
Capt U.S.A.

Brig. Gen John Pope  
Commanding North Missouri

Committee of public safety for Pike Co Mo  
Philander Draper Chairman

Samuel M Wells  
Geo D Merowether

Saron M Pike  
John S Tubble

Head Quarters,

District of North Missouri

St Louis Aug 10 1864

The Genl Commanding

directs me to call your attention to  
the assembling and drilling of armed  
forces <sup>noted</sup> in your County and to  
notify you that if these forces  
are not dispersed, or if he  
receives authentic information  
of the re-assembling of such  
unauthorized forces he will forthwith send  
troops to your County and strictly  
enforce there the provisions of  
Special Order No 3

Respectfully

Your Obedt Servant

C. H. Morgan

Aide-de-Camp

To the Committee  
of Safety of Missouri  
at Paris  
Sub Comm  
to Balls of  
New London  
Milton, Colman &

Copy of Letters:

Com. of Public Safety



Head Quarters,

District North Missouri

St Louis Aug 16, 1861

The Genl Commanding  
directs me to call your attention to the  
assembling and drilling of armed forces -  
hostile to peace and the public safety -  
between Keokukville and Troy, in Lincoln  
County and to notify you that he  
will immediately send troops into  
your County and that he will  
strictly enforce the provisions of  
Special Order No 3 unless these  
unauthorized forces are immediately  
dispersed

Genl of P. Safety  
Lincoln Co

Fry Run Co  
C. H. Morgan  
Head of Camp

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Aug. 21, 1861

~~at~~



Stewart & Kimber Co. Va.

Aug. 20<sup>th</sup> 1861,

To all whom it may concern  
Be it known unto you that we the  
undersigned, do hereby Certify that Henry Pugh,  
Wesley Pugh, John Holden, and James Dillwall  
of this neighbourhood, are traitors to the U. S.  
Government; and dangerous workers in secret  
in aiding and abetting treason. And we  
further declare that our own lives the lives  
of our families and our property are endan-  
gered, and unsafe whilst the above named  
persons are allowed to run at large. And  
we furthermore declare that they (the above named)  
or part of them have threatened to revenge  
himself upon all union law abiding men. And  
we declare to you the truth the whole  
truth and nothing but the truth. So  
help me - God.

Robson, W. Christy  
H. Perry

Wm. C. Calkins

Charlestown Va, Aug 21<sup>st</sup> 1861

Capt. G. W. Hartuff

A. A. Gentry

A. O. W. W.

Sir, I left this on Saturday night  
last and returned this morning bringing seven  
Prisoners (to wit) - William Anglin, James Dillworth  
Henry Pugh & Wesley Pugh <sup>and John Holden</sup> who are considered  
Dangerous to the peace of Union Men in the  
Neighborhood in which they live. Also -  
John Anglin a young man who it appears is  
led by his father but who of himself is  
a peaceable fellow. Also Henry Smith who  
has been led further and further by the  
Altruists of Secession but against whom no  
charges are made and who will likely do  
well by taking the oath. The others all  
refused to take the Oath. At the time  
of their arrest they themselves are not the  
practical workers, so much as the instigators  
of others, and wield an influence over  
a large number of weak minds (or rather  
ignorant minds.) I also give the testimony of  
witnesses with regard to the several districts  
in which I have made arrests. I had an  
escort from Capt. West, Cavalry. One young man  
in particular did very well by name Maxwell  
Coburn. I also brought in (4) four horses  
which had done service in the Secession  
Army, and which I have turned over  
to the Horse Yard at this post.

I will close by remarking that in the  
Country in which I have been I see  
is rampant. But as all the men took to  
the woods only the women were left to  
curse us which some of them did on  
a gigantic scale. Hoping my conduct may  
meet your approbation I remain your

Obedt. Servt.  
John Stevenson  
Dr. B. Surgt.

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W. E. - Mrs. - 13/11/61  
Brig Gen. Couch  
Brigade  
Brighton  
Aug 2<sup>nd</sup> 61

Rests

Letter in reference  
to the character  
of Jas Flynn and  
John Truett, prison-  
sent in 7 am yesterday

Respectfully  
submitted to  
Gen. Perten

J. W. Couch  
By Gen.

August 21<sup>st</sup> 1861

I as a proprietor of a publick house  
in the neighbourhood, where James O'Flaherty  
and John Trucks Resided I never saw  
heretofore of the two men use any  
language disrespectful against the laws  
of the government - and make known  
that's what ever

Michael Ester a Union  
man

Brigade HQ  
Camp  
Dec 21 61  
Gen. Foster  
Sir

The two men  
who will hand you this  
are brothers of the two pris-  
oners Toland & Hynes  
they wish to give them  
some clothes and money  
Will you deliver them  
to do so

Yours  
J. H. ...

Pitts. back Fayette Co Va August the 26<sup>th</sup> 61

General Lee Most Honorable Sir

on the 10<sup>th</sup> there of your men came here to my house  
 of the my husband was not at home there was just me and  
 my daughter and my little boy <sup>and two of your soldiers</sup> ~~one of them~~ demanded the  
 money ~~and~~ and all the valuable papers to be filled ~~and~~  
 if one will the note that James D. Surreal  
 had a gun ~~and~~ he said if I didn't that it would  
 be good for me and my family <sup>against</sup> ~~the~~ this time to morrow  
 he said that if my husband was at home that he  
 would shoot him he fore sundown if he didn't settle what  
 he ~~will~~ <sup>he said</sup> and if he ~~did~~ belched his away from home that  
 he would never ~~would~~ get home again he took a good horse  
 with a star in his face about ~~of~~ nine ~~years~~ old and took  
 an ~~men~~ saddle that didn't belong home and brident to send  
 in a hunt ~~trip~~ the next day and drove of very late  
 that was on the back ~~of~~ I told them that I had  
 papers against his note and he said to fill them  
 for I ~~did~~ told him that didn't no where they was  
 was afraid to ~~show~~ them for fear that they ~~would~~  
 destroy them all James D. Surreal said to let  
 my husband to mail him near the havenot the  
 next morning with the papers and he would have the  
 property that we have a just settlement and he didn't  
 get no and I hunted them out some among the ~~rest~~ and ~~of~~ them



myself but he ~~did~~ never met me I started to the bridge  
and went as far as the picket yard on the same branch  
and looked ~~to get~~ any ~~farther~~ further I saw the lieutenant  
millier he said he believed that he knew them and  
told me that he would let it in camp that note  
and I have never got no word whether I should get the  
~~property~~ ~~back~~ a gain or not I want you to let  
me know whether I can get ~~the~~ the property ~~back~~ again  
if you please and whether you will send it to me or whether  
I can get it we have no ~~more~~ ~~interest~~ ~~in~~

*John*  
the worst is three mile away about down town and half  
to carry every stick of wood that we have I don't  
now when my husband will get home because if you ~~can~~  
see his mother she is sick I stand in great need of the  
horse for I have but one daughter and won't come about less  
six years old and he is sick about her James D. ~~son~~  
was sent when first settlement is made he would be one  
I have a bad way to get from home he  
but if you require ~~nothing~~ my husband's brother  
will go to the union <sup>man</sup> and get it for he is a man about  
sixty years of age I have friends by the union  
men that he has been meddling with them and  
and that he ~~has~~ pay all just day your boys  
that went down the <sup>sum</sup> ~~the~~ ~~naoping~~ as they ~~say~~  
referred the next day my ~~son~~ daughter gave the ~~description~~  
the description of the man that was sent ~~and~~ ~~secret~~ that some  
thought and he says that it was the brother over the way Margaret ~~Griffin~~



The bearer Mrs. <sup>Tracy</sup> informs me that her son John ~~Tracy~~ and his partner James Flinn have been arrested upon suspicion of treason or sedition and requests me to state my knowledge of those men - I have known them for years they have worked for me occasionally - They are owners of a thrashing machine - They last year and the present thrashed my crops of ~~Wheat~~ Rye & Oats They and their Parents bear the character of industrious law-abiding citizens and I have <sup>never</sup> known of their acting in any way contrary thereto. That I am a true sincere Union man and friend of the present administration. Friends of Blaine Esquire will I ~~can~~ testify

Geo Taylor  
Aug 20<sup>th</sup> 1861

I know Mr Taylor but neither of the parties to whom he refers - Mr Taylor is an honest truthful patriotic Union man - 21 Aug '61

J. J. Cair

Governor Pierpont - Va.

Wheeling - 9<sup>th</sup> Aug 1861

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List of Union men pris-  
oners at Wheeling - also  
names of prominent Se-  
cessionists whom he wish-  
es to be taken as hostages

Citizens

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Executive Department

Wheeling, August 9, 1861

Gen. C. F. Smith, U. S. Army,  
Gandy, Va.

Dear Sir,

I am deeply  
anxious to secure the release of  
the following persons, civilians  
who have been arrested and con-  
victed to Richmond: viz,

J. A. Roberts,	Member of Wheeling Con-		
	vention from Boone County, Va.		
D. D. Rhodes,	Jackson County, Va.		
Merry Large	"	"	"
Hos. N. Jackson	"	"	"
— Harper	"	"	"
Edwin High	Kanawha	"	"
Charles Mollison	"	"	"
Beniah Bodkin	"	"	"
James Bodkin	"	"	"
2 Jims (names not known)	Merchants		
	from Charleston Kan. Co. Va.		

Also a man named Ray and  
his son from Roane Co. Va.

The U.S. Leads as prisoners  
the following named persons  
at Columbus: in Camp Chase:

Miles Jacoby, a justice of the Peace,  
from Jackson Co. Va.

Jos. A. Park, P. M. of N. P. M., ~~Jackson~~  
County, Va.

Alfred Coe and — Haskethorne,  
of Jackson County, Soldiers in  
the secession army at Columbus.  
Col. Ferguson, Prosecuting Attorney of  
Wayne Co. Va.

— Bull, of Gilmer Co. Va.

Fisher, Prosecuting Attorney for ~~N. P. M.~~  
County at Camp Chase.

Perkins and Holderly, of Cahill  
Co, in Point Pleasant Jail.

In order to secure the liberation  
of the prisoners held at Richmond  
it is deemed advisable to arrest  
several prominent secessionists

of Kanawha County, the propriety of which is respectfully submitted to your consideration. If you coincide in this suggestion, you will arrest the following named persons:

John, William, Jacob, Elkin and David Goshorn, Alex. S. Laidley, Mason (Merchant of Chonastou) Erno S. Arnold, Meshkiah Agee, J. L. Davis, (of Lipsonville), Joseph B. Chilton, A. W. Quarrier, Andrew Parks,

You will make such disposition of these men as will most effectually secure the object sought to be attained, and you will please inform them that to effect their release the speedy liberation of the prisoners held at Richmond will guarantee that object.

You can send them either to  
Camp Chase or Camp Sherman.

There is a young man con-  
-fined in the jail at Ashles-  
-ton upon a charge of Rape,  
the son of J. A. Roberts. The  
charge is believed to be un-  
-founded, and a mere ruse  
to capture the father. You  
will do me the favor to in-  
-quire into it, and do what  
you deem advisable in the  
premises.

I am yours &c

J. H. Phipps

P.S. Please let no person know that  
~~this suggestion comes from me~~

J. H. P.  
Said of Union man pris-  
-oner, at Ashling - also  
- names of prominent. Se-  
- curities to return him with  
- to be taken as hostages  
Extensive  
AP 23-07

Union Phipps - 24

Ashling - 9<sup>th</sup> Aug 1871

Col Lightburn

Aug 29. 1861

Speaks of arrest of Union  
man by rebel citizens

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Oits

Head Quarters Point Pleasant Va  
Genl J. D. Co. Aug 29<sup>th</sup> 1861.

Sir

I think I have been creditably informed  
this morning that Daniel Frost speaker  
of the house of Delegates, Andrew Hester member  
of the state senate, and some other prominent  
union men have been arrested by the Rebels  
I thought proper to inform you of the  
Report that arrests have been made in  
Jackson County, one of my sergeants  
was up in that section and brought  
down the news. I am ready to obey  
any orders you may give in reference  
thereto.

Respectfully your  
obedient servant  
J. A. J. Lightburne  
Col. Commanding Post



Col. A. S. Hawley  
August 1st

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Account of J. S. Burd  
Foliant Recipient  
and 5 prisoners

St. 13 - III citizens

Ironston, Lawrence Co. O.

Aug 1<sup>st</sup> 1864

Hon. J. Dolson Gen

Brig. Gen U.S. Forces on Kanawha

On the 30<sup>th</sup>

ult. Col. Zigler (holding Com. to raise Reg. in Wayne & Cabell Cos. Va, under Gen. Perspenti) took F. & S. Buren of Cabell Co. Va. Prisoner, and said Prisoner is herewith sent to you. (Col Zigler also took Col Ferguson of Wayne Co Prisoner & we sent him to Columbus, O)

F. & S. Buren Prisoner, is a leading secessionist has been violent; when Col Woodruff took Guy and the Buren shot in of 2<sup>nd</sup> Ky Reg, wounding him in wrist was on route for Bartonsville to assist in fight there, was in the Battle at Scary Creek, taking part etc. It is deemed very important that this leading Rebel should be detained as Prisoner whilst the Union men are rallying in Wayne & Cabell, & I am glad to say that Col. Zigler has made a start, raising 100 men or more organized, & is doing good work. In absence of arms we of Ironston have loaned him 100 muskets if they are extracting more from whelming Government, the horse Buren, Ferguson & others will be detained as Prisoners

Yours Respy,

Geo. Hawley,  
Col. 1<sup>st</sup> Reg. State Militia Lawrence Co. O.

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Zaragoza  
Cuba

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Head Quarters,  
Grafton, Va. Aug. 18. 1861.

To  
His Excellency,  
Wm. D. Ransom;

Sir.

I send in charge of Lieut. C. B. Jones, H. J. Martin, a prisoner. The papers concerning him were sent yesterday, with the other two, John W. Coffman, and William A. Wiro, in charge of Capt. Kay.

Very Respectfully,

Your Obedt. Servant,

J. A. Jones, Col.  
Comdg. Post.

By order of  
Brig. Genl. Rosecrans.

Lieut. Jones will report to Brig  
Genl. Ransom, Camp Chase  
By order  
C. B. Buckingham  
Capt. Genl.

Orbits of Algiers  
of man arrested at  
W. A. Arsenal

W. A. Arsenal

W. A. Arsenal

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Washington August 1861

Brig Genl Mansfield

Sir In the cases of the Men arrested by you from information received from Committee of House of Representatives. I Wrote to Genl Potter the Chairman of the Committee, he Stated that it Was Not the desire of the Committee for their arrest, and that there Was No Witnesses to appear, Not Knowing myself of any specific Charges, except that their Sympathies favor the South, I dismissed them Upon letting the Capt. Whose names are herein enclosed

Names

Daniel Morgan  
Charles J. Simons  
Peter M. Guinness  
Henry Dudley  
Alfred Higgitt  
Eda Locke  
Benjamin Harrison  
and J. S. Miller

Respectfully  
Thomas C. Donn

Justice of the Peace  
for Washington County  
Virginia



M. C. Carr - wit

N. S.

E. G. Westcott  
s partner -

Deft: paid money loan to  
Charles Burrows <sup>agent</sup> Sergeant  
Capt: Calin Co: 9<sup>th</sup> N. S.  
The Sergeant can give information.

Westcott paper the De Solo Bk: bills.

2 Paddock one of the firm says he paid \$185 =  
willing to redeem that amount.

Paddock said to Sturtevant, merchant  
on the corner of Broad & Middle Street  
near old market - that he Paddock only  
paid that much \$185 = & wanted Sturtevant  
to redeem them.

Sturtevant said so to M. C. Carr.

Westcott now gone to H. ~~Wright~~ <sup>Washington D.C.</sup>  
Ranke Island

<sup>wit</sup>  
As A. Rice Express office had some of the  
money on deposit for them & know all about  
it.

Wagoner has some  
numerous bills or pieces of work  
or ~~papers~~ in ~~his~~ <sup>his</sup> ~~possession~~ <sup>possession</sup>



Geo Sainsworth Aug 23. 1860  
 Alex W. Buell, Sept 8. 1860  
 Henry N. Walker, Aug 1. 1860

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Office of the Western Union Telegraphs  
Springfield Ohio

Springfield, August 23, 1861

Respected General,

I desire to make application for service in your Department in a Telegraphic Capacity.

I have been constantly employed in the various branches of Telegraph operating & management for twelve years, and having built and equipped first class lines, I am familiar with the most available methods of rapid construction and operating - and being among the number who earliest engaged in the occupation, I have become acquainted with the qualifications of a very large number of operators throughout this and adjoining states, and could select such a Corps as would render the Telegraph at all times reliable and prevent disastrous mistakes, which so frequently occur from entrusting important messages to inexperienced hands.

I have ventured to address you personally upon this subject as the most ready means of arriving at a knowledge of the requirements of your Department in the line of Telegraphic operations -

I have prepared no vouchers of my own qualifications - nor delayed this application to obtain references, but through a number of gentlemen eminently well known at Washington both in this state and at Detroit - who will endorse to you all that is contained in this application and who will furnish satisfactory testimonials of my business capacity and standing in the community where I have long resided.

I have learned that Mr. Strauss has resigned the superintendency of the Military Telegraph, and that his successor is not definitely settled upon. Whilst the subject is pending I would ask a hearing, and your encouragement warranted, if I can immediately repair to Washington - with the proper endorsements and lay before the proper officials a more complete statement, attested by acceptable vouchers -

If there is no Field Telegraph Corps yet organized I would like to undertake the organization of such a Corps, and having spent some time in experimenting upon the subject

I am confident that a telegraph  
cable can be readily made of very  
efficient service upon the hills.

I would respectfully refer  
you to Lieut Tol. of your staff.

To Captain Saxton also of your staff and  
to Mr. Allen Staps Dept of the Army.

Hon Elon Farnsworth Detroit.

Hon W. A. Walker Detroit

Major J. McKinstry St Louis

C. C. Frobridge Secy S. T. M. Railway Detroit

Hon Alex. W. Burt. ex M.C. Detroit.

and to my cousin Col O. B. Wilcox Mich.

I remain with respect  
Sir your obedient servant.

George Farnsworth  
Springfield Ohio

To Major General G. B. McDellan  
Commanding  
Washington  
D.C.

Detroit Sep. 8 1860

Dear Sir,

Your favor is rec<sup>d</sup>. Mr. Buel has been appointed Consul to Honolulu and will have had to go to Washington some time this coming week - He does not know whether he will be allowed an assistant or not. I think however they will show him a check. I would address him a letter if I was in your place and state your expectations and refer him to the Chancellor and myself and such other friends as you wish and I will do all I can to aid you.

Yours truly  
 W. N. Hartley  
 Esq. Farmington

Detroit Sept 28<sup>th</sup> 1860

Geo. Farnsworth Esq  
Sonia Mich 3

My Dear Sir

Your favor of the 15<sup>th</sup> Sept  
is received and owing to my continued absence from  
the city I have not been able to answer it until to-  
day.

My private affairs and professional engagements are  
such at present that I have concluded to decline accepting  
the appointment of Consul at Honolulu, otherwise I  
would write you further on the subject and would  
satisfy your wishes.

I am, Sir

Yours in great haste

Chas. W. Purcell

Copy.

Detroit August 1. 1866  
Mr. George Farnsworth has  
been connected with the Detroit  
& Milwaukee Railway in the  
Capacity of Auditor of Passenger  
Traffic - and Superintendent of  
Telegraph for four years -  
He is a competent and accurate  
accountant and familiar  
with the details of Railway  
Traffic - As a Telegraph Operator  
he has no superior - and  
whilst in charge of the Company's  
line of Telegraph. His duties  
have been performed with  
fidelity & to the entire sat-  
isfaction of the Company.  
Mr. Farnsworth superintended  
the Construction & Equipments  
of our Telegraphs. and  
the appointing of operators

and dispatching of  
trains were under his  
direction - and his  
management of the Telegraph  
Department. But the entire  
approbation of the Managers  
of the Railway -

Signed

Henry A. Walker  
President

D. T. W. Railway

*[Faint, illegible handwritten text, possibly a signature or address.]*



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Nathan Burdham  
and  
Anthony Dormer

List of names accus-  
ed by them with being  
active secessionists

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Citizen

P A Bassett  
Leonard S. Robey  
Benj Gardner  
Orde W. Dent  
Madison Bunch  
Wm A Mudd  
Albert Mudd  
A Middleton  
Col Frank Thompson  
Wm F. Dement  
Eugene Duggs  
Mitchell

The above is a list of persons residing  
in Charles Co who are accused by  
Nathan Burnham of being active secession-  
ists. — Residence of Burnham N<sup>o</sup> 1157  
10<sup>th</sup> St between F<sup>1</sup> & F<sup>2</sup> He will act  
as Guide and witness

Name	Name of Petitioner or Bench
John H. Spratt	John Seawind
Bennett F. Gwynn	R. B. Sattimer
C. Plimley Bryan	Thos. Sattimer
Walter P. Griffin	Chas. Gray
Dr. Joseph Sattimer	Hempfield
Thos H. Hoarbin	Flynn
Walter Edelen	
W H Edelen	

The above is a list of Persons residing in Prince George County at or near Piscataway who are accused by Anthony Dorman of being active secessionists. Dorman was a late resident of Piscataway but obliged to leave in consequence of being a Unionist resides at present in Washington No 36 Seventh St at which place a guide can be found to point out the residence of the above persons.

Dorman also states that the Rifles belonging to a Company in Piscataway are in the possession of Elias Thompson or at the hotel

Mr. Murphy  
Old Mines  
Misses

Appeal for  
liberation of  
Dr. Casey & Evans  
arrested at Patuxent

to

P

Co. Schaffner

Aug 16/61

Old Mines, August 16/61.

General Fremont

Sir,

Do you know Mr. M.  
er to my son or less Dr. Casey, on receipt of the  
my husband is ill at the point of death  
and we have no physician in the village  
my daughter is pining in the absence of her  
devoted husband, who, with Dr. Evans, was  
erected when on a sick call to Calais, for  
no known cause. - Dr Evans is an English  
gentleman with a large family of small  
children and he has never been known to  
express his political opinion. - Do I desire  
the best Drs, and command the respect of all  
of Miss. Murphy

Oath of Allegiance  
of sundry persons  
Oath

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Aug. 1861

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We and each of us do solemnly swear that we will  
bear true faith and allegiance to the United States  
of America and that we will not bear arms against  
the Federal Government, or directly or indirectly  
by inciting others to do so, or be concerned in any  
plots or conspiracies against the same.

J. L. Widmuller

James Phillips

James B. James

I, Wm. J. Hallack late a private in the  
Federal Army. do hereby pledge my honor as  
a soldier and a gentleman that I will not  
again bear arms against the United States  
Government, or incite or encourage others to  
do so.

Witnessed My. Aug. 30th 1861

Wm J Hallack



V. R. S. Bevier having been arrested by  
military authority hereby pledge my  
honor as a gentleman, that I will  
not leave the city of Hannibal, or  
hold any communication with parties  
engaged in plots or conspiracies, or who  
are or in fact shall be in arms against  
the government of the United States,  
until I shall be discharged by the  
same authority by which I am now  
held, and that I will upon de-  
mand surrender myself again to said  
authority, and upon said surrender  
either upon demand or at my own  
option this parole shall be void

R. S. Bevier



The undersigned Citizens of Missouri weary of the strife and discord which now prevails and anxious to restore peace and protection for ourselves and families are now determined to rally around the National Standard and seek shelter and security under the Constitution and laws of the United States.

We therefore freely fully and without mental reservation renounce any and all connection, cooperation, and complicity implied or expressed with revolutionary or Secession movements either in the State of Missouri or elsewhere within the limits of the 35 States and Territories of the United States.

And we further promise and agree to abstain from all combination and complicity with persons engaged in measures of secession or revolution and will exert our best influence and exertions to secure surrender of all arms and munitions of War that may have been collected or concealed for secession or revolutionary purposes. And we further promise to abstain from acts of retaliation, resentment and revenge against persons who have taken active measures to expose and quell secession movements and in all things deport ourselves as peaceable citizens bearing true allegiance to the United States paramount to all allegiances we may owe to all confederations, States, Counties, Counties, whatsoever.

For the true and faithful performance of this agreement and in consideration of future safety and security from military arrest and embarrassment and the common advantages of peace and prosperity which we hope to secure do pledge our sacred honor ~~and our property and our lives~~.

And finally we solemnly swear that we will support the Constitution of the United States and bear true allegiance to them and will faithfully execute the agreement hereto attached.

D. C. Settle Charles L. Bourner  
M. A. Robinson

Wm. J. [unclear]  
W. R. [unclear]  
J. S. [unclear]

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The General Comy has  
already approved of  
the manner adopted  
to dispose of these  
claims. The effect  
of this arrangement  
will be to liquidate  
Bills against certain  
Recpts. for the payment of  
which the work of the  
Accounts & Superior Office  
generally was pledged.

Wm. L. Kelton

Mary E. Eaton At. S.

Wm. L. Kelton

never then clear

St Louis August 20/61  
Maj Gen Geo Fremont  
Dr Sir

At the time when our volunteers badly needed clo-  
-thing & necessary outfit, and some of the wealthier merchants in St Louis  
wanted to have anything to do with Government contracts, We the under-  
signed Germans merchants in this City at the urgent request of the  
officers of the 2<sup>d</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Regiments Mo Vol, & from the assurance of  
Gen Lyon, Col Blain & others who all urged us to proceed with the work  
& deliver the articles & assured us that we would certainly get our money  
for the articles as soon as the soldiers would receive their pay; we did  
the time (feeling for our cause as all other Germans in the City) in order  
to do this as desired & to show our enemies here that the Germans could  
clothe their soldiers, invested all their means & encumbered their prop-  
erty in order to raise the money to buy the articles & pay the hands  
for making them, which liabilities & incumbrances are now  
past due & the parties whom we owe pressing us for payment.  
We know that the soldiers have been paid but we have not yet receiv-  
ed a cent of money, No, we have not even rec<sup>d</sup> any satisfactory  
answer as to when we can expect to get it, all of the papers toge-  
-ther with the necessary signatures of Col's & others we have  
left with Asst Ady. S Kelton - We would therefore re-  
-spectfully ask you as the friend of the Germans &

justice to place this matter in such a manner  
that we may soon get our money & so save us from sacrific-  
ing our property, & almost certain ruin as we have  
invested all of our means in the enterprise.

Very respectfully, Yours &c

H. Kellogg

A. Deane

A. S. Kornick & Co. San Francisco

P.S. We understand the money has been retained  
from the soldiers wages, for the clothing.

A. Keller

Poston

St Louis, 21 Aug 65.

Desire to be paid for  
Clothing furnished to  
2d & 4th Regts M. I. L.  
The papers, necessary  
signatures thereon, are  
with Asst Adjt Gen Keller

Enclosure

Arrangements considered  
satisfactory by all parties have  
been made to settle the checks  
amount of four Reg 1. \$ 144<sup>th</sup>  
Reg. B. Co. 1200. Reg 1  
M. I. L.

Responsible men have been  
selected from each Reg to examine  
the returned clothing allowed  
from the Regiments.

Some public notice is required  
to be given to all claimants

If the Regulations of the Regts  
do not now require their claims

it will be because the  
efforts of the Govt officers  
are defeated by the action  
of the Sub Officers in private  
of the Regts who now that  
the clothing is worn out  
protect against the price  
drop.

W. C. Keller  
A. A. S.

Aug 27, 65

Please reply to the effects  
of what is contained in given  
enclosure, this approval of  
which is the only action Genl.  
Fleming can take on this letter.

By order.

J. N. Eaton  
Maj. U. S. A.  
M. I. L.

W. C. Keller  
St Louis Aug 28 65

Aug. 1861

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Headquarters A.O.W.V  
Clarksburg Va.  
August 17<sup>th</sup> 1861

Gov. Dennison  
Columbus

Sir

The Commanding General  
directs me to forward you two more prisoners  
in addition to H. J. Martin.

No 1 Wm. H. Wier

" 2. Jm. W. Coffman.

for safe keeping.

The papers relating to them will be forward-  
ed by first opportunity.

Very respectfully

J. O. S. Perot.

Geo. S. Hartung

Asst. Adj. Genl.



46, S Louis M  
 Aug 23/09

Profrs of May  
McKusky Jones  
 Marshall in case  
 of Mrs Greene  
 John M. Clutekin

Reported favorable  
 to them

copy of telegram  
 to Co. Ogden Aug 30/09  
 on this report Dewey  
 Society

John M. Clutekin

Office of Provost Marshal

St Louis, Aug. 23<sup>rd</sup> 1861

General:

In the case of Wm. P. Green, and John M. McButchin referred to my office by your favor of today, I beg leave to report that I have examined with some care the records and papers <sup>and Mr. G. one of the prisoners</sup> in the case, and am able to say that it appears that these persons were arrested and their property detained, while they were in the act of transferring some three thousand pounds of butter across the Ohio River from Illinois to Kentucky. Such a charge is implied, rather than directly alleged in the letter of Col. Oglesby, Comdr. at Cairo, accompanying the prisoners, and this they do not deny. They say in answer to the charge of affording aid and comfort to the enemy that they supposed, that as Kentucky was a loyal

State, the sending butter to Smithland or Paducah for sale, where they say they intended to dispose of it, "would in no way conflict with the laws." In reply to the charge that they instructed their teamsters to use secrecy in their movements, they say that they did so, because it was an unusual circumstance that butter should be hauled across the country, and might excite suspicion, and they therefore instructed the teamsters to be cautious in their movements.

These are all the facts in the case, and they are all gained from the papers presented by the prisoners. There is absolutely nothing in the communication from Col. Oglesby, or the papers submitted against these men, so far as appears in my office, to justify their detention. It may however be

desirable to send for and await the arrival  
of some evidence from Cairo before deciding  
upon the case.

The prisoners present testimonials from  
Ex. Mayor O. D. Pilley & other prominent citizens  
of St. Louis, in which they are mentioned in  
the highest terms, as warm supporters of the  
Administration, both politically and otherwise,  
and as men of good character and unquestioned  
loyalty.

I am,

General,

Yr. Obedt. Servt.

J. M. Smith

Major U. S. A.

Fort Marshall

Maj. Gen. J. C. Fremont

Comd'g. Army of the West

Col Dunning  
Perkins

Aug 17/61

Respecting As. Prisoner

2 or more

bits.

Order issued  
August 18<sup>th</sup>/61.

John Gwynne  
Major Officer of  
the Day.

Head Quarters Parkersburg  
Aug # 17/1861

To Genl Buckingham  
Columbus: O -

In accordance with  
the instructions of Genl. Pomeroy, you  
will be waited on by Capt<sup>g</sup> Fletcher of  
Com. H, 5th O, D, with two prisoners, Dr  
H W Cooper, and Chas Roach both of  
Poane Co. Ia. The evidence and papers  
connected with their arrest and examination  
will be forwarded to you by Adjutant  
Shandler from Parkersburg.

Very Respectfully  
J. H. Dunning Col. Post Commandant

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J. C. 14 Aug, 1861

Petition of Charles  
Thrupp, & Daniel  
Wilson. Claiming  
compensation for  
one cask of Brandy,  
consumed by five  
Companies of the  
Volunteers, under  
Lt. Col. Rhodes, on  
board the Steamer  
"Compass":

Citizens  
Town of

Recd. 10.4 / Oct. 11. 61



Louisville, Ky., Aug 29 1861

Mr Messrs Messrs Wilson



Bought of **JOHN C. TERFLOTH & CO.,**  
**IMPORTERS OF WINES, BRANDIES, CIGARS, &C.,**  
AND DEALERS IN BOURBON AND MONONGAHELA WHISKY,  
NO. 134 WALL STREET.

2 Bbls Bourbon  
to the 1st 1861 2.85  
1 Case Cognac 2 Bbls

150 ff  
63

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\$ 213 ff

" A "

To Brig. Gen. W. S. Grant

Sir

Your petitioners  
Charles Thrupp and Samuel  
Wilson, citizens of Cairo, Illinois,  
composing the firm of Thrupp & Wilson,  
would respectfully represent that  
on or about the 29<sup>th</sup> day of August  
1861 they purchased from the Capt.  
John C. Terfloth No. of Louisville  
Kentucky, a Bill of Lignores  
among which was one cask of  
Cognac Brandy, containing twenty  
one gallons and which cost your  
petitioners the sum of Sixty Three  
Dollars (\$63.00). And your petition-  
ers annex hereto, marked "A" the  
Bill of Lignores, including  
said cask of Brandy. Your  
petitioners further show that  
said Lignores, including said  
Brandy, were on or about the  
5<sup>th</sup> day of September 1861 shipped  
at Louisville to your petitioners  
at Cairo on board of the Steam  
boat "John Gault". And they fur-  
ther show that as they are credibly  
informed and verily believe

The said liquors, including said  
brandy, were, by command of the  
military authorities at Paducah,  
Kentucky, transferred at that  
place from the said Steam boat  
John Gault to the Steam boat  
Empress - of which latter boat  
James Abrams was master  
and W. H. <sup>W. H.</sup> Jowers was acting <sup>as</sup> Clerk.  
That said liquors and brandy  
were so transferred on or about  
the 8<sup>th</sup> day of September 1861 and  
that on the evening of that day  
the said steamer "Empress" left  
Paducah for Cairo Illinois,  
with said liquors and brandy  
on board. That on the same  
trip of said boat five companies  
of the 8<sup>th</sup> Regiment of Illinois  
Volunteers - under command of  
Lieut. Colonel Rhodes of said  
Regiment - were transported from  
Paducah to Cairo. That on said  
trip the whole of said cask of  
cognac brandy was used and  
drank up by said five com-  
panies of Illinois volunteers -  
to the damage of your petitioners  
in the sum of fifty three dollars.

Your petitioners annex hereto the  
affida original bill of Lading of  
said liquors and brandy, marked  
"B" - and also the affidavit of the  
said Master and Clerk of said  
Steamer "Empress", marked "C".

Wherefore your petitioners ask  
that the said sum of Fifty Three  
Dollars (\$53.00) be allowed to  
them in payment of said  
costs of cognac brandy.

Very Respectfully

Charles Thrupp  
Samuel Wilson

State of Illinois  
Alexander County }  
City of Cairo } Do.

Charles Thrupp and  
Samuel Wilson, composing the firm  
of Thrupp & Wilson, being first duly  
sworn depose and say that the  
matters and things alleged and  
set forth in the foregoing petition  
in so far as the same are stated  
upon their own knowledge are  
true in substance and in fact  
- and in so far as they are  
stated upon information and  
belief - they verily believe them

to be true, and further deponent's  
own note.

Subscribed and sworn to  
before me, this 24<sup>th</sup> day of  
September A.D. 1861. - 3

Charles H. H. H.  
Samuel Wilson

In Testimony Whereof, I have to  
affix my name & Notarial  
Seal, at the City of Cincinnati, Ohio,  
on this 24<sup>th</sup> day of September A.D. 1861.

Wm. H. H. H.

Notary Public

SHIPPED IN GOOD ORDER BY

IMPORTERS OF  
Wines Brandy Cigars &c  
BOURBON & BLENDED WHISKEY  
& MONSIEUR LAUREL  
No 46 WALL STREET  
LOUISVILLE, KY.

John R. Perloff & Co.

For payment and risk of whom it may concern on board the good steamboat  
called the *John Hunt* whereof *Capt. Yarnes*  
is Master for the present voyage now lying in the *Ohio* River and bound for the Port of  
*Cairo* the Packages or Articles described below which are to be delivered without delay  
in like good order and condition at the port of *Cairo* the dangers of  
the River, Fires and unavoidable accidents only excepted unless *Thos. J. Wilson* or assigns  
he or they paying freight for the said Goods at the rate of \$3.00 per cwt

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the Green Master of said Boat hath affirmed to THREE copies of lading all of this tenor and date, one of which being  
accomplished the others to stand void.

Dated Louisville Ky, this 5 day of *Sept* 1867

MARKS	ARTICLES	WEIGHT
<i>Thos J Wilson</i> <i>Cairo</i>	<i>2 Two Bbls Bourbon</i> <i>one Case Cognac</i>	
<i>\$1.00</i>		<i>1 Case Brandy Short</i>
	<i>" B "</i>	

*120*  
*11*

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3 1/2  

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38  
4.75

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Charles  
Burd

3/5



"D"

State of Illinois }  
Alexander County } 300.

"C"

City of Cairo } James Brown, ~~Attorney~~  
Morton and ~~W.R. J. J. J.~~ <sup>attorney</sup> Clerk of the  
Steam boat "Empress" being first duly  
sworn deposes and says that on or  
about the 8<sup>th</sup> day of September 1864  
a lot of liquors, including one cask  
of cognac brandy - marked "Thrupp &  
Wilson Cairo", were at Paducah  
Kentucky, transferred, by command  
of the United States Authorities,  
from the Steam boat "John Gault"  
to the said Steam boat "Empress"  
for shipment to Cairo, Illinois.  
That on the evening of that day  
the said Steam boat "Empress"  
left Paducah for Cairo with  
said liquors and brandy in  
good order and condition - on  
board. That on the same trip of  
said boat five companies of  
the 8<sup>th</sup> Regiment of Illinois Volun-  
teers - under command of Lieut. Col.  
Rhodes of said Regiment - were  
transported from Paducah to Cairo.  
That on said trip the whole of said  
cask of cognac brandy was used  
up and drunk by said five

"C"



companies of Illinois volunteers -  
 that on the arrival of said boat  
 at Cairo said cargo was completely  
 empty, and could not be delivered  
 to said Thrupp and Wilson as  
 per Bill Lading given by Mr.  
 John Gault, and further de-  
 plements may not.

Subscribed and sworn to  
 before me, this 24<sup>th</sup>  
 day of September A. D. 1863

Jarvis A. Spring  
 W. Sawyer

In Testimony Whereof, I have to  
 sign my name and office as  
 Notarial Seal of the said City  
 of Cairo, Mo. on the day and year  
 last of

David J. Baker Jr.  
 Notary Public

Head Quarters, West U.S. Mo.  
 Cairo, October 9<sup>th</sup> 1861  
 Referred to above, A. D. 1861  
 orders without recording

W. A. Thrupp  
 Wm. Wilson

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Sept. 14 Aug. 1861

Petition of Charles

Thrupp, & Daniel

Wilson: claiming

compensation for

one cask of brandy

annexed by five

companies of Ill. Sol.

volunteers, under

St. Col. R. H. Jackson

board the steamer

'Enterprise':

Lecturers

James

Recd. W. A. / Oct. 11. 61

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Application for  
Pass for the body  
of  
Open Lessons &  
Effects -

Granted

August 15, 1861

2 or more

Open Lessons

New York, May 15th 1858.

Gen. J. C. Fremont.

D. Knoutton Esq.

a highly respectable merchant of  
this city, visits the state of Missouri  
for the purpose of recording the  
body of Gen. Lyon. Mr. Knoutton  
is a gentleman in whom you  
can repose entire confidence  
and I trust you will render him  
every possible assistance in con-  
secrating his honorable object.

Yours respectfully  
Geo. Sherrin.

Gen. J. C. Fremont  
St. Louis.

# Union Defence Committee,

OF THE CITIZENS OF NEW-YORK,

OFFICE, No. 30 PINE STREET,

New-York, Aug. 15 1861.

Major Gen John C. Fremont  
St Louis

Sir -

The Pleas, of  
this An W J B. Husler, a Brother  
in-Law of the lamented Lyon, and  
W Sanford Knowlton, a Cousin of  
that distinguished Victim of Rebellion,

Both are Gentlemen, worthy your  
entire respect and Confidence, their  
Errand is one of duty to their  
lamented friend and relative, and  
requiring the aid perhaps of yourself.

I commend them to your attention  
and ask for them the facilities  
necessary for the successful  
consummation of their wishes.

Yours ob Servant

S. Daper  
A. H. C.  
m. d. e.

17. 211841

Jefferson City  
 August 12. 1841

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A. P. Richardson  
 & others.

Petition for the  
 release of the Steamer  
 "A. M. Lowell."

Citizens  
 of  
 two or more  
 names

Received 10 / Aug. 13 / 41.

Jefferson City Augt. 12. 1864.

To Major Nelson

M. P. Army

Sir The undersigned at the request of Capt. D. A. Greenleaf, desires to state that the steamer A. M. Howell now in custody of the United States, arrived at this place from St. Louis on the 28<sup>th</sup> day of April last loaded with powder for the State of Missouri, and returned to St. Louis the next day. The A. M. Howell arrived again at this place on the 12<sup>th</sup> day of May without a cargo and laid up at the mouth of Cedar Creek opposite this City, where she remained until the 25<sup>th</sup> of May, on which day she left this City loaded with state troops, which had been disbanded in the Price & Harney treaty - returned to the mouth of Cedar on the 29<sup>th</sup> May and laid up again, and there remained until seized by Gen. Lyon. Under the above state of facts, we do not think that the boat, has violated any law, or incurred the penalty of confiscation & unless be pleased to see her restored to her owners, or placed on the pay roll.

Allen P. Richardson  
Thos. H. Price

Wm. H. Baker  
Thos. Miller

Shuttleworth

Security  
for Robinson

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Camp News Aug. 15<sup>th</sup> 1861.

Gen. Rosecrans,

Sir,

I have confidence in the integrity of Mr. Nelson Robinson & his son, and they have both assured me this morning that they are done with secession forever; and that no change of circumstances will induce them to give ~~the~~ Rebels the least countenance with this solemn assurance. I feel safe in vouching for the loyalty of Elam Robinson hereafter - and hope it will be your pleasure to set him at liberty.

Very Respectfully,  
J. H. Shuttleworth



92 Application for re-  
lease of prisoners in fed.  
at Pleasant -  
3d Aug 1892

Mr. ...

Point Pleasant Va Aug 3<sup>rd</sup> /61

Gen<sup>l</sup> Lee

Dear Sir

There is a Prisoner in Lord here  
By Name of Beeching, lives near Guyandotte Va and taken  
from his home, a home guard attempted to disarm him  
about the time the troops came to Guyandotte, he and another  
Person refused to be arrested, and he was fired upon, he did  
he says attempt to shoot, but his gun would not go off.  
The man that was with him did return the fire with a  
shot gun, and hit two of them (wounds slight) he made  
his escape, returned home and was attending to his  
farm, and was arrested, and told he was out  
in the Battle of Barboursville or Scary. I am well acquainted  
with Beeching, he having married a ~~friend~~ friend of mine, and  
from my knowledge of him, I am satisfied his statements are  
correct, he wishes to take the oath, and go home to his family  
and quit talking, which I think he will do, his Release  
may have a good effect to get others to come forward at  
Guyandotte, and do better than they have done

Yours Respectfully

C. C. Miller

There also is in Lord here an acquaintance of mine by name  
of Haddenby from near Guyandotte, one of Jenkins' men

Taken while scouting near coal River, he has been held  
some two weeks, he was hitherto considered a clever young  
man (I think was probably induced by Leuker, to join his  
company) he says he is satisfied and wishes to take the  
oath, and go home and go to work, I am in hopes you  
will Release him,

Yours Respectfully  
C. C. Miller

We the undersigned citizens of Point Pleasant, (and good Union  
men, Respectfully ask for the Release of the above named  
Prisoner & consistent with your duty

J. R. Smith

H. J. Winton

A. W. Agnew

J. S. Franklin

C. A. Barlow (in favour of Mr Bushong)

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Application for  
leave of absence in  
of Mr. Bushong  
3d Regt of Artillery  
Mr. 20. 30

Copy of

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Contract made by P. O.  
Dept. with John Gilmer to  
carry mail-matter up Kan-  
-awha River - Citizen

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Washington - Aug 28/69

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HEAD QUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF WESTERN VIRGINIA.

Tompkins' Farm, Va., Oct. 16th, 1861.

SPECIAL ORDERS }  
No. 4 }

Capt. C. N. Goulding, A. Q. M., is hereby ordered to take charge of and deliver all Regimental Mail between Gauley Bridge and Gallipolis, and all Quartermasters are hereby authorized to render what assistance may be necessary to facilitate the delivery of all such mail matter. He is also authorized to employ such agents as may be necessary.

By Command of Brig.-Gen'l Rosecrans.

GEO. L. HARTSUFF, Ass't Adj't General.

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INSTRUCTIONS TO MAIL AGENTS.

In pursuance of the above order I have this day appointed N. S. Jones John Stevenson and John Harpor Mail Agents between Gallipolis and Gauley Bridge, and they will observe and be governed by the following instructions:

You will leave Gallipolis daily on the Government steamers. Previous to leaving you will obtain from the Post Master all the Regimental or other mail matter intended for these Headquarters. While on your way up the river you will carefully assort and place in packages each regiments mail matter. These packages are to be carefully wrapped and tied, and the number of the regiment written upon them.

Previous to arriving at Charleston you will place in a separate Mail Bag all the mail matter intended for the regiment or regiments stationed there, and you will deliver SUCH MAIL MATTER ONLY, and then only to some one authorized to receive the same, and the persons so receiving it shall present to you a written order for the same.

Before leaving Charleston you will obtain from the Post Master all the mail matter intended for points up the river (for which this will be your order), and before arriving at Camp Bayart you will assort the same, as before directed. Upon arriving at Camp Bayart you will transfer all mail matter in your possession to the clerk of the steamer Victor No. 2, who will forward the same to Headquarters, care of Capt. E. P. Fitch, A. Q. M., who will receive and distribute the same.

A strict observance of these orders will secure the safe and speedy transportation of the mail.

You are further instructed to report in writing to these Headquarters any and all interference with the fulfillment of these orders.

C. N. GOULDING, Capt. & A. Q. M.

Tompkins' Farm, Oct. 16, 1861.

"Copy"

Post Office Department  
Contract Office  
Washington Aug: 20. 1861

Sir: The Postmaster General has ordered that a contract be made with John C. Gilmore, of Fort Pleasant, for conveying the mail on Route No 4624, from Kanawha Co. to Fort Pleasant and back, three times a week, via Tyler Mountain, Mouth of Poca, Walnut Grove, Red House Shoals, Winfield, Frazier Bottom, Buffalo, Arbuckle and Cologne.

Report the date of commencement of service.

Respectfully to be

C. S. Childs

For Secy of Post. P. O. Seal

To

Post Master

Kanawha Co. Va

Charleston, Va Dec: 9, 1861  
Captain:

I have the honor to report, that I have examined the case of Mr. C. C. Whittaker, Post Master of this town, and find that he is regularly commissioned by the Post Office Department at Washington.

The enclosed "Instructions" will explain themselves.

The paragraph marked A is not always complied with: I have been present at the opening and assortment of the mails, and have seen bags containing indiscriminate matter; some for Charleston, Gauley, and various other places along the river.

It seems therefore, that the employment of agents to accompany the mail from Gallipolis to this point, and to assort it on the route, is an interference with the P. O. Contract with Mr. John B. Gilmore, which

would render him irresponsible for any loss or irregularities; at the same time he draws pay, under contract, for services performed by the Government boats. (Notice of Contract appended.)

The labor and responsibility of assisting all matters, naturally devolve upon Mr. Whittaker.

I find, upon an examination of his accounts, that his profits are as follows:

from Nov. 8 <sup>th</sup> to 25 <sup>th</sup> - 16 days - prepaid letters	\$57.30
Commission - 50 per cent	28.65
deduct: Office rent - fuel & lights & wages of two assistants regularly sworn in	41.35
(7)	Profits - \$16.30

At this rate his salary per month would not be far from \$30, while the labor performed is equal to, if not greater, than that of any other Post-master in town of an equal number of inhabitants.

I have been reliably informed that Mr. Whittaker was the only man who could be found competent to discharge the duties of Post-master, who was ever willing, at the time, to take the oath of allegiance to the United States.

To

Capt. G. M. Pascom  
Act. G.

Very Respectfully  
Wm. M. West  
Capt & Ad. S. W.



Case of 94 N P 23 - A  
Samuel J. Anderson

N. Y. Aug 26<sup>th</sup> 1861

About John S. Neil.

Headquarters Provost Marshal's Office,

WASHINGTON, D. C.

OFFICIAL BUSINESS.

Central Department of the Metropolitan Police,

413 BROOME STREET, cor. of Elm.

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF POLICE.

New-York, Aug. 26<sup>th</sup> 1861

Col. Porter

Provost Marshal

Washington

Sir,

A man named John T. Neill, who holds some military position, I am informed, in Fort Ransom; has been to this City more than once since so connected with the government, and on each occasion has been much in the company of an agent of Alexander H. Stephens of Geo. named Samuel J. Anderson; Anderson has taken as active a part openly, as he safely could, in favor of the Confederates. He it was who endeavored to have the Balto. Police Commissioners released by Judge Garrison; and is strongly suspected of being a

medium of communication with  
the Confederate authorities. He has  
already made one visit south  
this summer to see Stephens, as  
he has admitted to me in person;  
and I have reason to believe con-  
templates making another very early,  
unless I may find enough to detain  
him on. That he is in corres-  
pondence with the Rebels I have  
no doubt, and that Aill is  
assisting him I have as little.

One of the departments was  
informed of this fraternity a few  
weeks ago, but nothing having  
been done, and their mischief  
being now nearly ripe, I deem  
it proper to notify you.

Very truly yours  
John A. Kennedy  
Super

94 N. 25  
N. Y. 26 Aug

John A. Kennedy

About John T. Neil

Case of 95 No 404, A  
Information of Thos. S. Williams  
concerning

Arrest Husband

D. 27 Aug. 1861

Enclosure 1

Aug 28-61

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Headquarters, Provost Marshal's Office,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

J. Mc. New  
Ed. Hubbard } Beltsville, Georgia Co,  
Md.

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Information has been received from Rev. B. H. Bentni, Baptist Church, cor. of Virginia Ave & 5th St, Navy Yard, that parties above named are collecting arms & men near Beltsville, for the Southern Army. The information was communicated to me by ~~Capt~~ <sup>Chief</sup> Tate, of the District Volunteers

W. E. Williams  
At Present Marshal or 503.72th St. Station S. A. S.

95. Washington No. 244.

John B. Williams

Informant of Bureau  
of Warblers

Dec 27 1861

Enclosure No 1

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The within is respectfully  
referred to Mr. Williams  
The parties may be known  
to Washington to be not  
in proper situation  
can be placed upon the  
contents of the within  
Receipt of Mr. Williams  
Jan. 28 1861. By [Signature]  
C. [Signature]

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J. M. McCutcheon

W. R. Green, Clerk

Sept. Aug 30 6

Agreement not to  
bring suit for dama-  
ges agt. U.S. for detention  
of outer teams



St Louis Aug 30. 1861

We hereby pledge ourselves  
not to bring suit for damages  
against any Officers employed  
by the U.S. Government, engaged  
in the detention of our Teams  
& Horses, seized at Independence, Mo.,  
on the 15<sup>th</sup> of Aug, & which  
is to be released this day by  
order Major Genl. Fremont  
in accordance with above  
conditions -

John M. Fletcher  
W. R. Greave

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Head Quarters  
St. Louis, Aug 2. 1861

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J. M. Neil

Col. 3. Regt. Mo. Vol.

Introduces Captain  
Thompson of Warren Co.  
Mo., and refers his  
case to the asst. adjt.  
Genl. West. Dept.

(one enclosure)

Recd. / W. H. / Aug. 4 / 61

Memorandum

July 31. 1861.

Lieut. Col. Hammer of the 4th Regt Mo. Volunteers, three weeks since took twelve prisoners at Sute Island, Warren County, Mo. together with seven horses.

Two of these horses are claimed by Mr William Thompson, who, with his brother Frank, was among the prisoners. They were released upon taking the oath of allegiance and Mr William Thompson is now here endeavoring to find the horses.

By permission of A. A. G. John C. Kelton he visited the arsenal but without finding the horses. He suspects that they are at Jaeger's Garden and desires permission to visit that place, and endeavor to find the horses and to obtain them when found.

Mr John S. Plunket was

also taken at the same time  
and released at the arsenal  
upon taking the oath.

He also lost a horse worth  
as he states \$400 which he  
wishes to recover. He suspects  
that the horse is in possession of  
Col. Hammer.

The object of the organization  
of the Home Guard and of all our  
volunteers is not only to put down  
rebellion but also to protect  
persons & property public and  
private. Should property of se-  
cessionists be confiscated it  
is taken for the use of the gov-  
ernment, and should be properly  
accounted for. And if the prac-  
tice is adopted of releasing  
prisoners upon their taking the  
oath of allegiance, their private  
property should in all cases  
be restored.

The circumstances above

Mentioned seem to be of sufficient importance to demand a thorough and searching investigation.

Atty

P. S. The whole matter belongs to the ~~department~~<sup>sphere</sup> of Col. McNeil the Commander of the Place, to whom it should be at once referred.

Atty

Reference to  
Col. MacNeil for  
examination & report  
July 31/60

Memorandum from  
Genl. Foremont con-  
cerning horses taken  
from Messrs W. Thompson  
& John C. Plunkett  
by Lt Col. Hammer  
4th Illinois. Also

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No. 103 (W. D.) Aug. 9/61

Headquarters Brigade U. S. R. C.  
St Louis Aug 25 1861

Capt Geo. C. Ketton

Asst Adj't Genl

Sir

I herewith introduce to you Capt Wm Thompson of Warren Co Mo. He is in the search and for the recovery of certain horses alleged to have been taken from himself and neighbors in this recent expedition in that neighborhood, by the troops under command of Col Hammer.

The matter was referred to me from Headquarters, but upon examination of the subjects, I cannot see that I have any authority over Col Hammer, or command at present and I respectfully refer the matter to you for investigation together with the documents.

I am Sir,

Yours obt. Servt

John Merrin  
Col 3<sup>d</sup> Regt. Comd'g Brigade  
U. S. R. Co. Mo Vol -

No. 115 98 1861

Shore Machine

and thus etc to

Pls: August 11/61

Petition requesting  
the stationing of a  
guard at Pt. St. George  
to protect the national  
trunk & bridge &c

Mainland Aug 11/61

Respectfully referred  
to Head Quarters  
Sept. 11/61

A Tracy  
Capt. U.S. Army  
Wash. D.C.

Recd. 11/10/61 Aug. 12/61



Potosi August 9th 1864

Coln Bissell Genl Post at St Louis  
Dear Sir

We the undersigned citizens  
of Washington County feel that  
our section is not safe from  
attack by parties of Rebels from  
the South West of Pilot Knob,  
threats have and are being made  
to attack Potosi & tear up the  
Track in the neighborhood of Mineral  
Point for the purpose of cutting  
off the communication with St Louis  
and the Knob. Information to  
day received from reliable men  
that this intention of attacking Potosi  
& tearing up the Track for the above  
purpose will be carried out at  
once, induces your petitioners to  
respectfully solicit the stationing  
of from 300 to 500 men at some  
point in the neighborhood of St Louis  
at the earliest possible moment,

Wm H. Munklin

Samuel Singer

R. Hornsey

James McCreary

Geo. R. French

M. Crispell

J. B. Bell

W. H. Woodcock  
at  
A. S. Harris

W. E. Mowbray

Application to raise  
Rents to \$10  
per month etc

Aug 18 1861

~~W. H. Woodcock~~  
~~at~~  
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~~Application to raise~~  
~~Rents to \$10~~  
~~per month etc~~  
~~Aug 18 1861~~

Respectfully  
referred to Col Blair  
who will instruct  
me to whom I shall  
direct papers to  
as Col of Regt  
Blair

St Louis,

A. S. Harris &

W. E. Moberly

Brunswick Mo

are desirous of raising Regt in  
Chariton Co, & surrounding, for  
service of Gov. Secession  
Element very large here, &  
think it impolitic to organise there,  
at suggestion of Col Blair, we  
apply for authority to raise Regt &  
have it passed to St Louis, over  
# & St Jo RR, at Government  
charge, to be instructed in military  
affairs, & go where required.

Prefer serving between Missouri River  
& Iowa line, in Grand River county,  
no doubt large bands of rebels are  
organising there, doing much damage.  
Thinks if two or three Regts were raised  
in that county, would be great reaction  
in favor of Gov. & all important in fall  
election. Unless some measures be taken  
The Secessionists will take the Polls & drive  
away union voters,

St Louis Aug 18, 1854

Major General Fremont

We are desirous of raising  
a Regiment or as large a force as we can  
in Chariton County (our place of  
residence) and neighboring counties  
to be used in the service of the  
Government. The occasion demands  
immediate action is very large  
in this respect, and we think  
it impracticable to organize  
there. On the suggestion of Col Blair  
we apply to you for authority  
to raise such a Regiment  
or such force as we can, and also  
to give us authority to transport  
to this place, over the Missouri  
& St Louis & North Mo. R.R. at the  
charge of the Government such men  
as may be willing to enlist, and  
order that they may be instructed

in Military exercises & go to the places  
where service will be required  
readily armed & trained

The proper to serve in the North  
Grand River country between  
The Missouri River & The Iowa  
line as there is no doubt that  
large bands of rebels are or-  
ganized in that section. secretly  
& by intimidation are doing  
much damage to the Union  
Cause. We think that if two  
or three regiments should be  
raised in the section alluded to  
between the Mo River & Iowa  
that a great reaction in favor  
of the Government would  
immediately ensue from  
which would be all important  
at the <sup>election</sup> November unless  
some such course should  
be pursued. We are of opinion  
that the secessionists who

They have largely the  
preponderance, will  
take possession of the  
polls & drive off Union men

A. S. Harris  
Th. E. Moberly  
of Brunswick Mo.

It is important that this  
application for a Regt  
should be made and  
an order to pay the  
transportation of the  
recruits to this place  
Frank N. Merrill

42 100 20  
Johnston  
St Louis Aug 19/

Application for  
Contract of  
Clothing Equipments  
to do to

Cuts



under Contract

St Louis August 19<sup>th</sup> 1861

Major Genl John C. Fremont  
Commanding Department of the West

Sir

Referring to the conversation had with you some three weeks ago by one of the undersigned (Mr Gurnee) in relation to army supplies and to what extent such supplies could be furnished at Chicago with the promptness required for the fitting out of an army we have to say that Mr Gurnee having conferred with the principal manufacturers of Chicago returned to their city prepared to give satisfactory answers, but learning here that St Louis claimed a portion of the work he proposed to his associates in this communication (Mr John Row) to unite in this proposition with the understanding that the goods should as far as practicable be manufactured in Chicago and St Louis and in equal proportions.

They now make out and submit to the Commanding General the following propositions First. They will furnish and deliver at any depot or office in Chicago or St Louis (the goods manufactured in this respect) as follows

20,000	Coats or Paquets	at rate of	2,000	per week
20,000	Pairs Pants	" " "	2,000	" "
20,000	Pairs Drawers	" " "	2,000	" "
140,000	Flannel Shirts	" " "	4,000	" "
70,000	Pairs of Socks	" " "	10,000	" "
40,000	Overcoats	" " "	1,500	" "
35,000	Boles or Shoes for Infantry	" " "	3,000	" "
5,000	Cavalry Boots	" " "	1,000	" "
17,000	Caps or Felt Hats	" " "	3,000	" "
15,000	Knapp Socks	" " "	3,000	" "
15,000	Wain socks	" " "	3,000	" "
15,000	Caulseus	" " "	3,000	" "
12,000	Worn Equipments	" " "	400	" "

~~1,500~~ ~~Stubs of the~~ ~~Wall, Walls or any other~~  
 Patterns desired at rate of 200 per week  
~~600~~ ~~Wagons Iron Arls Comple for~~  
 baggage at rate of 50 per week  
~~1,200~~ ~~Stubs of Harnep for Saws~~ at rate of 100 per week

All The supplies furnished shall correspond to the patterns  
 and samples now being made for Government Service (unless  
 changed by your orders) and the price to be the same as  
 which contracts are now being filled at the principal  
 depots of the Quartermasters Departments for the United  
 States with allowance 2 1/2% when superior articles are required  
 and deduction if inferior are delivered we to be notified  
 at the time if deductions are claimed

We will commence the delivery of the goods within twenty days  
 after the signing of the Contract and will as far as practicable  
 increase the deliveries and even the amount of goods  
 when required by your department

An early answer is respectfully requested as the  
 time is short ~~for~~ which to supply the army of the  
 West and have them prepared for the coming winter  
 Very Respectfully

W. B. Gurnee

W. B. Gurnee

Major W. B. Gurnee  
 Recommended to

B. Cit.

for further  
information.

Aug. 22, 1961

Examined and  
order issued to Call Hayden  
to appear before Commission  
forthwith.

Head Quarters 19<sup>th</sup> Regt Ill vol  
at Pilot Knob Mo

August 22 1861

Sir

Col Dickins of the Rebel Army  
with whom Woodys and Motts are in  
communication with your Woodys direction  
~~to Woodys~~ at his last visit to him to  
have all the Negroes belonging to him  
collected and sent South also baggage  
and team. They were all collected  
for that purpose and were to have  
started to day but for the arrival of  
Woodys and Motts by Capt Hayden  
last evening - Would it not be well  
to make a disposition of the  
property - if so please issue your  
Orders - She has about 80 Negroes

Respy Your obt servt

J. B. Tuckin

Col Conroy

To  
Genl B.M. Paruleux  
Brig<sup>de</sup> Genl Conroy  
at Frontiers  
Mo

3rd Lt. Dept of the West

J. C. Kilton Aug 1861

11  
digitizing the discharge  
of prisoners in guard  
house

cuts

H<sup>d</sup> Qrs. Western Dept.,

S<sup>t</sup>. Louis, Mo., Aug. 7, 1861.

Sir:

The General directs that the following named persons now prisoners at the arsenal be discharged:

J. M. Johnston, Has been released

A. Daniels, ordered release

G. W. Jones, has been released

A. B. Wofford, ordered release

F. M. Jones, Has been released

M. Follorvell, ordered release

W. Miller, ordered release

A. Davison, - ordered - release

F. B. Jarvis, ordered release

J. G. Wickerson, ordered release

J. Smithers, ordered release

W<sup>o</sup>. Follorvell, ordered release

Very respectfully, your obed<sup>t</sup>. Servant.

J. C. Kelton

ass't. assn. Genl.

C. M.

J. M. Russell,

Comdr. S<sup>t</sup> Louis Arsenal,

Mo.

No. 28

OK

1861

St. Louis

August 5, 1861.

Jas. Duncan

to  
O. D. Filley

Intercedes for the  
release of certain  
prisoners at the arsenal  
from Marais County,  
Mo.

Recd. / W. D. / Aug. 8 / 61



St Louis Mo August 5th 1861

Honble. C. D. Filley

Dear Sir

Mr Henry Hoffman of  
Marais Co. Mo. personally known to me for  
the last five years as a man of Integrity  
and a good Citizen of the U.S. called on me  
this morning for the purpose of obtaining  
the release of his neighbours now confined in  
the Arsenal viz. James Wright, Lewis Harrison  
Joel Smithers & A B Warford. Mr  
Hoffman represents these men as quiet &  
industrious Citizens. Good Union men  
who have never taken up arms against the  
Government. From Mr Hoffmans Character  
& Influence the release of these men  
will materially strengthen the Union Cause  
in Marais Co.

I am acquainted with the Young Men Truly  
wrote of this Mr Duncan and know  
that the most unprincipled villain can  
be had in any statement he will make of Filley

Wm. Duncan

Head Quarters Western Department  
St. Louis August 5

Asst. Adj. Kelton,

I will direct the case represented  
in this letter to be enquired into, so as to know  
by whose order and upon what charges these  
men are detained, and have the result  
reported as promptly as may be to Head Quarters.

Wm. F. Howard,  
Major General.

524 Statementof  
Frederic Farsell  
of Rollain regard of purchasing  
a barrel of bacon of  
Edward Schuy.

May 24 61

I hereby certify that on or about the 24<sup>th</sup> day of August 1861. one Fredrick Fausel of Rolla, Phelps County Mo, made and subscribed and oath before me, that in the month of July 1861 he purchased from Edward Schulz, connected with the 4<sup>th</sup> Regiment U. S. R. C. (I think he said he Schulz, was acting as Commissary of said Regiment,) then stationed at Rolla, one barrel of Bacon which, actually, 1315 pounds but that Schulz let him have it for 300 pounds, at 75 cents per pound, that he Fausel, sent the money, \$21.00, to Schulz by his (Fausel's) barkeeper, and that said Schulz afterwards acknowledged having received the money.

John Grether Jr  
Justice of the Peace and  
Notary Public

Wm

Aug 10 61

Keith & Snell of  
Aurora

Wagon Snells  
proposition to furnish  
them for the Government

OFFICE OF  
The United States Express Company.  
St Louis Aug 10 1861

General.

Keith Snell of Aurora Ill, desires me to submit to you, the following proposition for Waggon, for the Government, if needed.

They will furnish from 100 to 500 Government Waggon, complete at \$126. Each, deliverable at the rate of 50 per week, in St Louis, Hannibal or Cairo.

I know the parties. They are respectable men, fully prepared to carry out the undertaking and would be glad to receive an order from you for the waggon.

I am the Agent of the United States Express Company, as also of Wells, Fargo & Co. in St Louis, and take the liberty to refer you to the following gentlemen. Col. Andrew, Col. Bonneville, Major McKinstry, Major Brown. Dr. Schamp & D. Bailey. If you desire further explanation I can call upon you personally.

Very respectfully

Yours obdt servt

Charles W Ford

177/ J. S. &amp; O. A. Abbott

Concord N.H.

~~Aug 19. '68~~  
Aug 19. '68

Give price and dimensions of  
Army Wagons and Ambulances  
states that they can build 10 Buggies  
Wagons and 1 Ambulance per day and  
furnish harness for the same.

Under these letters

Concord N.H. Aug. 19. 1861

S. Wood Esq. New  
to Genl. S. W. Vermont

Dear Sir

We can build of our pattern of  
 Army Wagon same as one ordered for New Hampshire - Vermont  
 & R. Island Regts - Oct. 24<sup>th</sup> Body 10 ft long 3 ft 8 in  
 wide 2 ft high Box Top. Has six truck supports to carry 700 lbs  
 Paints with 3 good coats of Oil Paint. Iron Hinges. Lettering on  
 Canvas. Price \$120 at R.R. Depot in Concord 150 \$ One hundred  
 & Fifty Dollars. The Ambulances are made for stretchers &  
 Mattress, to accommodate 4 wounded soldiers with a seat in front for  
 driver & 2 passengers - Price 275 \$ Cash. Hospital Wagon for carry-  
 ing Hospital Patients hung on 4 Springs with Canvas Top - Body  
 8 ft long 3 ft 8 in wide with middle <sup>seat</sup> fall back so as to make  
 a mattress - back of driver seat is separated by a wood partition -  
 Price 268 \$ To the Regts we have furnished here, we have  
 supplied each with 1 Hospital Wagon & 3 Ambulances - After  
 the 10<sup>th</sup> of Sept. we can build for you at the rate of 10  
 Hospital Wagons & one Ambulance per day, also furnished ~~at~~ <sup>at</sup> ~~the~~ <sup>the</sup> ~~same~~ <sup>same</sup>  
 for same

Price of Hauls for carrying Wagons & horses  
 set. at 65 \$

" " for Ambulances  
 2 horse sets

Very Yours &c

S. S. C. Abbott  
 in Person



A. C. C.

Aug. 1961

- Jackson

- Billon

- Cox

- Stewart

- Wm Goldson

71 J. S. &amp; E. A. Abbott.

Concord N.H.

Aug 19. '63

Give prices and dimensions of  
Army Wagons and Ambulances.  
States that they can build 10 Baggage  
Wagons and 1 Ambulance per day and  
furnish Harness for the same.

under the letter

Comd Wt Aug. 19, 1861

S Wood Co Reg  
to the S Vermont

Dear Sir

At Com build of our pattern of  
 Army Wagon same as we build for New Hampshire - Vermont  
 & R Island Regts - Oct. 24 1/2 Body 10ft long 3ft 8in  
 wide 2ft high Box top. No side truck. Capacity to carry 7000 lbs  
 Painted with 3 good coats of Oil Paint. Iron Hackles. Lettering on  
 Canvas - Price \$120 at RR Depot in Concord 150¢ One hundred  
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 ing Hospital Supplies hung on 4 Springs with Canvas Top - Body  
 8ft long 3ft 8in wide with middle <sup>Seat</sup> tall back so as to make  
 a mattress - back of driver seat is separated by a good partition -  
 Price 268¢. To the Regts we have furnished here, we have  
 supplied each with 1 Hospital Wagon & 3 Ambulances - After  
 the 10th of Sept, we can build for you at the rate of 10  
 Hospital Wagon & one Ambulance - per day, also furnished ~~at~~ camp  
 for same

Price of Wagon for carrying Wagon & horse \$65

at 65¢

for Ambulance  
2 horse sets

Very Yours etc

S. C. Abbott

in Person

A. C. ~~At~~

Aug 19 61

Jackson

Wm. L. Dillon

- Cox

- Stewart

Wm. Goldson

No 17.

Col. H. C. Ke. t  
in the Hillsbury  
Marble Creek Mo.  
dated 20 August 1867  
Received 21 August 1867  
Evidence v. Prisoners  
sent in.

Asubuckon

Mich<sup>l</sup>: Dillon

Co. F

Stewart

Gen Colson

Filed 21 Aug 1867.

21 Aug.

## Charges

against prisoners sent to Fronton by the 24<sup>th</sup> Ill. Vol's on the 19<sup>th</sup> day of August 1861.

Michael Dillon - was taken by the Vanguard about one mile South of Fredricktown on the 16<sup>th</sup> inst. On being examined, he gave some very impudent answers, among others told that he had on that day popped through the Southern army, and meant he was smart enough to pop through the Northern too. Refused being searched, and on being so, a loaded pistol was found in one of his saddle bags. Referred to one of the guides to get cleared, but the guide declared he could not clear him.

- Aubushon - was taken prisoner by Nebelung, mounted Orderly, on the 16<sup>th</sup> inst. when the Regt. was entering Fredricktown. When taken, he was drawing his revolver, but desisted on being threatened with being shot down. A revolver and bowie knife was found on him. He is stated to have been lieutenant of the troop that attacked the Home Guard at Potosi, and also to have shot the now Capt. South of the Home Guard at Pilot Knob, Col. Crozat, tailor at Fronton, states that <sup>he</sup> has taken the oath of allegiance before Capt. Cole of the 1<sup>st</sup> Mo. Regt.

- Cox - was taken on the 17<sup>th</sup> inst. by Commissary Sgt. Tritze and Wagonmaster Schweinfurth. When taken, he was aiming a gun which he carried, but surrendered with the words that he hoped the boys would do him no harm. Had powder and balls with him. (Two others who were with Cox fled, our men being unarm'd, and consequently unable to take them all.)

# Stewart - was taken by the Vanguard on the 16<sup>th</sup> inst. under command of Lt. Salmon. Was mounted and carried a loaded pistol.  
- Wm. Golson - was taken by the Rearguard under Capt. Mauff on the 16<sup>th</sup> inst. Before he was taken, several shots were fired by our men on a troop of mounted men who fled, and a moment afterwards he stepped out from a corn field with out coat, and considerably excited. He is supposed to have been one of the armed riders, could give no satisfactory account of himself.

The balance of the prisoners were taken at different places between Fronton and Fredricktown, two at Tucker's farm, because they had served as spies for the Secession troops at the latter place, and carried despatches, as stated by the neighbors around; and it was considered necessary to arrest them in order to prevent them from bringing any information to the Rebels.

Marble Creek, Aug 20<sup>th</sup> 1861.

Fredrick Hecker,  
Col. Comm. 24<sup>th</sup> Ill. Vol's  
by Chas M Reed  
Actg Adjt.

J. J. A. A. Wells

Beaumont Tex

Aug 26 61

Offer Family to  
to South

You are all to  
be of service

At



Beardslee Iron Works  
St. Louis, Mo.  
July 20/61

Dear Sir

Dear Sir

Making to

assist all that we can we do  
as we cannot well leave home  
at present to take the field we  
will offer you our convenient  
tools for if you will stock it  
for the purpose of making shell corners  
&c for the purpose of coating out  
the windows. The shops are all new  
fine proof buildings & the good  
new machinery in them. They are  
as large as any in this State  
located on the river bank  
& can turn out a great quantity  
of work. The foundry is in good  
order & large room & every thing  
necessary to make it convenient  
& handy We refer you to Dr. E. D. D.

Esq who can give you any information  
within about it or is hoping to  
be able to give you some aid in  
bringing together the names of the States  
We are yours most Respectfully  
J. J. Webb

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Philip Peckham & H. G. Comery  
Members of the State Convention

August 2<sup>d</sup> 1861

Requesting the release  
of W. H. H. Thomas &  
others, upon taking the  
oath of allegiance

Citizens

Plain Aug 2, 1861

Col Pipill

We desire that W H H Thomas  
A J Davidson & W R Mealer be  
released from custody upon their  
taking the oath of allegiance  
to the U. S.

Philip Pipkin

W E Pomeroy,

Member State Council

~~Ray, Peter~~~~to Capt. M.~~

Citizens

George S. Prude

Wm. Townsend

Saint Louis Mo Aug 30 1861

Major J. M. Kinstry A. and M.

U. S. Army

Dear Sir

We propose to contract for the delivery of two thousand head of Cavalry horses mules and Artillery Horses in such proportions as you may require of each, provided the proportion of mules is not more than 25 percent of the whole.

For Cavalry Horses and mules one hundred and seventeen dollars per head, and for Artillery Horses one hundred and thirty five dollars per head. The whole to be delivered within thirty days from the acceptance of this proposition, or as much sooner as is practicable.

Your obedt Servant

Geo. F. Pide

Wm. S. Fausdale

A. S. S. Aug 30. 1861

I hereby agree to be responsible, as security for the fulfillment of contract as above proposed by Messrs Pide and Fausdale.

Jas. Harrison

(52)

"P"

Wm. H. Paine

St Louis Mo

Aug 30<sup>th</sup> 1861

Genl

Offers to furnish

horses & mules

\$117 for Cavalry

135 for Artillery

horses

~~Genl~~

is responsible

for the fulfillment

of the contract

Ad. (1851) 17th Vols  
C. Concordia Turke Sugradat

A. J. Otterburn's Californian

Reports proceeding to war  
Flourishant & capturing 3  
prisoners - Report of  
Capt comg expedition  
Encl<sup>os</sup> Citizens

(original)

(original)  
J. N. E.

Rec'd H. W. D. Oct 29 1851



Fort Hammer, Aug. 29. 61.

To Col. Osterhaus, Comd'g. 12<sup>th</sup> Regt. Mo. St.

In pursuance to an order from  
Head Quarters I with fifty men proceeded to within  
1 1/2 miles from Florissant for the purpose of seizing  
a lot of arms secreted there; I arrived there  
at 1 o'clock A. M. Aug. 28<sup>th</sup>. I was then informed  
that the arms above mentioned were secreted  
at a place called Sink's grocery, about 4 miles  
south of the above mentioned place. I proceeded  
thither, surrounded the place and held a general  
search, but without success. At Sink's grocery  
I arrested three men, named J. Grow, Warren  
and Thompson, who were pointed out to me  
as secessionists. J. Grow is a justice of the  
peace and reported to be the leader of a company  
of forty secessionists. I was then informed  
that arms were secreted at the residence  
of Dr. Gibson, on Bellefontaine Road, 8 miles  
distant from St. Louis. I searched his house,  
but not finding any arms, I started for St.  
Louis, where I arrived at 8 o'clock Aug. 28<sup>th</sup> 1861.

J. Harsh, Capt. Co. K. 2<sup>nd</sup> Regt. Mo. St. Expedition.

Head Quarters 12th Mich (Rifles)  
Cincinnati Aug. 29th 61.

General;

Pursuant to orders addressed to Major Schacht,  
Captain Kaucher of this Regiment was detailed with 50 men  
to proceed towards Pleasant and returned yesterday  
evening with 3 prisoners.

I enclose the Captains report herewith; the prisoners  
therein mentioned have been delivered at St Louis Arsenal  
Subject to the General's orders.

I am Very Respectfully  
Your obedient  
S. J. Chisholm  
Adjutant Regt.

To  
Major Genl. J. C. Fremont  
Comdg. Depart.

Genl. Walker.

Endorsing C. Archer  
 & Levi Garrett - &  
 requesting permission  
 for them to buy  
 pistols -

off. done No 1861

Genl. Walker

J McHenry Esq

Provost Marshal

St Louis Mo 1861

Ezra M. C. Walker  
Dear General -  
requesting permission  
for them to buy  
tickets -

Ezra M. C. Walker

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Route

Camp, 23, 61

St Louis August 23rd 1861

Provost Marshal

Dear Sir

The bearers  
C. J. Archer and Levi Garrett  
Sheriff of Warren County and  
Collector of revenues wishes to have  
a revolver each these gentlemen  
is known to be good Union Men  
Please Obige

Yours Respectfully

Benjamin Walker  
No 52 Pine St bet 38 & 40  
St Louis Mo

Geo. G. Waring Jr.  
Maj. Comd. Fremont Harbor

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Aug. 26<sup>th</sup> /61

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As to Seepomits hunt  
contacts under Gov.

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Headquarters Fremont Arsenal  
Camp Abbott Aug 21 - 1861

Major M. Kinsley }  
Brig. Marshall }

Sir: The following  
names have been reported to me  
as those of rebel secessionists who  
are enjoying profitable contracts with  
the government, viz:—

John C. Kelly

— Lee S. Smith & Peck

Chas. W. Woz.

These facts having come to my knowledge  
I deem it my duty to report them  
to you.

Very Respectfully  
Your Obedt Servt

Geo. Waring, Jr.  
Maj. Comd. Ft. Mass

August 13/61

Geo Smith  
 of Paulding Co

Have examined plan of  
 Steam Battery presented by  
 by Mr Ashley & Mr Gethin  
 & think it may prove  
 valuable & effective,

L. F. Fox Asst. Comdr  
 thinks the plan simple  
 & practical,

Under date Aug 29/61  
 Mr Gethin desired to see  
 Gen Fremont on bar. of public  
 importance



St. Louis Aug. 29<sup>th</sup> 1861

Mrs. Guthrie of Chicago, wishes to see  
Genl. Fremont at his earliest convenience  
upon business of public importance —  
she has letters from Genl. Paulding  
and others.

August 13<sup>65</sup> 1861

The undersigned have reviewed  
cursorily, the project & general  
plan of a Steam Battery for Steam,  
presented by the Hon<sup>ble</sup> Mr Ashley  
& Mr Guthrie, without written  
specifications. It seems to us  
to be with an experiment as  
it is a very economical plan  
& may prove very valuable &  
effective. The fact may be easily  
converted into a bridge.

Yours truly  
H. Fairbank

The plan to obtain buoyancy  
is exceedingly simple and  
practical. G. F. Fox, Capt. Secy

Cas. 115 / No. 13-21  
Gen. G. Barrett. Major 15<sup>th</sup>  
C. Leonard 115 16<sup>th</sup>  
Whiskey seller in Camp 17<sup>th</sup>  
Wm. F. Dement 18<sup>th</sup>  
Rudolph Watkins 19<sup>th</sup>  
George Garner 21

August 1861

*C. J.*

Headquarters Provost Marshal's Office,

WASHINGTON, D. C.

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145 BROADWAY, N. Y.

Dated New York Sept 10 1861.

Rec'd, Washington, 1861, o'clock, min. M.

To G. W. Stewell

Care J. G. Berret

I leave tonight for Washington

Ludlow

Dr. Allan

Above is copy of message  
which we are just sending out  
for delivery—

C. N. B.

Rec'd Sept 10<sup>th</sup>  
2:45 pm

Washington city, Dc August 20<sup>th</sup> 1861  
James G. Bennett

The Mayor of Washington city  
refused to take an oath prescribed by the  
Constituted authorities, to support the Constitution and  
bear true allegiance to the Country

Why was he not put under arrest on the spot  
and sent to keep the company of his secession friends  
in jail, why has he been permitted to run at large so  
long, when it has been known to all that Mayor  
Bennett with some dozen or two with <sup>whom</sup> he associates  
are notoriously of the secession proclivities,

Is the Mayor more than his late Clerk  
Donoho, have the people of Washington forgot the  
interest this secession <sup>manifested</sup> Mayor when one Thomas Braun  
a Clerk of his appointing was in the jail on the  
charge of uttering secession threats,

These are questions that will have to be answered sooner  
or later, and the sooner the matter is attended to the better  
for the people of Washington and the Government. he  
is not the only official that ought to be looked after  
If the Government would <sup>on foot</sup> set ~~it~~ on investigation there is  
plenty proof. The Provost Marshal look to it - Justice

No. 15.

Washington Aug 20  
Justice's

Information

Jas. S. North  
Mayor of Wash.

Camp Jemally, Aug. 20/64.

Genl A. Porter,  
Pro. Mar.  
Washington,

A man named C.  
Leonard residing 16 miles from this place  
on the Rockville road is reported to me  
to be strongly suspected of being a spy.

He goes to the City twice a week &  
remains there generally two days.

Would it not be well  
to look after his movements.

Very truly Yours,

Geo. A. Wetzel

No. 16.  
Camp Tennally Aug 20  
Geo. A. M. Call

Information

of C. Leonard





A TRUE PATRIOT;  
WISE IN COUNCIL,  
BRAVE IN THE FIELD,  
LOYAL TO THE CONSTITUTION AND THE UNION.

Wm. A. Rorer

Dear Sir

I wish to call your attention  
to the fact that  
the soldiers through out the  
country have been getting  
the soldiers liquor of all  
kinds of the worst sort  
and it is demoralizing  
the soldiers to a alarming  
extent the regiment above  
the 30 men - British soldiers  
of tobacco and rum

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Being your former self  
what kind of a Camp  
they must I deemed  
it a duty to the Govern-  
ment and for the good  
of the Cause and to  
the Country to inform  
you of it

Yours  
Luthe 30 Regt A.S.C.

Stephen Bell

~~Information~~

Letter 30/1/91

Worm

Aug 25/61

Newton Clarke

Apr 17 -

Ms. 146.195 ~~25~~ 21  
Memorandum of Arrest

of  
James G. Bennett

H. L. W. Bennett

H. L. Reynolds.

the August 30. Capt

1861

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1. 15  
1. 15

<u>Names of Persons Arrested</u>	<u>Residence</u>	<u>Charge</u>	<u>When &amp; Where arrested</u>	<u>Where held</u>
James G. Bennett	Washington	Treason	Washington August	Fort Lafayette N.Y.
W. S. W. Bennett	Washington	Treason		corner of 16th St & Pa.
H. L. Reynolds	Mobile	Treason	Norwich Conn. August 30 1861	Fort Lou Fayette N.Y.

Remarks

Now. Thos. A. Scott Asst.  
Arrested by order of the Secretary of War

E. J. R.

Arrested by Lieut. Wilson on the order of the  
Asst. Secretary of War. Carried surreptitious correspondence,  
daily to Mrs. Hubler from Pris of War E. J. R.

Reynolds was arrested by order of Lieut. Porter, Provost  
Marshal. The correspondence found in his trunk,  
at the time of his arrest, shows that he was in har-  
mony with and in correspondence with rebels; He was, when  
arrested, about leaving for the south having  
purchased tickets via Louisville and Nashville

E. J. R.

№ 19. A

Rudolph Watkins  
order for Release

Office of the Commission  
Relating to State Prisoners.  
Washington April 1. 1862

To W. P. Wood Esq

Superintendent old Capital Military Prison  
Washington

Sir,

You may release Mr Rudolph  
Watkins upon his taking the oath  
of allegiance to the Government  
of the United States.

Very Respectfully Yours  
John A. B. Maj. Gen.  
Edwards Perreault  
Commissioner

L. W. Patton

Winster, D. C. Val.

Col Porter

Provost Marshal



Washington Aug 24/86

Mr. Parter

Sir I take my  
pen in hand for to  
inform you that a  
colored man by the  
name Geo Gainer was  
seen to leave Mayor

Barrett's house this  
morning with  
papers in a sheet  
he went towards  
St. John's  
Union Mass

Anonymous Letter  
"Union Man"

to  
Genl Pater about  
Colored men leaving  
Mayor Bennett's place  
with stacks of papers

P. C. J.

Lib

Boston Aug 2 1861

W. H. Linnell

Union League

Ct

Wm  
C. W. Linnell  
Boston  
Genl. & Comm.  
of Officers

We the undersigned, believing that we have in our midst a combination of persons whose main object is the overthrow and destruction of the Constitution and General Government of the United States, and who are exerting every means within their power to gain and give information, and otherwise aid the enemies of our common Country, in the accomplishment of that object.

Now laying aside all party and political preferences, to prevent as far as possible all such designs, we hereby agree to form ourselves into a Union League, for the purpose of gaining information of such evil designs against the General Government, and to communicate the same to the members of the League and to use all honorable means within our power to suppress all rebellious insurrections against the Constitution and laws of the United States.

And for the better accomplishment of the above objects we hereby pledge ourselves not to disclose to any other than a member of this League, any of our proceedings.

Geo Town Aug 23<sup>d</sup> 1861

Sir

A Union League has been formed in our Town of which the above is a copy of our articles of agreement.

The officers are Wm H Terrey Pres<sup>t</sup>  
Charles Meyers Vice President, W A La-  
Zerby Sec<sup>y</sup>, and Thos C Wheeler Sec<sup>y</sup>.

The Executive Committee consist of  
Mess<sup>rs</sup> Peter Perry James A. Magruder

and Gen. Hill Jr. together with the  
President and Vice President ex of-  
ficio. Any information you may  
want in regard to our town or any  
of its citizens we shall happily to  
give you as far as it lays in our  
power.

Very respectfully  
Your obedient servant

J. H. Lemmy  
President U. S.

To, Gen. Porter  
Provost Marshall  
D. C.

Cover of 117th Regt

Bedford & Angler

Statement of Aug 21

Leut O'Brien 1864

Aug 21

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Headquarters, Provost Marshal's Office,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

To all whom it may concern:

Head Quarters City Guard,

WASHINGTON, August 19<sup>th</sup>, 1861.

Know ye, That the bearer, C. Shappell & W. Nease has  
permission to pass from across Long Bridge  
to and back,  
for the purpose of transacting important private business  
until the 23<sup>rd</sup> inst.

WITHOUT BEING subject to the inspection of guards or patrols.

By command of Major General McCLELLAN:

High Gen.

Provost Marshal.

In availing myself of the benefits of the above pass, I do solemnly affirm that I am a true and loyal  
citizen of the United States; and that I will not give aid, comfort, or information to the enemies of the  
United States Government in any manner whatsoever.

I guarantee for self &  
L. W. Nease

C. Shappell

Sakul  
Franklin  
Aug 28/61

John Taylor

J. R. Adams  
P. O. C. 31/10/61  
West



Aug 28<sup>th</sup> 1864

Arlington

J. C. Behrens of 574 Pennsylvania Ave  
Washington being arrested, in company with  
Christopher Cidlich in a Wagon (one horse)  
by Lieut. A. R. Osborne of Co. C. 37<sup>th</sup> Regt while  
on picket duty in Genl Richardson's Brigade  
was searched & examined to following effect,  
& as stated viz that passing the picket of Genl Ri-  
chardson's Brigade said Behrens & comrade was  
halted by Lieut Osborne & asked for pass. In  
response to which he presented a pass for C  
Schappelle & W. Nesser which was fraudulent  
& surreptitious. Was ordered taken to Genl  
Richardson's Headquarters. The names given  
by prisoner & friend were Behrens & Cidlich with  
no conformity with said pass. He represents  
that he was on a visit to Plumer's Camp  
but acted so strangely & with such tenor, that  
such does not seem to be his mission. Search  
& letters in German found on him & retained.  
Statement of prisoner J. C. Behrens viz Left Wash-  
ington this date at 2 P.M. When examined did  
not know names indicated in pass. Says

that a man named John a tailor on  
14th St Washington opposite Patent Office  
got said pass & gave to prisoner. Guy  
name of Guard is Egler who he all-  
ges is his neighbor. A Confession &  
that the horse & wagon he has in use  
is that of Egler's brother.

Reported & submitted  
for close attention by  
Capt. R. D. Peonie  
1st Lt. C. C.  
3rd Regt. N.Y.S.V.

Aug 27 1864

Washington

Christopher Egler taken a prisoner by  
Lieut A. R. Burns A.C. 37 Regt V.S. on  
suspicion being examined, after arrest  
in company with W. E. Behrens & Lewis  
a prisoner & reported being having on his  
person a pass in favor of C. Schappole  
& G. W. Weaver which was fraudulent & surrep-  
titious) says

"Left Washington this date at 2 1/2  
P.M. to go to Plank's Camp. Merely  
came to see forts & camps he alleges  
Burr's confederate. Does not know  
where pass was got nor what the name  
in pass as designated was in Washing-  
ton at home on day of battle of Bull's  
Run."

In contradiction to last statement  
the Lieut would state that there are many  
men in the Michigan Regt who recognize  
the above prisoner & are positive that they saw  
him at the battle of Bull's Run with a  
grey horse, representing himself as a

a reporter which is to be seen  
as false

Reported submitted for  
close attention by

John M. Service  
1st Lieut. U.S.A.  
3rd Regt  
N.Y.S.V.

To  
Postmaster General  
Washington

No. 42  
Wash - Aug 28/61  
Lieut. A. B. ...  
Statement in case  
of Behrens & Aigler

Case of No 30-51-20-1

His Ex. Governor Boston

Mr. James H. Knight Ward Dept

Information Aug 29

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Subscribers, Phoenix Marshal's Office,

WASHINGTON, D. C.

The wife of Ex Governor Norton of Ill.  
resident here for some time, is about to  
join her husband at Richmond, Va.  
he being a member of the rebel  
Congress - She proposes to have the  
consent of the Board to cross the  
Potomac below Aquia Creek -

Mr Wright - furniture dealer - is  
packing for furniture -

Truly, respected the Secretary of the President - please  
give bearer information

D. J. [Signature]

forms, to have considered the case fully,  
fully, - I do not mean now to order that she  
shall go; but I leave that matter with those  
who have charge of it  
A. Lincoln  
Aug. 29<sup>th</sup>

Hon. J. A. Geatt,

apt. Genl of War

I have never seen Mrs. Morton. Speaking of  
her wish to go South I understood Gov. Sewar  
and Gov. Chase both to say they did  
not object to her going. Upon this I said  
I expected she would be permitted to go, and  
this implies that I did not object. I under-  
stand Gov. Sewar & Chase, specially, the

From a conversation this  
evening between the Presi-  
dent, the Sec. of State, and  
the Sec. of Treasury, it  
is probable Mrs. Morton  
will be allowed to go to  
her husband. Sept 1<sup>st</sup>

29 Aug

I am informed that  
the family of Gen Morton  
of the Confederate army  
have a pass to leave the  
Army Yard for the South  
on tomorrow morning at  
8. A person quite famil-  
iar with their late move-  
ments here is apprehensive  
that they are bearers of im-  
portant information and is  
distrusted lest their baggage  
should depart without sur-  
vey - Jos. C. G. Kennedy

My informant knows that there have  
been rec'd by them important letters  
from Gen M - so he tells me -



Census Office, Department of the Interior,

Washington, ..... 1861.

I am informed that the family  
of Morton member of the Conf Congress  
& Gen in the Rebel army reside on  
I St between 10 & 14 North side -

They were advised to leave their fur-  
niture as the enemy would soon be  
in possession of the city -

The writer is to a very impor-  
tant fact that a person named Wright  
employed in the War Dept - a resi-  
dent of Prince Geo Co Va - sympath-  
izes with the enemy - that he has  
communicated important intelligence  
to them, & has advised the sons of  
- to leave Va & go to Va in the Rebel  
Service - the information comes from the father

J. G. K.

No. 50-51860.  
Washington Aug. 29.

Wight Furniture Dealer

Information

Gov. Morton's wife

&

Wight in the War Dept.

Wight Furniture Dealer  
to the War Dept.  
Morton - which is to  
be furnished for Gov  
Morton's wife  
Documents shown to  
by the War Dept on

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San Thomas Va  
Aug 30. 1861

Capt P. A. Davis,

Provost Marshalls Re-  
port for Aug 29. 1861

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Office of Provost Marshal.  
Fort Monroe. Aug 30<sup>th</sup>. 1861.

Morning report of Capt P. A. Davis.  
Provost Marshal for Aug 29<sup>th</sup>. 1861.

No of Arrivals of those requiring passes 14. No of Arrests by my order 1.  
private of the 10<sup>th</sup> N. Y. Regiment Vol for drunkenness -  
Mrs Mc Gurgan and child who arrived yesterday morning willing to be conveyed to Norfolk are at the Hotel. I visited the Rip Rap yesterday and closely examined Madison, Dexter and Foster, arrested by me on board Schooner Chingora, Aug 25<sup>th</sup>. I think Madison and Foster made some suspicious remarks and did some acts which looked suspicious, but that what they did was more from ignorance than malice, and was for the purpose of endeavoring to communicate with the family of Madison whose wife is a sister of Foster, and I would recommend they be released and allowed to take their Schooner, (which is owned in Jersey City), and depart for Baltimore. Dexter bears a bad character when he formerly lived and had nothing to call him to Yorktown or vicinity and was only a passenger on the Schooner, and I would recommend that he be confined for the present. Mrs Mary Vealey and two small children and Mrs Elizabeth Thompson and four children arrived from Washington wishing to be conveyed to Norfolk, both have passes from Gen Scott which I enclose. Thos A Davis Capt 6<sup>th</sup> Reg Vols  
Provost Marshal.

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St. Christopher to Capt. David.

August 28. 1861.

*David*

Receipts Nov. Aug 27/64.

My dear Sir,

Can you not possibly give me some description of the suspected man, of whom you wrote this morning. The name is written so indistinct; I take it to be Wm G. Foskennet. The man who papers intends the building of the oven, is a Baltimorean calls himself Geo North. I rather think he is the man, but like to have some further evidence against him. I keep a faithful watch upon him.

Yours truly Lt Christensen

Provost Marshal

To Capt O. Davis }  
Provost Marshal }  
St. Monroe }

Provost-Marshal's Office,  
Camp Butler, Memphis Tenn. Va.  
August 28th 1861.

Capt. Davis,  
Provost-Marshal,  
Ft. Monroe.

My dear Sir,

The mason now in charge of the  
oven, building for Mr Bunker, calls himself George  
North. He is of medium size, dark complexioned, has  
black hair & small black whiskers. He wears a tall  
black felt-hat. Mr Bunker's partner tells me that  
Henry Grovesman, the Baltimorean Gentleman in question,  
did not go further than Ft. Monroe, that in arriving  
there, he could not find any of his employees & so  
he returned to Baltimore same evening. I do not  
know whether or not to place any reliance on this  
statement, but it seems to me that if these were the  
facts, your messenger would have been aware of it.

Can the above description of North (a significant name),  
not help to lead me a little on the track? Any  
information you can procure me, will much lighten  
the work.

Yours very truly  
Lieut. J. Christensen  
Provost-Marshal

P.S. The George is a reliable  
man, one of my "Aids."  
You can give him any in-  
formation you have, verbally.

Report of Provost Marshal at  
Camp Hamilton. Aug 31. 1861

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Camp Hamilton Sept. 18th 1861

To  
Capt. P. H. Davis

Brook Horse at Dept. Va

Sir

I have

to report that Robt Sigler the negro having  
pistols &c in his possession is now under  
arrest.

That the two negroes arrested yesterday for  
moving furniture were discharged it appearing  
that they were working for a Mrs Parker who  
owns the furniture.

Robert Russell detains a renewal of  
his Safeguard & is a man to be relied upon.

Nothing of importance has transpired  
during the past 24 hours -

Capt. H. M. Fuleigh

Brook Horse  
Camp Hamilton

Reports of Penet. Marshals.

Camp Hamilton.

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Aug 30. 1861.

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Camp Hamilton Aug 31. 1861

To  
Capt. C. Davis

Provt Marshall of Dept of Va

Sir

I have

nothing of special importance to report to day.

A house belonging to ~~Mr. J. J. Jones~~ ~~Mr. J. J. Jones~~ was searched last night. Found ~~in~~ a barrel, blanket and other articles found in his possession. He was not found. It will be arrested when he makes his appearance.

J. S. Lennis & S. T. Myler, desire a renewal of their ~~licenses~~ ~~licenses~~ & are entitled to the same.

Henry House - Parker Nelson J. L. Howell Henry Hawkins John Gray, have received permission to fish in & about Hampton Creek under the usual restrictions.

Combs & Hobson two colored men are arrested for boating furniture across the river they tell a fair story & I hold them while I can investigate the matter.

Capt H. M. Parkeight  
Provt Marshall at  
Camp Hamilton

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Post Monroe, Va

Aug 27. 1861

Capit O. a. Davis

Provost Marshal

Report for 26<sup>th</sup> Aug.

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Rec<sup>d</sup> / Dept Va / Aug 29. 1861.

Office of Provost Marshal  
Fort Monroe Aug 27 1864

Morning report of Capt Davis }  
Provost Marshal for Aug 26<sup>th</sup> 1864 }

Arrivals by  
Baltimore Boat of those requiring passes - 5 -  
Arrests by my order - 1 - a  
private of 10<sup>th</sup> N.Y. Reg<sup>t</sup> vols for drunkenness and  
disorderly conduct

I sent to the "Rip Raps" to  
be confined seven prisoners from the Guard House  
as follows

W <sup>m</sup> Lewis	Smuggling re emp of Gen Butler
Edw <sup>d</sup> Foster	Desertion atty
Chas Dexter	"
John Madison	"
Wilson	" emp by order of Genl Wood
Kelly	" " " " " "
Miller	" " " " " "

The Steamer Philadelphia ar-  
rived from Washington bringing one hundred and  
fifty eight government prisoners from various reg<sup>t</sup>s as follows

21 <sup>st</sup> Regt N.Y. Vols	- 41 -
13 <sup>th</sup> " " " "	- 22 -
79 <sup>th</sup> " " " "	- 31 -
2 <sup>d</sup> " Maine "	64 Total 158 -

who  
were conveyed to the Rip Raps. This morning  
I ordered those from the 13<sup>th</sup> and 79<sup>th</sup> N.Y. Reg<sup>t</sup>s  
fifty three in all to be transferred to Sts Comstock  
to be forwarded to Dry Tortugas Island.

A Steamer with Flag of Jones  
arrived from Norfolk bringing Mr John Williams  
Mrs Hutchinson & Mr Usher and Capt F. A  
Murray, D. Simpson Mate - Peter Johnson - D Backen,  
John Green, St Carver, F. Rudolph, C Conger,  
G. Odley, C Cheng, M Long, R Raymond &

A B Murey. Officer + crew of Ship A. B.  
Thompson captured off Savannah River May  
19<sup>th</sup> by the rebels, all of whom I quartered  
on board the Enterprise until they could be  
forwarded to destination.

Respectfully,  
yours

Capt J A Davis  
Provost Marshal

Camp Hamilton  
Aug 24, 1861

Capt W M Burlington  
Post Marshal.

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Report for Aug 26<sup>th</sup> 1861

Camp Hamilton Aug 27<sup>th</sup> 1861

To

Major Genl Wood.

Camp Hamilton

Sir

I have the honor  
to send, as you requested the men from beyond  
Horton to desire to see you. Their names are  
Isaac Jones, Thomas Watts & Samuel Cunningham.  
They were brought through the ~~encampment~~ by the Guards  
& have had an opportunity to see the ~~attempts~~  
of our forces here. The negroes know them & call  
them "cessionists" - & they have had a chance to hear  
of the ~~of~~ Billities. Would it not be well to have  
them remain with us a while?

The Officer of the Guards at the bridge was not  
to be seen last night & the Sergt. Hines in  
Command of the Guard received orders to pass us  
we. but allowed on the said occasion ~~to~~  
to pass with us here.

I am Resely.

Yr. Obedt. Servant.

Capt W. M. Purkiss  
Provost Marshal  
Camp Hamilton



Prisoner's Report with Prisoners

To Major Genl Wood

Camp Dept of Va

B. J. 125

Camp Hamilton

Aug 20. 1861

Capt W. B. Burleigh  
Provost Marshal

Reports suspicious  
persons.

City.

Rec<sup>d</sup> Aug 26. 1861

Camp Hamilton Aug 25<sup>th</sup> 1861

To  
Major Genl B. F. Butler  
Comdy U.S. Volunteers

Sir

I have the honor to call your attention to two men sent to Fred Lunters under Guard - William Kelly & William Wilson - They live on the Hampton side of the Creek in full view of our Camps. I reported Kelly some weeks since & dersamen have frequently been seen at his house - He has been absent for more than two weeks past & has just returned - This morning when the guard were on the way to his house he sent away all his negroes before he could be reached. & his horses of which he had two at least have been removed. I regard him as a very suspicious Character.

He was not ~~really~~ actually arrested today but came over upon the suggestion made. That his Sabotage was of no use & he better look to its renewal.

I have the honor to be most, Sir,

Yr obt. Servant

Capt. J. M. Gulerick  
Provost Marshal  
Camp Hamilton

Morning Report  
Graves Aug 21

City

*Report of Prisoners Discharged from Quarters of Military Prison St. Louis Aug 21<sup>st</sup> 1862*

NAME OF PRISONER	Date of Arrest.	Date of Discharge.	By whose order Arrested.	CHARGE REFERRED.	REMARKS.
John A. Comport	Aug 11	Aug 21	Lieut. C. G. C.	Recruit for Rebel Army	Dist. P.M. General
John A. Graves	}	}	}		
Joab Green					
Dr. David Ellis					Oath & Bond
Andrew Swisgood					
James P. Braden					
Thomas Sims					Oath of Allegiance
Edward D. Powell					
A. J. Bates					
John Sheahy					Dist. P.M. G.
W. H. Humphreys	" " "				

*Dist. General Marshal General,*

*C. H. Bishop  
Com. Quarters of Military Prison*

*Oath & Bond \$1000*  
*Oath of Allegiance*  
*Dist. P.M. G.*  
*" " "*

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Gas Wound

Aug 24. 1861.

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Capt. P. A. David

Provost Marshall.

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Report for yesterday

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Atty

Rec<sup>d</sup>/do. Div: / Aug 24. 61

Fort Monroe. Aug 24. 1861.  
Reports of Capt P. A. Davis  
Provost Marshal for Aug 23<sup>rd</sup>. 1861.

No of arrivals of those requiring passes 19.  
most of whom were workmen for various de-  
partments. Arrests by my order - 0

Twenty three (23) Confederate prisoners were  
placed in my charge and quartered in  
Willard's Hotel, giving them parole of  
honor not to leave the enclosure.

Mrs Jones and two daughters arrived  
at Old Point this morning wishing to be  
forwarded to Norfolk - there is also -

Mrs Carey Jones formerly of Hampton  
who wishes to be forwarded and asks per-  
mission to take a negro servant. I would ask  
information as to the amount of authority I have  
to regulate Bee Shops

Capt P A Davis  
Provost-Marshal.

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Saint Louis Arsenal  
August 3<sup>d</sup> 1861

Seaman O. C.

Mellon Jarnes  
City

Statement of the maneuvers  
in which they were  
arracted what they were  
doing at the time



St Louis Arsenal Aug 3. 1861

Major General Fremont

Dear Sir by or from you  
as my Uncle. Mr Daniel Hoff. has informed  
me You wished, or at best I wished to <sup>my</sup> charge  
and my Comrad, who was traveling with me at  
the time of my arrest, before you so that you  
may Judge the case. My Comrad name is  
James Mellon

first we were harvesting and on our  
Returne home when near Rolla we were stopped  
by the Picket Guard, attached to Colonel (Perrand)  
(Command Lieutenant Col Gauges being) in command  
of the company who took us. That was on the 18<sup>th</sup> of  
July we were captured in the evening) and he  
assured us that he would not retain us no  
longer than three O.C. the next morning which time  
he was going to leave the place of his incampment  
instead of releasing us according to promise. he  
Refused us the simple privilege of riding our  
horses which each one of us owned, we were  
marched to Rolla and on Monday ~~and on Tuesday~~  
brought to the St Louis Arsenal, where we have  
Remained every since, Captain McNeal has visited  
us once since we have bin heard he was the Captain  
of the company who took us. he said he thought that  
we would be soon released as there was no charge

Against us as nowed of, the name of the Hammer  
which we were harvesting for is John Walker,  
we bound grain for them and the last we done for  
him we hauled it in and prepared a convenient  
hiding place in a thick woods were we stashed  
it for fear that Jackson would come and take it  
for his purposes, it was after finishing that job  
and returning home we were told by my Cousin  
James Mellor had a single barrel brass pistol  
which he found in the road. I had no weapons

We Remain Your Obedient Servt  
O. C. Swan  
James Mellor

Refered to the  
Cassimere Cape  
J. C. Mellor  
any of our old friends

The County Office  
directs that O. C. Snow  
& James Miller now  
conferred to the limits  
of the Assessor, be  
forthwith dis charged

Wm. Kelton

A. A. G

4th St West Bk

Aug 6th 1851

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August 16<sup>th</sup> 1861

Grant M S

Brig Genl U.S.A

Transmits herewith list  
of prisoners with charges  
against them. Namely;

John Cole

Jerome Hall

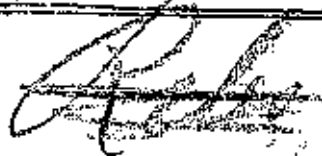
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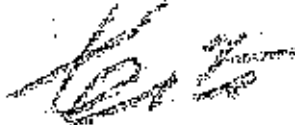
Thomas B Grigsby

J R Arnold

Prisoners of War

5 Enclosures





Prisoners sent in by  
W. S. Grant Big Lake  
Aug 16/61

~~Jno Cole~~  
~~Keck~~  
~~J. H. Kuhn~~  
~~J. B. Briggs~~  
~~Arnold~~

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Garrison & Co  
New York

E. S.

# List of Prisoners

No	Names	When	By Whom	Charges	Remarks
1 <sup>st</sup>	John Cole	August 2 <sup>nd</sup>	Col. Kallman 2 <sup>nd</sup> Regt. U.S.M.C.	Of being a spy, & firing a revolver at men in the U.S. Service	Sheriff of Iron County - Residence Middlebrook. Has once before taken an other.
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Knott	X	Pickets	Spy	Is represented by a Union man of this place as a bad man, but it may not be possible to prove anything against him. Is probably a soldier in the Southern Army. Has been in this camp now the second time.
3 <sup>rd</sup>	J. N. Kuhn	X	" "	" "	
4 <sup>th</sup>	J. B. Frigby	X	Comd'g Officer	" "	Sheriff of Madison County. Was arrested once before <del>and</del> took him in the last week. Found on him a pass through Rebel pickets condemned by Citizens as dangerous.
5 <sup>th</sup>	Arnold	X	" "	" "	
			Captn Geo. Smith	Sheriff of Iron County in lieu of J. N. Kuhn	
	X Richard		Peter Crozat	"	
			James	"	
			James Hill	"	

September  
1861

MISCELLANEOUS.  
HOSPITAL NOTICES.  
MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

James John  
No. 47 Regt. N.Y. Cav.

Ernie 130 John

Summers, Wm.

Sept. 1861



Report of Committee  
on  
examination of Prisons  
Sept 18<sup>th</sup> 1861

Keokuk Sept-20<sup>th</sup>-1861.

Col Fitz-Henry Warren  
De sir. —

I send you the testimony  
taken before your military committee  
& also a statement signed by a  
number of men from Memphis  
& that neighborhood. These men are  
represented for as Union men  
one of them has a strong letter from  
Judge Geo. G. Wright of our Supreme  
Court. saying he is a sound Union  
man. Upon this evidence & also  
the writ of Gen. E. Prentiss who now  
has command of Northern Missouri  
& who was here this morning - Mr  
Hoxie & myself have decided to  
let the cattle & men go - & therefore  
request you to release them.

Yours Truly

W. H. G. Gurney

U. S. Atty Genl of Iowa

H. M. Hoxie

U. S. Marshall  
per W. H. G. Gurney

(over)

Gen<sup>e</sup> Prentiss. Says that he would  
think it best to let them go - under  
all the circumstances - feeling that  
it would be for the interests of the  
Union cause in that section  
Gentry -

If your Lieut knows anything  
about the secret meetings &  
drill at West Point or  
neighbourhood send him  
down on Monday  
Gentry -

Letter  
W. H. Gentry 23  
Attorney East Point  
S. H. Hopper  
U. S. Marshall

Head Quarter 1<sup>st</sup> Iowa Cavalry  
Camp Warren Burlington Iowa Sept-18/61

To Whom it may concern

This will certify that the  
Leaves John Craig and his employer William  
Cummins late of Sullivan County, Missouri  
now lately arrested here in charge of a drove of  
cattle - on suspicion of disloyalty to the Gov-  
ernment of the United States - having been examined  
by the undersigned, a Commission appointed for that  
purpose, by Col. Fitz Henry Warren, have been  
found loyal, in their sentiments and doings -  
and are hereby honorably discharged

Major E. D. Campbell }  
Capt J. L. Thompson } Commission  
Adj. Gen. S. B. Curtis }

Memoranda of Examination of William Cummins  
at the Lawrence House Burlington Iowa Sept 18<sup>th</sup>  
1861 —

John Cruz sworn

I find Wm. Cummins in Sullivan Co. Miss.  
four years ago is a farmer — a neighbor of mine  
I live near the town of Milaca there has been no  
public organization of Irishmen companies at  
that place I have understood that there were  
secret organizations of Ir. citizens — but I never  
saw them. I had some cattle to ~~sell~~  
sell could not sell them in Iowa. I have  
Cummins help drive them here. I have heard  
Q. speak of the difficulties, claims to be a  
union man — says he is willing to fight  
for the constitution and the union — I furnished  
Cummins with powder — obtained from him  
for the defence of Union men — believing him to  
be loyal — he was known at home as a union  
man — and with myself has often to my  
knowledge been threatened with death on a  
of his union sentiments.

Sept 61

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Citizens

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C. C. Wherrett states under oath that Jacob Shackle and ~~James~~ Shackle and ~~James~~ were in Gulph Creek Prison, that about the 18<sup>th</sup> of Sept<sup>r</sup> 1901 <sup>1901</sup> number of guns belonging to the Home Guard at Brandon being were taken at night by a party of armed men.

These guns were taken from the individual members of the Home Guard the armed men going to each man's house and taking the guns from them.

There were a large number of armed men and part of them came to the house of affiant and took his gun from him. He (affiant) refused to ~~hand over~~ give up his gun but was told that it would be taken from him by force affiant

These guns of his gun  
This party of armed  
men got that night  
seventeen guns belonging  
to the Rhode Islands Army  
This party I recognized one  
of the prisoners Jacob Chablot

This party said that  
right they wanted the  
guns to take to the  
Rhode Army, that there  
was about being a fight  
between Massachusetts and  
Rhode and they wished  
to take them to Rhode  
Army, that they (Rhode  
Army) were short of arms

These arms have never  
been returned to Rhode  
Army and appear understood  
that they were taken to  
the Confederate Army  
All the arms were  
taken either by force or  
threats.

Wm to  
before me  
this 18<sup>th</sup> of Sept  
1861. J. W. H. Brown  
R. P. J. C.

E. C. Ashcraft



The witness states further that when Colonel  
W. F. Hunt and Charles  
B. Asper all of Brandon  
were with him about  
this matter.

C. C. Ashcraft  
off W. Shackleton's  
(21. 9)

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September, 1861.

Telegraph Dispatch

To

E. A. Plum  
Col Taylor  
W. B. Hatch.

Recd

Sept 6/61 - 4 1/4 pm.

*(Faint, mostly illegible handwriting, possibly bleed-through from the reverse side of the page)*

Boston

J E Plunk  
Safe home Eric doing well

P. B. Plunk

Washington 6th

Col Taylor

Gen Porter

Refuses me a pass can any  
thing more be done Laywell  
has gone home

A S Taylor

Philo

W D Hatch May 4<sup>th</sup>

B. Browning deceased some  
home money

B P Browning

C. D.  
C.  
" F.  
D.  
G.  
" H.  
I.  
L.

Taylor  
Foster  
Williams  
Jackson  
King  
Davis  
Spencer  
Drask  
Lewis  
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W. H. H. H.

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Telegraph & N. Co.  
C. C. Talbot  
C. C. Talbot  
Mr. S. H. H. H.  
Sept 6/61 4/4 pm

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St. Charlesburg

Stevenson

prisoners

Christian Smith et al

24th March

C. Stevenson

Sept 1831



Clarksville Va. Sept 2<sup>nd</sup> 1861

To Brig Genl. Rosecrans. Greeting;

Be it known unto you that we the undersigned do hereby solemnly declare that Christian Smith of West Millford did about one month ago threaten to shoot Herman Laddie. and about two months ago did boast that there was twenty Dollars offered for Jacob Lynches scalp and that he (C. Smith) intended to get it. Also Christian Harry did about one week ago threaten to shoot Jacob Lynch & Wm Williams whilst at work on their own fields. Also we give it as our firm belief founded upon good evidence that one George Richards who has lately come from the Southern Army is a spy. and one Howard West is suspected as being a mail carrier for the secessionists. We also give the names of leading and prominent secessionists to wit John W. Davis (Main Head Quarters) Joseph Pritchard D<sup>r</sup> James. John Denison. Clark Helms. James Lambert. Wm H. Price. Geo Price. Jacob Pritchard. Wesley Pritchard. James Harry. John Harry. Solomon Ward. Hanson Ward. C. L. Mettcher. Belvin Mettcher. Jacob Hornsbury. Daniel Helms. Phemas Queen. Besides a great many others in the surrounding country. We furthermore declare that we do not bear no malice nor personal spite against any of the above named. but that a sense of our duty to ourselves our families and our Country alone has and is our motive in giving this information unto you. and we swear to the truth that we

Solomon Ward, Blunden Ward, C. L. Westhaver,  
Belvin Mettaker, Jacob Thornsbury, Daniel Helmsick  
Phineas Queen. Besides a great many others in the  
surrounding Country. We furthermore declare  
that we do not bear no malice nor personal  
spite against any of the above named, but  
that a sense of our duty to ourselves our  
Families and Our Country alone has and  
is our motive in giving this information unto  
you. And we earnestly hope that you will  
be, let to protect us in our homes and our  
rights. We hereby declare the above to be the  
truth the whole truth and nothing but  
the truth So help me God.

John Sorenson  
Is Pusey } Witnesses

Gyltighleved  
Jacob Lynck  
Richard Jensen  
Herman Ladwig



William, Weeks.  
 John H. Wood.  
 Wesley, Larsson.  
 A. C. R. Van Bibber.  
 John, Van Bibber.

2nd memo.  
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Headquarters A. O. W. V  
Camp Scott Va

Sept 14<sup>th</sup> 1861

Commander Post  
Garley Bridge

Sir

I forward the following  
prisoners to be sent to Columbus Ohio for  
safe keeping

- No 1. William Meeks from Putnam Co Va  
25 years old, light hair & complexion hazel eyes  
No 2. John H. Wood from Putnam Co Va  
aged 21 years, light hair & sandy whiskers hazel  
eyes  
No 3. Wesley Sansom from Logan Co Va  
24 years old light hair, blue eyes.

These persons state that they were  
drafted by Wise. They were found in the  
vicinity of the battle field, after Floyd left  
Carnegy Ferry.

No 4 D. C. R. Van Ribben an old gentleman  
residing near Summerville

No 5 John Van Ribben son of the former; wi-  
ness against these parties enclosed.

Please forward copy of the above to  
Gov. Dennison with evidence against two latter

Respectfully

Joseph Darr Jr  
Provost Marshal  
at Headquarters

Forward me copies of the testimony against the  
Van Ribbens & notify me of their being forwarded  
with the other prisoners to Columbus

copy of

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Discharge given to Thomas  
Preston, Thomas W. Preston  
John Wain & Richard  
Howe

Sept 26<sup>th</sup> 1861

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Head Quarters St Louis Arsenal

Sept 26<sup>th</sup> 1861

Sir

I have this day released under bonds on parole the following named prisoners, Viz Thomas W Priest, Thomas Priest John W Mann and Richard Flewre, on condition of their remaining true and loyal citizens during the war, you will protect them and their property so long as the above conditions are complied with.

Respectfully Yrs  
Wt Lieut  
S. S. S. S.  
Capt A. S. C.  
Comy

To Commanding Officer  
Hannibal  
Mo

P.S. Please return to them any and all property which you have taken from them Not Contraband of War

S. S.

Sept. 19. 1861

Balis & Hicks

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Blair

The United States,

To Balis, V. Hicks

Dr.

Date of purchase.			DOLLARS.	CENTS.
June 19, 1861	236	Full Key Rifle Powder	9.00	3,024
	84	Half Key Rifle Powder 12 1/2 lb ea	4.25	399
	125	Quarter Key Rifle Powder 8 1/4 lb ea	2.50	312.50
	120	Full Key Blasting Powder	8.00	960
	41	Two Pound Cannisters	1.20	77.90
	7	Cannisters Electric 1 lb ea	1.25	8.75
	50	"A.S.P." 1 lb Cannisters	.50	27.50
	250	"I.R.P." 1 lb Cannisters	.50	137.50
	87	"K.R.P." 1 lb Cannisters	.50	47.80
	650	"K.R.P." 1/2 lb Cannisters	.40	260
	138	"K.R.P." 1/2 lb Blanks	.40	55.20
	13	Two Key 5 lbs ea	1.90	24.70
	35	Boxes Cannisters	9.00	315
				5,649.90

"By order of Major L. O. Stungis 1st Cavalry this powder was removed from Wyandott and is now stored in the Arsenal at this Post. The owners are gentlemen who zealously support the Govt in her present troubles and justly demand that they should be reimbursed any loss resulting from this seizure of their property, which can be regarded only, as a self protecting act of the Govt."

Signed W. E. Purser

Capt Infy

I John M. Hicks a member of the firm of Balis & Hicks do hereby certify that the foregoing

Capt Inft

I John M Hicks a member of the firm of Balis & Hicks do hereby certify that the foregoing account against the United States and the endorsement appended thereto by W E Price is a true and perfect copy of the original account and endorsement thereon made by and signed by W E Price Capt Inft

John M Hicks

Sworn to and subscribed before me Englewood Clerk of the Kansas City Court of Common Pleas within the County of Jackson State of Missouri this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of September AD 1861 at my hand and the seal of said Court at office in Kansas City the day and year aforesaid

Englewood Clerk

Included in the above are Forty Kegs Rifle sold to J Stast, and Ten Kegs Rifle sold to S Deuthun of New Mexico, the amount of which viz: Four Hundred and Fifty Dollars, is to be deducted from the above if the said Fifty Kegs are delivered to said Purchasers by order of the Government

Balis & Hicks

I certify that the above account is correct and just, and that the articles have been accounted for on my property return for the quarter ending on the \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ 185 .

Quartermaster.

RECEIVED at \_\_\_\_\_, the \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_, 185 ,  
of \_\_\_\_\_ Quartermaster U. S.  
Army, \_\_\_\_\_ dollars and \_\_\_\_\_ cents,  
in full of the above account.

Kansas City Sept 19. 1861.

General: Judge J. S. Watts passing through this City en route for New Mexico, instructed me to forward to you the enclosed accounts of Messrs Balis & Hicks, for powder taken from their magazine at the same time that Mr Gambrel was seized, and to request your approval thereof, and order for payment, as in the case of Mr Gambrel.

The delay in transmitting the accounts above referred to was caused by the stoppage of the mails, as well as all other communications between this point and St Louis, until within a day or two back.

Respectfully request that you will be pleased to cause the papers to be returned to me at this place, after receiving the proper endorsement.

Very Respectfully,  
Your Obedt Servant

David V. Whiting

Maj Gen J. C. Fremont  
Comm'd Western Division  
U.S.A.



The <sup>2nd</sup> David O. Whitney  
Kannapolis

Sep 9/61

Enclosing acct of Pa-  
lis & Hicks for Powder  
as per acct of Gen. Fremont  
thru Judge Math.

2 Enclosures

Rec'd N. D. W. D. Sep 24/61

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Chicago Sept 5<sup>th</sup> 1861

Watsworth & Wells

on 27<sup>th</sup> Aug sent Bill of  
Army Shoes per order of Mr  
Gurnee receipted. have not  
yet received the money  
are in great need of the same  
will you send it and greatly  
oblige them -

WADSWORTH & WELLS,

Wholesale Dealers in Boots and Shoes,

60 LAKE STREET,

Chicago, Sept 5<sup>th</sup> 1861

Mr J. C. Woods

Secy St Louis Mo.

Dear Sir

On the 27<sup>th</sup> Aug we  
sent you our bill for Army Shoes  
as per order of Mr. O. Currier said  
bill receipted as per your forms.

We need the money and expected  
it would come immediately upon  
receipt of bills, will you write  
us why the delay

Yours

Wadsworth & Wells

Q. N. 85 11

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J. Ed. McKim  
H. B. W. Conner

Correspondence in  
Relation to the Case of  
James Dodd  
and  
James Miller,

1861

COPY

Present Hill

Mo

Nov 26 / 61

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James Fuller

to

W. H. Adams

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Referred to in  
Memorandum of Mr  
Wilkins for  
perusal of General  
Haleck 10: Dec / 61

Copy

Pleasant Hill

Nov. 26<sup>th</sup> 1867

J Edward Wilkins Esq

Sir

I address you in  
behalf of myself and others  
living in this vicinity who are  
Englishmen, some having been  
naturalized, and wish to  
know what course we ought  
to pursue in regard to the  
recovery of our property, and  
the protection of our persons  
and property -

For living up to Her  
Majesty's Proclamation does  
not seem to be respected by  
some of the Federal Officers  
here on the border. They  
take our property without  
any

any remuneration or  
satisfaction whatever -

Can a British subject who ~~is~~ has just before this war commenced - declared his intentions of becoming a citizen of the U.S. claim protection after Majesty's Government -

And also if a naturalized subject who has exercised all the privileges of an American citizen - "Can he claim any protection - or does England ever give up her subjects."

I have been informed of the arrest of James Powers a British subject, by Colonel Jennison's command, the circumstances of the arrest

or the man I am not acquainted  
with. but his friends say he was  
not in arms - or taken any  
part in this unhappy war

Respectfully yours

(Signed) James Fuller



St Louis

6 Dec 1864.

Mr Wilkins

to

Mr. Dodd.

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Copy

Letter of instructions  
for Gen. Halleck's  
personal.

Copy

St Louis

6<sup>th</sup> December 1861

Sir

With reference to the statement you have laid before me of the claims you intend to present to the United States Government on account of property taken by the troops under the command of Major Babcock and other Officers commanding the United States troops. I think the best course for you to pursue, is to have a statement of these prepared showing the dates as nearly as possible and nature of the property taken and explaining

Mr James L. Dodd

the

The circumstances under which  
you were unable to procure the  
regular requisitions of the  
Officers commanding and lay  
the same before the proper officers  
appointed for the purpose of  
investigating these claims and  
making orders for the payment  
of them -

Unless any charges are  
made and substantiated against  
you which will deprive you of  
your rights as a British subject  
domiciled in the State of Missouri.  
I feel confident that your  
claims will receive equal  
attention with those of a like  
nature which may be presented.

on behalf of any loyal American  
Citizen -

It is your duty to do every thing  
in your power which may be  
required by the authorities fully to  
establish your claim and your  
right to compensation.

In the event of your desiring  
any information or advice from  
me I shall be happy at all  
times to afford it to you or  
your agent -

It would be well for you  
to present the letter handed  
to you by General Curtis  
to the officer Commanding  
at Jefferson City and follow  
his instructions as regards  
your claims as closely as is

in your power to do

I am Sir

Your obedient servant

Signed J Edward Wilkins

U.S. Consul  
at Chicago

St Louis

8 Dec 1887.

Mr Wilkins

to

Mr Doak.

Copy

Letter of instructions

for Gen. Wallack's

personal.

St. Louis  
Dec 2<sup>nd</sup>  
—

Brig. Gen. Curtis  
to  
Col. Commanding  
Jefferson City  
—

In Dodd's case

file

Copy

St Louis Dec 2<sup>nd</sup> 1867

Colonel

The bearer James S. Dodd proves himself a British subject and is entitled to a neutral position if he designs to remain so -

He has evidence of the taking of beef which was refused the pay for by Major Babcock. because he would not swear allegiance.

He has a right to be paid without such oath if the property were taken for public use -

I wish you would have the facts ascertained as Lord Lyons the British Minister and the British Consul J. Edwilkins Esq. have

have presented his claims and  
insisted on his rights which we  
as honorable <sup>men</sup> representing our  
Country should willingly accord  
to all men especially our  
British Cousins with whom we  
have no occasion quarrel and  
from who we have all learned  
our first-lessons of freedom

Very Respectfully

Your obt. Servt.

(Sgd.) S. R. Curtis

Brig. Genl.



Memorandum  
on Mr Wilkins  
letter to General  
Hulbert of 10<sup>th</sup>  
Decr 1861.

Memorandum enclosed in Mr. Watkins  
letter to Major General Halleck  
of the 7<sup>th</sup> December 1861

A. Alleged facts, showing  
misapprehension of the rights and  
duties of British subjects  
claiming a neutral position,  
by persons calling themselves  
Officers of the U. S. A.

1. Copy letter of Major Babcock  
to a Mr. James S. Dodd  
(addressed Jesse Dodd) and  
especially the sentence underlined  
with red ink as follows "in place  
"of coming yourself you sent a  
"messenger who is not even a  
"citizen of the U.S. to receive pay  
"for your beef without doing  
"anything to establish your loyalty"

2. Statement of Mr. Patrick Shannon  
of Kansas City who alleges that his  
two brothers John and Phillip are in  
partnership

partnership. John is a British subject. Phillip a naturalized citizen. that John was in New York a short time since and enquired through friends of Mr. Archibald the British Consul at New York what he ought to do as a British subject in case of destruction of property - that on occasion of applying to Colonel Jennison at Kansas City in consequence of expected violence Patrick Shannon produced Mr. Archibald's letter on his brother John's behalf and handed it to Colonel Jennison who folded it in his hand and said - as Shannon alleges - "You God damned son of a (stopping there - there were ladies in the tent) You are a pretty fellow seeking protection from a foreign Government, and asking my protection" -

3. Copy letter of James Fuller and especially that sentence underlined

underlined with red ink "For  
"living up to Her Majesty's proclamation  
"does not seem to be respected" by  
"some of the Federal Officers here on  
"the border. They take our property without  
"any remuneration or satisfaction  
"whatever"

### B Reasons

1. <sup>it would appear from the facts as alleged</sup> Because <sup>the</sup> position of British  
subjects domiciled here claiming  
neutrality is not well understood  
by persons calling themselves  
Federal Officers

2. Because any misapprehension  
on a subject like this of such  
importance, leads to unnecessary  
irritation and difficulties in the  
present, and to embarrassments  
in the future settlement of <sup>fair</sup> ~~just~~  
claims and may give a coloring  
to history unjust to those most  
responsible and who would <sup>feel</sup> most  
regret.

3. Because in various of the States  
embraced in your command  
either by the terms of their Constitution  
or by special enactments alien  
friends are enabled to hold land  
and transmit it.

Missouri  
Revised Statutes  
1858  
Chapter 5. p. 186  
Academy Ed.

Illinois  
Revised Statutes  
1858  
Section 5. p. 186  
Academy Ed.

This policy, whilst it has  
produced in times of peace  
the happy spectacle of  
naturalized and non-naturalized  
natives of nearly all European  
countries engaged engaged in  
common with American citizens  
in the improvement of their  
homesteads, the carrying on  
of commerce, and the prosecution  
of great enterprises, on like  
terms, has removed the alien test

Discussion  
Constitution. Sec. 15.

which the ownership of real estate affords in the older states of the Union.

4 Because I believe that in the Department of the Missouri, from the last named and other causes there is a larger proportion than in the Eastern States of the natives of Europe and especially of Great Britain who have not become naturalized citizens.

5 Because previously during the Border warfare between the State of Missouri and Kansas

Kansas I understand for  
years past many wanton  
acts of violence have been  
committed which could not  
so easily then as they can  
now be charged against  
any one who claim to hold  
Commission from the United  
States Government.

6 Because to <sup>remove</sup> ~~correct~~ any  
misconception on the part  
of British subjects of their  
duties I have found it  
advisable to endorse on all  
passports issued by me  
<sup>under</sup> for local ~~purposes~~ regulations

The condition in which they  
are suby accepted by the  
subscriber as follows "

" This passport is accepted  
& by the subscriber <sup>with a</sup> ~~or then~~  
& full understanding of  
& his duties under the Queens  
" proclamation " —

J Edward Wilkes  
H B M Consul  
at Chicago



1861

10<sup>th</sup> @ September

Head Quarters

Osage Station

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Major Babcocke

to

less Dodd

James<sup>r</sup> L. Dodd

Dodd's case

Copy

Head Quarters

Osage Station

10<sup>th</sup> September 1861

Mr Jesse Dodd

James J.

Dear Sir

JM

A messenger of yours arrived here today asking pay for a beef which was taken from you by my orders yesterday -

The instructions which the commander of the squad which took the beef had and delivered to you were, that you should come and report yourself at head quarters today and if you proved yourself a good and loyal citizen, that you would receive pay for your beef.

Res-

But if you were an enemy  
of the Government and had  
taken up arms against it,  
you would be treated in the  
same manner as the rebels  
deal with loyal citizens in  
Southwest Missouri -

In place of coming yourself  
you sent a messenger who is  
not even a citizen of the  
United States to receive pay  
for your beef without doing  
anything towards establishing  
your loyalty, giving any  
assurance of your intention to  
remain a good and true  
Citizen or willingness to support  
the Constitution of the U. S.  
of America and not to give  
any aid or comfort to the  
enemies

enemies and opposers of our government.

In answer to the question why you did not come over yourself your messenger stated that you were afraid to do so, and that you were in danger of losing your life, if you made your appearance among our men.

Now, you need have no apprehensions as far as your personal safety is concerned.

If you wish to be protected from any future harm to your property, or any inroads upon it, the sooner you establish your loyalty the better and if you have any fears of being molested, we will send a squad of men down to escort you up and  
you

you can go with them to Jefferson  
City and surrender yourself  
under the Governor's Proclamation,  
and the Proclamation of General  
Fremont, declaring Martial  
law in Missouri.

After having performed  
these requirements you will be  
considered a true citizen  
and government will give  
you all the protection for  
your person and property

I am Sir

Yours very truly

(Signed) J. J. Babcock

H. L. Brown

Major Commanding

Acting Adjutant

J. Edw. Wilkins, A. B. M. Com.

to

Major Genl Halleck

Dec 10<sup>th</sup> 1861.

St. Louis. 10<sup>th</sup> December 1867

Sir, In pursuance of your request in the interview you afforded me on the 6<sup>th</sup> instant I now submit to you in a different separate memorandum some of the alleged facts which induced me to write the letter I headed you on that occasion.

In that memorandum I also state the reasons which appeared to me to be of weight in the consideration of the subject referred to in that communication.

I wish however to state  
Major-General Halleck USA  
Commanding Dept of Missouri

that my letter was not written  
under instructions from the U. S. Govt  
Government and without the  
knowledge of Her Majesty's  
Minister at Washington  
<sup>and</sup> but entirely on my own  
responsibility for your consideration  
in consequence of what I feel  
to be the exigencies.

With respectful acknowledgments  
for the opportunity you  
have thus afforded me

I am  
Your obedient servant

J. Edward Wilkes  
118 M. Condule  
at Chicago



1861.

22nd Sept. 68

Lord Lyons

to  
Mr Dodd.

Copy letter received  
by Mr Dodd to letter  
he addressed Lord  
Lyons on receipt  
of Major Babcoke's  
letter, copy accompanying

Copy

British Legation  
Washington D.C.

22<sup>nd</sup> September 1861

Sir  
I received the day before  
yesterday a letter from you  
dated the 12<sup>th</sup> instant.

In reply to it I have to state  
that if you were a natural  
born British subject, and  
have not become a citizen  
of the United States, you are  
certainly entitled to British  
protection. But it must not  
be forgotten that British  
subjects have no exclusive  
privileges in the United States  
that they owe obedience to the

Mr James S Dodd

law

law of the land; and  
that their property in the  
country is liable to the  
same obligations and the  
same incidents as the  
property of American  
citizens

I am

Sir

Your obedient servant

(Sgd.) Lyons

Pat. Allen  
658 N. J. Ave.  
Lady & daughter in correspond-  
ence with Jeff. Davis

Sept. / 61

My dear

Headquarters, Provost Marshal's Office,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

1753

James Oglethorpe  
1753. when James Oglethorpe  
Lady & daughter in  
with confidence. Let  
Pages

(10)  
The Genl. Comdg. desires  
Mr. Allen to send  
a detachment to report  
to General Smith.

R. P. Marey  
Inspr to Genl.

The bearer is sent to  
you as a detachment

R. P. Marey  
Inspr to Genl.  
To Genl. W. F. Smith  
Chain Bridge

4:95  
Copy sent to Office  
on Roll Conference  
August 24 1861

United States Military Telegraph.

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Received Aug 31<sup>st</sup> 1861.

From Chain Bridge 31<sup>st</sup>

Gen M. M. D. -

Have you a good detective  
there is a place about a  
mile or a half below here  
where correspondence is  
kept up with the other side  
of the River - I have tried  
to find proper men to  
intercept it but have failed  
I could easily stop it but  
think it of more importance  
to get the correspondence

Wm J. Smith

Agent

Co. No. 94

David H. Carr

U. S. Marshal.

New Haven Ct

4 Sept. 1861

Information against  
Sart N. McIntyre.



Office of the U. S. Marshal New Britain Ct  
Sir. Sept. 27<sup>th</sup> 1861.

Jacob K. Mc Intire of the City of  
Washington is looked upon in  
New Britain in Hartford County  
with great suspicion. His wife is  
stopping at New Britain with a  
Mr King formerly a Deputy Sheriff  
& who together with his wife and  
the wife of Mc Intire (her Sister)  
are, as well as Mc Intire, all open  
and avowed secessionists if their  
speech does not belie them.

Mc Intire is  
on here quite often say once in two or  
three weeks as I am credibly informed  
always with a large Canvas covered trunk  
and also a valise.

When he leaves New Britain  
for your City he always goes with his  
baggage to Hartford which is seven  
Miles North East of New Britain and  
from thence sets out for Washington

passing by his wife on the return passage  
but not stopping. When at Hartford  
he is said to have much business with  
Col. Sam Colt. who is the well known  
Manufacturer of Arms &c in that City, there  
are also plenty of percussion caps to be  
had in that City. and besides - Colt has  
a Magazine of Arms &c on store in New York  
City from which he might easily be supplied  
if he omitted to supply himself in Hartford.  
Now knowing his antecedents, and present  
propensities we think he comes here rather  
too often to see his wife - and for that only.  
He may have other, and perfectly legitimate  
business on here so often but we "cant  
see it." I therefore thought I would give  
you this notice that you might look to  
him if you thought it worth while. I shall  
keep my eye on him here and will unceasingly  
keep him if possible. Mr Dutye is the same  
Man who had his house burnt in Washington  
not long since you may know of him by this  
circumstance. With you please if you have time  
acknowledge receipt of this with your views &c &c

and oblige your obedient servant  
David H. Carr

United States Marshal.

P.S.

They have lately taken a house in Hartford Ct.  
in Linden place at an exorbitant rent.  
her Mother lives in Middletown 15 miles  
lower down the Connecticut River, and is the  
wife of a Mr. Allen a Lumber Merchant there.  
D. H. Carr

No 94

David H. Carr  
U. S. Marshal.  
New Haven, Ct

4 Sept. 1861

Information against  
Charles W. Dr. Entyne

No. 94.

W. H. Riley

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Jacob H. M. Entorse

31st Aug 67

Repts to State Dep<sup>t</sup>

Andrew McKee

Respectfully referred  
to Brigadier General Porter  
Department of State  
St. August, Fla.

N. 89

Information  
against Fred Aiken

10<sup>th</sup> Sept. 1861

Sumner  
your very  
obeying  
servant

Jacob K. Mc Intyre,  
House Linden Place,  
Hartford, Ct.

As a Patent Agent in  
Washington — is suspected  
of taking letters and perhaps  
arms to the Rebels in Virginia  
— is a Secessionist — visits  
Hartford once in about  
two weeks — always has  
business at Colls. — has  
made frequent visits to  
Hartford since last Spring  
— Some of his wife's friends  
have said that Mr. McIntyre  
could get letters South, &c.  
Had better be watched!

W. H. Riley, New Britain,  
gives this information,  
note this,  
A.C.

Washington Sep. 8<sup>th</sup> 1861

Gen. Andrew Porter  
Dearest Marshal for Washington City

Sir - I have indirectly learned that  
a Mr. Fred. Aiken, who boarded a few days since at Mrs.  
Smith's O. St. bet 21<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> was in the Rebel Camp at Manassas  
previous to the battle at Bull Run; and has been in  
Richmond since that battle. If my information be correct, and  
it came from himself second hands through an honorable  
man a citizen of this City to me, the strong presumption  
is that he is not a loyal citizen of the U. S. and needs  
watching by the guardians of our City and nation. I can  
give the government no further information than the above  
except the name of my informant, which I am not  
at this time at liberty to do. Having performed  
my duty in thus placing this little piece of information  
in the possession of government officers of our City.

and not wishing to appear as a prosecutor upon the  
state of facts as they now exist, I withhold my  
name at present, promising, however, if anything  
should, to render it my duty as a loyal citizen  
to give my name and that of other parties to as-  
sist in bringing to justice a traitor or a spy.  
I shall not hesitate to come forward at the  
proper time and tell all I have heard.

Your truly & loyally,

Information

against Fred Aikin

10th Sept. 1861

A. S. G.



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Gen Dent. Dr. Dent. Tom Stone  
Jno Hamilton Gen. Mitchels +  
sons + others at Post. Tobacco  
+ vicinity

Sept. 1861

Sept 12-61

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Headquarters Provost Marshal's Office,

WASHINGTON, D. C.

OFFICIAL BUSINESS.

No. 26. 1997-157

Geo. Hunt, Lt. Hunt, Tom  
Stone, Jno. Hamilton,  
General Witches & Low  
others at Pot Tobacco  
vicinity.

Received Feb 12 1844

W. A. M.

from P. M. & W. A.

J. P.

Sep 12

Troops stationed near Port Tobacco with pickets extending to Piscataway Creek would effectually cut off communication from the Potomac in that direction -

From Port Tobacco through Bryan Town to Patuxent City & on to Benedict would cut off the communication from St. Marys County -

Dr. Dent has organized a secret company, pledged to shoot in ambush troops going to his house for his arrest - Dr. Dent lives not far from New Port & 8 or 9 miles from Port Tobacco - In going to Dr. D's through Newtown, etc.

Mr. John Hamilton resides about five miles from Port Tobacco has been engaged in conveying persons to Virginia also Gen. Mitchell - Both have now gone to Virginia -

Tom Stone has been to Virginia & has returned -  
Geo. Dent

Capt. Cox has been instrumental in conveying persons to Virginia - He resides near Port Tobacco -

Gen. Mitchell prime mover of secession in this County Leonard J. Robey & Led. Burch <sup>near Bryan Town</sup> have induced to go to Virginia & their apprehension would put things about Bryan Town -

Boats are removed from the River into the bushes & Creek - Principal places of crossing the river are at Popes Creek Laidlers Ferry and always up the Potomac River to Aquia Creek -

Gen. Mitchell lives nearly opposite Aquia  
Creek & has been active in passing them over -  
Henry Muschett also & they are both sons  
of Gen. Mitchell -

It is suggested that Wells Editor of Port-Tobacco  
Times, be gently dealt with. Although he has accumb-  
ed to the great expense of the times, it is believed in  
heart he is a true friend.

No. 26. 1997/57

Gen. Alex. M. Mitchell, Tom  
Stone, Jno. Hamilton,  
General Mitchell & Son  
Tobacco at Port Tobacco  
vicinity.

Received Sep 12<sup>th</sup>

W. A. M.

from P. M. by P.H.D.  
S.P.

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Fort Monroe, Va.

Sept 30. 1861

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Capt P. A. Davis  
Provost Marshal

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Official Report for 29<sup>th</sup>

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C. J. G.

Office of Provost Marshal  
Fort Monro Sept 29, 1861

Report of the Provost Marshal  
for Sept 29<sup>th</sup> 1861

In consequence of the absence of the General Commanding I allowed such persons as appeared to have sufficient business to warrant it to land furnishing them with passes for this post only. These persons as follows Mr Younglon - Mr Anderson + Mr Wharton I did not allow to land they not appearing to have sufficient credentials

Confined in Guard House by my order them for being found at Camp Hamilton after retreat without business

Everything reported quiet at Camps Butler + Hamilton

Yours respectfully  
Prest A Davis  
Capt 6<sup>th</sup> Mass Vol  
Provost Marshal

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Report of Provost Marchab-  
at Camp Hamilton.

D. 3. Sept. 1. 1861.

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Camp Hamilton Sept. 2. 1861

To  
Capt. P. A. Davis

Private Messrs. J. W. J. J. J.

I have  
to report the arrest of John Sherman & Mrs. Watson  
residing in Hampton Creek. They with the property  
certificates of War found in their possession were  
turned over to the Quartermaster.

A Brother of Mrs. Watson is about to apply  
to Gen. Wool for permission to file near Providence Barracks  
on a recommendation from Col. Legar. I do not  
think him entitled to such a permit.

Old Parker just released from the Pickets  
is very anxious to visit Hampton. I have had a watch  
put upon him with orders to arrest him in case of  
any trouble made on his part.

Twelve mounted Scouts are reported  
to have been seen at Hampton I have yes-  
terday by our Pickets who fired upon them,  
as usual, without effect.

Capt. W. M. Furlough  
Private Messrs. J. W. J. J. J.  
Camp Hamilton



Fort Monroe, Va,  
Sept 4. 1861

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Capt O. A. Davis,  
Provost Marshal

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Report for yesterday

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Office of Provost Marshal.  
Fort Monroe. Sept 4<sup>th</sup>. 1861.

Morning Reports of Capt P. A. Davis.  
Provost Marshal for Sept 3<sup>rd</sup>. 1861.

No of Arrivals by Steer  
S. R. Spalding and Baltimore Boat - 28.  
Arrests by my order - none. A Flag of Truce ar-  
riveds from Norfolk with 13 men taken on Bark Verona  
4 . . . . . Sch Mary Ellis.  
6 . . . . . Brig Jeseff.  
2 . . . . . Bark Glen.

all of whom were forwarded to Baltimore last evening.

The Provost Marshal at Camp Hamilton reports  
finding a hailfull of bullets at the house of one  
Whittaker. This morning Mary Battus arrived from  
Washington with pass from Genl Scott to be passed  
to Norfolk, also Elizabeth Morron an Irish girl  
just arrived in the country who wishes to join her  
friends at Williamsburg. She has no pass.

Thos A Davis  
Capt 6<sup>th</sup> Reg Mass Vols  
Provost Marshal.

Number to go to Norfolk 9 as follows

3 Ladies  
3 children  
3 - Bishop's servants

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Sept 3. 1861

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Statements of John  
Shawwood and Tho.  
Watson, arrested as  
runners.

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Rec<sup>d</sup> / Sept 3. 1861

## Statement of John Sherrwood.

On the night of the 31<sup>st</sup> of Aug. was in my house. The brown rifle was left in my house by Benj Johnson who has gone to Staten Island.

The other rifle was one which I had given me by the Capt. of a company of Volunteers called the North Rifles, which was organized two years ago last May. The guns have not been fired for more than 2 months.

Never used the gun for any purpose since receiving my protection papers.

Have never done anything or said anything against the Union or Union men.

Have not made a practice of leaving my house during the night.

The statement of Thomas Watson is that he was in the house with Sherrwood and does not know why he was arrested except that he was with Sherrwood. The uniform found in the building was that of the North Rifles, belonging to Sherrwood.

Fort Monroe Va  
Sept 3. 1861

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Capt P. A. Davis  
Provost Marshal.

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Official report for  
the 2<sup>d</sup> Sept

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Office of the Provost Marshal  
Fort Monroe. Sept 3<sup>rd</sup> 1861.

Morning Report of Capt. P. A. Davis.

Provost Marshal for Sept 2<sup>nd</sup> 1861.

No of arrests of those requiring passes 1. No of arrests, none. As per Special order No 28. I closed all places of business at Camp Hamilton and at the Fort. G. L. Lee prisoner from the Rife Raps was blindfolded and taken two miles beyond Hampton and released. Sent John Sherwood and Thomas Watson whose statements I presented yesterday, to the Rife Raps. This morning Miss <sup>daughter of John Jones</sup> Jones who was passsed through to Norfolk on the 25<sup>th</sup> inst arrived, wishing to join her parents at Norfolk. Asst. Marshal Christman at Newport News reports that Miss Wilburn now declines coming to the fort. Shall she be arrested and sent down.

Thos A Davis  
Capt 6<sup>th</sup> Reg Mass Vol  
Provost Marshal.

Genl Monroe Va,  
Sept 2 1861

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Capt O. A. Davis  
Provs Marshall

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Official report

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W. S.

On Sept 2nd / Sep 2. '61

Office of the Provost Marshal.  
Port Monroe. Sept. 2. 1861.

Morning Reports of Capt. P. A. Davis.

Provost Marshal for Sept. 1. 1861.

Nothing of importance has transpired since my  
last report. By order I sent Henry Brown and  
Robinson Williams taken at Scatteras Inlet, to the  
Rip-Raps as prisoners of war. Examined Sher-  
woods and Watson and send you a copy of their  
statements during the day.

P. A. Davis  
Capt. U. S. Army  
Provost Marshal.



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Reports of Provost Marshals  
at Camp Butler.

Sept 8. 1861.

*At*

Crook's Marshal's Office,  
Camp Butler, Newport's News, Va.  
September 9th 1861. 8 A.M.

Captain P. A. Davis,  
Crook's Marshal, Dept of Va.

Sir,

Yesterday the Officer of our outer Picket turned over to me two Negroes (Boy Charles Stabb 21 years old, Girl Charlotte Lee, 13 years old, both belonging to A. C. Hamed, Southey Island, Va.), whom I have sent this morning to Col. Alanson Crane at Fortress Monroe. - They came here to seek our protection.

Your obedt. servt.

J. Christensen, 1st Lt.  
Crook's Marshal  
Camp Butler

List of Prizes  
 sent from Norfolk  
 under a flag of Truce  
 Sept 21. 1861.

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City

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Sept 21. 1861

List of Prizes  
 by flag of truce

List of seamen who have been in  
the Marine Hospital at Norfolk, and who  
are citizens of the United States.

Prentice Lewis  
Wm. Stafford  
James Lovejoy  
John Seaborn -

Also,

Mr Letelle, a British subject  
Wife & six children  
Mr Phillips - Day - "  
Miss Johnson -

Prof. Rogers  
at York

Norfolk  
Sept 21<sup>st</sup> '61

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Camp Hamilton

Sept 7. 1861

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Capt Burleigh

Post Marshal

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Reports that the  
ribes are murther  
ing 5 miles  
beyond Bethel.

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Rec<sup>d</sup> Sept 7. 1861

Two reports from Warwick County, 5 miles beyond  
Bethel. Thomas Cabbe & Joseph Booker. Came  
in this morning & are now in the front house.

They report a battery in that vicinity of  
men mustering in in Zouave's costumes.

By Capt. Burleigh.

Proc. Mass Camp. Hillston.

Sept. 7<sup>th</sup>

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Great Mound, Va

Sept 12, 1861

Capt A. H. Davis  
Private Marshal

Official Report

Civil

Rec<sup>d</sup> Sept 13, 1861

Office of the Provost Marshal.

Fort Mifflin. Sept 12<sup>th</sup>. 1861.

Morning Report of Capt P. A. Davis

Provost Marshal for Sept 11<sup>th</sup>. 1861.

Number of arrivals  
of those requiring papers 2. Arrivals by my  
order - none. I to-day forwarded under flag-of-  
truce to Norfolk.

Passengers. { Mrs Kean and daughter  
Mrs Benthall  
Mrs Phillips  
Miss Phillips  
Mrs Levy and two sons.  
Mrs Dennis

Confederate prisoners  
released on parole. { A. J. Ellis  
P. McLaughlin  
J. L. Henderson

All of the baggage was thoroughly searched which  
resulted in finding the enclosed letters which I detained  
for examination.

The Provost Marshal of Camp Hamilton  
reports that Mrs Latimer, an old lady, 80 years of  
age is outside of our lines at Hampton in a starving  
condition also a Mrs Kimball in the same condition.

The body of a man in a decomposed state  
washed on shore at Camp Hamilton, and was  
buried by some of the 20<sup>th</sup> Regiment N.Y. Vols on



the beach. I have ordered a boat of the Quartermaster  
and to have its buoys about high tide.

Capt. Burleigh gives his report that  
2<sup>nd</sup> Lieut. Chas. Lorch of the 20<sup>th</sup> N.Y. Reg<sup>t</sup>  
while officer of the pickets Guard at Hampton bridge  
permitted Mrs Kimball, Mrs Miller and Mrs Watson  
to pass within the lines contrary to your orders.

Mrs Jordan and Mr McAlpin apply  
for permission to re-open their stores at Camp  
Hamilton to dispose of their groceries now on hand,  
and I would recommend that they be allowed  
to do so, as I have never complaints against  
them from any quarter.

Thos A Davis  
Capt 6<sup>th</sup> Mass Regt  
Provost Marshal

Fort Monroe. Sept 7 1864

P. A. Davis

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Proctor Marched

Report

Sept 7 1864

No pass found  
within.

C. S. V.

Provost Marshal's Office.  
Fort Monroe. Sept 7<sup>th</sup>. 1861.

Morning Report of Capt P. A. Davis  
Provost Marshal for Sept 6<sup>th</sup>. 1861.

Number of Arrivals of  
those requiring passes. 6. Arrests by my order. None.  
Nothing of importance has transpired to report  
within the last twenty-four hours at this post.

This morning Mrs Eliza Keene  
and her daughter Miss Fanny Keene arrived wishing  
to be forwarded to Norfolk, and having a pass -  
from Genl Scott which I enclose herewith.

Thos A Davis  
Capt 6<sup>th</sup> Reg Mass Vols  
Provost Marshal.

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Fort Monroe Va

Sept 5. 1861

Capt J A Davis

Post Marshal

Report for yesterday

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Office of Provost Marshal.  
Fort Monroe. Sept 5<sup>th</sup>. 1861.

Morning Report of Capt P. A. Davis.  
Provost Marshal for Sept 4<sup>th</sup>. 1861.

Number of arrivals of those requiring passes 8. Averts by my order for drunkenness, ordered that he do police duty one day. A Flag of Truce arrived from Norfolk with the baggage of the sailors who were sent on to Batteron the day previous.

I also forwarded to Norfolk under Flag of Truce the Rev Bishop Vroth, his friends and deacon, and three children, also Miss Jones, Miss Battus, and Miss Moorow, before leaving I caused their baggage to be searched and found several letters which I send herewith.

The Provost Marshal at Camp Butler reports having found and returned to Williams two horses mentioned in the order received by Genl Phelps.

Thos S Davis  
Capt - 6<sup>th</sup> Regt Mass Vols  
Provost Marshal.

against

John. Wacker 153

Louis Unverdorben

of Riotous Conduct &  
Violent Assault

Peter Wegman  
Co. Marshal

Sept. 5 / 61.

Lits

St Louis Sept 5th 1861

Major M<sup>c</sup>Kinstry  
Provost Marshal, City & County, St Louis  
Sir

Last night about 9 o'clock at my residence, my house was entered, by a mob of 200 persons to make an assault upon myself for what cause I am entirely unaware. They abused and frightened my family and threatened my life. They were all I believe Germans.

I desire you to investigate the matter, also to give me protection or allow me to protect myself, only two of the party can my Wife identify, but I can furnish the names of more of them in a short time, the identified are named John Wacker and Louis Woverderbon.

Respectfully,

Peter Hegman

County Marshal

P.S. My residence is on 2nd Canal St. av. between  
La Fayette and Geyer av.  
P.M.

Sept 3, 01

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Sept 3, 1860

Genl. W. Owens

Commander

Citizens

Franklin Co

Ms. Va.

Has arrested several  
secessionists.

Col. Blair vouchers  
for Col. Owens' knowledge  
of the news.

1 Enclosure

Has been attended

Recd. W. D. W. D. Sept 4, 1860

St Louis

Septem 3<sup>rd</sup> 61

Major Genl John C Fremont  
Comd Western Depart  
General

I enclose  
communication from Captain  
James W. Owens of Franklin Co  
Ind Reserve Corps. He is well  
acquainted with the man he  
refers to and is entirely reliable

Respectfully  
J. M. M.  
Col. Comd 1<sup>st</sup> Regt. M. V.

Col. Frank P. Blair Jr.

Dear Sir

We have made the arrests of the following named prisoners, S<sup>r</sup> Thomas R. Lewis, Edmund A. Nicholas, James H. Shepard, Benjamin T. Burch, & M<sup>r</sup> Bagley Bagwell. They are native Missourians, and have been guilty of numerous acts of treason, urging men to join Jackson's army, plotting against the government, giving aid and comfort to the enemy, and the leaders of the rebel men in this county. The Union men unanimously desire their arrest, and that they should be sent to Cairo and made to work, 10 hours each day. If there should be any one who asks for their release, you may rest assured he is a traitor, and you should put no confidence in his statements.

Yours Respectfully  
J. H. Burns Commanding  
Franklin Co. U. S. Res. Corps.

115 Pacific 155 26  
115 Sept 25<sup>th</sup> 1865

Chester Harding Jr  
Col 10<sup>th</sup> Ind Vol

Accompanying 2 prisoners  
under guard. Charged  
with aiding & assisting  
the rebels

2 Enclosures

Copies

D. Masters and Samuel Johnson  
Released upon taking the oath

Copy

Head Quarters, Franklin Dist

Sept 20. 1861. Pacific

Sir

Your verbal report per Conductor Darby is received. No arrests can be made except in cases where the parties to be arrested are undoubtedly in complicity with the rebels, and proof of that fact can be made.

If under this condition, you deem it your duty, to make the arrest named in your communication, proceed to apprehend the parties, and send them to the Military Commission (Capt. G. Granger Judge Advocate) at the Arsenal, with the witnesses - or, if the witnesses can't go immediately, send their names and places of residence, with a full statement of the charges against the parties arrested, and a copy of this order.

I am Very Respectfully  
Yours  
(Signed) Chester Harding Jr  
Col. 10<sup>th</sup> Mo Vols. Comdg

L. M. Coker

Comdg detached Missouri

Pacific September 25<sup>th</sup> 1861.

Nichols B. Charges

~~James G. Martin~~  
~~Saml G and~~  
~~Nicholas B. Churn~~ } both of Baldwin, S. Louis Co.

are charged with aiding and assisting the Southern Army. When they saw our Troops advancing

they ran off, and at the House where they were arrested, were found the following Articles, all secretly hid.

Two Revolvers

One Rifle. One Shot Gun

all heavily loaded.

100 Bullets. 2 Cans Powder. 50 Gens Tubes

8 pr Bullet moulds. One Cutlass. and

One Secession Uniform.

The undersigned witnesses, are ready to swear that the above named parties, have been aiding and assisting the Southern Army.

John Cook. Manchester. S. Louis Co.

John Halbman. Home Guard Do Do

D<sup>r</sup> Christopher Decker Do Do

Martin Hanna Representative

Manchester, N. H.

(signed)  
respectfully submitted by Miles M. Caber

1<sup>st</sup> Lieut Co. A. 10<sup>th</sup> Reg. Inf. Col.

Comd'g detachment at Merrimac

A true copy.

attest.

Charles Harding Jr

Col 10<sup>th</sup> Mevol

Comd'g Det

Pacific. Sept 21<sup>st</sup> 1861.

Sir,

I send you herewith, two prisoners under guard. The charges against them, and names of witnesses, will be found in the enclosed statement.

I am Sir, Very Respy  
Yours obedt Servt.

Charles Harding Jr.  
Col 10<sup>th</sup> Mo Colo Condy.

S,

Captain Gordon Granger  
Judge Advocate  
St. Louis.



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Co. Cit.

W. D. S. Camp Fremont  
Cape Girardeau Mo.

Sept 20<sup>th</sup> 1861

Coak John Col 7<sup>th</sup> Ills Regt

In accordance with orders  
received from Genl Grant  
Commanding S. E. Mo.  
has this day sent certain  
prisoners to St Louis Arca  
together with Charges &  
against the same

1 Enclosure

Joseph Huntton.  
George M Beattie } sent here  
Thomas B Jumbold }  
Jane Woods.

Beattie - x - sent here.  
Huntton x - sympathy with the South  
Jumbold x - sent here  
Woods " "

( Cape Girardeau )

Head Quarters  
Camp Fremont  
Cape Girardeau Mo  
Sep 20. 1861

Sir

In pursuance to orders from  
Head Quarters S.E. Mo. Brig. Genl.  
M.S. Grant Comdg. I have this <sup>day</sup> forwarded  
to St. Louis Arsenal certain Prisoners  
of War together with Charges &c accom-  
panying, which I hope may prove  
satisfactory.

To  
Commanding Officer  
St. Louis Arsenal  
Mo

J. L. Cook  
Capt. U.S. Army  
Comdg Post

Joseph Hunter  
George M. Peattie  
Thos B. Furbold  
James Woods

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Navy Department

Sept 23/61

John W Bronaugh

Relates to Jacob Cowers  
and Charles H Merrill  
arrested at Fort Mifflin  
Sept 19/61

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Received from Depot Quartermas-  
ter's office, Phila., Pa., thro' A. G. O., March  
1894, with papers pertaining to  
the office of the A. A. G. of General  
Porter's Division, A. of P. 1861.  
Found at the Schuylkill Arsenal.

2 or more  
Cite

Head Quarters Porters Div

Recvd Sept 26/61

Resp<sup>y</sup> referred to  
By. but S. J. Porter

A. B. Porter  
By. and  
Do. ma

Sept. 25. 61

Navy Department  
Sept 23<sup>d</sup> 1861

Sir:

On Thursday last Jacob Pomers & Charles H. Merrill visited Fort Corcoran on business and to their great surprise they were arrested and are there still in confinement. Will you do them and their families the justice to have their cases at once investigated and a decision arrived at in the premises - As far as I am advised they are both Union men but in these times I would not vouch for the loyalty of any man and therefore only ask for a speedy trial - I have not had the honor of knowing you in your present military capacity but I am induced to believe from the high terms in which I have heard my good uncle Jack McCarty speak of you that you are a man who will do right and that quickly.

With great respect  
I am, Your Obedt<sup>t</sup>  
John W. Bronaugh

Regadier Gen<sup>l</sup> Andrew Porter  
Provost Marshal  
Washington D.C.

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Dr. Williams  
New York

Mr. <sup>son</sup> Tompkins Mr.  
Brown & another common  
Prostitutes Rebel Spys

Rec<sup>d</sup>. Sept. 16,

1861

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(A-26.)

Report of J. Warner  
on the Sanpikin Mat Ground

18<sup>th</sup> Sept. 1861



Report of Warner on Mrs Thompson  
and Brown

Washington September 18<sup>th</sup> 1861

By direction of G B. I left the office  
at 4 o'clock P.M. to find the house of Mrs Thompson  
Reported as having two women staying with  
her one from Richmond whose husband is  
in the Rebel Army.

I proceeded to 7<sup>th</sup> St and on passing the  
Planters Hotel I saw Mr Raby who informed  
me that he knew Mrs Thompson that she  
lived on B St that she moved there about  
3 months ago that the family lived on  
10<sup>th</sup> St that she was a Northern woman  
he thought from New Jersey that she was  
brought here by a member of Congress that  
she kept a very select sewing house  
that he saw her in the Market on yesterday  
with a good looking Black Eyed Woman  
rather short thick set having a spot  
over her Bright Eye who Mrs J presented to  
him as Mrs Brown said that she was from  
Richmond that her husband was in the  
Rebel Army Raby said that he asked  
Mrs J if Mrs B would sew she said if  
she got the right kind of a man or a man  
that was all right.

I found that Mrs J lived on B St the  
first house from the corner of 7<sup>th</sup> on  
the Island that it is the ~~start~~ end of  
2 in the Block 2 story Wood with  
Brick Basement on the Door is a paper  
with Rooms to Lett water and Raby said  
if I would call on him in the evening

he would find out all about them and  
let me know. Returned to the Hotel  
at 7<sup>00</sup> am Reported to Mr H and went  
to supper. J.W.

Recd 4 1/2 P.M. Sept 16th

Washington Septem 10th 861

Bonradie General Parker

Post Marshall

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A one Mrs  
Dumplings on B & off of 7th St on the Island  
is an out & out secessionist she is now harboring  
2 abandoned women both of which are also disloyal  
one came on here a spy from Richmond and her  
husband being in the confederate army she beyond  
doubt is of the worst type she goes by the name  
of Brown the other is from New Orleans and is  
likewise of same stamp - they visit the Camps  
thru frequently been down to Alexandria they  
are three very shrewd women their next will  
I think result to the benefit of the Union cause  
each woman have greater means of communicating  
& receiving communication than any other class.

your attention is earnestly called to them by me  
who has just come to the city & had occasion of  
calling on them just to find out how far they were  
disaffected. your attention is earnestly called  
to them the evidence is a double word & story  
black on B. A. on the Island just off 77th  
no 225.

I am your obedient Servt.

James Williamson  
of New York City

Rev. Dr. B...

Sept 1861

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PROVOST MARSHAL'S OFFICE.  
OFFICIAL BUSINESS.

Regd. Genl. Mackintosh  
Honored Sir.

Feeling it my duty  
to expose all traitors to my  
country. I take this method  
to inform you of Four.

They are members of the Saint  
Louis Theatre. They severally  
called J. Darcy, W. Smith  
J. Leonard, G. Jacques.

You can find at 72 past 9  
this morning at the theatre  
I think a few days with  
McNeil would show you

Yours  
Union

April

our Programmed

Change of Time  
bond open at 7. Market  
to begin at 7 1/2

Miles Dalton	McNab Robinson
Pierce Joyce	" J. L. Corbett
Peter McGraw	" Maguire
Cornay Driscoll	Sears
Phil Morrow	Widmest
Billy Breen	Barney
Tighto	Jesse
Bagster	Widman
Heartlep	Hodges

Alice Dalton Miss McWilliam  
 Biddy the Rag Miss Dak  
 Kelly Miss

act 1. Scene 2.

Tableau of All the  
 Song Dances & C.

Followed by the  
 Banquet for

the Dinner

etc



To include with the  
most amusing scenes of the  
Irish Lion

Tom Moore	Mr Barney Collins
Mr. Fizzig	Mr Barney Collins
Squabb	Mr Hutchinson
Capt Dixon	Wildman
George	Webster
Puffy	Penroy
Wadd	Jesse
Mr Partridge	Hodges
Mr Mackenzie	Bar

Mr. Curran	Mr
Miss Echo	Mr
" Sings	
" Walker	

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Benevolent a Good Fairy Miss Bayne  
Synopsis Scenic Incidents Music to  
The Sea Coast - The Fisherman  
Pitch it Strong - The Casket - The  
Fairy - Song "Nothing more" Duet  
Magic Sword & bottle - Duet  
Lippity Mitchie - Fairy Gally -  
Prince Dolores - Doleful Lile -  
Grand Laughing Chorus - Ha! ha! ha!  
Duet & chorus "Maitha" The  
Magician's Chamber - Song "Ladies  
Wont you marry" Floretta &  
Reptella Song "Pray Goddy"  
Kitchen in disguise - The Fairy  
Car - Concerted piece "Dublin Bay"  
The Hall of Statues - Grand Finale  
Solo Chorus - Dixie's Land

To conclude with the  
most amusing names of the  
Irish Lion

Tom Moore	Mr Barney Miller
Mr Fozzign	Mrs Barney Miller
Squabbs	Mr Hutchinson
Capt Dixon	Mr Madman
Ginger	Mr Wood
Puffy	Peunoye
Wadd	Jesse
Mr Partridge	Mr Dodge
Mr Mackenzie	Bar

Mr Creamy	Mr
Mr Echo	Mr
" Sump	
" Walk	

Mr. Mackay

As a general rule  
particular. (But don't let you as  
an officer, and a gentleman)  
I think we should be your  
parent. Mr. Dotson is from  
opening his throat, as he is  
said to have written of you  
to me that the office would  
deem it unjust to the credit of  
the Union party of the City of  
St. Louis.

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Wm. McKee

Gen. De Bar

Reported as a  
Secessionist, and his  
Theatre closed

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Ben De Bar

Letter from James  
McDonough, Chief  
of Police.

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Office of Chief of Police,

St. Louis, Sept. 18. 1861.

Brig. Genl McKinstry  
Dear Sir

The bearer Ben DeBar Esq  
desires to go to New Orleans, on business con-  
nected with his Theatre in that City, and  
in consequence of his having no personal  
acquaintance with you he has requested  
me to say to you what I know of him. Which  
I cheerfully do. I have known Mr DeBar  
for many years and have always found  
him to be of strict integrity and a highly  
honorable man. Mr DeBar being a British  
Subject has never taken any part in  
Politics, nor have I ever heard him  
express any opinions in reference thereto  
and I have no doubt that you <sup>can</sup> rely im-  
plicitly on his words

Very Respectfully Jas. McDonough  
Chief

1	1/2	3/4	1	1/2	3/4	1	1/2	3/4	1	1/2	3/4	1
2	1/2	3/4	1	1/2	3/4	1	1/2	3/4	1	1/2	3/4	1
3	1/2	3/4	1	1/2	3/4	1	1/2	3/4	1	1/2	3/4	1
4	1/2	3/4	1	1/2	3/4	1	1/2	3/4	1	1/2	3/4	1
5	1/2	3/4	1	1/2	3/4	1	1/2	3/4	1	1/2	3/4	1
6	1/2	3/4	1	1/2	3/4	1	1/2	3/4	1	1/2	3/4	1
7	1/2	3/4	1	1/2	3/4	1	1/2	3/4	1	1/2	3/4	1
8	1/2	3/4	1	1/2	3/4	1	1/2	3/4	1	1/2	3/4	1
9	1/2	3/4	1	1/2	3/4	1	1/2	3/4	1	1/2	3/4	1
10	1/2	3/4	1	1/2	3/4	1	1/2	3/4	1	1/2	3/4	1
11	1/2	3/4	1	1/2	3/4	1	1/2	3/4	1	1/2	3/4	1
12	1/2	3/4	1	1/2	3/4	1	1/2	3/4	1	1/2	3/4	1

# No. 1. MISSOURI AND WESTERN TELEGRAPH.

The Lines of the Missouri and Western Telegraph Company are now, and will be kept in constant working order, and in connection with other Lines to all parts of the country. Our patrons are requested to report to me, at the earliest moment, by letter to St. Louis, Mo., any cause of dissatisfaction, and it shall be promptly remedied. We pay Operators liberally, and intend to make them do their duty. In this our patrons are equally interested, and they should aid us accordingly.

We will not be responsible for dispatches beyond our own line; but in case of delays or mistakes on our line, will promptly refund the amount paid us, and no more; except when, to insure the correctness of a dispatch, we receive fifty per cent. in addition to the regular tariff for repeating the dispatch back; and in that case we will be responsible for actual damage only, to an amount not exceeding one hundred times the amount paid us for the dispatch.

CHARLES M. STEBBINS, President.

SEND THE FOLLOWING MESSAGE, SUBJECT TO THE ABOVE CONDITIONS:

*Wagon Dept  
St Louis Sept 2 1861.*

*To Maj Gen J C Fremont*  
I have examined the proceedings  
of the military commission  
in the cases of the following  
named persons and  
find them regular by  
John Caldwell Marshall  
guilty sentence imprisonment  
at hard labor during the



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CHARLES M. STEBBINS, President.

SEND THE FOLLOWING MESSAGE, SUBJECT TO THE ABOVE CONDITIONS:

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To \_\_\_\_\_

war & the confiscation of  
his property. Haly T. Phillips  
treason. Guilty James  
Caldwell as  
Thomas G. Childers treason  
guilty James  
Caldwell James C.  
Thurman Mason guilty

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To

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Do not recommend that  
he be pardoned because  
of his efforts to C. Crook  
Buck Mason, guilty, some  
recommendation as Sturges  
Joseph Baker some charge  
guilty & sentenced to hard  
labor & confiscation of

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May 1790

"C"

42<sup>nd</sup> Saint Louis Sept 9/61

James Clemens Jr.

See letter  
 I am informed that a slave  
 of his is with some of the  
 rights that lately left for Cairo  
 or Paducah, & respectfully  
 asks that John H. Miller &  
 Noah Fishman may be  
 permitted to return on Govt  
 boat or after securing the slave

Respectfully  
to Major Comins

Major General

J. B. Fremont

Present

The undersigned is informed a slave  
belonging to him went without his permission  
as servant or Cook to some Officer of one of  
the Regiments that lately left this place for  
Paducah & Cairo

He respectfully asks if not incompatible  
with the Public Service that John W. Milled  
and Noah Vishneman who go to reclaim the  
slave, with the slave, may be permitted to  
return to St Louis on one of the Boats in  
the United States Service provided no other Boats  
should offer

With great respect

I have the honor to be

Yours S<sup>t</sup>

James Clement, Jr.

St. Louis 9 Sep 1861

1862  
Sept 2

Leslie Combs

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Frankfort  
Ky -

Sept 2, 1862

His Mother & Sons, &  
his own only grown up  
son are near Paris  
Mo. but loyal.

His daughter mar-  
ries a Mr. Downing whose  
son is a rebel & S.C.  
fears that his daughter's  
property (some slaves  
he gave her) may be  
confiscated and his  
son-in-law a rebel.

He desires protection  
for her & will come  
down over her to Kentucky  
if necessary.

He will furnish with pleasure -  
the rest of some one - Tell Mrs  
D. to keep her pocket -

P. S. D. M. D. Sept 6. 1862

Clerk's Office of the Court of Appeals,

Frankfort, Ky. Sept 2, 1861.

Dear Sir:

Yours of August 30<sup>th</sup> (i) , received:

Reclaiming Medical Care in  
Missouri -

My brother Fielding in Missouri of  
near Paris this Law. My only  
grown son Howard Combs  
in Holt County are true and  
loyal. My youngest daughter  
Mary Leslie married Mr Downing  
in Lafayette County near Ken-  
= ington I hear that her Step  
son is a Rebel - He has done  
damages which I gave her &  
I committed her & her property  
to your protection - He ought  
not to be held responsible

for her Step Son - I am told  
her husband is at home on  
his farm -

I will come & bring her to  
Kentucky if necessary -

Altho not personally  
known to you, I think  
I have a right to ask  
justice for my daughter -

Profy J. W. S.  
Lilie Comby

Yrs  
John C. Fremont

57 1634

John G. Gleason

Record & Sect

Committee. Sec.

Philadelphia

At

Sep 16. '61

By order of the Director, thank  
ing Gen. F. for the honor done  
to J. F. McLaughlin, and suggest  
ing & highly recommending

Gen. W. Cullin

Camp S. 4th St,  
Phila

as a man of great genius  
& military experience, in  
Crimean, Italian War &c

for a staff appointment

Wm. S. P. 21. 1861,

W. S. P.

Wm. S. P. 22. 1861. Sep 19. 61



Hall of the Emmett  
Benevolent Society  
Sixth and Walnut Streets Phila.  
Pa.

To  
Major General John C. Fremont:

Sir - I am directed, by resolution unanimously adopted, by the Board of Directors of the Emmett Benevolent Society, to convey to you, honored Sir, the sincere and grateful thanks of every Member (20,000) of this Society, for the honor recently conferred by you, upon our Countryman and Brother Thomas Francis Meagher N.Y. to the distinguished position of aid, with the rank of Colonel, on your Staff.

It is an act, I assure you, honored Sir, which will never be forgotten by his Countrymen, wherever Cast, and will always be by them, kept in grateful remembrance.

I am, also, directed, by the Directors, to make known to you, honored Sir, that a Member of our Society, Mr. John M. Cullin, is possessed of rare military talents. He is a son to Colonel Ashton Cullin 17th Francis British Army and brother to Capt. Dement Cullin 45 Infantry, British Army who so gallantly distinguished himself, under Sir Colin Campbell at Cawnpore Lucknow &c in India.

In 1848 his genuine love of liberty and hatred of oppression, as perennial and natural as the flowers of the field, broke above the ties of family and home, and he came to this Country and settled down in commercial business in this City.

At the breaking out of the Crimean War, he immediately repaired to the scene of action, and there learned much of Moscowite genius, valor, endurance, integrity and resolution. He returned again to this City in 1866, but at the breaking out of the Italian War between France and Austria, he repaired to the battle field, and was with the French Army throughout that Campaign. He has seen and studied the peculiar tactics, discipline & C. of the French, Austrian, English, Sardinian and Russian Armies. He is a Military, Mechanical and Civil Engineer. He has few superiors. Possessed of a bright ~~and~~ genius, cultivated mind, brave heart, sound judgment, tireless industry, unflinching energy and unflinching integrity; we believe he would make a valuable acquisition to your already distinguished Staff.

We therefore respectfully, but earnestly recommend his name for your kind consideration and judgment, and should you, honored Sir, in your wisdom confer upon him the honor of an appointment, we are satisfied there will be no cause for you to regret that as a Military instructor he has rendered valuable service to our Regiment organized in this City since the President's Proclamation - in April, particularly so, in the organization and instruction of Artillery Companies. His references are of the very highest order all of which shall be submitted to you before he enters upon his duties (if appointed) should

you desire. In this place we will only refer, <sup>to you</sup> do  
the Proprietors and Editors of the Irish American  
Lynch Hole 32 Beethman street New York, who are  
no doubt well known to you.

With the best wishes for the success of the Cause, you  
are so nobly engaged in with the renewed assurance  
that your recent noble act cannot be ever forgotten  
by the Irish American Citizens throughout the Union.

Dear honored Sir,

(On the part of the Members of the above Society)  
with Sentiments of the liveliest esteem & respect

Yours most Respectfully -

Wm. C. Gleason

Recording Secretary

Residence:

E. B. Society

Sept. 16<sup>th</sup> 1861

767 South Sixth Street

Philadelphia Pa.

P.S. Mr. Collins, address is:-

John W. Collins

607 South Fourth Street

Philadelphia Pa.

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D. 574 City 1861

Louisiana, Mo.  
Sept 1, 1861

P. Krapee,

Encloses deposition  
of J. M. Bell in  
reference to the case  
of L. M. Wells  
(one enclosure)

Recd. W. H. / Sept 25/61

State of Missouri  
County of Pike } J. M. Bell

~~Subscribed~~ Bell  
of lawful age, produced and sworn  
on his oath testifies and says, that  
he resides <sup>near</sup> ~~at~~ Ashley in said County,  
is well acquainted with Lemuel  
McWells, was appointed by Capt  
J. M. Nutta to deliver to Mr Wells  
his appointment as a member of the  
Committee of Public Safety of Pike County,  
and did so deliver to Mr Wells the  
order of Capt M Nutta. On or about  
the 7<sup>th</sup> Inst August 1861. — On  
that day he at first refused to accept the  
notice, said he had seen me before,  
said he would not serve. Said  
he had furnished two guns to a  
man to go to Neutzville to see about  
a murder committed there by the U.S.  
Soldiers, and he wished he had  
had a thousand to furnish for the  
same purpose. That a thousand  
Union Men ought to be killed for the  
death of Jones at Troutford,  
that he would never lay down his  
army to the U.S. Government  
while there was a U.S. Soldier or  
musket in the State.

Subscribed and Sworn to }  
before me this 21<sup>st</sup> } J. M. Bell  
day of August 1861 }  
B. F. Lazen }  
Justice of the Peace }

Deposition of  
J. M. Bell  
by  
L. M. Wells  
Aug 31. 1864

respectfully referred  
to Captain McKee  
Assist. Surg. General  
D. 54 / U. S. / Sept. 23 / 11

Louisiana Mo. Sept 1<sup>st</sup> 1861

Brig Genl John Pope  
Commanding U.S. Army  
North Missouri  
Sir

I herewith  
hand the deposition of J. M. Bell  
in reference to S. M. Wells, sent  
a prisoner to your Headquarters  
Oct 30<sup>th</sup> 1861. taken since Mr Wells  
was sent down.

I have this moment  
learned that Evidence has come  
before you that Mr Wells was  
engaged in shooting at the Cars  
on the C. M. Rail Road. I hope  
it will not be considered imperti-  
nent in me to request a suspension  
of final decision in his case till  
that particular point can be  
fully investigated. No Evidence  
or information come before me  
of any direct agency of his in

that officer. He admitted furnishing  
two guns, after the shooting.  
There is another man of that name  
in the same vicinity, who has been  
very active, and I have no doubt  
he was engaged in that offense.  
His name is Joseph S. Wells.  
I have known them both well  
for more than 20 years, and  
notwith standing the well known  
facts of his case, I cannot believe  
Samuel Wells was engaged in  
that shooting.

Since my last report, the whole  
of Lincoln, Pike and Roll  
Counties are in arms. This place  
is now menaced by a force of several  
hundred from the South, and also  
some four hundred on the South  
west, and at least 1500 on the  
northwest. Each of these forces is  
about 18 miles distant. The  
Chief. inducement is the treasure  
of the Bank here. We have  
some 350 to 400 Missouri Home  
Guards will arm, and some 500



unorganized Illinois volunteers, who  
have come to our relief, but who  
cannot be retained more than a day  
or two longer. and they are  
so poorly armed that they can be of but  
little service in a struggle, we  
have two six pounders, but only  
a few rounds of ammunition.

It may as well be understood at once  
that the whole of North Missouri is  
~~fully~~ involved in this civil war  
and unless relief is furnished very  
speedily, the Union men are all lost.

~~we~~ cannot trust a sufficient  
force will be sent to enable us to  
drive the mob of robbers out of  
our country. The community is so far  
demoralized that from fear or other  
motives, they cannot be induced to enlist  
in such numbers as will take  
around us.

Respectfully yours W. Draper

W. Draper  
W. Com. Pub. Safety

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~~Sept. 18. 1864~~

to R. Garrison

Cal. T. H. Carr

61 Letter from  
Col. Garrison

Sept. 18. 1861

Head Quarters 1st Reg Kansas vol. Cavalry.

Manned City September 18th 1861.

Gen. James W. Searcy }  
Gov. Kansas Brigade }  
}

Sir:- I send herewith the recommend-  
ation of a Committee of Citizens of Potosi Township in this  
~~County~~ together with evidence which was taken in support  
of a charge of treasonable acts preferred against one  
Simon Harper a Citizen of this County. I have here  
and will hold subject to your order the said Harper  
also two head of Cattle which belonged to one Bailey who  
formerly resided here but left on last Wednesday night  
and is undoubtedly in the Secession Army. The  
Cattle were taken by the Citizens in the neighborhood  
~~brought here~~ where Bailey lived and brought here. It  
appears also from the testimony that there are about  
three hundred bushels of Corn which I shall take mes-  
sures immediately to preserve until orders for its  
disposition are received from you. Bailey lived  
on the land owned by John E. Goodson who is a surgeon  
in the Secession Army. He was sent here from Missouri by  
Goodson to take care of property belonging to him. He has  
been passing back and forth to & from Missouri.

~~for~~ a long while past, and I have no no doubts ~~upon~~  
that he is a Secessionist.

Please send instructions immediately what shall  
be done with the prisoner and the property.

Yours &c

C. R. Linnison Col  
1<sup>st</sup> Regt Kans vol Cavalry.

1836

J. R. Lealey

Philadelphia

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Encloses letter. Desires  
some order given concerning  
Dr M. Owen's son & his  
companions fugitives from  
Texas.

(1 Enclosure)

Printed circulars sent  
to

Rec<sup>d</sup>. W. D. Sept 9, '64

Phil<sup>a</sup> Sep. 3/61.

Dear friend

Please put some  
order into the right hands  
concerning Dr MacEuen's  
son and companions, whose  
lives may otherwise be sac-  
rificed in their attempts  
to escape through the Indian  
Territory & Kansas or Missou-  
ri to St Louis. On all  
points, please fill these docu-  
ments in guarantee of their  
loyalty. Dr MacEuen is the  
Secy. of the order of the Cincinnati

natio and all the young  
man's antecedents are  
not only loyal but historic  
and honorable. Dr Mac  
Euen is a member of the  
Amer. Philosophical Society  
and of the highest respecta-  
bility in Philadelphia,  
as you probably are well  
aware.

The change of address  
from my Cousin James Lesley  
to you, was at my advice  
because the War Depart

ment can do nothing  
I suppose in the case.

Very truly yours  
J. P. Lesley.



(Enclosed with letter from  
J. P. Sully, Esq. & Co.)

1110 Walnut St. Philad<sup>a</sup>

August 29<sup>th</sup> 1861

Joseph Lerley Esq.  
Chief Clerk War Department

I take the liberty of addressing  
you in favor of a man whose  
the course of the rebellion has  
probably placed in a peculiar  
position.

Charles Izard Menden

Thomas Robinson

Manuel Griffith

established themselves in prop-  
erty they purchased in Texas  
in the winter of 1860.

There is reason to fear they  
have been driven from the  
State on account of their

fidelity to the Union,  
In this case they will most  
probably endeavor to make  
their way through the Indian  
nations, and reach the authori-  
ties of the United States on the  
border of Missouri or Kansas.  
They will appear as fugitives  
their former condition little  
calculated to inspire confidence.  
I write to you in the hopes  
you may find it convenient, per-  
haps by information accompanying  
a general order to officers  
in that region, to make known  
their true character and obtain  
for them the reception due to loyal  
citizens under such circumstances,  
and such immediate relief as  
they may require.

It is hardly necessary to add that they

expenses incurred by them  
will be cheerfully reimbursed.  
Knowing the amount of labor  
which pays on you, I have  
not hesitated without hesitation  
to apply to you; I trust however  
you will consider the circum-  
stances and the solicitude of a  
father for a much valued son  
as a sufficient excuse.

Very respectfully  
Yours &c  
Thos W. Allen

My son intimated the hope of reach-  
ing an organized portion of the  
United States in the course of the  
approaching month of September.

L. W. E.

Sept 5 '61

Examination of Prisoners  
and diet

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Wm Riley Everett. I reside at present on  
Big River in Jefferson; have been residing  
in St Louis about two years, making that  
my home and following the River, I have  
been hired on 4<sup>th</sup> St. Carrol & Gratiot on Clear  
between 2<sup>d</sup> & 3<sup>d</sup> St Louis, I lived with my  
mother. I am not a man of family. I was born  
and raised in Jefferson Co. I came to Big River  
soon after Camp Jackson was taken and  
have lived in Jefferson Co ever since I was  
not at Camp Jackson. My object in coming to  
Big River was that I had no employment in St Louis  
I know almost all the people in Jeff. Co. for the  
last month I have been employed in Charles  
J Green's. My mother brother & step father  
came out with me from St Louis to Big River  
I was working for farmers before I went to the  
mill - for James D. Lint, Nathaniel Peppers.  
I was not at Big River Sunday last  
Sunday and have attended no meeting  
of Deacons. I employed Jack Smith  
to haul us from St Louis, that is all. It is  
a mistake that my brother came out with  
us, he was at my uncle's. I know John R  
Davis. He is an honest hard working boy. He  
rents Mr Green's farm. I don't know M.  
Lyons. I know Thomas Moran. is a farmer  
and lives with his father. I know Geo W  
Dullens of Ft Campbell Co. Most of his time was  
his father. I got acquainted with him on  
Big River. he has been out there several  
times. He is a farmer sometimes he works for

his father and sometimes for his brother in  
law, Elias Wilder, once on Big River. He  
has been over there a couple of weeks but  
most of the time at his other brother in law  
Edward Moran. I do not know of his attending  
any meetings over there. I ~~never~~ never saw  
him with any arms lately. I heard of men  
assembling at Big River bridge, I was spending  
one night at the mill, at about daylight there  
were a man came into the mill and waked  
me up and told me to get up and get a gun  
and go with him to the bridge. I asked him  
what for and he said they would have to defend  
themselves. I asked him why and he said the  
soldiers were to be there that day - I told him  
him I guessed the soldiers wouldnt trouble me  
if I stood in the mill and attended my business  
and then he went off. It must have been last  
Friday or Saturday. As far as I can tell it was  
Stephen Graham. I dont know that hes Capt  
of Secessionists, as far as I can learn. W  
Burns is the Capt. Graham had a double barrel  
shot gun. I never saw any body of them together  
at any time there. I heard there was some  
about fifty. Graham lives with Moran for an  
about two miles from the bridge. I know a  
Dr Moore down there. He lives about two  
miles from the Big Springs. I have heard  
him talking. I have heard of men walking  
through that region going south - never  
saw any. They were said to come from  
St Louis and St Louis Co. They passed  
through about a week ago. Some passed  
through last Monday night about the Big  
Springs. Some where about fifty or sixty as I heard

They came from about Big Spring some of them  
when the balance came from some wood. I know  
the names of some of them, A. J. Moore, Geo. W. Gibbs  
Clinton Gibbs Abraham G. Goggs, Sam. Kyle and  
I heard Philip Willebrand, & J. M. Gano.

I have seen Philip Goggs of Jeff Co. He  
lives in the vicinity of Fulton about fourteen miles  
from St. Louis, on the Gravois Road. He came up  
last Sunday to meeting. he is a member of the  
Baptist Church. That is what he said. I did  
not see him until he was arrested. I don't  
know what he was doing at Big River. He told  
me he was stopping at Preacher Gano's.

I know in St. Louis John C. Coler, letter  
agent of Pacific R.R. under Stanton House  
E. H. Bentler, 1829 So. 4<sup>th</sup> St. Capt Peter Courat  
Cor 3<sup>d</sup> & Poplar St. Thomas Motley Capt  
of the Bon Accord. J. Courat Capt of the  
Elvira.

John R. Davis My home is at Green's Mill  
on Big River, Jeff Co. I have no family. I  
was born and raised in Jeff. Co. My father  
lives close to Moran's Mill. I am a farmer.  
I have been with Green since April last. I had  
worked with him also before he went to N. Y. Evered  
works in the mill with Mr Green. I didn't know  
Syons before he was taken prisoner. I didn't  
know that there was such a man until he was  
taken prisoner. I know Thomas Moran has  
lived in Jeff Co about 15 years. I never saw  
Robinson nor Gily until they were taken  
prisoners. Moran lives with his  
father and is a farmer. I know Dullens  
sometimes he is at Morans, sometimes at Willebrand

and something over on Caloy, don't know that  
he has any particular place of residence, I don't  
know his business, also, see him running  
about. I know Wm Ramsey - lives on Big River  
about a mile from Big Spring and about 1/2  
a mile from Mr Dorsey. He is a farmer, he has  
land and ever since I can recollect. I don't  
know John Fine, never saw him in Jeff Co before  
he was taken prisoner, I don't know Philip Fynn  
but think I have seen him in Jeff Co, I don't  
know Mathew Mopdell, I think I saw him about  
a year ago, his cousin lives in the town part of  
the Co. towards St Louis near Denton, I don't know  
what he was doing in Jeff Co. I don't know Aaron  
Barnes Peter Cogg, John Smith Michael  
Barnon Augustus Hymer nor John Ryan.  
I have never seen any armed bands gathered  
in Jefferson Co. If a man says he is a Union  
man then he had better get away. I heard  
that there was a band on Saturday that got  
together to see what to do, they fled I don't  
know where I heard that about 20 of  
them had started south on Tuesday morning  
I have heard that a heap of men had passed  
through in the neighborhood Big Spring going  
south. They all go horse back or on foot  
- never heard of any wagons. I have  
never attended any secession meetings but  
men have wanted to do so I refused. They were  
Abraham Seay Frank Butcher & Dr Moore  
They are now gone, I don't know where the  
meetings were held. For my own character  
I refer to Thompson Whitworth on Big River.  
Thomas Thomas, at Eureka, Charles Green, at  
Big River. Geo. & John Kacker at Franklin



Mark Lyons, I live at Gallow Hill Jeff Co  
about 4 miles from Big Spring. I have lived  
there months, I came from Texas. I was driven  
away because I was a Union. I am a Palander  
by birth. I keep store at Gallow Hill. I deal in  
dry goods & groceries. I was taken at Newmans store  
& bought Newmans out. I bought him out about three  
weeks ago he left the day before I was taken  
prisoner. I live on a public road running from  
St Louis to Big Spring. There are armed bands  
passing back and forth on foot and on  
horse back - and what they call the Gallow  
Road. This has been more the case within  
two weeks than any other time. I know  
of no place or where they meet. I live seven  
miles from Big River Bridge. I know none  
of the prisoners here. I might have seen one  
or two of them but the rest I never saw  
that I know of. I refer to John Boly Jeff Co  
Mr Mattie at the mill, Mr Glenn. I know  
no one here. Newmans the store keeper is a  
connection of mine. I have relations living in Ky  
& Ill. Capt Allen. When I was taken I had  
about a quarter of Keg of Powder in my store  
I did not sell it at all. And when asked  
if you is up.

Morris Moran is my name. I live in Jeff. Co  
I have lived there for eleven years. I am a  
farmer. My father lives there and is a farmer  
I lived with him this summer. I am not living  
with him now. I have been working about at  
different places. I was staying with my brother  
when I was taken. I live about five miles from

The Bridge. I know of no meetings being held  
I know of armed bands being at the Bridge  
on Sunday last I did not see them. On Saturday  
I saw men going to the Bridge I did not see more  
four or five. It was said they were going there  
One of them was named Oscoe and Woodson these  
all the names I know. They live in Jeff. Co. I live on  
the Keaton, or Co Road. I never saw any men passing  
have heard of them passing at night. I heard that some  
came from St Louis, some from Jeff. Co. I know  
Wm Smitton Broadway St Louis. I know Hittcamp  
on 4<sup>th</sup> St. I know Chas Green & Ed Moran of  
Jeff Co. I have always been a peaceable citizen.

Joseph Robinson, I live in St Louis Co. outside ~~of~~  
Plum Road on Ross Mt Forts place. I live with  
my father on his farm which we rent. I have lived there  
eight years. I left St Louis Co about three weeks ago  
I went from my father's farm to Franklin Co. I don't  
know what place. I am not acquainted up there, I went  
with three young men, they are <sup>here</sup> ~~out there~~ now  
They were Wm M Fitzgerald Wm C Fitzgerald and  
John Fine, they are prisoners. We were taken prison-  
ers down at Big Run or what is called Big Spring  
We went out to Franklin Co on a mule team those  
young men. They have relations living up there  
in Franklin Co. I forget their names, I don't know  
I saw them. We staid there a week or so. I don't  
know with whom we staid. We staid all together  
We were going round hunting and one thing and  
another. We then went down to Big Spring. I forget  
the name of the road we came from St Louis. We came out part  
of the way by the Manchester Road and by Richwood  
Mtn. we followed the Manchester Road. There were some  
with me. I staid with my father, they did not staid with

Mr. I came to the Fitzgeralds one of the prisoners. He lives about a mile & out of the Hill was not there. He came up after we went. We hobbled out towards the Manchester Road. We went on foot. Jim came up to Franklin after we got there. He came to the same place where we were. I don't think that Jim knew that we had gone to Franklin. He stopped at the Fitzgeralds where we did. I never knew anybody in that region before I went there. I met none there, but that went along. I think we left Franklin Co on Monday last. We left altogether. We started to St. Louis County. We had not stopped in Jefferson Co. We were going on the Road when we were taken. I don't know any one in Jefferson Co. We had no arms with. We got a quantity with us in Jeff Co. We stopped at houses in Jeff Co. - houses of strangers. I refer to John J. Smith lives near us. Robt M. Parks lives on 5<sup>th</sup> St.

W. M. C. Fitzgerald. I live in St. Louis County 14 or 15 miles west of St. Louis close to the Olive St Plank Road. I lived there years there next Spring. My mother has a place there and I was taking a forked. The other prisoner Fitzgerald is my cousin. I left there three or four weeks ago. Mr Joseph Robinson and my Cousin came with me. we went up the Manchester Road to Franklin Co just above Washington. I had some relatives there and I went up to see them. I look along Robinson because he was a neighbor. I went to see David Child, Hanson Brumils, and female coxes that I know living. We left there last Monday. We went through Jefferson County because I was an uncle living near Fulton where we wanted to visit

I did no armed men in Jefferson Co, except those  
those that took us. I refer to Mr Bokoff  
Grocer on Broadway. John Ketter one of  
my neighbors and Mr Murty one of my neigh-  
bors.

Benjamin Gibson. I was raised in St Louis County - I live  
just whenever I can get work. I was taken prisoner on  
the road somewhere above the Big Spring. I came out  
from St Louis Co. over two weeks ago. I lived about  
two miles from Kirkwood at Rock Hill. I started  
to go to the lead mines to get work I heard that there was  
work there. On my way out to the mines I got  
sick and a Mr McCoy took me in until I  
got well. I heard that the Secessionist were  
forcing men to go south and I started home  
On my way home I met the soldiers and they  
took me prisoner. I refer to Charles Roker  
Major the police, and Capt Singleton. I heard that  
there were bonds of Secessionist but good money for  
I was not asked.

Wm Ramsey. I live in Jefferson County close to the  
Big Springs. I have lived there in plain years. I am  
a farmer. I am a man of family. I am about two miles  
from the Spring and a quarter mile from the  
Bridge. I was taken prisoner above that at Por-  
Burns house. I was going to the store. I have  
been about that neighborhood all the time but  
generally at home. I was understood there was  
a gathering of men at the Bridge last Friday  
I was at work at Willis Bartsch's. I don't know  
how long they stood at the Bridge, they were  
not there there on Saturday at noon. I have never  
attended any meetings of those Secessionist.

I was not at the Bridge with them, I heard that there were men at the Bridge. I have seen men going through that region going South I heard from a man who told me he was going with a company of Sepyon Monday evening that man was Simon Kyle. The men came from different places some from St Louis County and all around. Kyle said that J. N. Barnes was the Capt. I don't know whether they were the same men who were at the Bridge on Friday.

John Ginn. I live in St Louis Randolph St bet. 12<sup>th</sup> & 14<sup>th</sup> lived there for eight years. My father lives there. I am a cigar maker, I worked on 2<sup>d</sup> St No. 40 So. with Louis X. Perrin. I left St Louis last Friday. I came alone. I left St Louis because I understood that they were going to draft men for soldiers and I did not want to be drafted. So I started out down to Jefferson Co. That was my only reason for leaving St Louis. I was taken prisoner a little this side of House's Spring. The two Fitzgeralds a man by the name of Robinson, and a black man by the name of Smith & Smith, we were going to St Louis I got out to Jefferson Co. last Sunday. I stopped a Squire Stewart, I slept at his house. When I had <sup>to go home</sup> home I started from Squire Stewart's. I never was out in Jefferson Co when I went out there. I have seen all the boys who are from St Louis in the City I did not know what they came out for. I did not know of their coming.

Matthew Maxwell I live on St Louis Ct at Barnes Station on the Railroad seven miles from St Louis. I was working in Stone quarry and on the road. I left Barnes Station Monday last



I went from there to about two miles into Jeff Co  
to see an old lady that I used to visit, about  
five miles from the store, I went from there  
to Niwonus store on the day I was taken,  
Lawrence O'Brien went all the way with me  
he lived with me and my mother, we both  
went to look for work. I had seen Niwonus  
but I knew no one else at the store about  
there. The old lady told us that likely we could  
get some work there as all the men had left  
mine and gone home, I was taken prisoner  
down to Lower Springs. Niwonus told me to go Lower  
Springs and probably I could get work. I was after  
any kind of work I could get, I had been and  
had been at Lower Springs about two years ago,  
I know two Kildebrands, Stephen and Martin,  
I passed the house owned by one of the Kildebrands the  
Kildebrands that I speak of lives about five miles  
from St Louis Co. We were coming from Niwonus  
town to Big Springs when the General halted us  
we had great matter from Mrs Murphy that mor-  
ning, no one but O'Brien was with me at the time  
we were taken.

Augustus Nyers. I live in St Louis No 45 Spruce  
St bet 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> St. I have lived there three years, I have  
been carrying on the business of Tim Smith, I quit last  
month, since that I went to school and drove my  
brother's country wagon. I left St Louis last Friday  
after dinner, I go down the other side of the  
Missouri just visiting Council, I went to visit John  
Scott Starrs and couldn't find him, he lives  
down by the Big Springs some place, when  
I started to visit him I did not know  
where he lived. I got disappointed with <sup>him</sup> at the

in London yesterday. I never saw him but twice  
I was going to take the trip down to see him he wanted  
me to come. I don't know now where he is. I was  
also going to Albert Scaggs. He kept a bar  
room at Big Springs he wanted me to come  
down there. I got acquainted with him on the same  
evening at Jones Saloon that was the first  
time I had ever seen. I have never seen  
him since. I did not go to visit any others  
I never sold any candy in Jefferson Co. When  
I came to Jefferson Co I stopped about four hours  
above Big Springs. I don't know the names of  
the persons I stopped with, there was a man and  
woman there strangers to me. I stopped at no other  
place. All my business in Jeff Co. was to see John  
Slavis and the Mrs Scaggs. I went to no store  
to sell candy. I knew no storekeeper down  
there except John Scaggs. Nobody came from  
St Louis with me. I brought no baggage. I came in a  
Wagon from St Louis & within three or four miles of  
Big Springs. I don't know who the man was who brought  
I don't know where he lived. I fell in with him at  
St Louis. I never saw him before. I fell in with him  
below the Arsenal and between that and the Hospital. I  
was afraid and had no baggage. I asked him where  
he was going and asked to ride and he said yes.

I can refer to S P Perrin of St Louis & Myrtle  
Mr Burnett who keeps a bar room on the corner of  
2<sup>d</sup> & Spruce.

John Ryan I used to live on Market and then  
on Cass Avenue St Louis. I am a Good cutter.  
I worked for John Doyle on the Court House up  
to the time I left there. I left St Louis on Wednesday  
with Michael Bannon, Peter Hogg, John Finnan

we knew one another in St Louis, Hogg is my  
father. I was used to stay in one of the schools  
Bannon is a turned on the corner of Market and  
St Charles, We all left St Louis together. We started  
from Spruce & 14<sup>th</sup> near where Peter Hogg and started  
for the country. We did not know where we were  
going when we started. We did not know  
anybody on our way. We came out Market Street  
and Clark Avenue and onto Market Street  
at the Wedge House and then to the Gravois  
to call gate, then to Sulphur Spring  
and then by a crop road over to the Gravois  
Road, we started at 10 or 11 o'clock A.M. At night  
stopped at a Strangers house, next night stopped at  
a Strangers house & laid in a stable, Saturday night  
slept in the woods a mile or a mile and a half  
from the Spring. We had no object at all in going  
out there we had no work and we thought we  
could. We were coming back on the road going  
to town when we met you. We heard nothing about  
Armed men being on the road, we made inquiries  
for work, I never was three miles out of St Louis  
before. Knew of no troubles



George M. Tuttle, I know the prisoner W. & Everett  
have known him for a year and a half. Has been  
living with Green, has worked at farming, is  
now working in the mill as Miller, used to be  
on a Steamboat as Cook, He is known as a  
Decepcionist in his neighborhood, not very noisy, - I  
don't know of his attending meetings or being in  
companies, I don't know of his encouraging to join  
the Decepcionists. I don't think he was at the Bridge - All  
I know is that I have heard him talk Decepcion.

I know John R. Davis. I know he was a De-  
cepcionist. - I know that he went down to the Bridge  
with his horse and rifle last Thursday or Friday  
at the time they raised the Company. They did  
not all go together, they gathered in from the  
both sides of the river. They had reports of the  
coming of the troops. There were seven or eight of  
them, all armed with guns, all on foot but John  
R. Davis. I make enquiries of them as they came  
and some of them told me that there were sixty  
three gathered at the Bridge as they were counted.  
I named the names of some such as John Cate, Joseph Dale,  
Sam Dale. I know that Thomas Moran went  
down there he came over to the Shop and cleaned  
out a revolver he had and started down  
He said he was going to the Bridge, I had at the  
Grocery or Green's Mill. I don't know Joseph  
Robinson W. M. C. Fitzgerald and W. M. Fitzgerald  
I knew or heard of any such men in the County  
I never knew Thomas Moran or John R. Davis. I  
attend Decepcion meetings except as stated, they might  
have done so. I know Geo. W. Sullens by the name of W. M.  
Sullens. He lives near Colney, I think you have  
got the wrong man, this one has two brothers at

Birds don't in service. I don't know Ben  
Gibson, I never heard of Ben Gibson in the County  
before, he is not a resident that I know of. I know  
Wm Ramsey, he lives at the first house below <sup>the bridge</sup>  
I have known him as a deacon, I have been acquainted  
with him over three years, I heard that he was at the  
Bridge, I never know of his trying to get persons to desert  
I have heard of his threatening the lines of <sup>the</sup> Union.  
He is a brother of Philip Kildebrand who is a notorious  
deception leader. I don't know John Fine, I don't  
know of any such resident about the County.  
I don't know Philip Jeff also, nor Matthew Maxwell  
I don't think I know Aaron O'Brien, Peter Hozy  
John Finn, Michael Cannon, Augustus Hyman  
and John Ryan, I know of no such persons  
residing in the neighborhood of Big Spring or the Bridge  
I believe that recruits have been raised there &  
joined with, I don't know of their getting ammunition or  
supplies. I will give the names of some of the noted  
deceptionists in the neighborhood - Dr Moore Dr  
Geo H Smith, Philip Kildebrand, Simon Kyle  
Frank Bittner, Abraham Scogg, John Bittner,  
Joseph Sales, Sam Sales, Jonathan Wise and  
a man they call Stuff also Christoph Ogdor.  
Most of them are now gone but perhaps J. H.  
Burns is another, he was shot at by the rebels - he is  
reported to have furnished supplies to the rebels  
joining South.

Robert L. Allen Capt U. S. A. Guards I know the  
prisoner M. Lyons, I captured him. He was at  
Newmans Store, he claims to be proprietor but  
so far as I can learn he is clerking for Newman  
The latter is a notorious deceptionist, has furnished  
ammunition to the rebels, had a rebel flag come over his

Saw which was a sort of head quarters for them  
Wm Ramey is the name which has been handed  
to me as that of an agent man in the party. I  
don't think there is anything wrong with Philip  
Jipp. Lyons turned to me that Newman had been  
at home for three weeks, when he had been home  
the night before. I got about 25 pounds of powder  
at Newman's store. One of my men found one cup  
at this place and reports to me that he heard Lyons  
say to Newman "I got those government caps  
for the men" and Newman said "Say nothing about  
it and that same night about thirty mounted  
men and Newman had an interview with them


Saw W. Wright Blue in Jefferson Co. I know  
several of the leading secessionists in my  
county. I know several of them who had  
operated at the Big River Bridge on Friday  
last. I passed there that day with teams  
company. I did a good many there something  
like twenty five or a hundred there and on  
the road. Saw Phil Hildebrand, saw John  
R. Davis going there armed and mounted. I saw  
Thomas Moran going there afoot with arms and  
Luke Moran his brother going with him. Saw  
also Richard Cunningham & lives up miles  
above the bridge at Larry O'Brien's place. Steph  
Drake was there. I saw Bill Sullivan there but  
not this one. I think Wm Ramey was there.  
I gave other names of secessionists in that vicinity  
like Kidd, Bill Bittick's Frank Bittick's  
St. Scazzo and others. Luke Dately I saw going down  
also a man by the name of Drake. I don't think  
there is any work for men from St. Louis  
there. I cannot explain their presence unless

They were there & under 7.

The foregoing is the statement of the  
Prisoners whose names are contained in the  
accompanying list & for as examined by  
me, Sept 15<sup>th</sup> 1861

Saml A Adams  
Maj 10<sup>th</sup> Regt Mo Inf

10 168  
Office Provost Marshall  
St Louis Mo Sept 20<sup>th</sup> 61

W. C. Kinsley Esq.   
Brig Genl U S at Fort Mar

Col Geo Smith has been  
directed to deliver into your  
possession the within named  
prisoners for trial.

James Minion

Augustine Cross

Frederick Sutz

Frank Mordice

Joseph Rice

Given Receipts for their  
arrest.

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Office of Provost Marshal,

St. Louis, Mo., Sept. 20 1861.

Captain G. Granger,

County Arsenal:

Sir - Col John McNeil, who has charge of the Military Prison, has been directed to deliver into your possession the following named prisoners: Augustus Lee, Frederick Bortz, Frank Mohnica, Joseph Price, and Julius Newman. The four first named are charged with committing an aggravated assault upon Peter Maguire, County Marshal, on the 5th instant. Witnesses are

be obtained by application to  
Mr. Heyman, and to Captain  
Martin, of the Lower Police Sta-  
tion.

The prisoner Newman was  
arrested on suspicion of being a spy,  
but as his arrest was not ordered  
from this office, I am unable  
to give you any particulars con-  
cerning his case.

Yours, very respectfully,

L. McArthur

Chief, Sec. U.S.A.

Post Marshal

158<sup>th</sup> Quarter Master Dept<sup>mt</sup>Command of M<sup>r</sup> Chum, a. a. g.

September 4. 1861.

Enclosing the papers in the case  
of William Rose, a P. Soldier  
directing the Court.

W. Rose  
P. Soldier



Headquarters Western Dept.  
St. Louis Mo. Sept: 4<sup>th</sup> 1861

Capt: G. Granger

Judge Advocate Mil. Commission

St. Louis Arsenal

Sir:

I herewith enclose  
you the papers in the cases of William Rose  
& P. Schererell, confined in the military  
prison in this City. The Major General  
Candy, directs that they be brought to  
trial before the Military Commission  
of which you are the Judge Advocate.

Very Respectfully  
Yours Obedt. Servt.  
Chauncey McKeever  
Asst. Adjt. General

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Office Journal March

St Louis 27 September

McClell <sup>1861</sup> John  
Col of 9000 marshall

Relative to the delivery of  
negroes the property of Judge  
Hough Wolf Island m  
to John D. Pennyman

Recd. St. Louis Arsenal  
27 September  
1861

Office of Provost Marshal,

St. Louis, Mo., Sept. 27, 1861.

To Captain Gwyer,

kindly annual:

Sir = John D. Perryman, act  
for Judge Harrison ~~Hough~~, of  
Wolf Island, has just called upon  
me with a power of attorney which  
authorizes him to claim <sup>two</sup> negroes  
named Abner <sup>and Austin</sup>, now in your pos-  
session, the property of Judge  
Hough. Please deliver said  
negroes to Mr. Perryman, if they  
can be properly identified by  
the latter, as I am satisfied

that they ought to be given up  
Yours, very respectfully

John Meneie  
Asst. Prov. Marshal

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Office Transit Marshall

St Louis 27 September

McCail <sup>1861</sup> Fisher  
Oct 8 From Marshall

Relative to the delivery of two  
negroes the property of Judge  
Hough Wolf Island & Co.  
to John D. Perryman

Lead. St. Louis Transit  
27 September

1861

Mr. Revere & Col Eaton  
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Genl McKinsty of

Sept 21st 1771

Any prices of  
Doyget & Co of Mo.  
are very low - if the  
articles of the quality  
mentioned

12 Sept 1771

Letter to the firm, Sept.  
13 by J. N. E

Col. William B. Wood  
asked to be made  
a member of the  
Board of Trustees

Saint Louis Sept 7<sup>th</sup> 1861

Major Genl I to Recount

Commanding Western Dept U.S Army

Dear Sir

We are largely engaged in Manufacturing Boots & shoes for Army wear, and should be pleased to supply your department with any of the below mentioned goods. We can furnish you

|      |                 |              |                    |                            |          |
|------|-----------------|--------------|--------------------|----------------------------|----------|
| Mens | 1/2 double sole | main leavaly | Bk-19 in leg       | best quality               | 3.33 1/2 |
| "    | "               | "            | "                  | " 12 inch "                | 2.75     |
| "    | "               | "            | Thick (soft stock) | " 14 " "                   | 2.00     |
| "    | "               | "            | Kip                | Prigans army pattern       | " " 1.40 |
| "    | "               | "            | "                  | " " 2 <sup>d</sup> quality | 1.20     |

If the above propositions, or any part thereof meet your favorable considerations, we should be pleased to hear from you at an early day, and would refer you to the annexed letter with this, and any reference you may require,

We can furnish the above goods at the rate of Ten thousand pairs in thirty days from date of contract.

Doggett Barrett & Hills  
Chicago Ill.



St Louis  
Sept. 6/65

Dorsett, Pursett & Hill,  
Chicago. Ill

offer to furnish Army  
with shoes & boots

~~For Capt. Davis.~~

Respectfully referred to  
Genl. McKim's report to a post  
upon the expediency of con-  
tracting with this firm.

Respectfully,

J. N. Eaton

Maj. U.S.A.

M. S.

W. D. W. D.  
St Louis, Sept. 10/65

W. D. W. D. Sept 9. 65

St. Louis September 12. 1861  
Maj. Genl. John C. Fremont  
Camp. Western Dept. U.S.A.

Sir

The communication from Messrs. Suggitt  
Waggett & Mill Chicago Ills, referred  
to me for examination as regards prices  
for supplying this Department with Boots  
& Shoes, has been carefully examined, and  
prices found to be very low, provided the  
articles are made of the best material and  
are of the best quality.

The Cavalry Boots  
especially could not be obtained in this market  
at these prices

Very Respectfully  
Your Obedient Servant  
McMurry, A. S. W. G. S.

Miss Lou - 172

Sept. 6 '61

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McKinstry J.

Report of Detectives

(No action)

Enclosure

Rec'd. W. D. Sept. 7 '61

Extract of Special Report of "E." Sept 6/61

St Louis Sept. 6, 1861

"Wm. McCowan, now in the employ of Gen. Fremont at his residence, acting as clerk, has been drilling men for the Southern rebels, and either been giving or knows who did give muskets and cartridge boxes, to men that left for the South, or for use in Illinois. He has now in his possession a musket and cartridge box received from said parties.

J. G. Bradley, now employed in the Paymaster's office was an applicant for the same office, in the Southern Army, but they not having anything to pay with he applied at this office and received one.

Office of Probost Marshal,

St. Louis, Mo., Sept. 7. 1861

General,

The information con-  
tained in enclosed mem<sup>m</sup> came  
to me in a written report from  
one of the Detectives employed in  
connection with my office, and I  
deem it proper to submit it for  
the action, or instructions of the  
Genl. Comdg. I am,

General,

Your obedt. Servt.

W. M. ~~W. M.~~  
Serg. Genl. U.S.A.  
Prob. Marshal

To  
Maj. Genl. Fremont  
Comdg.

B. - 100 (Dept. N.E.) 1861.

S. A. <sup>173</sup> East Hill Val

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Cits Dartmouth College  
Sept 28/61

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Offering their services

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Ans. My dear young friends

I suppose  
you are surprised to see  
a page. I thank you for  
your publication offer  
of service. But be  
assured the Comd is  
in no likelihood to  
need to take in young  
men from a cadet

Remain prepare yourselves  
by study deep and thorough  
to take our place when we

A few years if we must  
live. Take this the  
disinterested advice of  
one who is a student  
know too well the rest less  
prompting of insatiable  
Ambition and in after  
life has had to regret  
them as you will do if  
you leave your country  
By the County may soon  
need you more elsewhere  
but not here

Yours truly  
J. M. Jones

Dart Coll. Hanover Sept. 23<sup>d</sup> 1861

Gen. B. F. Butler

Dear Sir:

We understand that you are about to recruit a Division in Massachusetts, and wish to inquire if you are in want of such men as you can suppose us to be. We are citizens of the old Commonwealth and cannot remain longer here in the quietness of College life when the Commanding General is calling for more men. If you can be served in any way whatever by men of our qualifications and conditions please inform.

Yours Truly

S. N. Bartlett  
C. T. Smitt



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James C. Edwards

Jos. F. Edwards

Sept 21 '61

City

PROVOST MARSHAL'S OFFICE.  
OFFICIAL BUSINESS.

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Genl. W<sup>o</sup> Kennerly,  
St Louis

The Steamer "Milton" at the  
foot of Plum St. is kept  
as a Military Hospital for  
exclusively for Contagious  
diseases — The Men are  
ranging about the streets  
spreading the Measels.  
a boy who showed some  
has it in his family —  
The people pray that it be  
removed —

S. Edwards, ~~an~~ Successor  
Captain was appointed Conductor  
on North W. Rail Road by  
Mr. Sturgeon — within the  
last week — only 2 days ago  
said Edwards was recruiting men  
in St Charles to join the Army.  
Mr. Power of Custom House knows him  
Mr. Hornmond in St Charles knows the man

~~Charlotte 1.50~~

~~Kate 1.50~~

Charlotte - 1.50

Book 1.45

2.95

Kate \_\_\_\_\_

1.50

<sup>46.</sup>  
I have <sup>that</sup> Sturgeon knows James E. Edwards  
has sent his Cousin down South as a soldier some 2  
months since and also said Edwards has within  
the last two weeks furnished a horse to a man  
named Flanigan to go South and is generally a  
violent defamist.

This information is from  
a reliable man whose name I am  
at liberty to give. E. J. Howard

Jo. F. Edwards  
& Jas. C. Edwards

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Comptrols acct.

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Parties of Custom Ho.  
Persons whose names  
appear, &c.

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St. Louis, September 4<sup>th</sup> 1861.

Mr. Green.

Sir: In accordance with your request, I investigated the case of the Ste. "Meteor," regarding measles, &c., I found quite a number (25 or 30) of the 27<sup>th</sup> Ohio, on the boat, none of whom, were confined to their beds, by any disease, they had the measles, but had recovered to such an extent, as in my opinion, left no margin for the least alarm, all traces of the disease having become entirely extinct.

As regards, Edwards, the supposed secessionist, I was unable to investigate it yesterday, on account of the absence from the city of Mr. Power, I have made arrangements to meet him to-day at 9 o'clock whereupon I will immediately investigate, and report to you.

Yours Truly,

Jno. F. Haley.

Edwards was discharged a week ago  
from the service of the Gov. Mo. R.F.C.

James C. Edwards

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In reference to search  
of his residence by sol-  
diers on nights of 50th  
instants



James C. Edwards

In reference to search  
of his residence by sol-  
diers on night of 20th  
instant

Saint Louis Arsenal

Sep. 19<sup>th</sup> 1861

Genl. McKinstry

Sir

I am as known to you a  
Prisoner at this place, and in my deplorable  
— help condition, by advice of Capt. Grainger  
Comdt. of this Post. I address you, claiming  
protection. I have been informed that  
my house was visited last night by a  
Company of Cavalry, claiming to act under  
authority from you. They came at the  
hour of midnight; aroused my wife from  
her bed; compelled her to admit, and show  
them through my house from cellar to garret,  
after which they searched my out houses,  
taking with them a quantity of Bacon <sup>8</sup>hams.  
To the search I made no complaint, other

than the inappropriate hour, and the helplessness of wife (no male protector being on the premises); but I do seriously complain of the forcible taking of the Bacon provided for my wife and servants. Believing you do not approve such conduct, I lay the matter before you. Hoping you will ~~correct~~ investigate, and correct the abuse.

I remain Respectfully

Yours &c.

James C. Edwards

James C. Edwards

In reference to search  
of his residence by sol-  
diers on night of 20th  
instant

St Louis Arsenal, Sept 21<sup>st</sup> 1864.

Genl A M Kinstry.

19<sup>th</sup> Sir,

Yours of this date from your Sec. D B Green, asking, "Information with regard to the Body of Troops or Soldiers, that visited my residence, my informant, (place of Residence &c.," My residence is on the south side of the No Mo RR, 12 miles from ~~the~~ St Louis Depot and near Graham's Station, and adjoining farm to the late, Maj Graham. My informant was my neighbour, Mr Louis Desruissaux, (a brother in law of James McLucas,) he heard <sup>it</sup> from a member of my family, my wife has not furnished me the particulars, and I am satisfied it is for the reason she thinks I have trouble enough in my imprisonment. But I learn it was a Compy. of Horsemen that went out on the St Charles Plank road, as far as the village of Bridgeton on the afternoon of the 18<sup>th</sup> Inst, and visited my house at one o'clock that night. I can give you no further particulars, until I see or

hear from my wife, and the only evidence, will be  
Sung or an old Lady Mrs Blackburn. ~~It is only~~  
the only <sup>other</sup> white person on the place.

In conclusion, It seems to me an easy  
matter, for you to ascertain what company made  
the trip on that road, on that day, & so  
soon as, I can get full particulars I  
will gladly furnish them to you.

Yours Respectfully  
James C. Edwards

James C. Edwards

Charged with abusing and  
threatening a Union citizen.

James C. Edwards.

Office of Prov. Marshal,  
St. Louis, July 14<sup>th</sup>, 1862.

Anthony Laville swears:

I reside on Lafayette Ave-  
nue, north of Fort Sn. S. Last Wednesday morning I went  
to work for James C. Edwards on his farm in the county.  
This morning I asked him for my pay, and he picked  
up a large stone, and drove me away from his  
house, calling me a red headed son of a bitch,  
and a Union son of a bitch. He also threatened  
to knock my brains out of my head. He was  
very angry, and as I thought he would kill me  
if I stayed, ~~and~~ I came away. I hunt to work  
by the day, and was at liberty to quit ~~work~~ when-  
ever I pleased.

Anthony Laville

Sworn to & subscribed before me  
this 14<sup>th</sup> day of July 1862.

Wm R. McSpacken

Notary Public



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James S. Foss.

of Planters' House

Sept. 13 '61

City

PROVOST MARSHAL'S OFFICE.

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James L. Foss

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Request for pass  
for himself +  
Mr. Hatch to go to  
Camp Benton.

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Planten House

Sept 13/51.

Genl M. Keister

Dear Sir,

Please  
furnish <sup>me</sup> a pass for  
Capt Hatch & myself  
to Camp Benton today  
& greatly oblige

Truly Yours  
Obedt

J. F. Fols

100  
Corry New  
Sept 23

David M. Quissow  
Charles G. ~~Quissow~~  
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PROVOST MARSHAL'S OFFICE.  
OFFICIAL BUSINESS.

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Evening News

Its suppression and  
the arrest of its ed-  
itor and proprietor  
ordered by the Major  
General Commanding

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Headquarters, W. Dept.  
St. Louis, Sept. 24, '61

General,

The commanding General of  
the department directs that you re-  
lease Mr. Ramsey and permit his paper  
to be published, satisfactory explanation  
having been given.

Very Respectfully:

Your obt. Serv.

J. H. Eaton

Colonel & Major, etc

Genl. J. M. Smith U.S.A.  
Provost Marshal  
St. Louis  
Mo.

HEAD QUARTERS, WESTERN DEPARTMENT,

Judge Advocate Office,

Sept. 23 1861

May Gen McWhorter  
Pro Marshal  
General

As directed to  
you, after I left you,  
from the Gen Com. in  
to assist Editors, Pub.  
Lithers & Operators,  
meant that you should  
take all the has any  
thing to do with the  
Comprising room, as  
well as editors and  
publishers

Respect

Rm Corning  
Judge Adv.

C. M. Garrison

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Ed. Soc. New

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Daniel M. Wesson

Editor Evening News

Arrested him and delivered him  
to Col McNeil. Sep. 23 1861

Western Department U.S. Army  
St Louis, Apr 23rd 1861

Major Genl I McKastor  
Proost Marshal

I am instructed by Major  
Genl A. Fremont, to beg to  
inform you that he wishes you to  
suppress the newspaper called  
the St Louis Treasury News,  
the number which is to be  
forbidden circulation on the  
mails and the ~~entire~~ manuscript  
of the article headed "The fall  
of Lincoln" to be seized and  
sent to you for further orders

Wm Corrine  
Major Hospital Dr

CHARLES G. RAMSEY.

A. S. MITCHELL.

Saint Louis,

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158/ 177 "S"  
Simon (?) Stevens

A. A. C.

48 Pine St.

New York

Apr. 7. 1861 Contd

Cavalry Co. to be raised  
by Messrs. Gale & Co.  
Mulligan will be car-  
ried through by the writ-  
ter.

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DISCONTINUED COMMANDS

Rec. No. 2. N. O. Sep. 12. 61

48 Pine St  
New York Sept. 7 1856.

Maj Gen Fremont  
Commanding Western Department  
St. Louis

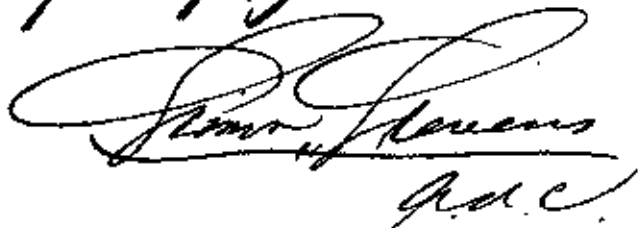
(Pm)

Sir

Mr Ira Cole & Mr M. Sullivan called upon me today and reported that they will be enabled to fill the Cavalry Company authorized by you, and that they leave here this afternoon for St. Louis. I have prepared myself with the necessary means (temporarily) to push forward the matter as ordered but the withdrawal of the above named gentlemen renders this report necessary, and I await further orders.

I am Sir

Very Truly Yours &c

  
James H. Stevens  
Adj. C.

178 a  
New York. Sept. 12. 1860

Proposals from Messrs  
Martin & Son of 18 Vesey  
Street New York. to  
furnish clothing for the  
Department of the West-

Cts

Wm. H. Condit

Genl. Records  
May 2



We propose to furnish fuel furnished through Major Simon Stephens for the United States Army, the following being made to Albany, to pass Perseus and Inspection, deliver to Ordnance Stores Co. in the City of New York the following Quantities of fuel to be paid for within thirty days of shipment of fuel.

|      |                     |          |          |   |      |
|------|---------------------|----------|----------|---|------|
| 5000 | Dark Blue Saturated | Infantry | O. boats | c | 6.50 |
| 5000 | "                   | "        | "        | " | 2.38 |
| 5000 | "                   | "        | "        | " | 2.73 |
| 5000 | "                   | "        | "        | " | 3.50 |
| 5000 | "                   | "        | "        | " | 3.02 |

All the above will ship within thirty days of Receipt of contracts.

Also

We will deliver within the months of October & Nov-

|       |                     |         |          |   |      |
|-------|---------------------|---------|----------|---|------|
| 10000 | Dark Blue Saturated | Cavalry | R. Boats | c | 4.25 |
| 10000 | "                   | "       | "        | " | 3.50 |
| 10000 | "                   | "       | "        | " | 2.50 |
| 10000 | "                   | "       | "        | " | 2.87 |

All Wood Regulation Inf. O. boats  
 we will deliver  
 in the month of October 20000 at 8 1/4  
 " " month " December 20000 " 8 1/4  
 Over

These goods are exceedingly scarce & cannot be brought  
for immediate delivery at any price, we are.  
Infants Fresh Coat, all wool.

10.000 in November 8/8  
10.000 " December 8/8

Samples are now at our hands in Saint Louis & will be  
exhibited & can be seen.

Goods will be purchased in firmness. Regularities based  
changes and firmness prices of 10/8.

W. Weston & Brothers

Major Simon Stearns  
Dear Sir Understanding that  
your firm is in need of large amounts of clothing  
we offer the annexed proposal.  
For 2 1/2 years we have had the most extensive house  
in Saint Louis, Mo. having always met our obligations.  
We are now under contract with Col. Vinton  
in New York, & are delivering 100.000 Over Coats,  
20.000 Infants Coats, & 10.000 pants.  
Our liability which we can increase if needed is  
30.000 \$ built for months.

W. Weston & Brothers

New York Sep-22/60.

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Simon Stearns

"S"

New York

Sep 12<sup>th</sup>

Enclosing a Receipt for  
purchases of Martins &  
Brothers, N.Y. & St. Louis  
is, for furnishing clothing  
to W.D.

CW

1 Enclosure

NOV 11 1858  
DISCONTINUED COMMAND

Rec'd H. D. W. D. Sep 15<sup>th</sup>

St. Paul  
New York City 1864

My Dear Mr. Fremont,  
I have the honor to acknowledge  
the receipt of your letter of the 10th

The House of Martin & Pothman of this City  
and St. Louis among the largest Clothing Stores  
in America have called on me with the enclosed  
proposal to furnish clothing for the Army under  
your Command. Their capabilities cannot be over-  
stated their promptness exceeded, nor their reputation  
doubted. I know Mr Martin has personally, and  
am able to assure you that for honesty & integrity  
he has the confidence of the entire business Community  
and they will hold their value as being reputable  
to furnish their undertakings faithfully & promptly.  
You will see by their proposals that they desire to deal  
entirely large quantities. The parties also assure me  
that they are making & shipping large amounts every  
day to St. Louis the parties who furnish them to  
your Command at much advanced figures -  
which the Government can ill afford now.

In consideration of the wants of your department  
I have deemed it my duty to report these facts  
to you to enable General McHenry to act  
with freedom and promptness.

The Major Quarter further suggest that  
if a large order is awarded that  
Inspectors should at the same time be ordered  
& that the Inspectors be ordered to inspect the  
Cloth & clothing while it is being cut & being  
made up, & before packing.

I am Sir

Very truly  
Yours

James G. Thompson  
Major

P.S. If this letter & enclosure is referred to for the  
full samples of all the goods prepared for sale. has  
furnished immediately to him by the Mr. Lewis Brown the  
on application.

120 6~ (Sept. 20. E.) 1861.  
Memorandum

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Authority to enlist given to  
Major Richardson & Co  
by order of Genl Butler

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papers found Sept 30 per.

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Ats

Authority to be given to ~~the~~ Messrs. Flag & Richardson to raise  
as many men as they can in Western Mass.  
to be a regiment of ~~volunteers~~ ~~by~~ ~~the~~ ~~order~~ of Genl.  
Haggerty. B.F.S.

William A. Richardson  
&  
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W. A. RICHARDSON,  
Attorney and Counsellor at Law,  
24 TUDOR'S BUILDING,  
20 COURT STREET,  
BOSTON.

W. L. Camp Chase  
September 30. 1861.

Authority is hereby given to William  
R. Richardson and <sup>of</sup> Hays to recruit  
and <sup>enlist</sup> ~~enlist~~ <sup>and enlist</sup> ~~enlist~~ men  
as they can in Western Massachusetts for the  
Service of the United States Army - on or  
before the twentieth day of October next. They  
will as soon as possible report said men  
to the Commanding Officer at Camp Chase.

By order of

Wm Hays

Br. H. D. W. H.

Wm Hays  
Br. H. D. W. H.



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George J. White

W. - 6 - (Sept 20, 1861)  
Worcester

Sept 25<sup>th</sup> 1861

asking permission to recruit

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Moreeclair Sept 25<sup>th</sup> 67.

Genl H. H. Butter

Dear Sir

Mr. L. Harrington and myself are very desirous of obtaining authority to permit a company to be attached to the Brigade, which Report says is to be raised by yourself.

Neither of us wish to command a company but desire the two subordinate commissions -

We should of course expect to raise our full quota of men and as we believe ourselves able to commence with a roll of twenty five Moree County farmers, have no doubt but that in a reasonable time our full number could be enlisted.

Mr. Harrington is a merchant in this city of the best standing and would be pleased with an opportunity of presenting recommendations &c - As for myself, a three months experience as Quart. Mast. - Capt. - in His Majesty's Battalion has rendered me somewhat conversant with military life. A quite extensive acquaintance in Moree (Cape Cod) I think would enable me to secure the services of many fishermen on their return from the Banks.

Should this letter meet with a favorable response, we should be most happy to call on you, complete any preliminary arrangements, and immediately proceed to recruiting.

Respectfully Yours  
George S. White.

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Sept 23<sup>d</sup> 1861.

Burnham O.A.  
and others

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Recommendation  
of Mr. Green Clay

Frankfort Ky  
Sept 23, 1861

Gen Robert Anderson

My Dear Sir,

This note will be  
handed to you by my  
friend Mr. Green Clay  
who will communicate to  
you his wishes.

I believe the establishment  
of a Military Camp in  
Madison County, as desired  
by our friends, will be of  
great value to the Union  
Cause in that part of the  
State. I believe it will  
meet your approval. Any  
Civilities you may bestow on  
Mr Clay will be much  
appreciated and

with oblige

Very truly yours

C. F. Burnham

Rep. from

Madison City

We fully endorse the  
above

Nat. Wolfe

Rich<sup>d</sup> A. Burtland

Geo. Denny,

Citizens 183  
Citizens

H. Q. Dist of Ga. Ga. Ga.  
Ga. Sept 9/61

Respectfully referred  
to Head Quarters  
Army Occupation  
Western Virginia  
By order Brig. Gen. Kelley  
W. H. Cowman  
a. a. g.

Sept 11/61  
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Oaths of Allegiance sworn to at Head  
 Quarters, District of Grafton, from  
 Aug. 1<sup>st</sup> to date.

| Date.         | Name.                          | Residence.        | On what charge<br>arrested? |
|---------------|--------------------------------|-------------------|-----------------------------|
| Aug. 10. 1864 | David B. Hart                  | Randolph Co., Va. | Suspicion<br>of treason     |
| " " "         | Jacob Hart                     | Randolph Co., Va. | "                           |
| " " "         | Dor <sup>d</sup> . P. Murphy   | Randolph Co., Va. | "                           |
| " " "         | Dor <sup>d</sup> . Rozenberger | Barbours Co., Va. | "                           |
| " " "         | Jeremiah Cook                  | Barbours Co., Va. | "                           |
| " " "         | Absalom Wilmoth                | Barbours Co., Va. | "                           |
| " 13 "        | Francis Kindley                | Taylor Co., Va.   | "                           |
| " 16 "        | Martin Hillyard                | Barbours Co., Va. | "                           |
| " 17 "        | James P. Curry                 | Taylor Co., Va.   | "                           |
| " " "         | Gabriel Smith                  | Taylor Co., Va.   | "                           |
| " 19 "        | A. G. Calvert                  | Wetzell Co., Va.  | "                           |
| " " "         | Albert Morgan                  | Marion Co., Va.   | "                           |
| " " "         | Lewis Miller                   | Wetzell Co., Va.  | "                           |
| " " "         | Isaac Lemasters                | Wetzell Co., Va.  | "                           |
| " " "         | Wm. J. Morris                  | Wetzell Co., Va.  | "                           |
| " " "         | R. A. Postelthwait             | Wetzell Co., Va.  | "                           |
| " " "         | Anthony Morris                 | Wetzell Co., Va.  | "                           |
| " 20 "        | Jehiel D. Gouss                | Marion Co., Va.   | "                           |
| " " "         | Permelus D. Gouss              | Marion Co., Va.   | "                           |
| " " "         | Peter Amos                     | Marion Co., Va.   | "                           |

# Oaths of Allegiance Contd.

| Date           | Names                          | Residence        | What charge arrested? |
|----------------|--------------------------------|------------------|-----------------------|
| Aug. 20. 1861. | William Neff                   | Warren Co., Va.  | Suspicion of Treason  |
| " " "          | Warren Youst                   | Warren Co., Va.  | "                     |
| " " "          | William H. Parish              | Warren Co., Va.  | "                     |
| " " "          | James Youst                    | Warren Co., Va.  | "                     |
| " " "          | James M. Allison               | Warren Co., Va.  | "                     |
| " " "          | Socrates W. Youst              | Warren Co., Va.  | "                     |
| " " "          | James Youst Jr.                | Warren Co., Va.  | "                     |
| " 23 "         | Jacob B. Godwin                | Barbour Co., Va. | "                     |
| " " "          | Daniel Hunham                  | Taylor Co., Va.  | "                     |
| " 24 "         | Samuel Marks                   | Barbour Co., Va. | "                     |
| " " "          | John Jenkins                   | Barbour Co., Va. | "                     |
| " 26 "         | Elijah Cottrell                | Barbour Co., Va. | "                     |
| " " "          | Rich <sup>d</sup> . D. Hudkins | Barbour Co., Va. | "                     |
| " " "          | John Cleavenger                | Barbour Co., Va. | "                     |
| " " "          | Bennett J. Hudkins             | Barbour Co., Va. | "                     |
| " " "          | Jonathan Jenkins               | Barbour Co., Va. | "                     |
| " " "          | Middletown Jenkins             | Barbour Co., Va. | "                     |
| " " "          | William Reed                   | Barbour Co., Va. | "                     |
| " " "          | Isaac Michael                  | Crafton, Va.     | "                     |
| " 28 "         | Lewis Hickman                  | Barbour Co., Va. | "                     |
| " 29 "         | William Price                  | Barbour Co., Va. | "                     |
| " 31 "         | Adolphus Hamilton              | Preston Co., Va. | "                     |
| " " "          | J. W. Hamilton                 | Preston Co., Va. | "                     |
| " " "          | James E. Hanshaw               | Preston Co., Va. | "                     |



# Oaths of Allegiance Contd.

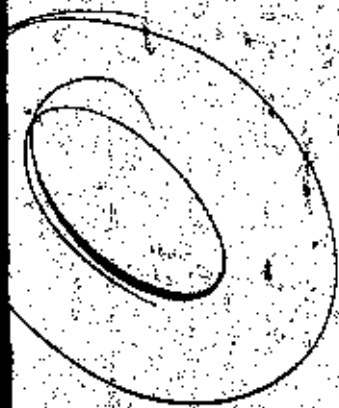
| Date.         | Name.                  | Residence                                 | On what charge arrested. |
|---------------|------------------------|-------------------------------------------|--------------------------|
| Sep. 1. 1861. | Cornelius McGill.      | Taylor Co Va                              | Suspicion of Treason     |
| " 2 "         | S. G. Rogers           | <del>Independence</del> , Preston Co. Va. | "                        |
| " " "         | James Renshaw          | Independence, Preston Co, Va.             | "                        |
| " " "         | Baaton Hawley          | Preston Co., Va.                          | "                        |
| " " "         | John W. Cropper        | Allegheny Co., Md.                        | "                        |
| " " "         | J. H. Fortney          | Preston Co., Va.                          | "                        |
| " 3 "         | St. A. Berger          | Hudrick Co., Md.                          | "                        |
| " 4 "         | John C. G. Creel       | Taylor Co., Va.                           | "                        |
| " 5 "         | Wm. H. Keen            | Taylor Co., Va.                           | "                        |
| " " "         | Salathiel W. Calkhan   | Barbour Co., Va.                          | "                        |
| Aug. 29 "     | John G. Tribes         | Cumberland, Md.                           | "                        |
| " " "         | Frank W. Offutt,       | Cumberland, Md.                           | "                        |
| " " "         | W. Tribes              | Cumberland, Md.                           | "                        |
| " " "         | O. W. Lakoff.          | Cumberland, Md.                           | "                        |
| Sep. 5 "      | Russell Hudkins        | Pitchee Co., Va.                          | "                        |
| " " "         | James E. Smith         | Pitchee Co., Va.                          | "                        |
| " " "         | Luriance W. Cunningham | Pitchee Co., Va.                          | "                        |
| " 3 "         | William F. Mason       | Preston Co., Va.                          | "                        |
| " 7 "         | John R. Mountz         | Allegheny Co., Md.                        | "                        |

Respectfully Submitted  
 Lt. Gen. H. H. Hawkes  
 Post Adj. at Post Marshall

Grafton Va  
 Sep 10. 1861

Sept 30, 61

City



Recd Ltrs 13<sup>th</sup> Regt Ill  
Sept 20<sup>th</sup> 1861

Capt. Geo. Davis  
Provost Marshall

Sir

I have the honor to submit the following statement of the circumstances of the arrest of Mr. M. Odell & Francis M. Odell captured by a detachment of my Regt. under my command yesterday. 1<sup>st</sup> Mr. M. Odell was found in the road about seven miles from Carrifery on horseback and with the <sup>white</sup> band upon his hat worn by the rebels throughout this region of country. This he asserts he put on to escape being shot by the rebels.

The Union men of his neighborhood including Mr. Riley Ramsey, in whom I have great confidence, say that he is an unoffending & peaceable man, and that he has endeavored to prevent the shooting of Union men.

2<sup>d</sup> Francis M. Odell was taken while endeavoring to conceal himself in the brush. He is said to be one of those

employed by the rebels to carry dispatches  
from Hughes ferry Eastward to Lewisburg.

None of the Union men has  
acquainted with Vouch for his  
good behavior but he is considered  
by them a dangerous character.

Very Respectfully

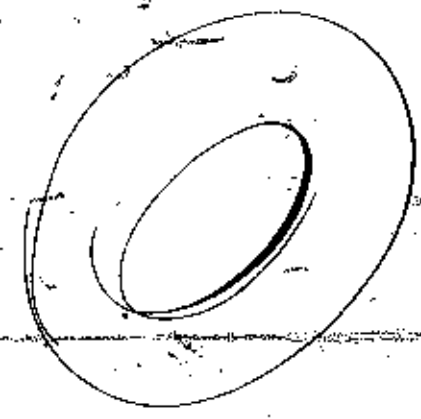
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Col. W. S. Smith

13th Regt. U.S. Inf.

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at Smith  
about the time

185 Notice  
from Col James Sullivan  
with a H. prisoner

Sept 2 1861  
Citizens

Letter No.

Sept 23<sup>rd</sup> 1861

Joseph Carr

Provost Marshal

Dear Accompanying

Enclosed you will please find the original  
oath administered to Allen Cutlip, John  
Cutlip, George W. Green, & John A. Harris  
according to instructions.

Truly yours

Leut Col. 30<sup>th</sup> Ohio Regt  
Commissioner, P. M.

Chambersburg

Sept 19 61

Friend Sam

Dr  
 Wm. T. M.

Genl Meemes was ordered to his usual  
 Regiment and I was placed in command  
 his place as he left - he placed the

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Capt J. Carr

Dr  
Corroset M

Genl

Col Meares was ordered to join Genl  
Reynolds and I was placed in command  
here just as he left he placed the  
following in my hands.

Headquarters Dist of Granton  
Granton Sept 15<sup>th</sup> 1861

Sir, The Genl commanding acknowledges  
the receipt of your communication of this date  
in relation to the disposition you have made  
of the prisoners in charge of your son Meares  
G. Lattip and Brecht Dillew these are  
rec'd into custody here. The Genl comdng



directs that you administer the oath of  
allegiance to the remaining H and then  
discharge them, the most practicable disposition  
that seems at hand respectfully  
Yours  
Obt Servt

By order Brig Genl Kelly  
Geo H. Henderson  
Act Adj. Genl

To  
Col D J Hervey  
Comdr Post  
Clarksburg Va

In compliance with the above order I administered  
a strong oath of allegiance to them and discharged  
them their names were Hugh Williams William  
Lucas Addison Wyatt James M Rose  
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to Gt's Capt W. H.

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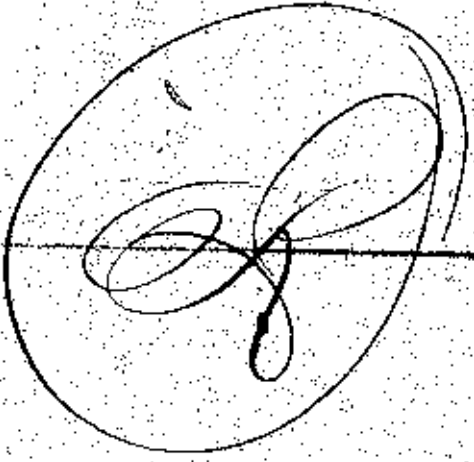
Genl Darr

Provost Marshall

There are now in custody here of  
prisoners taken by the Army O. P. Wiggins  
M. Lawrence P. Shecomb J. Pilling  
W. S. Cutlip J. Myers L. O. Fico  
against whom there is hardly enough  
testimony to warrant their being forwarded  
north

Capt Thos Morris  
Comdg Post  
per O. J. Warkes  
Actg Provost Marshall

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PROVOST MARSHAL'S OFFICE.  
OFFICIAL BUSINESS.

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Camp Corvire above  
St. Louis Arsenal Sept 27 1861.

Col. John M. Skel  
Provost Marshal  
of St. Louis Co & City.

Dear Sir

Your  
communication in relation to de-  
predations on the property of Chiles  
& Carr by men under my command  
has been received. Enquiries will  
be made immediately by me  
and if the facts are proved as  
represented by Messrs. C & C. repara-  
tion will be made and the guilty  
parties punished.

Respectfully  
A. B. Burton  
Lieut. Comdg.

1861. 5 - B.

Information against  
Capt. Davis 70.92 Pine  
Avenue.

Recd. 25 Sept. 1861



Sept 4th 1861

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John L. Parker

Chas Gott

Mr. Davis

W. H. Farnsey

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Sept 25

Sunday, Sept 24, 1861.

Gen Osta;—

Have this moment from informant  
 that Mrs Davis 98, <sup>Summ St</sup> ~~high buildings~~, has been constantly  
 in the habit of visiting the prisoners at the Capitol  
 furnished with a pass by Gen Scott. — That she  
 also went to round amongst the disunion friends  
 and collected several hundred dollars for the  
 benefit, the sum stated was 800. — and that  
 after the escape of the prisoners Capt. Cook  
 so recently — McLain "Saints Food" he  
 has escaped their clutches! — Gen Scott  
 also provides for a pass at any time, to  
 cross over to the encampment upon the  
 opposite side of the river — never till  
 the dusk a Commander in Chief is loyal  
 or Adjutant Gen Thomas — the latter a known  
secessionist in Georgetown. — Our safety  
 rests not in the arm of man. —

Very Respectfully Yours

H. Y. Brown.

Recd Sep 19/68  
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Washington, Sept. 17, 1851

Dear Peter -

John T. Parker of Georgetown, of fine education & attainments, is employed as Wagon Master, a well known individual with great influence over the authorities. He does not deny the decision previously made at the Public Room relative to a significant bribe. The names of Mrs. Tucker's Georgetown next door to Smith's Theatre - or at the same person's in both street you square further north - is easily ascertained. My informant Mr. S. Penn Brown told you all necessary information of this is not sufficient as a consultation was held here upon the subject of his appointment, his position, and Gray being so inferior to the capacity.

Mrs. Cott<sup>98</sup> is preparing to go to Philadelphia for husband and son being in the Confederate Army. Mrs. Davis whose husband is in the Confederate service is also preparing to go, 99 Penn Avenue.

Photograph makers is still at large, still undisturbed by working - it is thought he will convey Mrs. Cott. & Davis.

H. J. Brown -

(I called at 55 Paramar the home of C. Bernier.  
saw the old gent wife & son they know nothing about  
Parker other than that he is loyal - see report 19<sup>th</sup>  
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Book B.

Information - by One  
H. S. Robinson

Mr. S. Parker.

Mr. Gott.

Mr. Davis.

Genl H Ramsey

Mr Van Santvoord.

Dear Sir.

If you  
have your country with you please  
deliver this without delay, and  
having much to say

Truly yours

J. S. Bowman

I am very sick or would say  
more.

To  
Lieut Ramsey recently appointed  
son of Col Ramsey commanding at the  
Academy - the former was on a recruiting  
expedition, when I know not. - but he  
openly expressed his entire sympathy  
with me doubt a day or two before he  
left. - your grateful



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the 11<sup>th</sup> instant, together with all the papers  
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Mason's Creek, and with endeavoring to obscure  
the reputation of North's block, a prisoner in the  
hands of the rebels. Row is charged with an

Office of Provost Marshal,  
St. Louis, Sept. 16<sup>th</sup> 1861.

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Captain:

On the 15<sup>th</sup> instant, Col. McNeil, commanding Provost Guard, was directed to deliver into your possession the following named prisoners: J. Schwenell, William Rose, A. Sutton, Wm. H. Nelson, J. C. Moody, J. Crofton, Philip White, Henry W. Hart, Isaac Fields, Henry Myers, and Stephen Stafford. (address per)

The cases of Schwenell and Rose were referred to <sup>Captain</sup> J. C. Kelton, A. A. G., on the 15<sup>th</sup> instant, together with all the papers in this office relating to them. The first named was charged with participating in the battle at Wilson's Creek, and with endeavoring to effect the execution of Private Black, a prisoner in the hands of the rebels. Rose is charged with en-

Col. McNeil's evidence  
McNeil's evidence

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hitting recruits for the rebel army. As before  
remarked, all the papers relating to these two cases  
have been referred to the Adjutant General.

<sup>Released</sup> Sinton was arrested at St. Francis  
Bridge, by Col. Schaeffer, of 3<sup>rd</sup> Mo., and placed  
in charge of the commander of the Provost  
Guard on Sept. 1st. There is no evidence in this  
office against him. He is said to be a spy.

<sup>Released</sup> Mr. H. Nelson was arrested by order  
of St. Col. Owen, in Franklin county, on the 3<sup>rd</sup>  
of September. He is said to be a spy, but  
his captor has furnished no evidence to this office  
to substantiate the charge.

✓ Isaac Fields, as will be seen  
by enclosed paper, was arrested by order of  
St. Col. Todd, on the steamer Tucker State,  
on the 9<sup>th</sup> instant. The charge against him  
will be seen by reference to enclosed papers.

Crofton is said to have been captured at Camp Jackson, and to have fought against the government troops at Burnsville. See letter of Captain Powell, 1st. Infantry, herein enclosed. Crofton was arrested by order from this office.

Moody is charged with treasonable acts. The witnesses against him can be found by application to S. J. Merrill, druggist, corner of 5th & St. Charles streets. Mr. Merrill is also a witness. Moody was arrested by order from this office.

Released Philip White, arrested by order from this office, is charged with treason. The principal evidence against him can be obtained of Mrs. Parthenia Hall, Valley House, cor. of 8th & Morgan.

Henry W. Hart was arrested by order

from this office on a charge of giving aid to the enemies of the government. J. H. Bowen, agent of Keokuk Packer Company, will testify against him, and furnish names of other witnesses.

Myers is charged with assaulting a police officer with a sword, wounding the officer badly, and rescuing a prisoner. He is said to be a member of an artillery company stationed near the Arsenal. Witnesses can be obtained by application to the Chief of Police, <sup>or to Capt. Martin of Lower Station.</sup> He was arrested by order from this office.

Stafford is said to belong to 1st Mo. Volt. He was arrested by the police, for breaking into the residence of Dr. Tandy, and subsequently transferred to the military prison. For evidence against him apply to Chief of Police.

Very Respectfully

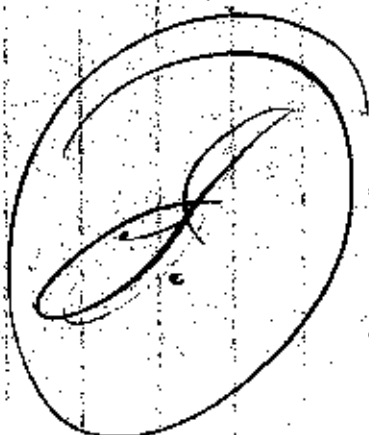
Captain A. Granger,  
Comd'g Arsenal.

J. H. Bowen  
Agent, Keokuk Packer Company, Iowa

Sept 1911  
about  
Antiquities

Sept 20, 1911

Antiquities



Sutton, Bradford Co. Vt.

Sept 20. 1861.

Joseph Durr

Comd'g Marshall's

Sir

I report to you the following prisoners, Elizabeth Williams, Emma R. Rose, John A. Harris, Allen Kuttip, and George W. Brown, who were taken Sept 17th, and John Kuttip, who was taken Sept 18th. All were found about their houses on the 16th night last, and have no very particular charges found against them, but were taken more particularly for the purpose of obtaining information. We have found no information from these parties fact or testimony to our special interest. Elizabeth Williams and Emma R. Rose are rather well known characters, and have been engaged in conveying facts and news and they could gather from Union people by means of their houses, to those who are trying concealed for the purpose of shorting down Union men at every possible opportunity. We get information from those of our John May a spy and leader of numbers of confederates and reg. Irish, and we are making a special effort to have them removed and subjected.

Thy Servant  
Lieut Col. 30th Ohio Regt.  
Commanding Post

col Jones 192  
about prisoners

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C. Jones

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Sept 18/64

Sutton J Carr

Provost Marshal  
Nathan D Barnett & John

Barnett are charged with conveying intelligence to the enemy of the movements of our forces which from the information I have received from various sources I verily believe to be so. The charges against Ben. E. Johnson and Henry Long are very slight they are secessionists but not active unless they had guns & hid which were taken away from them - The charge against Charles Rogers is that of having made prisoner of a Union man some weeks ago he is looked upon as being a suspicious man he was brought in by the house guard

J. Jones  
Supt Cal  
Comdg Post

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Dittlinger & Bro.

Cape Girardeau

Sept. 4. 1861.

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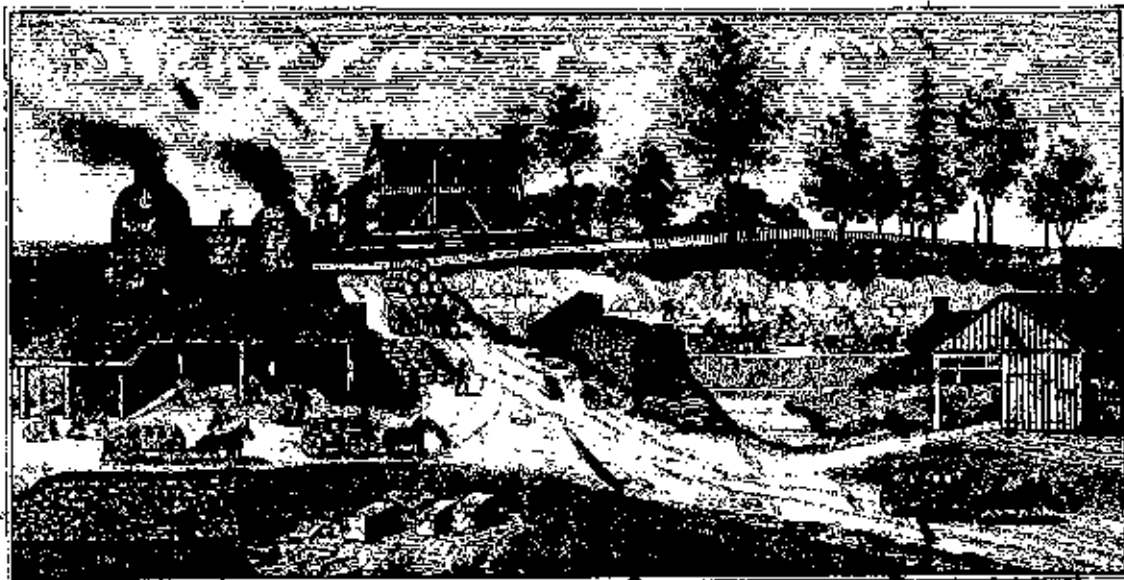
About indemnification  
or fortifications.

In time will be done  
all claims settled by Com-  
mission at Washington.

Complaints

Recd. H. Q. M. D. Sept 8. 61

OFFICE OF  
**DITTLINGER & BRO.**



MANUFACTURERS OF  
**RICHARD'S CELEBRATED CAPE LIME.**  
**CAPE GIRARDEAU, MISSOURI.**

*Sept 27<sup>th</sup> 1861*

Major General J. C. Fremont  
St Louis Mo  
General.

The plan of fortifications to be made here is such, that our house as represented in the above cut is necessarily included in the fort. Arbitrators nominated by Col. Marsh, have valued the property - five acres of land in the city of Cape Girardeau with all the buildings - at seven thousand five hundred Dollars nearly its cost. We proved by official certificate from the proper authority the title to be clear and the property to be unincumbered and declared our readiness to make a deed of the same over to the U. S. Government. The engineer and his assistants have already occupied a large portion of the house for

for more than a week and to-day the progress  
of the work actually requires the destruction of the  
plantation around the house and our speedy  
removal out of it.

It is therefore necessity that compels us to address  
you and to seek your protection.

Our loyalty to our Government is undoubted and  
proved by the fact of our being officers of the  
Cape Girardeau Home Guards whom we were  
instrumental in getting up.

We have already suffered severely, and cannot  
believe that the Government will take our property  
without at once indemnifying us for it, and  
would therefore most respectfully request you  
to let us know your decision as soon as possible  
and thereby speedily relieve us from a most  
painful anxiety.

A. Dittinger A. M. C. G. & G.

M. Dittinger

Capt. of Comp. C. U. S. Res.

No 6768 194 B

Saint Louis Mo  
Sept 4 1861

W. T. T. Bay

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Appeals on behalf of  
J. Gallegan and  
C. A. Nickerson - prison-  
ers in confinement.

W. T. T. Bay

St Louis

Sept 4<sup>th</sup> 61

Major Gen. J. C. Fremont

Dear Sir

(You will pardon me for troubling you with a few lines in behalf of James Halligan and E. A. McKern of Union Patent Co. now confined at the Arsenal as prisoners - The charge against them is encouraging enlistments for the rebel Army in this State. While I think it the duty of the Government to punish with the utmost severity all who may be found participating in the rebellion yet it is evident that in many instances arrests are made without sufficient ground or justification, frequently on account of a mere suspicion of opinion - I have known Mr. Halligan about 16 years - He is a practicing Lawyer and has always stood high both as a citizen and a professional man - He has always been regarded as an upright and virtuous man and from my knowledge of his character and habits I cannot think that he would participate in any way in any movement against a country to which he owes allegiance - He has a family & lives in a very quiet & retired way - In no respect can he be considered a dangerous or troublesome man - Mr. McKern is a young lawyer of about three years residence in this State

one has been regarded as an  
estimated & deserving young man -

If it should be deemed expedient  
to release them on their oath or parole  
I have to request in their behalf that  
they may have the benefit of an early  
inquiry into the facts of their cases  
so that if nothing shall be made to  
appear against them, they may be  
permitted to return to their homes -

While in Congress in 1850 I had the  
pleasure of meeting you at the residence  
of Mr. Benton, but as many years have  
since elapsed my name has doubtless  
faded from your recollection, but I believe  
I can inform you who I am -

Very Respectfully  
Yours etc. S<sup>r</sup>

W. J. W. Gray

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Peter, Nichols & Co

New York.

Sept. 17. 1867

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On the 11<sup>th</sup> Sept  
sent men. horse  
now sent another  
with Bill Loring of  
Goods shipped here  
that date.

Have now been sent  
150 sets 4 Horse Wagon  
12 D. 6 horse axles  
42 Cases saddles & trunks  
110 pad. sta each case  
Will sent more soon.

See Enclosures

R. N. D. N. D. Sep. 20. 67



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Betts, Nichols & Co

New York.

Sept. 17. 1867

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On the 11<sup>th</sup> Sept  
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now sent another  
with Bill Loring of  
Goods shipped same  
that sat.

Have now been sent  
150 sets of Horse Naps  
12 D. horse ability  
42 Case Saddles & Trunks  
10 pad. sta each case  
Will sent more soon.

Enclosure

Rec'd H. D. N. D. Sep. 20. '67

New York.

Sept. 17<sup>th</sup> 1861.

Maj. Genl. J. C. Fremont.  
St. Louis. Mo.

Dr. Sir.

We addressed you on the 11<sup>th</sup> inst. with memorandum Invoice. We now enclose you memo. Invoice of goods shipped since that date. Also Bill Lading of same.

Have now sent you One Hundred & fifty sets 4 Horse Wagon Harness. The remaining 100 sets will send this week.

Have sent you Twelve (12) sets 6 Horse Artillery Harness - will ship more this week, and the whole fifty sets, we think we will be able to complete in the next ten days.

Have also sent Forty two (42) Cases Saddles each case containing ten (10) Saddles & Trappings. Will complete the balance of the One Thousand this week.

Yours Respectfully,

Wm. Nichols & Co.  
Slater

319 BROADWAY

New York

Sept. 17<sup>th</sup> 1861



Major Genl J. C. Fremont St. Louis Mo

Bought of **BEERS, NICHOLS & CO**

SUCCESSORS to WRIGHT, BATES & CO.

MANUFACTURERS OF

Wholesale Dealers in Saddlery.

1861

Memorandum Invoice.

Sept. 12 = 20 Saddles &c. Complete - Cases # 26. & 27 -  
 13 = 70 " " " " " " # 28. 29. 30. 31. 32. 33. 34.  
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Sept. 12 = 1 Set Artillery (6 Horse) Harness - Case # 1 -  
 13 = 11 " " " " " " # 2. to 12.

Sept. 14 = 36 Sets of Horse Wagon Harness 36 Cases # 73 to 108.  
 16 = 42 " " " " " " # 109 to 150

W. F. J.  
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W. F. J.  
O. J. Nicholls  
Baltimore  
9th Sept 1861

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Information against  
Government Contractors  
Blacksmith at Navy Yard  
of Daguerreotypes Artists -

W. F. J.

U. S. Appraiser's Office,

Baltimore, Sept 9<sup>th</sup> 1861

Col. Foster

Provost Marshall

Washington City

Dear Sir

I have just learned from a responsible source, that there is a man employed as Teamster by name of Francis Jolly, hailing from this city, who stated to Moses Solomon also a resident that he and a number of other teamsters would on a favorable opportunity turn their teams over to the S. Confederacy. I have also heard that a man by the name of ~~Richard~~ <sup>Richard</sup> ~~Green~~ <sup>Green</sup> is employed in the Blacksmith Dept<sup>t</sup> at the Navy Yard - He is a secessionist, and has a son in the Rebel Army - I would also be glad to call your attention to another case - There is a party or firm by name Stilly & Hoyt Sawyers & Co. who visited Balto during the past week, openly boasted that were secessionists, and that they were making lots of money off of the Northern troops, that they had to play shy to prevent being found out, and also that they could jam or pick up much information by having the liberty of Washington - They also stated they had a tent in or about Col Small's Pennsylvania Regiment. This is reliable, and if proof is wanted it shall be forthcoming. I trouble you with these matters because of my ignorance of the proper parties to attend to such matters.

Very Resp<sup>tly</sup>

W. J. Nicholls  
U. S. Appraiser

\*John Green

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for F. P. Blair  
Sept 2<sup>d</sup> 1864

St Louis.

Vouching for the  
loyalty of

{ J. H. Kemble. &  
{ John Marr.

*[Faint, illegible handwriting]*

Recd H. C. W. D. Sep 2. 1864

St Louis

September 2<sup>nd</sup> '61

Major Gen<sup>l</sup> John C Fremont  
Command<sup>g</sup> Western Dept.

General

I have been  
requested to present to you the enclosed letters. The  
gentlemen whose names are attached, I know to  
be good Union men and entirely reliable, whose state-  
=ments can be depended on

Respectfully

Frank P. Merrill

Col. Com. 1<sup>st</sup> Reg. M. V.

199. 120. 198. 1801.

Office of Provost Marshal  
St. Louis Sept. 4. 1801.

J. M<sup>r</sup>: Kinstry  
Maj. & Provost M<sup>r</sup>.

Encloses papers in  
the case of William  
Rose & P. Scheverell  
confined in the mil-  
itary prison, and  
wishes cognizance  
taken of them.

3 enclosures

Citizens

Recd. (W. D.) Sept. 4/01



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Office of Provost Marshal  
St. Louis, Sept. 4, 61.

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Citizens

Recd. (W. D.) Sept. 4/61

Office of Probost Marshal,

St. Louis, Mo., Sept. 4<sup>th</sup> 1861

Captain:

William Rose and  
J. Scheverell are confined  
in the military prison in this  
city - the former charged with  
enlisting men for the rebel  
army, and the latter with  
having been in the battle near  
Springfield, and subsequently  
endeavoring to effect the ex-  
ecution of Private James  
Clack, Co. H., 5<sup>th</sup> Mo. Vol., who  
was taken prisoner by the

enemy. He is also supposed  
to have come to this city in  
the capacity of a spy.

I enclose all the  
papers, now on file in this  
office relating to these cases,  
and respectfully ask you to  
take cognizance of them and  
of the persons to whom they  
refer.

Very Respectfully yours  
Wm. M. W. W.  
Wm. P. Marshall

J. C. Kelton, Captain U.S.A.

Asst. Adjt. Genl.

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M. 120/10. 20/  
Sept. 4. 1861

St Louis Mo Sept 8<sup>th</sup> 1861

Maj W. Rustey

P Marshall Ho.

Sir I have been in the  
months of June I travelled with Mr J.  
Schevnell and lady, the latter on  
her way to Illinois and she found  
returned to Calaway County to close  
his business and then Moore to  
Illinois — we had frequent con-  
versations on the subject of the political  
crisis, he I expressed himself most  
decidedly Union, since that time I  
have not seen or heard from him  
until yesterday I received a note from  
him asking me to see him at the  
corner of Fifth and Nistle streets where  
I found him in custody, I cannot  
waver for his innocence but I have  
reasons to believe, and do believe that  
he is innocent of the charges alleged  
against him, and if so would be pleased  
to see him set at liberty to go to see  
his wife who I understand is sick at the  
Point of death, Very Respectfully  
as to myself refer to Maj Rollins } Geo O Ruby

Henry

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Mr. 120/1000  
Sept. 4/11

Miss Sarah M. Washburn  
St. Louis August 31 1864

Prof. J. B. Ames  
The Trustees  
May or June  
P. M.

(over)

2<sup>nd</sup> Lieut Samuel Maxwell  
Private James Lamb Co H 5th Mo Vol

Say that this man was in the battle at  
Springfield and twice to be  
killed

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M. 120/60  
Sept. 4/61



William Rose came to me last Tuesday  
and told me that he was enlisting men  
for the Southern Army and said that  
if I would get him ten or twelve  
men that wanted enlist. he would  
pay me ten dollars. He was also  
desirous of having me enlist and go  
in to the Southern Army. Rose the  
next day said that he had sent off  
twenty-five <sup>men</sup> that day  
George Miller  
at Louis Aug 31<sup>st</sup> 1861

The above George Miller resides on  
Carnavellet Avenue at No 337, and  
keeps a Barber Shop. He appears to be  
an intelligent German and speaks  
good English and is recommended  
by John Puff formerly a member of  
Capt Estigs company of Artillery under  
Colonel Sigel

Rose can be found generally in the  
morning at the Coffee House corner of  
Walnut & Main Sts

William Rose

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changed with the ex-  
isting man for the  
southern army.

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Information derived  
from George Miller,  
337 Carondelet Av.

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M. 120/11/11 / Sept. 4/68

P. 31<sup>199</sup>

1861

Cairo, Ill.

Sept. 12, 1861

R. C. Rutherford  
A. C. S.

Forwards a state-  
ment in relation  
to Bacon's seizure  
the property of M<sup>r</sup>  
Arthur & Fisher.

(one enclosure)

Citizens

Clarke

Acc. No. 1 / Sept. 14/61

Sir

Cairo Sept 12<sup>th</sup> 1861.

At the request of Majr Rutherford  
I send the history of McArthur & Fisher Nine  
Casks Bacon. — Some time in May last,  
Mr Fisher obtained leave of Gen. Prentiss to ship  
<sup>or 14</sup> Twelve (12) Casks Bacon to Metropolis Mo - some  
40 miles above here - After it had been shipped  
thru Gen. Prentiss found out Mr Fisher was shipping  
it in detail to Paducah Ky. — He then sent  
me to Metropolis to arrest and bring back what  
was left - I went up on the Packet, and found  
but Nine Casks there, the balance having been taken  
by Mr Fisher to Paducah - I waited all day for the  
return boat to re-ship to Cairo, but it did not  
arrive - In the afternoon Mr Fisher came himself  
with the Paducah Ferry Boat to take the balance up -  
I refused to let it go, and he left (with threats  
I was told) saying he would have it any how -

No steamer was expected that day  
and fearing he might come back that night  
with some force (I had none) I chartered a  
flat Boat, called for a few volunteers,  
then rolled the Bacon on board, and drifted  
to Cairo, where I arrived next morning.

The Bacon was turned over to Gen Prentiss,  
and is yet, I believe, here.

Respectfully Submitted

J. Capt J. C. Pelton

J. L. Thomas

A. D. Jew

10<sup>th</sup> Regt Ill. Vol.

St Louis

Mo

Cairo, Sept 12<sup>th</sup> 1861.  
Capt. J. C. Kellen.

Dear Sir,

The papers  
in relation to "McArthur's and  
Fisher's" Bacon just rec'd. Genl.  
Pemberton is in error with regard to the  
disposition made of <sup>the</sup> seized goods. They  
were not ordered into the Commissary  
Department but delivered to "Graham  
Holliday & Co" (Commission Merchants) for  
storage at their Wharf Boat, where they  
still are subject to the order of the  
proper officer. I transmit herewith the  
statement of the officer who seized them  
I await further instructions.

Respectfully, R. C. Petherford  
a. c. s.

Letter Accompan  
ing two Scotch  
Orders for 9/8 William  
Paterson of 11 Great St  
Pap.

Sept 10/71

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In re  
Thomas D  
pro J. Williams

Prisoner arrested near  
Chert Hill Pass Va by  
Lt Col Jones

Sept 9/61



Newburyport Sept 11/61

His Excellency

Wm. Dennison Governor of Ohio

Sir;

I hereby send you in  
charge of Guard - Two Prisoners viz  
John M. Long and John S. Williams  
taken at Cheat Mt. Pass by Colonel  
Jones 30th Oct. produced Kelley

Wm. Rawkes  
Lieut Adj. G.

Sept 20<sup>th</sup> 1861

Genl  
Capt M. V. W. Lewis

Assisting  
it is not right to take  
measures from him

Sept 20<sup>th</sup> 1861

W. H. P.

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Camp Hanley. Sept. 16. 1851

Sir. I have the honor to say that your request by Messrs. Great & Mcabee, that I should send to you to act in my dept. And Mcabee is more than I can bear, under Genl. I cant spare him. I please not insist upon it. I send Mr Kimball in his place. who will answer as well.

Please consider that if Genl. R. sends me over 3. or 400 teams. and I have all this transportation. to put in motion which will really require 800 wagons. and me a new regimen. with the only man around here that has any experience in his business. to be taken from ~~here~~ <sup>me</sup> is not right. Please therefore inform me if you are satisfied. and daily give me instructions as to your wants. and I will endeavor to meet them. I hope to have at camp Engart. 200 Teams. Hay. 15000 Bush. oats within one week. so put me as far ahead as you can.

Brig. Genl S. O. Cox  
Sunday Road

Very respectfully  
Your obt. servt  
M. W. Loomis  
Capt. a. s. m.

September 13<sup>th</sup> 1861

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from

Joseph - Jarr  
Coleman's

Citizens

Headquarters Row  
Camp Scott. Wv  
Sep 13<sup>th</sup> 1861

Brig Gen J. D. Cox  
Gawley Bridge

Sir

The two Coleman  
reported to you as prisoners to be forward  
ed to Columbus, have escaped since  
writing you

Respectfully

Jos. Warrick  
Provost Marshal  
at Headquarters

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Gov. Purpont

Wheeling - Va.

Sept. 16 / 61

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without prisoners  
and hostages Citizens

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Wmley Sept 12 1861  
Gen Cox U.S.A.  
Wmley Bridge.

Dr Sir. <sup>of Bone co.</sup>  
J. A. Roberts,

Daniel Rhodes of Jackson, Edward  
High of Kanawha County all were  
arrested and taken to Richmond  
by order of Henry A Wise when  
he made his military raid  
into the Kanawha Valley.

Andrew Parks a member  
of the Richmond Convention. Elected  
in the place of G. W. Summers  
from Kanawha County, has been  
arrested and brought to Camp  
Carlisle near Wmley.

Parks can be released  
on the release of the loyal men  
~~in Eastern Virginia of Western~~  
Virginia and giving them a safe  
passport home. I have to ask

of you to permit such agents and  
messengers as Parks friends  
may desire to send to Richmond  
to pass your lines in such way  
as you may designate. That  
they may make their applica-  
tion directly at Richmond  
for the exchange of those  
prisoners.

I am yours &c  
J. J. Rippon  
Gov. Va



J 6 204 1861

Alexandria

Apr 2, 1861

R Johnston &  
others

asking that the ferry  
across the Potomac may  
be re-opened

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To the Hon  
Secretary

has been assured /

it by the best

the public good

~~William~~

(Made at Rec Sep 4

J. C. 204 1861

Alexandria

Sept 2, 1861

R Johnston &  
others

Asking that the ferry  
across the Potomac may  
be re-opened

To the Hon

Secretary Navy

has been assured by Mr. Crayton

of the Army  
that the ferry may

be re-opened

(N. S. A. P. Rec. Sep 4)

N. S. A. P. City G.  
Pr. Mar. off.  
Sept 4, 61

Respectfully referred  
to Maj. Genl McClellan  
for his orders in the case

A. B. Porter  
Pr. Secy  
Pr. Mar.

Albany 3 Sept 1864

Sir

The undersigned residents of Albany and loyal Citizens of the United States, respectfully state that since the stoppage of the Ferry Boat across the Potomac River, our supplies of fruits and vegetables needed for the use of the inhabitants, have become quite limited and prices much increased, indeed the supply is barely sufficient for daily use.

We therefore respectfully ask that Captain Griffin may have his Boat returned to him, and that he may be permitted to continue the Ferry, under such regulations as the Department may prescribe to the Hon.

The Secy of the Navy  
Washington

Very Respectfully,

Sept 29

Wm. Mims

R. Johnson

Levin McHenry

W. B. Maffey

Wm. Jamieson

G. W. D. C. W. / 1861

Sept. 28, 1861

Genl. M. G. Jones

Genl. S. Miller

Request the return  
of their guns &  
horses taken  
from them by  
U. S. Forces or  
be paid for  
them

W. H. C.

William M. Gray &  
William P. Miller  
Spectators of Horses  
Long at the fair  
which will be carried by  
Gerritson.  
of 200 Sept 28th 1861

State of Missouri  
County of St. Francois } ss.

Be it remembered that on this 28<sup>th</sup> day of September A.D. 1861  
Personally appeared before me the Subscriber a Justice of the Peace  
within and for the County of St. Francois aforesaid,

William M. Geop and William J. Miller residents of said County  
well known by me to be young men of good moral character  
who being by me first sworn according to law, Upon their oaths  
deposes, That on or about the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of August 1861  
they were both arrested in Bolinger County State of Missouri  
and taken to the City of Cape Girardeau in Cape Girardeau  
County Missouri and were there delivered up as pris-  
oners to the United States troops stationed at said place  
Colonel Marsh then in Command, that they each of them  
had with them a gun and a horse that they each had an  
examination before General Grant and that they were  
acquitted, that they the said Geop & Miller were liberated  
from said arrest, But at a time when Colonel Smith  
intimated to them that they had better leave their horses  
were absent having been ridden away by some of the  
troops of the place, they therefore left in consequence  
of the intimation of Colonel Smith, and without getting  
their horses or guns, Colonel Irvine stated to them  
and others in like situation that if their horses could  
not be obtained there would be other arrangements  
made in their favor. Colonel Irvine gave an  
order for several horses, on Sargent Brock Wagon  
Master, each owner of a horse was required to give a  
separate receipt, what came of this Order deponents  
know not, but they neither of them obtained either their  
horses or their guns, nor did they receive for them or any  
part thereof, said deponents believe that their horses and  
equipage which they have lost, were worth One hundred and

twenty five dollars each, General Grant stated to deponents and others, that they should have all their property and that they should not be deprived of their property, in consequence of their having been arrested.

Sworn to and subscribed to  
before me this date as above  
written

William M. Groff  
William S. Miller

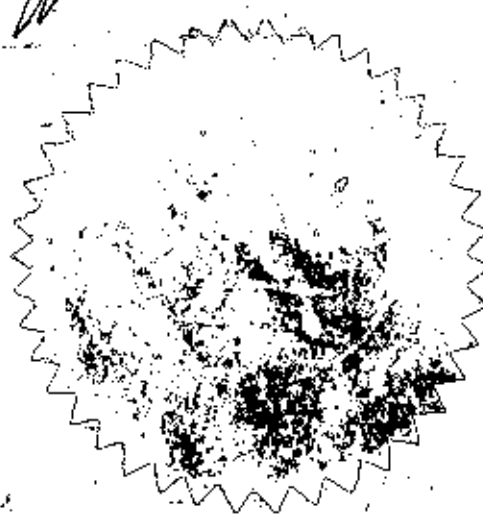
Charles Hart Justice  
of the Peace

State of Missouri  
County of St. Francois } ss.

I William R Taylor Clerk of the County Court within and for said County, certify that Charles Hart whose genuine signature appears to the foregoing certificate as Justice of the Peace is now and was at the time of subscribing the same an acting Justice of the Peace within and for said County, duly commissioned and sworn into office, and that full faith and credit are due to his Official acts as such.

In testimony whereof I hereto subscribe my name and affix the seal of said Court at Office at Farmington the 28<sup>th</sup> day of September A.D. 1861.

William R Taylor Clerk



Farmington St. Francois County Mo.  
Sept 28<sup>th</sup> 1867.

General Grant

We were intimidated from staying longer to endeavor to obtain our property as you will perceive from our Depositions. We take it as granted that the Government troops had use for our horses or else they would not have been absent when we left. We presume that our property will be worth its value to the Government and should our affidavits justify you in granting pay to us, and you giving us a demand on the Government payable at St. Louis this shall be evidence that we received through you the amount of our said claims.

Any communication that you may have the goodness to make to us on the subject please direct to the Post Master, Farmington St. Francois County Missouri

Respectfully Yours

William M. Gross  
William S. Miller



W. G. S. ~~Sturges~~  
Sept 14. 1861.

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Citizens

140 Hoffman St.

Baltimore

Dear General

14<sup>th</sup> Sep 1861

I thank the Govt.

for its prompt arrest of the parties  
on whom it laid its strong hand yester-  
day: I do so, as a citizen who has  
felt their strong arm in more ways  
than one. The feeling of the friends of  
the Union is universally joyous at  
this signal rebuke of rebellion.

I send you the Exchange  
of this morning. Note the various edi-  
torials. William Wilken's Glean  
is the proprietor of the paper. A  
Dr Palmer and a W. H. Carpenter  
are the acting editors, and write  
well. My own judgt. is not  
changed. I advise the enterprise.  
prepon of the Exchange, the and  
the Republican.  
Gen. McClellan  
July 6<sup>th</sup> 1861  
W. G. Shelton

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Ref. 3-61

Pat

Pat

Sept. 61

Alexander's Headquarters, Alexandria Va  
September 15th 1861

Dear Franklin  
Honorable Alexander Dix

In obedience to Special  
order No. 22. from Gen. Slocum  
I arrested and now have  
at the Headquarters Mills  
Henderson, James Hendry  
& James M. Brady, a son  
of Mr. Brady, the bearer of  
this note.

Gen. Slocum has examined  
the boy and is of the opinion  
that he should be released  
and kept in town.

Mr. Brady is anxious  
to bring his family to  
Alexandria, now living  
about two miles beyond  
our line of pickets, and  
at his request I write this  
letter to inform you of  
the circumstances and  
to state, that, as far as  
I can learn, it is proper  
to be done both for the benefit  
of Mr. Brady and the service  
of our Government.

I am, very Respectfully  
Yours ob. Servt.

M. C. Curtis  
Capt. Co. G. 10th Regt. N.Y.

I will act in behalf of the Society  
that by the request of Mr. General Col  
Dwyer formerly of the Army of the  
that any thing that he may do he will  
be reasonable for

Lieut. G. C. Wyatt  
Co. G. 3d Regt.

Mr. Wyatt writes something  
above.

Mr. Wyatt

Sept. 5

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1861

Camp Gettysburg  
No Washington Sep 17. 1861

W. L. Potter.

2 1861. C. V.

In relation to the two  
Spies captured near  
Potter's Amm. Depot

relation on  
1861 -

W. L. Potter. Sep 20



Excelsior Brigade,

Head Quarters Jackson Light Infantry,

Camp Selkirk Md near  
Washington D.C. Sept 7<sup>th</sup> 1861

General

The two spies, Sherman and  
Wilson found in D. W. Marriott's  
House near "Butters" in Anne  
Arundel Co and mentioned in my  
report to you of 12<sup>th</sup> inst, having been de-  
layed here a day or two, awaiting your  
orders, have been recognized as men  
who had visited this camp under  
the plea of searching for fugitive  
slaves;

" Wm L. Ireland

" John Hawley Co "I"

are among those that recognize  
them,

Very Respectfully  
Yours &c

Gen. D. S. Sicker (H. L. Potts  
Camp Exc<sup>l</sup> Brigade)

Receipt 209  
from Glen for  
picnics

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Sept 21/16

Chas. W. ...

R.



Gawley Indies 17<sup>th</sup>

20<sup>th</sup> Sept. 1861

Capt. Green by order of Capt Darr has turned  
over to me at this post prisoners David & Peter, Allen  
& Nash, Thos H Mitchell, Thos Ferguson, John Conway  
Wm R. Parker, Gruntells, Elijah Johnson, David Pen-  
nington & Noah Blevins to be forwarded to Columbus I.

E. A. Taylor Col  
Comd'g Post

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Sept 18, 61

Clinton



Sept 18/61

Charlottesville Capt J. Darr Jr

Would ~~off~~ of sent list of names earlier but could not get them from Guard House - Prisoners George Wilson a J. Dinere, J. Devail, Samuel Bell, Geo. Valentine, W. V. Valentine, J. S. Arnold, B. Keith, Tho. P. Lynch - These are all bad men as represented they were left here by Col. Howe - I have not heard any evidence

Capt G. Lieb,  
USA Army post

Leib  
about prisms  
at Göttingen

L

211

11:65 B.

Sep. 2/96

8000

C. Donnell & Fitzpatrick

Sept 27. 61

Chas

Belmont St

New York

133 W 4th

St. Louis

I could not sleep last night  
for a bare suspicion. A man,  
who has no means, has been  
to Baltimore (is there now) twice  
in three weeks. He can have  
no regular business there. This  
is all, except that he has been  
made a party tool, in other  
cases. If his trips be treason-  
able, I guess - only guess, that some  
one here maybe in correspondence  
with Dr Dominio Adornel,  
or the John Fitz-Patrick. Adornel  
is a resident of Balt. City - lives  
any where. - Do not breathe the  
receiving of these lines in any  
letter you may write to this place,  
I am very grateful or I could not  
pen them; maybe very regret

Mr O'Connell is a sept. Is  
it not possible to give a lit-  
tle harmless & unsuspecting  
attention to his movements?  
You know the writer. —  
Little Boy.

I certify that the foregoing  
communication is from  
a respectable party in  
Cumberland Md. personally  
known to me.

Robt. B. Mason

1st Lieut. Co. F. 5th Regt  
Pa. I. C.

Recd Sep. 2<sup>nd</sup> 1861 No. 65 B.

80.00  
C. Downell & Fitzpatrick

Sept 27. 61

C. -

Belmont 45  
New York  
P. B. Murray  
George of W. H.



The enclosed letter was brought to me  
this morning by Lieut. Frazer, a  
man of intelligence who has  
perfect confidence in the writer  
& says his name will be  
given if desired.

I have thought it proper to lay  
it before you.

Very truly

J. A. McCall

Sept. 27/61

Major Genl Geo B. McCall  
Carey & Co

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Leut P. J. Gallaher

A. D. Haden

J. H. Ford.

Sept. 61

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W.D. Hadley & others

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Cit

Hadew & Ford

Walter of Saint Peter's College

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Receipt of Hadew & Ford  
for Reverend Johnson's account  
for 4 gold watches

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April 24 1861 Recd of  
Genl. Porter from govt watching  
between from Hader & Ford  
with the many taken from  
them when they were arrested  
in this City some 277 since  
Kearney Wherry  
Linnell from  
Hoyden & Porter

N<sup>o</sup> 120-3

Recd. 5 p.m. Sep 7

Washington

September 7 1861

To Major Geo. Sykes

Sir

I herewith introduce to Your  
consideration Mr Henry Beaman who will he says  
give some information relative to John Ross who he  
represents as having about 28000 of the Money said to be  
obtained from Paymaster Sallaker he threatens the Man  
as well as the Money can be obtained. He is released  
being a Police officer

Respectfully

Thomas C. Connor  
Justice of the Peace  
for Washington District of  
Columbia

(Mailed)

J. S. Gallaher

to  
Hon. S. P. Fox

Washington - Sep. 9, 1861

(Matter of A. D. Haydon)





*J. H. Fox*  
Assistant Secretary.

*Gen. A. Porter*  
*M. S. A.*  
*Post Marshal*  
*Washington*

Washington, Sept. 9/61.

Hon. S. B. Fox,

Sir:

The Department may not be aware, perhaps, that John C. Cook, the principal conspirator, who escaped from Dr. Hayden's Gambling Hell, has property here which may be reached to make him disgorge. It is possible he is himself off to California with a portion of the plunder. He has houses on the Island and carriages on the street.

Very respectfully  
Yours,  
John S. Gallahue

Order for Release of  
A. D. Sadler, J. W. Ford  
& Selby Parker  
18 Sept 1861

Release ordered  
4/3 Pm Sept 18.  
1861 - also release  
of Selby Parker

Navy Department.  
Sept. 18<sup>th</sup>, 1861.

Sir:-

Messrs. A. D. Kaden and J. H. Ford, now in custody, having executed a writing, agreeing that the sum of money in their possession when they were arrested and which was seized and is now held by the United States, amounting to between twenty-seven and twenty-eight thousand dollars, shall remain in the custody of the United States as a security for any balance that may be found due to the U. S. by B. F. Gal-  
lacher, a Paymaster of the U. S. Navy, on a final settlement of his account, I have to request that you will

order the discharge of the said  
Haden and Ford.

I am, very respectfully  
Your obedt. Servt.

William Miller

~~Secy of the Army~~

Maj Gen. Geo. B. McClellan.

Comd & Potomac Division U.S.A.

or

Brig Gen. Andrew Porter  
Provost Marshal

No. 123.

Papers in possession of  
Lieut. P. J. Gallaher

Sept. 3<sup>d</sup> - 5<sup>th</sup> 1861

Mr. Ford Will

please  
send my Book out  
of Tho. Draw Tho Cash  
Book

And Oblige

Yours

S. Sept 7/80 A. W. Haden

Police Department.

OFFICE OF THE MARSHAL.

Baltimore, Sept 3<sup>d</sup> 1861

Genl Porter

Forest Marshal

Washington

Dear Sir

I send by  
the early train one of our detec-  
tive officers with this note, per-  
-mitting to trust it - by Telegraph or  
Mail, A. Mr. Gallaher an  
officer of the army or navy -  
either Pay master, or Purser -  
left last night, at Dr. Hayden  
room in Washington, City.  
Forty thousand dollars in  
Government funds. you will  
of course know how to act  
in the matter. If you can  
use Mr. Reynolds in any  
way to ferret out the  
matter; you can do so. The  
information is from a reliable



Some, one of the men  
who is concerned in the  
game at which the funds  
was lost, has arrived here,  
this eve much alarmed. I  
have nothing to suggest as  
I know but little about  
Washington City, or its Citizens,  
Yours, I have no doubt, have  
expects, as detectives whose  
employment in this affair,  
may save the government  
much loss, if taken in  
time

I am Yours &c

J. L. McPhail  
Depts Pro Marshal

Very Yours - Dept 3<sup>rd</sup>  
515 P. 211

Thomas B. Scott.

Asst Secy of War

I have found my friend

E. J. Allen

Recd. Sept 5. 1861 - 8.30. a.m.

United States Military Telegraph.

Received Sep 4 1861.

From Balto

To Gen A Porter

Pm.

The money  
was lost at Haydens  
House vis. there

J L McPhail  
Depty Provost  
Marshal

New York, Washington

Sept 15<sup>th</sup> 1861  
Sept 5-15, 1861

J. L. McPhail

Depty Provost Marshall  
Baltimore

Arrest the Person who gave you the  
information you sent me by Reynolds  
this morning. As also all Government  
Funds; or property which may be  
available for the Government. Send  
him and his money to me.

H. Porter

Brig. Genl. &

Provost Marshall

My son came to house this afternoon & said that he had some money introduced to him by a friend & that he had just left Mr. D. M. Carlier an attorney to whom charge he wished to put it until the matter should be properly adjusted - while there he sent the packman to Mr. Carlier, who brought back a note from him, requesting my son to place the funds at Riggs Co. to his credit, and get a certificate of deposit for the same & hand it to him - it was then too late & it was left with me & until the morning for this purpose

21557.50  
 570 currency  
 2500 bank notes  
~~2700~~ 4 Gold Watches

21557.50

one of the Grand Jury from 1870

J. S. M. Heail  
deputy Pro. Marshal  
Baltimore Md.  
to Brig Gen. A. Porter  
6<sup>th</sup> Sept. 1861

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Recd. Sept 7<sup>th</sup> 10. a. m

Information in Gallaher case,

OFFICE OF THE  
PROVOST MARSHAL,  
BALTIMORE, Md.

Recd. Sept 7<sup>th</sup> 10. a m.  
Spencer Porter



Spencer A Porter  
Provost Marshal  
Washington  
D. C.

Police Department.

OFFICE OF THE PROVOST MARSHAL.

Baltimore, Sept. 5<sup>th</sup> 1861

Brigadier General

Provost Marshal

Washington DC

Sir

Since the

Out- of our Mr. Reynolds, I have learned  
more particulars. The parties mentioned by  
Mr. Reynolds, was only a speculator and did not  
give the information, or would it be pro-  
-udent, for us to give you an informant;  
I now learn that none of the money came  
to Baltimore, Gallagher lost \$5000, at  
Joseph Hall Room, said Hall got scared  
and would not let him play, more, lost  
Forty thousand dollars at Hall's Dr Hayden,  
all of which could be got, by going to  
the proprietors, especially the \$5000 at Hall,  
Hall I understand would not let himself  
suffer, by being arrested, and would pay  
down. Kelly Henare Hayden & Cook  
the last named a Dealer in opium, -  
could be operated upon, ~~by~~  
~~and~~ and all the money recovered.  
I am, please understand how, Gallagher



Keep Lottery tickets to a large amount,  
If this affair is properly managed, I have  
no doubt all the money could be got,  
It will be to the interest of the cause,  
that this information should not  
appear as coming from Baltimore. If this  
caution is observed, <sup>the informa</sup> it may be used -  
again with success when it may be  
required.

Some time back a box of -  
goods, marked A Moffit, was  
stepped through information from  
this <sup>office</sup> at Adams Express office, in  
Washington D.C will you please  
inform this office of its contents

Respectfully Yours &  
J. H. Hail  
Supt. Postmaster

No. 120-123-

Statement of J. H. Ford

No. 298 E. St. - (Farm Bank)

5<sup>th</sup> Sept. 1861

Sept. 5th 1861

Statement of J. H. Ford 298 E. St. who  
says that he is in a game with Dr. A. D. Haden  
I am to receive one fourth of all Winnings  
did not forward any of the money.

I come here from N.Y. about the 1st  
July last and have remained with Mr. Haden  
Ever since. I have heard Mr. Haden say  
that John L. Cook is interested in the  
game with Mr. Haden he is a negro  
Trader but don't think that he is  
doing any thing in that way now.

Mr. Cook lives over on the Island in  
a frame house on 7th St. Dr. Haden  
some times has charge of the game  
he has not put any money in the game  
he never keeps any other game.

I was introduced to Lewis Gallagher  
the 20th day I arrived at Mr. Haden  
Mr. Cook intended me to Lewis G. at  
about 9 o'clock in the evening he was  
out there around Mr. Cook & Lewis G. offered  
to be well acquainted. I opened the game of  
Roulet for Lewis G. when he bought one  
thousand dollars worth of Cheek. he lost  
at this time about \$400. he remained  
about one hour or a half the rest of  
the money he lost was in gold and  
part in bills. he called again the next  
night about the same time ~~at~~ he says  
he lost \$1000 also not know what  
money he paid in. Lewis Gallagher has  
arranged about five times a week in his  
pockets at one table. & he has lost about  
\$7000 in Treasury notes & may have

lost in the amount of treasury notes  
about the first week in Aug. last he lost  
\$3300 - Most of it was paid in treasury  
notes occasionally lost \$1000 at one  
sitting day called several times during  
some days. He lost day before yesterday  
about \$200 - treasury notes & \$360  
in other money.

I think he has lost  
about 23 to 25 thousand dollars  
since I have been in the game.

Seriat Gallagher has played in mostly  
Va. bills some gold.

Seriat G. does not  
drink much or has not in our place  
It is very seldom that I have seen  
a man play as heavy as Seriat G.  
I have seen Seriat G. going into hall  
but once. Next of his going there before  
I came on here and since.

I returned to New York about the  
11th Aug. I remained there three days  
& returned here again.

Seriat G. always plays in a room by himself,  
always plays alone. I think he runs  
more lost the show accounts from  
the amount of our games I think our  
losses game has been about a stand off  
& winning since I have been there  
shows a running of about \$2000  
up to the 1st Sept. I think he has lost  
about \$1000 since up to yesterday.  
Mr. Coote has been in the room with  
me & Seriat G. three or four times since I have  
been there.

I think that <sup>we</sup> may have more about  
\$1000 - from other army contractors that I have  
been there at Raleigh not more than the  
\$1000. Has been some of that since

More heard Dr. Hoden say that  
Gen. H. bought battery ~~papers~~

I first learned that he was pay master  
in the Navy about a week or ten days  
after I came there I think it must  
be Dr. Hoden who told me that he  
was pay master.

I sold <sup>\$2000</sup> of the Treasury  
notes to Regent Co. about 15 days  
ago. Dr. Hoden sold about \$5000  
worth of Treasury notes.

I think Dr. Hoden has some  
of the Treasury notes that he has won  
within the last ten days. Keep his  
money in a safe in his house.

~~Gen. Hoden told Gen. H.~~

Dr. Hoden has told me that Mr.  
Cook is to receive 35 per cent. of all  
the money there in the house.

I think Dr. Hoden told me that  
Mr. Cook is to get plenty of  
money. ~~that~~ this week was not.

The Va. bills were 20, 50,  
& 100. Treasury notes 100's & 50's.  
Gold in 20 dollar gold pieces.

The book shows the ~~book~~  
Name of me that J. B. Cook

Cook is 47 years old 5 ft. 9 in high, thin  
Whiskers all over & dark. Bald head  
Cloth wrapping in was at the room  
when I left. draped in dark cloth  
shoes hat.



The safe is in Mr. Hadden's room with  
his family, he always takes charge of  
the money & puts it in the safe  
the 900. dollar plant at Havana  
& my credit on the bank the full  
of Sept. 1861 is force of the identical  
money none from Genl. G. and will  
show the bank and denomination  
I know this Virginia money <sup>is the same</sup> to be  
some of the identical money that we  
have from Genl. Haddock. So also  
the many notes that are now in  
the safe of Dr. R.D. Haden.

Haden told me during the time  
I have been there that Genl. G. had  
last evening at Hall's before  
he commenced play with Haden  
Haden has frequently told me that  
Haden is a wealthy man & owns  
negroes.

Haden told me that he had  
been visiting of Genl. G. and knew  
him to be for ever in the Navy.  
that he has been absent for a day or  
two he has said that his wife had  
been sick.

Conrad yesterday at about  
1 P.M. & remained at about  
one hour & a half used money  
note.

Herman has never been in the  
room where Genl. G. has been playing  
he has never been introduced to him.  
Herman does not know him.

No. 121-

Statement of A. L. Haden  
298 E. Street  
(Fargo Bank)  
5th Sept. 1861

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Oct

23

23

Sept. 8<sup>th</sup> 1861

Statement of A. D. Haden No. 298  
E. St. Keep a Gambling house

Lieut. Gallagher first testified  
to me about 5 months ago and  
played against Kolib, and always plays  
with Va. money. Since the fact that  
that he called he has done twice a week  
always play against Kolib.

The game called about 6 pm,  
I have conversed with Mrs. Helen K.  
Hewson & as you know by the name  
of Ford. The last time that  
Lieut. G. called was Sunday evening  
he always come to my place alone.

He has given him to have five  
and six hundred dollars at <sup>one time</sup>  
does think that he has lost over  
two or three thousand dollars at  
my place in all.

Have seen him going into  
Mr. Hall's Gambling Saloon several  
times before and since he comes  
to my house. He may have  
paid in one or two hundred dollars in  
gold.

I met Mr. Ball at about ten or  
twelve days ago got on a walk  
with Mr. Thompson who lives in  
Baltimore in the same business I am  
He stays with a young lady by the  
name called "Joue" She lives on <sup>at the corner</sup> ~~at the~~

Colour St. 4 or 5 pm from Monument Square  
~~at~~ ~~the~~ from the News, Count the the  
name of the St.



When the room is I was to dump & there  
I can find the name of I want myself  
we remain over night, left in the  
morning at about 4. O'clock & returned to  
Washington. New home seen or heard of  
Lt. ~~Henry~~ <sup>Henry</sup> Ford Thompson. Thompson  
does not know him. New head of  
Lieut. H. having any money except  
at my house - New work of Lieut. H.  
K. Thompson. I only knew that Lieut. H.  
was in the navy department as a Navy  
Officer. New say you drink but once  
glap at my house during any one  
time that he called. Whiskey, today or  
Brandy - He never charges <sup>this</sup> any thing  
for drinking drinks. He quietly took  
his money out of an inside Vest  
pocket. The last time or four times  
the last time of my plan he used  
5 & 10 dollar bills but before that  
at times he played in 20 & 50 dollar  
bills. More I saw him those money  
notes but he never played any in again  
me or when I was attending the table but  
he thinks he has again Mr. Ford letter  
about about four or five hundred dollars  
I changed the notes with Mr. Seindolow  
Cor. 10 West & St. Peter Ave. about two or  
three weeks ago. Mr. Ford changed them  
for me at a <sup>rate</sup> of 3 1/2 per cent.  
took the money notes at par of Lieut. H.  
Mr. Ford, quietly come to my plan or  
about 10 o'clock every day. John & Kuan  
get there about the same time come about

My family, live in with me at my place of business  
all morning after the game is closed at  
night or morning is gone over trees.

I keep a book of all winning & losing  
& will show the amount I have won  
daily, one of us then enters it on this  
book. don't think my book will  
~~show~~ show a winning of over 12 or 1400  
dollar at any one day.

I have many offers comes there who  
play heavy than Suit G, mostly all  
are gold, some are Val. & some of  
them are in the regular party.

~~He do not play,~~ don't enter any names  
of player in my book, simply the amount  
secured after the play is closed.

Suit G. frequently goes into lottery office  
near Hall.

I don't think that I have won  
over two or three thousand from Suit G,  
and that has about all I've in Va. money  
think the most Va. money he paid  
is against me was on the Winchester  
Bank, most of them were \$20. bills  
on the bank.

He says that Suit G. had  
been ~~playing~~ <sup>going</sup> at Hall, before he comes  
to play at my house. never heard him  
say any thing about his playing at Hall,  
that Suit G. never stay longer than  
two hours but usually stays about one  
hour & a half. Some time the game  
is open and some times are open the game  
for him. He always dresses in Citizens  
dress except the feet which has U.S. buttons  
on

John C. Meran & Mr. Ford both live with  
the Worcester Coal Trust that they are  
then this.

I have received only about  
\$1500 in Treasury notes I may have  
received some one hundred or more.

I have had sold John C. Cook  
Dealer No. 568 7<sup>th</sup> St. Ill for me about  
\$3000 in Treasury notes two or three  
weeks ago don't know when he sold  
them he sold at a discount 3/4 per cent.  
never sold any before or since for me.

Capt. McKee

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about goods landed  
between St. Louis &  
Cairo

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Box

Ames, Ohio

Head Quarters

Department of the West

St. Louis Oct. 4 '63

Sir:

Your attention is called to the fact that Steamers plying between St. Louis & Cairo, constantly leave freight for points above the latter place, intended for the secessionists.

Very respectfully

Your obt. servt.

Chauncey McKee

Asst. Adjt. Genl.

Colonel J. M. Neil

19th Mo. Vol.

Asst. Provost Marshal

St. Louis.

Inquire who attends to freight on lower.

(67) *W. L. Phillips*

U. S. Marshall

*Citizen*

Desires Authority to arrest  
H and C. Robinson *of the*  
~~of the Congressional Dist. of Ill.~~  
Says he fears by being  
a Rebel has intercourse and  
correspondence with them  
is opposed to the Administration  
in every particular - Enjoined  
by Gov Yates and State Treasurer

U. S. Marshall's Office  
*Springfield Mo*  
Sept. 8, 1865

*Citizen*



United States Marshal's Office,

Springfield, Ill. Sept. 9<sup>th</sup> 1867.

General,  
Richard Yates Governor  
William Butler State Treasurer  
The enclosed this.

The undersigned desires your order to arrest and deliver to you in the City of St. Louis, Hon. James C. Robinson M. C. from the 7<sup>th</sup> Congressional District in Illinois.

Robinson is notoriously opposed to the War, the Administration and all who are connected with it; and busily engaged in making the most treasonable speeches that can be made. He is not without influence and sympathizers, and if permitted to remain at large, he will cause much trouble. He is suspected of holding communication with the rebels, and boasts of his sympathy for the Cause of Treason. If you will issue an order directed to me at this City, I will deliver him into your hands in a few days.

Yours Respectfully  
D. L. Phillips  
U. S. Marshal

Maj. Gen. J. C. Fremont  
St Louis  
Mo.

MAY - SEPT  
1861



Letters of Col. McNeil  
enclosing Petition & Exhibits

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Sept 13. 1861

Know all men by these presents  
that we the undersigned are jointly  
incurred to the United States of America  
in the sum of  
to the payment of which we bind  
ourselves our heirs executors ad-  
ministrators and assigns.

The Condition of  
the above Obligation is such that  
Whereas the Authorities of U.S. Government  
at Saint Louis have heretofore seized certain  
assets belonging to the Western Reformation  
Pensioners Association, Now if the under-  
signed Directors and Trustees of said asso-  
ciation shall abstain from appropriating  
any portion of said assets or any assets which  
may hereafter come to their hands or control  
to any disloyal purposes, and shall do  
nothing calculated to give aid or comfort to  
the enemies of the Government, and shall not  
loan give or otherwise dispose of the funds  
of said association to persons aiding the  
State Forces of Missouri against the Government  
then this bond to be void otherwise to remain  
in full force. Witness our hands & seals this 24<sup>th</sup>  
September 1861.

Schucki Solly }  
James Kelly } Directors.

J. S. Reed,  
A. R. Harris,  
Wm. C. McCoy } Trustees

Inventory of Property  
of Western Brotherhood  
Beneficial Association.  
Now in possession of  
the U.S. at U.S.  
Savings Institution

To Jan 1st 1861

Inventory of Papers & found in Box deposited by Wm. S. Howard at the N.S. Savings Association

|                                                           |                      |         |                         |
|-----------------------------------------------------------|----------------------|---------|-------------------------|
| Book of St. Anthony                                       | March 1st            | today   | 500 <sup>ts</sup>       |
| Caroline in Daily Nov 7 <sup>th</sup> to 12 <sup>th</sup> |                      |         | 500 <sup>ts</sup>       |
| P.D. O'Brien                                              | Sept 6 to 12         |         | 500 <sup>ts</sup>       |
| (material in Myers Collection)                            |                      |         |                         |
| for a Clements                                            | Jan                  | March 2 | 250 <sup>ts</sup>       |
| for H. Townsend                                           | March 15             | 1861    | 300 <sup>ts</sup>       |
| J. Carlick                                                | July 7 <sup>th</sup> | 1860    | 1 day 300 <sup>ts</sup> |
| do                                                        | Aug 14               | 60/10   | " 112 <sup>ts</sup>     |
| do                                                        | Oct 11               | " 90    | " 150 <sup>ts</sup>     |
| do                                                        | March 22             | " 30    | " 50 <sup>ts</sup>      |
| Wm. S. Cable                                              | Aug                  | 1861    | 30 " 125 <sup>ts</sup>  |
| do                                                        | June 16              | " 30    | " 10 <sup>ts</sup>      |
| J. C. Cable                                               | " 12                 | " 90    | 100 <sup>ts</sup>       |
| Geo. L. Prady                                             | March 4              | " 20    | 100 <sup>ts</sup>       |
| <del>all elements</del>                                   | <del>Dec 5</del>     |         |                         |
| J. C. Cable                                               | April 16             | 41      | 6 mo 50 <sup>ts</sup>   |
| Geo Roberts                                               | Oct 17               | 60      | 90 day 50 <sup>ts</sup> |
| A. Sanford                                                | July 3               | " 90    | " 50 <sup>ts</sup>      |
| John C. Reilly                                            | July 30              | " 30    | " 50 <sup>ts</sup>      |
| Hugh Davis                                                | Dec 31               | 59      | 90 " 63 <sup>ts</sup>   |
| Geo Roberts                                               | Sept 20              | 60      | 4 mo 50 <sup>ts</sup>   |
| Geo Robertson                                             | March 14             | 60      | 60 day 50 <sup>ts</sup> |
| Geo Carlin                                                | Jan                  | 1861    | 30 <sup>ts</sup>        |
| Thomas Roberts                                            | Dec 10               | 60      | 30 day 32 <sup>ts</sup> |
| Wm. S. Cable                                              | July 9               | 60      | " 25 <sup>ts</sup>      |
| <del>Geo S. Smith</del>                                   |                      |         |                         |
| John May                                                  | Jan                  | 1861    | 25 <sup>ts</sup>        |
| R. R. Fitzpatrick                                         | Aug 6 <sup>th</sup>  | 59      | 50 <sup>ts</sup>        |
| C. L. Christen                                            | Dec 26               | 59      | 30 day 25 <sup>ts</sup> |

John S. Harrington Nov 21 Per 30 days 20  
 John H. Platt Dec 10 Per 30 days 15  
 John D. Newcomb 5  
 & Rudy 55  
 John E. Carter April 13 1860 4 mos 450  
 J. C. Carter June 27 59 today 200  
 & E. Peck July 21 12 mos 400

[The following section contains extremely faint and illegible handwritten text, likely bleed-through from the reverse side of the page. It appears to be a list of names and dates, possibly related to the entries above.]

"C"

Members living in loyal states  
& political status of same

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Names & political status of Members living in the loyal States

|                            |                                                            |                   |
|----------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------|
| Fred <sup>l</sup> Brindle  | Ill: 4 mi from Lebanon on Kahokki Village                  |                   |
| R. Baxter                  | " at Bennetts Landing                                      |                   |
| Sam. A. Bowen              | Hannibal Mo.                                               |                   |
| Joseph W. Bryan            | Crittenden Grant Co Ky.                                    |                   |
| Barton W. S. Bowen         | Hannibal Mo.                                               |                   |
| John Carlisle              | Bunker Hill Station Ill                                    | Secessionist      |
| Frank H. M. Cayton         | Thomas Red Clay " Glasgow St. Standard add <sup>n</sup>    | do.               |
| A. C. Corington            | In country near Corington                                  |                   |
| Sam Clemens                | In country                                                 | Unionist          |
| Gen. L. Duff               | Montgomery Co. Mo                                          | do.               |
| John Deming                | Employed on fort. Boats                                    |                   |
| J. R. Dickson              | Ill:                                                       | Secessionist      |
| J. C. Delaney              | Rank secessionist - refused to work for fort.              |                   |
| G. D. Davis                | Ill:                                                       | Secessionist      |
| Chas Duff                  | Home near Montgomery City Mo                               | Unionist          |
| George G. Decker           | "                                                          | do.               |
| Ed. L. Fulkerson           | St. Charles Mo: "All right" believe Requires investigation |                   |
| Archer Frame               | W. Fairground                                              | Rank secessionist |
| W. R. Gordon               | Standard add <sup>n</sup>                                  | do.               |
| Mike Ganen                 | Not at home                                                | "All right"       |
| Wm. J. Healy               | Offered his services to Government                         |                   |
| W. W. Hayden               | Northern Mo.                                               | Secessionist      |
| And <sup>r</sup> P. Harrie | To be called on                                            |                   |
| Sobieski Jolly             | St. & Pine                                                 | Secessionist      |
| Willy Payne                | Refused to work for Government                             |                   |
| Crook King                 | Boards near Spring St.                                     | Not to be seen    |
| Robt. Kirkpatrick          |                                                            | Secessionist      |

|                   |                                                                                                                 | Secessionist |
|-------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------|
| James Kelly       | (inquire)                                                                                                       |              |
| John C. Lane      |                                                                                                                 | do.          |
| Wm. C. Malley     |                                                                                                                 | do.          |
| Wm. Munday        |                                                                                                                 | do.          |
| C. J. Montgomery  | Gone to Memphis to work for S.C.A.                                                                              | do.          |
| C. H. Pratt       | Rebanon Mo.                                                                                                     | do.          |
| James Reed        | (inquire)                                                                                                       | do.          |
| E. H. Smith       | Has taken oath of allegiance, but will leave <sup>as soon as possible</sup>                                     | do.          |
| W. P. Stewart     | Morgan bet 22 <sup>nd</sup> & 23 <sup>rd</sup> St. (inquire)                                                    | do.          |
| James H. Townsend | St. Louis                                                                                                       | Bank do.     |
| G. D. Van Houten  | Has been working for C.S.A.<br>Morris city & will work for U.S.A. if he<br>cannot get anything to do elsewhere. | do.          |
| Brother N. Wiley  | To be questioned                                                                                                |              |
| John F. Zeigler   | Penton St. bet. Perry & 4 <sup>th</sup> - Has done some work (Will work if asked)                               |              |
| Zeb. Leavenworth  | Louisville Ky.                                                                                                  | Secessionist |
| George Riley      |                                                                                                                 | do.          |
| Joseph Payne      |                                                                                                                 | do.          |
| Henry Symmes      | (inquire)                                                                                                       | do.          |
| Sam Moore         | Out of town                                                                                                     | do.          |
| J. P. Homan       | Potosi Mo.                                                                                                      | do.          |
| Adrian Fleming    | Out of town                                                                                                     | do.          |
| W. Young          | do.                                                                                                             | do.          |



"B"

Members enlisted in  
Southern Army

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Exhibit "B"

Members enlisted in Southern Army

Wm Cannon

Shadens Sederburg

Edwin Carter

Gregory Byrne

Joseph McCoy

John Stevenson

Thomas Foster &

William Price

"A"

Members employed on  
boats of Southern Confederates.

Exhibit Marked "A"

Members employed on Routes of the Southern Confederacy.

|                 |                   |
|-----------------|-------------------|
| James Brady.    | George Wood       |
| Robt Smith      | Henry Baker       |
| Nixon Kennett   | John Cunningham   |
| John Hodges     | Wm. Gallaher      |
| Geo. Hagarty    | Wm. I. Berry.     |
| Alford Sandford | Chauncey Cable    |
| James Allen     | Wm. Cable         |
| B. F. Hornburgh | Wm. Cable jr.     |
| Louis Pierce    | George Carrell    |
| Chas do.        | James Russell     |
| Lony Dimpewolf  | Thomas Goslee     |
| Squire Bell     | John Way.         |
| Morris Brady.   | John Buchanan and |
| Barney Arnold   |                   |

Petition of  
Trustees of Boatmen  
Beneficial Assn

Major J. McKinstry, Sir;

The undersigned, trustees of the Western Boatmen's Benevolent Association, respectfully present, that they are a body incorporated for the purpose of relieving and assisting boatmen in distress and out of employment, and that they have deposited in the United States Savings Institution all the money they had collected for that purpose, and also all their deeds, notes and other valuable papers. That on the twenty eighth day of August, Col. Jno. McNeil, acting as they are led to believe under your orders, delivered an order to the cashier of the said Institution, forbidding him to allow this Association to use or control their said money or papers. The said trustees are also informed that the reason for this step on the part of the U. S. government which you represent, was, that they were accused before you of using or intending to use their said money & effects for disloyal & treasonable purposes. They respectfully but positively deny any such acts or intentions. On the contrary they have not had any meeting of their board for more than three months for any purpose. They have never intended, nor do they now intend, to make use of the money or interest of their Association for any purpose, in any manner prejudicial to the U. S. government. They therefore annex hereto their affidavit to the truth of the above statements and pray that the order of Col. McNeil above referred to may be rescinded and that they may be permitted to use their money and effects for the purposes for which only they have been designed, that

of relieving distress among the families of their members.

Trustees-

James Reed

Wm. C. Molloy

A. R. Harris

On this thirty first day of August 1861, at the City of St. Louis, before me, the undersigned a Notary Public, appeared James Reed, Wm C. Molloy and A. R. Harris, and being duly sworn, they said on their oaths that the statements in foregoing memorial were strictly correct & true.

As witness my hand & official seal

J. West. Thompson

Notary Public

St. Louis Co. Mo.

Head Quarters Port of St. Louis  
Sept 13<sup>th</sup> 1861

Maj Gen McKinstry

Provt. Marshal

Sir

I herewith enclose you petition of  
Trustees of "Western Boatman's Revolut Association", asking that  
their property lately seized, should be restored to them - I also file here  
with, separate lists of the members of the association, shewing their  
political status and their present occupations - Exhibit, marked  
"A" being members of this association employed on boats sailing under  
the rebel flag - "B" names of members, known to be serving in  
the rebel army; and "C" shewing the political status of members  
living in the loyal States -

The members of this association were charged with an  
intention of using its funds for disloyal purposes - by loaning them to  
each other in small amounts - ostensibly for investment - really for treason -  
They were also charged with holding treasonable discussions at the rooms of the  
association, the object and effect of which, was, to strengthen the disaffected  
in their opposition to the Government, and prevent them from entering its employ  
as Pilots or Engineers - As witnesses I would name  
Wm. Kibbin, Secty & Treasurer; Max Hawkes, Asst. Secty. and Charles  
Malford, Secty. of Pilots association -

I am Sir

Your obedient servant  
John M. O'Connell  
Colonel Commanding Port of St. Louis



W. H. P.

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Better Aug 1<sup>st</sup> 1861

One day after date I promise to pay

to the order of *McAhey & Purcell*  
*Alex. Dallas* <sup>100</sup> *38* Dollars,

for value received, negotiable and payable, without defalcation or discount, with ten per cent.  
interest per annum, from *date*

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Due, \_\_\_\_\_

*Judson Sophronow*

Sold by E. J. Loring & Co., 185 Main-street, St. Louis.

O. A. January

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# WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH COMPANY.

NO. 1.] TERMS AND CONDITIONS ON WHICH MESSAGES ARE RECEIVED BY THIS COMPANY FOR TRANSMISSION.

The public are notified that, in order to guard against mistakes in the transmission of messages, every message of importance ought to be repeated, by being sent back from the station at which it is to be received, to the station from which it is originally sent. Half the usual price for transmission will be charged for repeating the message; and while this Company will, as heretofore, use every precaution to ensure correctness, it will not be responsible for mistakes or delays in the transmission or delivery of repeated messages, beyond an amount exceeding five hundred times the amount paid for sending the message; nor will it be responsible for mistakes or delays in the transmission of unreported messages from whatever cause they may arise, nor for delays arising from interruptions in the working of its Telegraphs, nor for any mistake or omission of any other Company, over whose lines a message is to be sent to reach the place of destination. All messages will hereafter be received by this Company for transmission, subject to the above conditions.

A. STAGER, Gen. Sup't, Cleveland, Ohio.

I. R. ELWOOD, Sec'y, Rochester, N. Y.

To *Major McKinstry* *St Louis 12th 1861*  
*By Telegraph from Detroit 12 1861*

*In D. A. January of St Louis*  
*Union Man his nephew W. A. Brother*  
*of Orleans passed this morning*  
*South answers* *W. A. Bance*  
*Detroit*

C. 232. 2. of 1861.

List of men who would  
not join Capt. Clarke's Co.  
Home Guard at Albany.



(List kept at Mass. Stor. J. 1861.)

List of men who would not join,

José Armijo  
Salvador Armijo.  
Cristóbal Armijo.  
Mariano Armijo  
Francisco Armijo.  
Juan Cristóbal Chaves  
Augustin Del Barillo.  
Eduin Durbar  
Edward Pooling  
Ignacio Gonzales  
Tomás Gonzales  
Manuel Garcia  
A. J. Jazfes  
R. P. Kennon,  
P. G. Lopez  
Peter Lynch  
James Murphy  
Francisco Montoya  
Néstor Montoya,  
Martin Quintana  
Rafael Armijo  
Manuel Armijo  
David C. Vanston  
Louis Zickendorf.  
P. M. Steer.

Smith. Claptonburg  
about prisoner

Ad

18/64

Clarksburg

Capt. J. Darr Jr  
Provost Marshall

Yesterday I telegraphed to  
Genl. Rosecrans in reference to the  
release of Levi ~~Clark~~ James E. Dent  
Prisoners at Columbus you have the papers  
did Genl. Rosecrans get the despatches  
answer

A. F. Smith



1861  
No. 1220

Cit.

Baltimore, Md.

Hopkins John

Forwards Memorandum of  
Claims held by him against  
criticisms of Gossett.

Hopkins John  
criticisms Gossett

Memorandum

Claims held by Johns Hopkins of Balt City, against citizens of Norfolk Va.

1. A promissory note for \$644  $\frac{97}{100}$  dated May 20, 1861, payable four months after date, signed by E. H. Delk and Edm. C. Lindsey.
2. ~~Promissory note~~ <sup>Draft</sup> for \$350 dated June 28, 1861, payable at sight and signed by Delk and Lindsey, (as copartners.)
3. Promissory note for \$1497  $\frac{12}{100}$  dated April 3, 1861, payable 4 months after date signed by Delk & Lindsey.

Claim held by Thomas Whitridge, merchant, of B. City.  
A promissory note for \$1050  $\frac{0}{100}$  dated May 12, 1861, payable 4 mos. after date signed by E. H. Delk and Edm. C. Lindsey.

Delk and Lindsey were or are doing business in Norfolk Va. and the aunts of money as above stated are due from them to Johns Hopkins, and Thomas Whitridge, both Citizens of well known loyalty. It is understood that proceedings have been taken by the Government against ~~their~~ <sup>the</sup> property of Delk & Lindsey, and it is desired that so much as may be necessary of that property may be appropriated to the payment of these debts, or

that the proceeds of the said property sold, as is understood to be the custom, for United States funds may be applied in part to their payment

Can this be done? If so please instruct me as to what papers are necessary.

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1865  
Emily Sykes

May 7

Wm. C. Sykes

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Wants you to ascertain  
whether he son has gone  
to Virginia

Baltimore May 7<sup>th</sup> 1861

W<sup>m</sup> Burns

Pardon the liberty of a poor unfortunate & afflicted widow who pen's these few lines to you. on the 20<sup>th</sup> of April my son (not quite 17) volunteered at Calvert station under Capt Stockman (I believe), that, I had no objection to I thought it was his Mature City. But I have understood that now he has gone to Virginia. please sir have the kindness to ascertain if such is the case & if there no way of bringing him back he is under age & I am poor & afflicted having the cancer in my face. I think it is dreadful that man would take youths like him to fight. although he is larger of his age. Let him protect his own place if necessary. I am sorry to trouble but pity the distress of poor woman his name is William C Tylee or perhaps he gave the name of William Pearce or Chandler he has auburn hair with dark eyes & freckles they say that about 150 of them left here on Monday Night. God be with them. An early answer is requested of you. - he has had no work to do since November. William P. Smith has promised him a situation in Mount Clare but - owing to this crisis, he can do nothing. I hope you will send me some good news.

with great respect

Emily Tylee

No 278 B's quith St.

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Office of the R. G. Insd  
Dist. Clerk  
June 21<sup>st</sup> 1861

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Just Saw Archer

3<sup>rd</sup> Party

"Asking Authority to hire  
Lawrence Murphy, of Rey Stevens  
as wagon master."

Answer June 27/61

Not having any thing  
to do with the business  
mentioned in the first  
and second paragraphs  
of this letter it is respect-  
fully referred to Major  
J. L. Donaldson U.S.M.  
J. C. McFerran  
Captain U.S.M.

Post Office  
Venezuela N.M. }  
June 24<sup>th</sup> 61 } 3

June 24<sup>th</sup> 61

Office of the P. Q. No 3<sup>rd</sup> Supt  
Fort Summery N. M.  
21<sup>st</sup> June 1861.

Sir,

I have the honor to apply for au-  
thority to have Lawrence Murphy (late Quarter Master  
3<sup>rd</sup> Supt, who has been in the service ten years) and  
Stevens, (who was Wagonmaster from Utah to Camp #2.)  
as Wagon masters

I should prefer them to have appointments with the 3<sup>rd</sup>  
Supt if possible - but at all events to have them on  
some portion of the train going to the States.

They are both active efficient men, and well posted in  
the duty in every respect.

Dean Felipe leaves this Post at 9 o'clock this day  
rides a Government animal, and will be in the States

Yours Truly

Very respectfully

Your most obedt servt

David Archer

1<sup>st</sup> Lieut 3<sup>rd</sup> Ft

R. P. Archer

Capt J. C. McFerran.

A. I. M. U. S. A.

Albuquerque

N. M.

mmmmmm



per Williams

In reference to Henry  
Mantain & Sons

~~July 15<sup>th</sup> 1871~~

M. B. *Walt*

Freemont  
July 15-1864

I am informed that Mr  
Henry Martin & his two sons  
Wesley Martin & Jasper Martin  
are in Custody of the Military  
authorities at Captain Sa-  
cerd & am requested to state  
what I know of the Character  
& Standing of said parties.  
I have known them all  
for years. Was born & was  
grew to manhood within a  
few miles of Mr. Martin's  
& since, have known Mr.  
Martin & sons well & in-  
timately. Had much busi-  
ness with some of them  
and in efforts are pleas-  
ure to bear testimony in  
reference to the Character  
& Standing of the parties  
& can say I have ever  
found them good & wor-  
thy citizens - and know

they have ever been so re-  
garded & esteemed by all who  
knew them. Mr. Henry Mar-  
tin has ever been regarded  
as a man of sterling integ-  
rity & character.

Oliver is yet young, but has  
been an active business  
man for some years,  
& has commanded gener-  
al confidence & esteem.  
Jasper is still younger, but  
all I have seen or known  
of him entitles him to  
confidence & esteem.  
They have differed with  
me in the infirmities of the  
day, are secessionists, but  
I have no personal know-  
ledge of their doings in  
their respect. Mr. Henry  
Martin is an impulsive  
man, excitable & ultra  
in his feelings & opinions  
& under excitement I  
would think might be  
for the time impudent.

but with time for  
reflection would be  
himself again. He is  
a man of good reso-  
lutions & feelings & pur-  
poses. The doors are  
less excitable & I think  
I am confident that  
any promises or en-  
dorsements or appearan-  
ces they may give will be  
faithfully kept by them

E. B. Hall

Beutaus Ferry Va July 15/61  
From a <sup>personal</sup> and intimate acquaintance  
with Mr H. Martin & sons I most  
freely corroborate the above state-  
ments  
Jos S Morris

A. J. Ballou

Statement in  
reference to the  
Mortuary, New  
York July 15/61

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Frontytown July  
17-1861

I would just say  
in reference to Mr Henry Martin  
I saw him in Frontytown  
with his gun a goring the  
courthouse of our county  
with other men <sup>whom they had with</sup> the  
<sup>as was</sup> Lutherin army was in our  
county I saw him start  
away with the cavalry to near  
Philippe also Jasper Martin  
on said day with his gun  
als Gerge Seer I believe  
they left our town with the  
cavalry als as for Mr  
Chas Martin I dont think  
I ever saw him with a  
gun ~~to~~ at any time I do

Special Memorandum  
as to City Police Corps  
their names Etc

Aug. 1861.

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Ritzgers

# Night Police

## Secessionists

|                    |                  |
|--------------------|------------------|
| Martin George S.   | Captain          |
| Lee William        | "                |
| <del>_____</del>   | <del>_____</del> |
| Boatford R. A.     | Lieut.           |
| John John          | "                |
| Cough Adam         | Sergeant         |
| Harrigan Laurence  | do               |
| Heffernan John     | do               |
| Burgess Thomas     | do               |
| Banning _____      | do               |
| Burns William      | Private          |
| Cody Edward        | do               |
| Carroll William    | do               |
| Darlington Gabriel | do               |
| Graham John        | do               |
| Haley John         | do               |
| Haley William      | do               |
| Jackson H. A.      | do               |
| Kessler Geo. H.    | do               |
| Martin E. M.       | do               |
| Murray Daniel      | do               |
| Nealon J. A.       | do               |
| McGuire Michael    | do               |
| McCann Patrick     | do               |
| McCanna John       | do               |
| Robinson David     | do               |
| Riley Patrick      | do               |
| Richards William   | do               |
| Skerritt John      | do               |
| Stegens J. S.      | do               |
| Sutton R. S.       | do               |
| Steward Charles    | do               |

## Unionists

|                    |          |
|--------------------|----------|
| Metter William     | Lieut.   |
| Francis Aaron      | Sergeant |
| Nicks James        | Private  |
| Lusk Caspar        | do       |
| Bowlin Thomas      | do       |
| Combes William     | do       |
| Finch Justice      | do       |
| Flinn James        | do       |
| Gregory Joseph     | do       |
| Martin Geo. G.     | do       |
| Miller Adam        | do       |
| Worbeck Christian  | do       |
| Radford John       | do       |
| Rigan John         | do       |
| Ressaw John        | do       |
| Ornull A. J.       | do       |
| Trummiller Mathias | do       |
| Walsh John         | do       |
| Welsh John         | do       |
| Swiney Owen        | do       |

## Secessionists Continued

|                 |         |
|-----------------|---------|
| Williams Robert | Private |
| Pegan William   | do      |
| English John    | do      |
| Cain David      | do      |



Having personal knowledge I can safely say the balance  
of the night police lately appointed by the Commissioners  
(the names of those given were members of the old police with  
but two exceptions and their names appear on the loyal  
side) are Democrats. As to the Day Police I see among  
them known extreme Democrats and without good con-  
sideration to recommend them to the place they now fill,  
two in particular Sergeant Morrill and Private Grace.

They are manufacturing cannon for <sup>Said to be</sup> Dimick on  
Main St. opposite Gilley's Foundry, there are  
four or five cast and buried in the sand for  
concealment, some where about the premises.

There is a man at the "Evereth House" acting  
in capacity of steward, is constantly getting  
information from a woman or women employ-  
ed as servants at the headquarters of Gen.  
Fremont, every thing done or said around  
the Office or at the table is carried by them  
to some person or persons in the neighborhood  
of "Planters House", it would be well to set  
a trap for them and catch them as I have  
every reason to think it is a fact.  
E. No 3.

Prévost Marshal. District of St. Louis.

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OFFICIAL BUSINESS.

Special Report

"E."

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Aug. 23.

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Aug 23<sup>rd</sup> / 61.

Shaw in the Gun shop at Arsenal and other parties report that Thomas Russell is very abusive and threatening to parties - has two muskets in his house and other arms - he is on the police at this time and resides on Decalb St - bet. Picotte and Berparance each side -

J. M. Gunn resides on Washington St. at the house of Edw. Ware - native of Mass. has three brothers; one in Memphis - one in Nashville the other in Cuba, has resided in Southern Ill. until recently is agent for the 'Mills Association' he is said to be a strong Union man.

There has been a boat at night at 'Laffin's Powder Magazine' in the upper part of the city unloading large boxes and kegs - under suspicious circumstances. the place is said (by some parties) to be undermined.

Clark on 3<sup>rd</sup> St. east side - above Market bookseller gave the information

Hornick on 6<sup>th</sup> St. bet Morgan & Franklin St. brands U.S. horses - said to be unauthorized  
to

Special Report  
from "E."

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Aug. 23.

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Baldwin, silver plate = Price as witness

Woodson

Walter

Bray

Dr. Stevens = making mine bullets - supposed to have arms, secreted about his premises.

Jaylors

Morris

Dorsett

This list left by Dr. Hall. It has also been given to Col. McNeil, together with description of houses and dis-  
posed. signed. "E."

all spots where witnesses

Dispatch No 254

Commander Fort  
Sackenburg

Aug 5th 1861

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*[Faint, mostly illegible cursive text, likely bleed-through from the reverse side of the page]*

Headquarters A. O. W. V  
Clarksburg, Va  
August 5 1861

Copy  
Commander Post  
Parkersburg.

The General Commanding directs me to inform you that two slaves have escaped from their master Wm E Arnold of Weston Lewis County Va, taking with them 3 horses, a Bay horse & sorrel mare. One of the boys skin is about 16 years old, well grown, robust mostly black had on a check coat white felt hat & new shoes. The other Fred is very black, smaller than the other had on summer suit. They left last night in direction of Parkersburg by the Parkersburg & Staunton road. If found have them arrested & held for their owner who goes down this afternoon.

Joseph Dair Jr  
A. O. W. V. Camp



Dispatch No 250

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Mayor Burke  
Buckhannon Va

Aug 5<sup>th</sup> 1861

at

Head Quarters A.C.M.V.  
Charleburg Va  
Aug 5<sup>th</sup> 1861

Major Burke  
Buckhannon

Send Lynch to Charleburg  
by first opportunity, send out & capture James Wilson  
Jonathan Marsh & Adam Summers between Buck-  
hannon & Weston road in Skin Creek Country & send  
them to Charleburg. They are charged with assaulting  
& abusing a union man on account of Union sentiments.  
Send a descriptive list after the style of muster roll  
of prisoners, in duplicate - W. B. Rowcrans,  
Brig. Genl U.S.A.

(Copies)

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Aug 1861  
Cal.

8 1/2 miles from Blackburg on  
the Buckhannon road

August 14<sup>th</sup> 1861

Gen. Rosecrans,

Sir, I have the honor to submit to you the following report, the contents of which I learned from reliable sources, and taking everything into consideration, I am of opinion the following citizens residing in the neighborhood are dangerous.

John P. Rice, voted for secession, he says he never intends taking the oath, and that the union men that inform on him will never enforce on another he also says he has never taken the oath.

Dr. Sawyer, who resides on the Phillips place 2 miles from the Buckhannon road, is considered the most mischievous man in the vicinity.

John C. Hutcheson voted for secession, and harbors Isaac Hanson, who is suspected of carrying the secession mail.

C. J. Norman, voted for secession, at whose house secession meetings are held frequently.

I have refused to take these men without order, but I have searched the premises of James Norman and James Hutcheson, where I had been informed arms were concealed but without finding any. My company leave for Buckhannon this evening, leaving repaired the road within seven miles from Blackburg.

I also enclose a protest by union men against the influence of Mr. Wellington Martin.

John G. Butters postmaster at this place is my principal authority. I have the honor to be

your humble servant  
A. L. McPatrick Cap 5<sup>th</sup> Regt O.V.

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Special Report

U.S. A.  
L.

Aug 29, 1911

C. L.

St. Louis Aug 29<sup>th</sup> /61  
Spafford <sup>has</sup> left here, said to have gone to Cairo  
has not been here for a number of days.

W<sup>m</sup> Smith & Robert Pea keepers of stable  
on Brady near Cass Ave. have sent some  
horses and mules to the rebels some time  
since. Smith is absent from city and has  
been for some time; supposed to be in their  
army; his place is filled by a man called  
Hobbs.

Chas. Annis, a loud secessionist, is acting as  
foreman of the establishment. The following  
persons are generally to be found in and  
about the stable, all said to be bitter 'secesh'.

Jerry & James Davis. Steamboatmen. Residence  
N. W. cor of 9<sup>th</sup> & Chestnut Sts.

Bennett Richards & Hollingsworth members  
of the Police. Headquarters for men of that  
stripe.

One door of 'Diana Saloon' N<sup>o</sup> 45 - N. 3<sup>rd</sup> St  
was opened yesterday, contrary to orders.

Antoine Krutz; or. or. cor of Livelfth & Wash Sts,  
open house.

N. E. cor - 7<sup>th</sup> & Pine Sts. Saloon, also open.

No 59, Green St. A. - same  
Old Centre St. <sup>House</sup> 365 Market St. same  
Louis Hulke 363. Market St. ditto  
Astor House on Franklin Ave. bet 4<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup>  
kept by Oberman, Taab ditto  
Broadway bet Cass & Biddle No 334.

6.

From J. W. Burpoirt  
to Gov. De Witt relating  
to Prisoners.

Aug. 25<sup>th</sup> / 61.

Sundry Papers  
relating to Prison-  
ers.

etc



# The Commonwealth of Virginia.

EXEC. DEPT.  
Executive Department,

Wheeling, Aug. 25 1861.

Gov. Denison -  
Columbus Ohio.

Dear Sir -

I herewith forward  
you nine prisoners with the papers sent to  
me. It appears to be the wish of Gen Rose  
Evans that they be sent to your charge.  
All the soldiers in Camp Carlisle will  
be discharged in a day or two, and  
I have no means of guarding them. They  
are men of desperate character - and will  
have to be held until an investigation of  
their case can be made.

I am yours &c  
S. H. Rippsind

Sergeant Moore. Co. F. 23 Ohio Vol. has charge  
of the prisoners -

S. H. R.

Head Quarters Army  
Occupation Clubhouse  
May 2<sup>nd</sup> 1864

To His Excellency  
Gen Sherman

I have the very honor and  
pleasure to inform you that they  
are said to be a band of Quakers  
and are of suspicious character

Respectfully

Wm. Marshall

Wm Marshall

List of persons sent under charge of Sergt.  
Moss to guard, to Clarksville Va. Aug 23<sup>d</sup> 1861

Capt. John Keith

James Moss

Geo. W. Moss

Clark Warner

John Maccomb

Samuel Jones

Elizabeth Bennett

Harville Bennett

Isaac Linder

Facby Matthews  
At Br 23<sup>d</sup> Regt.

Col Hughes.

Commander Co

Blacksburg

~~7th~~

Recd from O O A  
Salem Aug 24<sup>th</sup> 1861

Col. Hughes  
Commander Fort.

Salem Aug. I have Examined the following  
named Prisoner who was arrested as --  
belonging to a band of Guerrillas and in  
my opinion they had been reformed  
to Wheeling for safe keeping under the  
Surgeon General's orders. Can be substituted  
and used for your company to prevent  
harmful for the service with a Guard  
that you may detail for the purpose of  
accompanying them.

O  
Very truly  
Your obedient  
Plover Marshall

Enclosed find list of names

Descriptive List of  
Prisoners sent from  
French Creek to  
Buckhamons. In  
number. Charges  
within

Aug. 26<sup>th</sup> 1861

Lists

List of Prisoners sent from French Creek to  
Buckhannon, and sent from Buckhannon to Brig  
Gen. Rosencrans, on the 26<sup>th</sup> day of Aug. 1861.

(Copy)

1. Lewis Collins, Age 60; 6 ft 2 in. ht. fair complexion.

Charge: - aiding and abetting  
Secessionists and giving information  
to the enemy.

This man is represented as dangerous. He  
was present when the Braxton Co. rebels arrested Gen.  
Bourse, a Union man. Collins was there and had a  
musket and bayonet with him, which could not  
be found afterwards on his premises. He is known  
in Buckhannon, and says that he got the musket  
from M<sup>r</sup> Cree, the leader of the rebels on Hacker's  
Creek.

2. Lewis Snyder, Age 52. height 5 feet 9 inch. com. fair.

Charge: - Harboring Secession marauders from  
Webster Co. and giving aid, information and comfort  
to the enemy.

This man kept the Webster rebels at his  
house for some time; is a leading spirit down  
on the Kanawha. He gave information concerning  
these rebels to me. He attempted to conceal himself  
when taken, and it was his wife who when her  
husband was taken ran across the hills and gave  
information to the rebel camp of our men being in the  
country.

3. J. H. Jerroll, Age 28. Height 5 ft. 10 inch. Com. fair.  
Is suspicious of being a spy. This man took  
the oath at Buckhannon. He came to our camp,  
enquired the number of men, number of tents, number  
sleeping in a tent when and where we would march,  
&c. &c. He is a roving fellow, and if the enemy  
were any place near would certainly be active  
in their cause.

Signed,

J. W. Burpee

Major 10<sup>th</sup> Ohio. Com. Post.

Buckhannon, Va. Aug. 26. 1861

Brig. Gen. Rosecrans, U. S. A.

Sir:

The above prisoners were sent  
to these Headquarters by Major Burpee of the 10<sup>th</sup> Ohio,  
then in command at French Creek. From an ex-  
amination I find the charges fully sustained,  
and have been unable to elicit any new facts.  
I therefore send them to you for disposal, in  
connection with.

J. W. Kinsey 37<sup>th</sup> Ind. Age 53. Height 5 ft. 8 in. Comp. Florid.

Is represented as a dangerous man. A strong  
Secessionist, and exercises a good deal of influence  
among his neighbors, prejudicial to the Union cause.  
When arrested, a rifle, loaded, was found in his  
house. Has been with the Secession army, and intends  
to return as soon as his home duties would  
permit him to absent himself.



S. J. William J. Long, Age 40. Height 5ft 7 inch. Com. fair.

Was arrested about four miles from Buckingham, while trying to make his escape through the woods. He is generally supposed to be a Rebel spy. No satisfactory information can be gleaned from him as to his purpose in being in this vicinity. Think him smarter than his appearance denotes.

Respectfully

S. H. Drumming, Col. 5<sup>th</sup> Reg.  
Commanding Post.

Genl W B Rossmore  
Col E F Cannon  
Weston

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Aug 6<sup>th</sup> 1861

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~~City of~~  
~~Massachusetts~~

Head Quarters A.O.W.V.  
Clarksburg Va Aug 6<sup>th</sup> 1861

Col O. J. Scammon

Weston Va

The commanding  
General directs me to inform you that  
J. R. Rhua and S. A. Weeks prisoners  
have been sent to Columbus, O. for safe  
keeping. Please see that the enclosed  
letters are duly forwarded. & the  
parties written to allowed to send  
letters here or any comforts for their  
friends, which will be forwarded  
to Columbus.

Mrs Rhua can have  
the horse referred to in her husbands  
letter provided there is no direct proof  
of its having been used for the  
benefit of the enemy.

Very respectfully  
Joseph Barr Jr  
A. V. A

Please request Mr E. Arnold of  
Weston to take of charge of horse & buggy  
belonging to J. S. Fisher sent to  
Columbus today, they are at Dent's  
Hotel in Clarksburg. I will  
also write to Arnold.

Copy

By Order  
Brig Genl. Rorer  
U. S. A

Report of

Snyder  
Collins  
Juroth  
Wash  
Long

2/1

any 24/63  
Prisoners  
"

Headquarters A. O. W. V.  
Clarksburg Va  
Aug 30/61

Brig. Gen. Rorerans  
U. S. A.

Sir:

I have the honor to report  
having received the following prisoners from  
Onethannon

- No 1 Lewis Collins
- " 2 Lewis Snyder
- " 3 Lt. Ferrell
- " 4 McKissey Ward
- " 5 Wm. F. Long

From the evi-  
dence against them in the papers which accom-  
panied them have thought best & recommend  
that they be sent to Columbus as prisoners  
for safe keeping.

Very respectfully  
Joseph Darrin  
Acting Provost Marshal

Approved

W. S. Rorerans  
Brig. Gen. U. S. A.

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Copy  
Letter

Headquarters AOW

Clarksburg

Aug 17

1861

Perpoint Governor  
Wheeling  
Va

A list of prisoners

Citizens

Copy.

Headquarters AOW  
Clarksburg W. Va.  
Aust 17<sup>th</sup> 1861

Gov. Pierpont  
Wheeling.

I send you the following  
prisoners for safe keeping

- No 1 David Stutter
- " 2 Andrew Gault
- " 3 Burton Gault
- " 4 Wm Gordon
- " 5 Benj Braden

testimony against

whom will be sent

- " No 1 Cooper Dr
- " " 2 Price
- " " 3 Roach

testimony enclosed

herewith

W. T. Roarans

W. T. Roarans

Major U.S.A.

Note

Three last not sent -



Special Report as  
Frank Taylor &  
Robert Jurat City  
of St. Louis  
Aug 20 1861

Provost Marshal. District of St. Louis.

SPECIAL BUSINESS.

Special Report  
as to Frank Taylor  
& Robert Jerrut

of Col. McNeil.

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Aug. 23, 1861.

Headquarters U.S. R.C.  
Fort Mifflin Aug 23<sup>d</sup> 1861

Maj J. M. Trusty  
Provost Marshall

Sir

I beg leave to  
report the arrest of two prisoners  
Mr Frank Taylor

On Charge of brutally assaulting  
a Soldier. Upon the testimony of  
reliable witnesses the charge is well  
sustained

Mr Robt Serrot

Charged with disturbing the peace  
and insulting quiet Citizens passing  
along the street, & insulting U.S. Soldiers  
by humming for "Jeff Davis". This  
charge is also sustained.

I have placed them in  
the Military Prison, waiting your  
disposition

I am Sir

Yr obt Servt

John Merie  
Commandant of Post Mifflin

Special Report  
as to Frank Taylor

of Robert Jensen  
of Capt. W. Schuch

Aug. 23, 1864

Head Quarters. 3 Regt U.S. A.  
Saint Louis Aug 28 1861

Sir.

The first Prisoner Robert Jarrot.  
was arrested last Tuesday ~~morning~~  
evening by Supt Lohman  
for disturbing the peace and inciting  
quiet Citizens passing along the  
street. Resulting U.S. Soldiers by  
Murraking for Jeff Davis.

Said Jarrot is never employed  
but is always seen loitering  
about the bar rooms of the  
10th ward. And several times  
within the past two months  
has been seen with weapons such as  
Bowie Knives and revolvers flourishing  
them while on the street. And swearing  
he would kill ~~any~~ damned Home-  
Guard he might chance to meet.

The second Prisoner Brooks  
Taylor is arrested for assaulting  
a Sergeant of this Regiment while  
quietly passing along the street  
as reported yesterday.

Norman Schur  
Commanding Company  
5th Reg. U.S. A.

Go John McNeil  
Col Commanding Regiment

Charge against  
Frank Taylor.

Aug 24.

See order no. 50.

Head Quarters 5 Reg: M.S.R. Corp  
St Louis August 29. 1864

Sir

Last Sunday morning a man named Frank Taylor residing on the N.W. Corner of Cass & 24<sup>th</sup> Street and bearing a Character notorious for enmity and vindictiveness against this Government, feeling himself aggrieved that his name had been handed to the Union Safety Committee of the 10<sup>th</sup> Ward, as a man who was in league with traitors trying to subvert this Government, and suspecting that a member of this Regiment had been the Author of the information to said Committee took the occasion to revenge himself upon Sergeant Schmidt - falling him to the ground & wounding him severely in the head

This morning said Frank Taylor was arrested by a Corporal Guard & brought into these Head Quarters & placed into the Guard House where he will remain, waiting orders from your office.

Respectfully  
Hiram Schuch Command

To Col. John M. Mil by order of Colonel  
Commanding U.S.A. Chas. L. Spigel  
P.S. It was impossible to report heretofore as it would endanger the Prisoners Safety

Special Report  
E.  
Aug 28/61

*W. G.*

Provost Marshal. District of St. Louis.

OFFICIAL BUSINESS.



Special Report  
"B"  
C.

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Aug. 28.

St. Louis Aug 28<sup>th</sup>  
Colt. Raphael of St. Louis left on the  
train this morning for Jefferson City,  
Refer to Jas. O. Broadhead for further particulars

Richardson of the New York Tribune Room  
No. 31 of "Barnums Hotel" brother-in-law to  
Spafford who is still absent from city -

George Norton, noisy and violent against the  
Government - References Jones - Sewer builder  
on Chestnut St. - and Cook & Matthews dyers.

The following drinking houses were open  
yesterday -

Wm. Pape. 27 1/2 Market St -

Louis Wolfe. No. 3. South Second St.

Michael Lutter, Looze, bet. Almond & Poplar.

H. J. Kuentz No. 69. S. Second St.

C. Schuetto, N. E. cor. Main & O'Fallon,

Schanella Exchange on Vine St bet. 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup>

South West Corner of E. St Charles & 7<sup>th</sup> St

Houses open

W. Roscoe, South West Corner Main <sup>(Colne 48)</sup>  
 J. Sherlock No 21 South Levee  
 Charles Keilly " 19 " "  
 Banks " 1 North "  
 Dennis Mooney 83 " "  
 John Gallahan 89 " "  
 John Crowley 91 " "  
 Fillmore House Levee & Morgan  
 City of Atton Saloon No 6 North Levee.  
 Bar Room kept by an Italian  
 on the north side of Olive between 48 & 5<sup>th</sup>

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Picked  
took oath

Aug 18, 61

cut-

Bull Run. Aug 18<sup>th</sup> 1861

To all whom it may concern  
Be it known unto you that we the  
undersigned do hereby certify that Daniel  
Howes. Harrison Frymore. Jesse Childs  
Silvestia Monroe Senr. and Silvestia Monroe Senr  
are traitors to the United States government  
and dangerous workers in secret. and we  
further declare that we do not consider  
our families our property nor our own  
lives safe whilst the above named persons  
are allowed to run at large. and we further  
more declare they (the above named) have threatened  
the lives and property <sup>of Union men</sup> and have lain in ambush  
with the avowed purpose of killing W. C. Barr.  
Because of his attachment to the Union cause  
and his refusal to become part and parcel in their  
traitorous schemes. This we declare to be the truth  
the whole truth and nothing but the truth  
So help me God.

John W. Butters  
E. D. Hooper  
E. Barr  
Charles Brooks  
C. C. Sideman

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~~Citizens~~

Aug 30, 61

West-Union Aug 30<sup>th</sup> 1861

Col. D. F. Hervey

Dear Sir

Men Co. Bee & Men Wilson Brought a Prisoner here  
this morning that they took in Calhoun County  
therefore I send the Prisoner & the two-witnesses  
to you, and I hope you will give him his  
dues

yours Most Obedt Servt

J. W. Perry

Relating  
to prisoner  
Geo Wilson

at Clarksburg

Aug. 30<sup>th</sup> / 64

(W)

Citizen



Fairmount

August 23/61  
Ephraim Beecher.

I received your letter some days since - I was just starting to wheeling to attend Convention did not answer but put your letter in the hands of the officers here for their information & direction & they took a memorandum of it & sent it to the Governor to put him in looking up the parties & that he might understand what to do with the parties when he gets them. We had arrested Cain & will be fore receiving your letter & they are gone to Camp Chase near Columbus Ohio - we got one horse, the one I had some belonging to the young man who called on me to day with a letter from

you - I put Linn on the  
track to find his horse  
to identify him the horse  
was taken from one of  
the Merrill of our Co  
who I believe is related  
to some of the rebel horse  
dealers -

Price & Cunningham have  
not failed to come  
before a justice here at  
the time their recognizances  
required them to attend  
& our officers are on the  
look out for them -  
Keep a look out for them  
in your direction -

That old man George Wilson,  
who wrote the letter in pos-  
session of your young  
man who called on me  
today - ought to be arrested  
the letter shows that he  
was in cooperation with

his son Wm. C. Wilson & Crin  
in the horse business  
I told the young man  
to give the letter to our  
Captain here & explain  
to him all he knew also  
at it. We are on the  
alert - have recaptured  
several horses & followed  
& got one at Columbus  
Miss. Md. a few days  
since, that had been  
stolen from D. Carpenter  
near our town -

Keep your eyes open &  
keep the ball rolling &  
keep me posted - I am  
glad to hear from you  
always & have evidence  
that you are at work

Yours truly  
E. B. Hall

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P. M. 1861

J. M. Gipsman

Pittsburg Aug 11/64

Dear

Dear

about - million  
and also had  
after to take a  
feel he had  
nothing a  
and a man  
I know - with  
if you can do  
me do it at  
order you can  
your money

Pittsburg Aug 17<sup>th</sup>

Dear Col. S. Block  
U.S. Army

My brother Chas. Givner requested  
me to write to you saying  
that he saw you in Philadelphia  
the other day & have just returned  
from three months service in  
the army and being anxious  
to serve my country some  
way or other I thought I would  
write to you and ask you  
if you could do any thing for  
me I was in Col. Roberts  
men before he left - was at Haverly  
& was offered Lieutenantcy in  
the company but I thought I was  
~~not~~ not able to take a  
company in the field not  
knowing any very much

about mallework at that time  
and also how the affairs of one  
now but the company is not  
able to take a company in the  
field he. I think I would  
do nothing about soldering  
and a name of that kind  
I do not wish to be with  
if you can do any thing for  
me do it at a reasonable rate  
what you can and oblige  
your most  
obedient

J. M. Gibson

Please answer

and oblige

J. M. Gibson  
10/1/50

J. O. Johnson

Chic. 10/1/1904

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Mr. Johnson's address given

San Kelly & Son

Springfield

Manufacture of

100

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K 12 240

Plattsburgh Barracks N.Y.

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August 1<sup>st</sup> 1861.

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Com. Sergt. J. E. Kelly, res.  
In Charge of Post.

Asks authority to issue rations  
to two women (Mrs. Jones + Kelly)  
of Co. "K" 2<sup>nd</sup> Regt. who are in a  
destitute condition -

See Ad. Order No 33.

Recd J. E. Kelly 2, 1861

Plattsburgh Barracks, N.Y.

July 31. 1861.

Lieut. E. W. H. Read, A. D. C.

Ad. Ins. Dept. of the East  
Troop, N.Y.

Sir

Permit me to have the honor to state that Mrs. Kelly & Mrs. Jones, two women belonging to Co. "K" 2nd Artillery, but who are not authorized laundresses, are entirely without the means of making a living. And not having received any money from their husbands since last February, leaves them, as well as their families, in a very destitute condition. ~~Also~~

I have been "unofficially" informed that there are some women (who are equally destitute ~~and~~) applied for a help from the government and were successful - I would therefore, respectfully recommend Mrs. Kelly & Jones, to the kind consideration of the Maj. Genl. Comdg. for Relations

I am Sir  
Very Respectfully  
Yours obt. Servt.  
Geo. Kelly  
and his wife  
In charge of Post

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E. K. Lewis & others

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Tests

Sept. 61

La

E. K. Inverse

Mrs. C. Kennett

Crescent City - Pa.

Mechanics & Tools  
Sullivan State

of our orders

to

John J. Anderson

St Louis Mo Sept 12 1861

Brigadier General Postmaster

Provost Marshall of St Louis

Sir;

The Crescent City Bank of New Orleans has a large claim in suit in the St Louis Circuit Court on bill of exchange amounting to about \$32,500 against John J. Anderson &c.

The Mechanics & Traders Bank of New Orleans have two judgments in same Court on the same parties. One for over \$4,000, & the other for over \$5,000.

The Louisiana State Bank has a judgment in the same Court against same parties for about \$3600.

Ephraim K. Converse & William C. Kennedy of New Orleans, have a judgment in same Court against the same parties for about \$800.

Mr Anderson resides here. All these parties are domiciled in Louisiana, and he informs me are aiding the rebellion. Mr Anderson says some \$23,000 of his funds in New Orleans have been in some way confiscated there.

Now, can not both parties in this war play at this game of confiscation?

If you desire I will send Mr Anderson

To Your At. Attention as well sent the  
Condemner and he will give you  
full information on the subject.

Yours respectfully

James C. Moody

Atty of N. H. Anderson

St Louis Mo Sept 20 81

A B Greene Esq  
Apt Row Marshall

Sir:

On the receipt of your  
note of the 19<sup>th</sup> I sent one to  
Mr Geo Anderson requesting  
him to call immediately - I  
am informed by his brother  
that he was then & still is absent  
from the city - but will be back  
in a day or two - As soon as he  
returns I will take him to see  
you.

Yours &c.

James Chookey

Gov. Pierpont  
244 to  
Genl. Rosser  
Sept 16<sup>th</sup> 1864

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W. R.



Whiting

Genl Rouseau M.W.  
I am informed by good authority  
that the following named men  
Ephraim Wells James Wise Robt  
T McEldowney Fred Cox Jr &  
Isaac Wiley are now in  
Braxton County for the purpose  
of aiding & assisting in this  
rebellion these men are of Putt  
County Va

J H Pinnpoint

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248  
Bond 30,000.

C. B.

James W. Peirce

Thomas Peirce

John W. Peirce

John R. Peirce

Rolls Co. etc.

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Know all men by these presents that we Thomas  
H. Priest, Thomas Priest, Isham Wynn,  
Richard Plowce, as principals, of the County  
of Ralls, state of Missouri, and George W. Wiley  
of the County of St. Louis, in said state as security  
are held and firmly bound unto the United States  
of America, for ourselves our heirs, Executors and  
administrators, and assigns in the penal sum  
of Thirty thousand Dollars, lawful money of the  
said United States, to the payment of which  
will and duly to be made, we bind ourselves, our  
heirs executors and administrators firmly by these  
presents, Sealed with our seals and dated this  
26<sup>th</sup> day of September A.D. Eighteen hundred  
& fifty one.

The condition of the above obligation is such  
that whereas the above bounden Thomas H. Priest,  
Thomas Priest, Isham Wynn & Richard Plowce,  
are now confined in the St. Louis Arsenal on a  
charge of disloyalty to the Government of the  
United States, now if the above bounden,  
Thomas H. Priest, Thomas Priest, Isham Wynn & Richard  
Plowce, shall, during the present war, conduct  
themselves as true and loyal citizens of the said  
United States, and shall not join with, render  
aid or assistance, to or in anywise give aid and combat  
either directly or indirectly to the Enemies of the  
said United States Government, then this

Obligation to be void, but otherwise shall remain in  
full force & Effect,

Witness our hands and seals the day &  
year last above written,

|                 |      |
|-----------------|------|
| Thos. M. Priest | Seal |
| Thos. Priest    | Seal |
| John Winn       | Seal |
| Math. Howman    | Seal |
| Geo. M. Wiley   | Seal |

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Exchange Bk  
Westminster  
London

Edinburgh

Apr 26 '61



520  
Edinburgh

Office Exchange Bank of Va  
Weston Sept. 26<sup>th</sup> 1861

Genl. W. S. Ransom

Dear Sir

On the 20<sup>th</sup> of July last Col. E. B. Dyer  
took possession of some thousand & eighty two dollars from this bank  
deposited by the following named persons, standing to their credit viz:

John Boaninn \$1200

W. M. Sumner 380.43

John E. Lynch 500. - - \$2080.43

Col. Dyer stated that he would report his action in the matter  
without delay, & after an investigation it might be that the money  
would be returned. Having heard nothing from him since on the  
subject, and supposing that it comes proper under your jurisdiction, I  
take the liberty of troubling you with this statement, with the request  
and hope that you will have the money returned to us.

I enclose copy of the receipt left with me by Col. Dyer, also copy  
of a letter recently issued by the Secretary of State bearing on the matter.

Your kind & early attention will oblige

Yours very respectfully

R. S. Randolph

\* which you may not yet have seen -

Copy

Wester Va July 20<sup>th</sup> 1861

By the authority vested in me as Colonel of the 7<sup>th</sup> Ohio Regiment, I have this day taken possession of the funds placed to the credit of the following names at the Branch of the Exchange Bank of Virginia at Weston as follows, to wit:

|                                   |            |
|-----------------------------------|------------|
| John Brannon in Sterling Currency | \$1,200.00 |
| Wm E Lively in Eastern Virginia " | 500.00     |
| W H Turner in Exchange Bank "     | 380.00     |

Amounting in all to 2,080.00

the cashier protesting against my said action  
E. P. Tyler Col  
7<sup>th</sup> Ohio Regiment

I took possession of the Keys of the Bank per order of Maj. Genl McClellan on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of July 1861 and delivered them to \_\_\_\_\_ on the 20<sup>th</sup> day of July 1861

E. P. Tyler Col  
7<sup>th</sup> Ohio Regiment

WEST VIRGINIA

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RECEIVED  
JULY 20 1861  
WESTON VA

Special Report to

Sept 9/86

Dudderdige, - 4

Russell, Wm.

Cit

Provost Marshal. District of St. Louis.

OFFICIAL BUSINESS.



Special Report

E.

Sept 9/61

Sept 8<sup>th</sup> / 61

Dudderidge at Gunkley's coal oil store  
8<sup>th</sup> St. near Washington Ave. Englishman  
by birth, boasts of his protection by  
his government, but is constantly abusing  
the Officers of the army, the President  
and expressing strong secession senti-  
ments, when the report of Lyon's death  
was made, he jumped up and danced  
over it manifesting great pleasure, and  
is constantly showing all contempt  
possible both against the country and  
its Officers.

Witness J. Kelly 8<sup>th</sup> & Wash. Ave

A. S. Barnes " " "

J<sup>no</sup> Bailey " " "

Mr. Russell, formerly a member of the  
legislature from Leon Co. now at the  
Covered House, a traitor, one who assist-  
ed in the getting up of the first organ-  
ization in that county, for the purpose  
of defeating the Union men, the  
Officer at the "Big River Bridge"  
has five negroes of Russell's in his  
possession and it is to get these, that  
R. is here. Refer to Hopkins  
at the same house

C.

~~Post Office~~

U.S. Army

Sept. 30 1869

Relations with  
Barnett

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Referred to Provost  
Marshal file

Green Bay Wash  
J. K. Amos

Bellevue Lewis County Va.

Sept 30 1861.

Gen. Rosser

Sir,

John Keist and Hezekiah Bennett gentlemen whom I have known from boy hood, have been arrested and sent to Camp Chase - I have prepared a few affidavits relative to Keist. The persons who made the affidavits are very worthy citizens and strictly reliable. There were several other worthy men present who would have made oath to the same, but I deemed it unnecessary to state more.

Mr. William Meeks who lives near Jacksonsville, who is acquainted with all the people in the section of Bennett & Keist, <sup>will hand this letter & the accompanying</sup> Mr. Meeks is a Union man and a very honorable gentleman - and faith and credit can be given to any thing he may state relative to the memorial which he will present you relative to Mr. Hezekiah Bennett & send you to what sort of men they are.

If you think it advisable to release Bennett & Keist, I have faith in the belief they will be loyal men.

I am a stranger to you. But a  
(Brother)

to Wm. E. Arnold of Leicester with whom  
(as I am informed) <sup>you</sup> had a slight acquain-  
tance

~~Sept 20~~

Wm. E. Arnold

Sept. 30 1869

Relations w/ Health

W. E. Arnold

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referred to Arnold  
as near whole file

Yours very respectfully  
Wm. E. Arnold

United States

Ms  
Mculloch

W H Dewitt

Apr 1861

*[Faint, mostly illegible handwritten text, possibly bleed-through from the reverse side of the page]*

State of Missouri  
County of Buchanan

Personally appeared, before  
the undersigned Provest Marshal for the city  
of St Joseph, William H. De Witt, who being duly  
sworn says, I live at Savannah, Andrew County  
State of Missouri. On Saturday before Col. Lemor  
came to St Joseph, in September A.D. 1861, one  
McLulloch, who lives in the eastern part, of the county  
came into the town of Savannah, riding a black  
stallion, at a swift gait, and saying at the  
top of his voice "The Jayhawkers are coming";  
repeating it several times, and riding toward town,  
I know that he referred to Col. Lemor's men,  
James Beck and several other secessionists took  
the alarm and left town immediately. Within an  
hour or an hour and a half a company of Lemor's  
men under command of Capt. Heshorn, came into  
town.

William H. De Witt  
Marshal

Witness L. McDismore

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*Sp. 651*

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Office of Provost Judge  
Alexandria, Va. Sept 6. 1861

Dear Sir:

In compliance with your order, per Provost Marshal Hyatt to me, I have this day examined the witnesses in the case of Joseph McCann and Richard Leitchford, and herewith submit the same for your further orders.

I have both prisoners in clean confinement, and shall keep them so until I learn from you whether to discharge or hand them over to Court-herald. They and their friends (who are among the most respectable residents of this city) are anxious to learn your decision. The witnesses examined in their behalf are acknowledged to be worthy of all

confidence by the Union men of this  
city, some of whom have known  
them many years.

I await your further  
orders.

I have the honor to  
remain very Respectfully  
Yours at Servt.

J. R. Reese  
Asst. Adjt. Gen & Quartermaster.

To  
Maj. Gen. Franklin,  
Present. —

## Runaway Slaves

arrested while  
crossing the river  
above Cairo by  
Capt Wm. Eads

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Sept 18/61

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etc

4 Wagoned Men

✓ Levi White belonging to Rob<sup>n</sup> White Mississippi County Missouri. 5ft 9in high 22 years old

✓ Austin Huff belonging to Wm Huff Mississippi County Missouri abouts 27 years old 5ft 7in high

✓ Jacob Cotton belonging to Wm Cotton Mississippi County 28 years old 5ft 9in high

✓ Abner Oliver Johnson belonging to Wm Huff Mississippi County Mo about 30 years old 5, 9 in

Taken about two miles above Curio, while crossing the river on a Raft

Taken By Capt William Edds  
Commanding US Chartered Ste Empress

Citizens 252 @

Palmyra Sept 14

See Register Sept 15

that Col Moore

took some horses  
and mules.

Sept 1861.

C. S.

Palmyra Sept: 16<sup>th</sup> 1861.

Brig: Gen: Pope  
Sir:

While in this County  
Col: D Moore, Command, took  
from one Vincent Foreman a  
mule, - from Daniel McCleod  
two horses, - and from Wm. Ryrd  
four horses. The Col: refuses to  
restore the property or to give  
the parties any voucher there-  
for, but has taken all with  
him in his march towards  
Canton & the North. From our  
long acquaintance with these  
gentlemen we are well satisfied  
they have done nothing that will  
justify the severe measures toward  
them adopted by Col: Moore. We  
believe they are all loyal Citizens.  
They desire to appeal to you for  
redress, and ask that until you  
can hear their appeal you enjoin  
Col: Moore from carrying  
the property beyond the  
reach of the parties, in case

of an ultimate decision  
favorable to them -

We are very Respectfully

Your obt serv<sup>ts</sup>.

John D. S. Dryden

A. S. Lipscomb

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City



Head Quarters Clarkburg Va.  
September 21<sup>st</sup> 1861.

Order No. 3

Sergeant H. H. Linck with five (5) Privates of Comp<sup>y</sup>. A. 3<sup>rd</sup> Virginia Regiment will take charge of Prisoners Christian Jury, Christian Smith, Jacob Thornsberry, Jesse H. West, and Geo. W. Richards, with whom he will proceed on this morning's Train to Columbus C., where he will report immediately to Governor Dennison & turn over his prisoners.

Sergeant H. H. Linck, after having performed his duty, will return with the Guard to this Post without unnecessary delay.

Chas. Lee

Captain U. S. Army,  
Comm<sup>d</sup> Post.

Special Report

"E"

Sept 2 1861

*Chas*

Provost Marshal. District of St. Louis.  
OFFICIAL BUSINESS.

Special Report

E. —

Sept 2<sup>d</sup> / 61

St. Louis Sept 25<sup>th</sup>  
Dan Woods, Pat. Mc<sup>o</sup> Kay, & M<sup>o</sup> Laughlin  
expressed themselves in the following  
manner, on the cor. of 14<sup>th</sup> & Spruce Sts  
"it was a damned good ball that killed  
Gen Lyon, the cowardly son of a bitch"  
and other disgraceful and disloyal  
remarks. they are <sup>city</sup> police force. at night  
James Newell. witness.

Benning a bill poster, on the cor. of 14<sup>th</sup> &  
Chestnut St. said "that every Union  
son of a bitch should be hung and  
would be soon," he is said to have arms  
in his house. Pollard. ex policeman, witness

Duncan, S. Carter. loud in his denunciation  
of the Federal Government - used very im-  
proper remarks regarding the 'Prosser  
Marshall' calling them a damned Scotch  
Highlander and questioning his right to  
close bars &c, that he had purchased a  
good rifle, and had a man to use it  
in the Southern cause; all this occurred

on the night of the 27<sup>th</sup> within the  
hearing of J. M. Rousseau + Adam Miller  
also a man by the name of Williams  
employed in the Quartermaster's office -  
quarantined with him at the same time  
leaving the Quartermaster's post.

William Dutton - bricklayer, a tall dark  
complexioned man living in the neighbor-  
hood of 17<sup>th</sup> + Biddle Sts. used the follow-  
ing expressions after hearing of the battle of  
"Springfield" "ah! another thousand of the  
damned Union sons of bitches have been  
made to bite the dust we will soon clean  
this State of the damned rascals."

Witness P. Goff - Capt. of Home  
Guards, residence Mrs. Elger. Cor of  
4<sup>th</sup> + Elm Sts.

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Leibnitz Sept 20-61  
about this chart

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Cat

Clarksburg  
Capt Joseph Barr Jr  
A. M.

Sept 20/64

I had Christian  
Turey, Christian Smith, Jacob Thornberry  
Jessie H. West, Geo W. Richards, E. O. Sperry  
arrested yesterday at Milford & got 16  
guns and one drum complaint was  
made that they were want's secessionists  
& had threatened the lives of citizens  
I am informed that you have some testimony  
against the 4 first named - Geo W. Richards  
Evidently knows something about the  
burning of the bridges near West Union  
there is nothing against ~~Geo~~ Richards  
save that he is a talking secessionist  
but will take the oath what shall  
I do with them

Richards

Chat Lieb  
Capt + a 2<sup>d</sup> M  
Evening Post

Winnipeg 250

about prisoners

1878-1881

or

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Apr 1864

Puckhamon J. Darr Jr  
P. M.

The following prisoners are the  
prisoners at this post, taken by our scouts  
in a late expedition: George W. Vance, Wm  
H. Peterson, Geo D. McCarty, Saml. P. Smith  
J. Coger W. Boggs Robt McCray

J. H. Dunning  
C. W. 5th Regt

sent the prisoners

Puckhamon J. Darr Jr  
Apr 19th

Wandering  
about prisoners

Cuckhamoon Sept 19<sup>th</sup>

Joseph Darr Jr

I have sent the prisoners  
to Columbus their names are  
W Vance Samuel Smith  
Jonas Longar Males Boggs  
J D McCarty  
Robt McCrea Wm H Peterson

S H Dunning  
Coal 5th Regt

Condy Post

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Smith  
done  
done  
done

Q. 1

Lebanon Sept 17<sup>th</sup> 61

Genl. Rosecrans

Gen James E. Deut and

Levi Hopkins now prisoners at Columbia

be released I gave you the papers

28<sup>th</sup> of August they were sent there

on suspicion you told me these when

times got quiet you would release

them Capt Joseph Barr has the

papers please answer

(P)

Yr S<sup>vt</sup> Smith

1861

Wyatt 258

Apr 4, 1861

Out

Clarkeburg Sept. 11. 1861

Capt J. Darr Jr

received  
Wilson

Addison Mayatt not been  
no. further evidence against

10 J. Herres

Col Comdg post

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Paul Lewis -

8/14

X

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J. M. Lewis -

1 St. Sep 1861. X

Alabama Printing House - 11<sup>th</sup> Sept - X

W. G. Linn - X on card returned - X 0



|                   |   |                            |     |
|-------------------|---|----------------------------|-----|
| J. Y. Jessup      | - | 1st Sept 1861              | X   |
| Delona Mellingham | - | 11th Sept                  | X   |
| LaGastamus        | - | one condemned              | X 0 |
| Jno Douglas       | - | 6 August                   | X   |
| Hugh Lincher      | - | 8th Sept                   | X   |
| Marshall Swinney  | - | 8 "                        | X   |
| Matthias Jones    | - | 11th "                     | X   |
| D. L. Graham      | - | 10th "                     | X   |
| J. G. Ellis       | - | 8th Sept                   | X   |
| C. F. Craig       | - | 8th "                      | X   |
| J. K. Bryant      | - | 10th                       | X   |
| W. E. Bigg        | - | 12th                       | X   |
| Sam Craig         | - | 8th                        | X   |
| J. D. Bratten     | - | 12th                       | X   |
| A. Reed           | - | Aug 24th                   | X   |
| Sol Donaldson     | - | Ther 2 months<br>Condemned | X 0 |
| G. Saxton         | - | 11th                       | X   |
| G. L. Masterson   | - | 10th                       | X   |
| Jno A. Pledge     | - | 8 -                        | X   |
| Otho McCracken    | - | 8th                        | X   |
| E. Hagen          | - | 10th                       | X   |
| J. A. McKinney    | - | 7th                        | X   |
| McFarland         | - | Cond                       | X 0 |
| A. G. Ballard     | - | 10th                       | X   |
| James Galbraith   | - | 8th                        | X   |
| Joseph Dolow      | - | 8th                        | X   |

Sept. 1861

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about business  
to Columbus  
J. Holt. Sept. 13, 1861

W.C.

C.H.

Buttwin Beaton Co Va Sept 13<sup>th</sup> 1861

To W. S. Resicans Brigadier General U. S. Army Commanding  
Camp Chase

I trust you will excuse me, for trespassing, for a few minutes upon your  
time and attention on, behalf, of some citizens of our section now in prison  
at Camp Chase, Columbus Ohio.

That I would say a word, for John Malcomb, an old man living five  
or six miles from me. I was called a few days since into his  
neighborhood, and learned from Union men the following facts  
respecting him - he must be a man sixty or upwards years of age. has  
not taken up arms, nor has he taken any part in the present rebel-  
ous movement - did not vote at the election in the Spring - has staid  
at home, and attended to his business - His wife is old & seriously  
afflicted - has been several times within the last two years, to all human  
appearance at the point of death - has Consumption - is now very  
low, & can live at longest but a few days - She is much distressed  
on account of her husband's imprisonment - needs his attention - and  
much desires that he should be with her at the close of life. These facts, & many  
others of like character, I have from reliable Union men in his & adjacent neigh-  
borhoods. The wonder that he was arrested & taken away at all - had he had any  
one to have attended to his case before the proper officers while in his neighborhood  
I have no doubt he would have been released. My information is from Thomas  
B. Armstrong, George & Martin Clark, Jesse Baise, John Pickens &c. All  
Union men good & true, and every way reliable men.

I would not say a word for Aldridge C. Warner - generally called - Clark  
Warner - Clark married a girl, hired in my house, about eight months  
since - his wife had lived with us for a year or more, before their marriage -  
Clark had worked for me some four or five months before their  
marriage, & a month or more afterwards - I have known him from his  
childhood - his father is a firm Union man - Clark & his wife, rented in  
the Spring a small farm in this neighborhood & married to themselves -  
His wife has several times come & pleaded with me to try & get him released -  
I received also a line from him dated Camp Chase, Sept 12<sup>th</sup> requesting me  
to try & get him released - pleads his innocence - Says he does not know why  
he was arrested &c. Clark is young, ignorant & feebly irritable and  
proud - but not a dangerous man in any sense, I think.

Since he commenced housekeeping he has worked for me by the day  
occasionally through the summer - & often in his presence & to his eye spoke  
in the strongest terms against this rebellion. He agreed with me - I never  
heard him say one word in favor of Cessman at any time. He has no gun  
or weapon of any kind, that I know of - has never taken any part in  
favor of Cessman that I know of - He often went in & out of the  
Union Camp while the troops, that first came were near this neigh-  
borhood. He aided in carrying in provisions for them &c. &c. But a short  
time before his arrest he & his nearest neighbor, a very irascible quarrelsome  
man - fell out quarrelled, threatened each other &c. - Complaint was made  
in some shape against Black & he was arrested - I am sure that the  
political questions of the day had nothing to do with his arrest - I have no  
doubt some untrue representations were made - They seem to think  
they are entitled to my sympathy, as I know them so well - were married  
at my house & by me - I am a local minister in the M. E. Church.  
She is in a critical condition - Cannot keep house her self - Their crop is in  
danger of being destroyed &c. - I am attending to these cases without  
any prospect of reward. I hope it may be consistent with your  
convictions of duty, & rules of procedure, to release these two men  
without the formalities of petition & as their cases are very urgent.

I now learn that James Maff, George Maff, Theophilus Bennett  
& his son, in whose behalf, I lately presented petitions to you at  
to Lakesburgh, have been sent on to Camp Chase, - Letters have been  
received from them - They seem not to be aware that anything  
has been done for them to procure their release.

I have taken a good deal of pains to inform myself respecting their cases  
; and the wishes of their, immediate & nearest Union neighbors,  
since I saw you at Middletown - I have been induced to do so  
especially on the account of the frequent calls made upon me by  
their families & friends, to learn if any action has been had in  
their cases - If it would be necessary to do any thing more, or if any  
thing more can be done to procure their release -

After the strictest inquiry, I cannot learn that these men  
have in any way aided this rebellion - The prevailing opinion  
among their Union neighbors, is that they should be released.  
These persons are suffering very much in their business.

on account of their detention from home. And their families  
are exceedingly distressed & grieved on their account.

I would call your attention especially to the case of George Hoop  
- he is a very poor man has thirteen children - The oldest  
not possessed of common sense - was induced to go into the  
Confederate Army, & forced to remain there by officious persons  
~~without the knowledge & against the consent of his father.~~  
The rest of his other children are idiots or nearly so & his wife  
has little business capacity - And the family is like to be  
reduced to actual starvation unless relieved by the hands of  
charity - And to add to their misfortune his eldest daughter  
was bitten by a Snake - a Copper head - a few days since -

I assure you, General that I feel great delicacy, in troubling  
you - I know that you have a very heavy burden upon  
your shoulders - If it would not be asking too much  
I would be glad to receive a brief communication  
at Bulltown from you respecting their case -  
But whether consistent with your engagements or not to  
do so, I shall fully confide, myself, in your <sup>as</sup> generous and  
unwavering purpose to do right in small & well as in great  
matters - Permit me to assure you, that my daily prayer  
to God, is that your life & health; And the lives & health of  
your Command, may be graciously preserved - That God  
will throw around you your Officers & men, the strong  
arm of his protection in every hour of danger, and  
make you eminently instrumental & successful in  
crushing the monstrous rebellion that now afflicts, troubles  
our, lately happy & prosperous Land, within the sphere  
of your operations. I am urging our people to observe  
our national fast, as requested by the proclamation of  
the President - My trust is in God, for the success and  
triumph of our noble Services, now in the field -  
May their lives be precious in the sight of Heaven.

Very respectfully &c

J. H. H.

Evidence against  
 Genl L. Rodgers  
 &  
 Geo D Barnett

Sept. 22<sup>nd</sup> 1861

Rodgers charged  
 with arresting Union  
 citizens and considered  
 a dangerous man  
 by the Union men

The Barnetts conveying  
 news by giving affilia-  
 tion to the  
 Rebels of our movement

at 8 1/2 p m



Sutton La Sept 22<sup>nd</sup> 1861  
Joseph Darr  
Provost Marshal  
Sir

I herewith transmit to you in accordance with your order the names of prisoners arrested by my agents the 15<sup>th</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup> of Sept. as follows:

These names are Nathan D. Barnett and his son John Barnett, who were arrested at their home up Elk river, about eight miles from here.

The son John Barnett, was wounded in the arm by Col. Soper's men at the two churches, and his wound I have no sufficient to satisfy me that he will remain here engaged in any way of service for the Government or the Southern Army. The prisoner Nathan D. Barnett stated to a Union citizen who was informed by Union men that he is a reliable man and what he says can be depended upon. That he got a certificate from a Justice of the Peace in Wilkes County that he was a Union man. When they went on to the Gold Run Spring first about the 15<sup>th</sup> of Sept. in the morning they found the men there and he was taken to the Rebel Army. He said the Rebel Army was about to move down from on a pass from the Elk river.

The reason why Barnett made this statement I think was because he felt confident that the Rebel Army would move in the direction, and would be successful. John Barnett was very much

proceeding (Biron) from into the Southern Army and  
is reported as being a Newcomer.

Charles Rogers was taken by the  
Newcomers of Bayton for Sept 16<sup>th</sup> and put  
in the cell. It is thought that some will  
be changed, but not at present.  
The admiral is at the office of  
the Department and is being  
suspected of many

Therefore  
Lieut Col. Commanding  
3<sup>rd</sup> Regt. N.



prisoner 282

W. Sutton

Sept 18/61

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Sept 14, 1861

Ref. to the Bonds  
Marshall W. S. R.

P.

Sutton Genl Caspary Sept 14/64

Sir I have to report four "prisoners" taken by Scouts  
Two Benjamin E Johnson & Henry Long were taken  
on the 10<sup>th</sup> Sept of whom there are no charges save  
that of having rifles concealed - The first was a scout  
of militia they reside in the little Birch settlement  
nine miles from here where they were arrested. The other  
two were arrested at their homes about eight miles  
up Elk their names are Nathan & Burnett & his son  
John who was wounded by Col Tyler near the two  
churches. From what I can learn the old man has been  
carrying news from this county to the southern army - The  
prisoners told Mr Wisley Mullenham as follows -

I left Braxton county some two or three weeks past for Genl  
Lee's army. Got a certificate from a justice of the Peace  
in Webster county that I was a true southern man  
then went on to Lee - Told Gen Loring first about  
the state of affairs in Braxton - Genl Loring then sent me  
on to Lee he also told Lee - I saw three cols Anderson  
Smith Silham Lee and some others - Did not go to  
col Jackson because the pickets of the U S army were between  
the two Rebel armies - He said the rebel army was  
about to move - Came home on a pass from Lee and  
Loring - He denies all this and says he can prove his  
whereabouts when absent - John was very active in getting  
Union men into the southern army they were arrested on  
13<sup>th</sup> of Sept - Respectfully

Chas Jones  
Sept 14 1864

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*Cal.*

Clarksburg

Sept 1841

Wm J Darr Jr

W J Smith was here the latter part  
of August with petition signed by Union  
Men in West Co and Edmond by Col  
Galmore directed to the Gov of Ohio  
for the release of James E Dent &  
Love Hopkins the Gov referred him  
to Genl Rouseman who said he  
would release them as soon as  
the excitement abated in West & Roan  
Counties you have the papers so  
Mr Smith says answer

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J J Lang  
Post adjt

Miss Mary

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Sept 21

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Special Report

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Sept. 6/11

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St. Louis Sept. 6<sup>th</sup> 1861  
Mr. M<sup>r</sup> Cowan, now in the employ of Gen. Fremont at his residence, acting as clerk, has been drilling men for the Southern rebels and either been giving, or know who did give muskets and cartridge boxes to men that left for the South, or for use in St. Louis. He has now, in his possession a musket and cartridge box, received from said parties.

J. G. Bradley now employed in the Paymaster's <sup>Office</sup> was an applicant for the same office in the Southern army, but they not having any thing to pay with he applied at this office, and received one.

John Kennard, Jr. No. 111 St. Louis St. bet. ~~Washington~~ Locust & Vine Sts. His store is a rendezvous for secessionists. They meet every afternoon in the back part of said store for consultation with Mr. K. who is the leader among them, devoting the whole of his time and energies to the cause. John Kennard, Jr. and Saml. M. Kennard, are constantly passing backward and forward with information to the enemy, one or the other always

absent - going through the lines with  
valuable items. He is among our camps  
and about the fortifications and talking  
with soldiers at all times. P. W. Bessard  
a brother of the elder Co. and uncle to the  
younger ones, is now Aid to Gen. Pillow  
it is supposed they give information  
to Pillow through the aforesaid Aid.

to

The Saloon, No 70 St 3<sup>rd</sup> St. reported  
by Lieut J. P. Bridle, of Col. Beigs  
'Rifled Sharp Shooters' is all that has  
been reported. it would be impossible  
to find in the city a lower or more  
obscene place a perfect nuisance also  
the Saloon on the south side of St. Louis  
bet. 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Sts. 'The Young America'

to.



Knightsbridge & Brighton

Sept 1861

Cits

PROVOST MATHIAS'S OFFICE.  
OFFICIAL BUSINESS.

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Henry Augustus  
Mar 22/64

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St. Louis, Missouri,

March 22<sup>nd</sup> 1861

Prof. Kingland & Ferguson  
Founders & Machinists

St. Louis.

Dear Sirs:

I have carefully inspected the shot delivered by you, and am sorry to say, that in my opinion they do not come up to the requirements of our Regulations. They are, without exception, defective, either in form, not being spherical; or in quality of metal. Spongy full of cavities.

I think it will be necessary to reject all.

Were there cast in  
Iron moulds? Best Method

" They should be cast  
" in sand, not in iron moulds;  
" The shot from the latter are gene-  
" rally not spherical in form  
" uniform in size; they are also  
" full of cavities and are cracked  
" by being heated" - " They should  
" be made of grey, or mottled iron  
" of good quality". " Be of smooth  
" surface and the metal sound  
" and free from seams, flaws &  
" blisters."

I have no doubt that upon  
another trial you can avoid  
the cause of the present bad  
result, and thus secure a good  
product throughout.

Very Respectfully  
Yr Obedt. Servt.  
A. Hagman  
Bot. Maj.  
Compt.

St Louis Arsenal  
Feb 17/61

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~~St Louis Arsenal~~  
~~Feb 17/61~~

St. Louis Arsenal

March 14<sup>th</sup> 1861

Wm. Knightland & Johnson

2<sup>nd</sup> of Cherry

St. Louis.

Dear Sir

Mr. Todd reports that  
he thinks 142 of the 6<sup>th</sup> regt.  
Shut come up to the require-  
ments of the Manual.

You will please therefore  
send them as selected to  
this Arsenal, where the  
Inspection will be completed.

Very Respectfully

J. G. Wash. Comd.

J. H. Johnson

Adj. Genl.

Perhaps the Target-plate will also  
be ready. (over)

Please cast for me a Pulley  
in two halves for our Main  
Shaft.

Est<sup>d</sup> Diam: 18 ins.

Diam: of Shaft. 3 in

Width of face 7 in

Should our Books by me to refer  
to, will you be good enough  
to estimate therefore whether  
I have allowed enough for slip  
& to secure a velocity <sup>of 96 Revs</sup> to the pulley  
(of a Machine) which has 16 in diam.  
running with a 29 in pulley above,  
attached to the counter shaft having  
a fast loose pulley of 20 in belted  
from the Main shaft, if I placed  
on the Main shaft making 60 Revs  
a pulley of 18 in diam. ? -  
60 Revs.



I think you will understand  
the position, and I will thank you  
to give me the benefit of your  
better experience.

Very Resp<sup>ly</sup> Serv<sup>ts</sup>  
A. H. J.



General Lewis Dec 18/61

Capt Gen E Leighton  
Provost Marshal  
Or Sir

I respectfully  
ask of you an immediate invest-  
igation of the charges against Miss  
Wynland and my self - The delicate  
situation of my wifes health at this  
time is my apology for this  
note -

Very Respectfully  
Wm Wynland

Kingland & Ferguson

about articles con-  
tributed of war  
concluded in their  
foundry.

Sent the amount  
of \$100

1000 Cannon Balls —  
and other Ammunition at Kingsland  
Fort's Landing

The Cannon Balls are laid out  
the Land —

James Moore  
Upper Mississippi Pilot

Weyland & Benjamin

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Kingman's + Ferguson

Guns said to be shipped  
in cylinders of threshing  
machines

Fulton Mo Sept 5 1861

Wm J. McKinstry

Provost Marshal St. Louis Mo

Dear Sir

I have just received intelligence of a species of smuggling that has eluded the vigilance of the authorities, that

Several hundred men from the City received arms here a few days since shipped in the cylinder of a thrashing machine. They are men who have been engaged in the sale of Reapers and mowers and thrashing machines for Kingly and Ferguson, and have no doubt left the city pretendingly for that purpose now, but they purchased horses and saddles here purposely to join the Army under Poir.

I don't know to what extent this has been carried on but Secessionists here seem to think it a very bright trick, and that it could be carried on to a considerable extent. One of the men is named Sporson the others I don't know the name of.

I did hear that quite a little lot, perhaps a hundred pistols or small guns had been sent to various points above here from the

same house, but this is only rumor, the other is  
doubtless true. Nothing but a sense of duty  
to my country could have induced me to give this  
information, for I know by so doing I draw  
down the vengeance of those who have already  
threatened my life upon my head, if perchance  
they should ever, by any means, find it out; I shall  
therefore have to request you to destroy this and  
all other communications you may get from  
me and will have a Succession Post Master here  
here that would it necessary for me to enclose  
this to an acquaintance to ensure its delivery.

I am Sir

Yours Obedt. Humble Servant

D. H. Overton

One of the Committee

Joy  
Maj. McKimstry  
Private Marshal St. Louis

Mr



Your Police Officers did not make a very close inspection of the premises of R. & F. They will pass through the office going in from 2<sup>nd</sup> street. Pass thro' the office and go up, one or two steps, which will bring you in view of a kupala furnace. In the rear of said kupala you will find a board, balkhead or partition. In one corner of this enclosure, you will find, what I told you was there, covered over with sand. My informant told me, they were there on Thursday morning. E

At about 1 o'clock P M of Tuesday  
Decr 10<sup>th</sup> went to the foundry of Kingsland  
and Ferguson in company with S. L. Jones of  
U. S. Police, and examined the place thoroug-  
-hly on the first floor and in the Grand

Found nothing contraband but a quantity  
of 6 & 12 P<sup>d</sup> Cannon balls which were concealed  
in a pile of moulding sand in a shed  
adjoining the foundry. I took one of the  
balls and carried it to the office of Provost  
Marshal. No one at the Foundry knew what  
had been done. After reporting the case at  
the Provost Marshal's Office I returned to the  
Foundry with two wagons, leaving the  
wagons on 2<sup>nd</sup> Street near Cherry. I went  
into the office accompanied by Mr Jones  
and inquired for the proprietors. They were  
not in. In a few minutes Mr Kingsland  
came in and I stated to him that I came  
there by order of the Provost Marshal to see  
if they had any contraband articles in their  
possession, such as Cannon, Cannon Balls, Shell  
&c. He replied that they had none, with

the exception of some made for the U.S.  
and had been rejected. He then showed us  
up stairs and we found 77. 6<sup>s</sup> & 4. 12 P balls  
He stated that <sup>the</sup> above was all he knew about  
but if I would wait a short time Mr Ferguson  
would be in. and give me all the information  
concerning them. Shortly after Mr Ferguson  
came in and I stated my business to him  
He then said they had a lot of them which  
had been made for the U.S. but had been  
condemned, and he then showed where the  
balls were, in the shed, where we had previously  
found them. We then took the balls and I  
ordered them to be put into the wagons &  
the wagons to drive to the corner of 4<sup>th</sup> St  
& Washington Avenue. I then left & went  
to the office of Provost Marshal

The whole number of balls seized  
were 128 = 12 P

~~223~~ = 6 11



OFFICE PHOENIX FOUNDRY  
AND  
Agricultural Works,

St. Louis, Dec 22 1862

Major Gen E Lightburn  
District Provost Marshal  
Dr Sir

Since Saturday  
evening our Storehouse has been  
entered by breaking open a window  
and we find missing (as our  
Foreman informs us) from 75 to 100 lbs  
of small shot similar to casters  
shot - used by us in our "clearing  
mills". We discover nothing further  
disturbance at this time - not knowing  
the motive of this small theft we  
deem it our duty to advise  
you - should you desire any  
further information in regard to  
this we shall cheerfully give it -

Yours Respectfully -  
Kingslands & Ferguson



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