

Petition of  
Garret Groome

of Colony  
for pay for property  
lost in Mexican War

ref<sup>d</sup> to Commls on claim

adverse report  
agreed to

18<sup>th</sup> Jan'y

(Tailor)

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To the honourable the general assembly  
of the State of Missouri  
Your petitioner would represent to your  
honourable body that in compliance with  
law he did furnish to John Blackman  
a man living with your petitioner and  
drafted under capt Whittington to go against  
the Mormons with a Horse Saddle and  
Coverlaid and that your petitioner  
has never been able to get back said  
Saddle and coverlaid though your petitioner  
has made all necessary search and  
enquiry for the same and further  
your petitioner would represent to your  
honourable body that he has applied to  
the quartermaster general for an  
allowance for said Saddle and Coverlaid  
and was informed that said allowance  
would have been made had it been  
presented in time or previous to his making  
his returns

Your petitioner will ever pray

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Garet Gomer