OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

CHARLES HENRY HARDIN, 1875-1877

Abstract: Records (1863-1877) of Governor Charles Henry Hardin (1820-1892) include applications, business cards, commissions, correspondence, court proceedings, extradition warrants, ledger sheets, lists, newspaper clippings, notes and memoranda, pardons, petitions, post cards, proclamations, questionnaires, reports, resolutions, statements, affidavits, depositions, indictments, and testimonies.

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HISTORICAL AND BIOGRAPHICAL NOTES

Charles Henry Hardin was born in Trimble County, Kentucky on July 15, 1820 to Charles and Mary Jewell Hardin. Shortly after the birth of his son, Charles Hardin moved his family to Franklin, Howard County before settling in Columbia. Hardin worked with his mother in the family tanning business after his father died in 1830. From 1837 to 1839, he attended the
University of Indiana in Bloomington before transferring to the University of Miami in Oxford, Ohio.

Hardin cofounded the Beta Theta Pi fraternity with John Reily Knox, Samuel Taylor Marshall, David Linton, James George Smith, John Holt Duncan, Michael Clarkson Duncan, and Thomas Boston Gordon in 1839. Hardin returned to Columbia after graduation, was admitted to the Missouri Bar on March 11, 1843, and opened a law practice in Fulton. He married Bonne Femme College graduate Mary Barr Jenkins in Columbia on May 16, 1844. The couple had no children.

Hardin served as an attorney in the 2nd Judicial District from 1848 until 1852 when he was elected as a Whig to the Missouri House of Representatives from Callaway County. He was reelected in 1854 and 1858 and was one of three members selected to revise the Missouri Statutes. He also served as secretary of the first board of managers of the State Lunatic Asylum in Fulton until 1861. Hardin was elected to the Missouri Senate as a conservative Unionist in 1860.

Senator Hardin drafted a resolution calling for a state convention to decide whether Missouri would secede from the union. The resolution included a provision requiring voter approval for secession. The General Assembly voted to remain in the Union; and in October 1861, Governor Claiborne Fox Jackson called a legislative meeting for Neosho hoping to force secession. Hardin attended and voted against secession. His colleagues viewed Hardin’s attendance as sympathizing with the South. In 1862, office holders (including Hardin) considered southern sympathizers were removed from office and disenfranchised.

Charles Henry Hardin returned to the family farm in Audrain County and after the war, the family moved to Mexico, Missouri. After taking the required oath of loyalty to the Union, Hardin opened a new law practice. He cofounded the Mexico Southern Bank and founded Hardin Female College. In 1872, he was elected once again to the Missouri Senate, serving as chair of the Judiciary Committee. Hardin was chosen in 1874 as the Democratic Party gubernatorial nominee over General Francis M. Cockrell by the slimmest margin in Missouri history. 159 votes were required for nomination; Hardin received 159%.

After defeating People’s Party candidate Major William Gentry of Pettis County in the general election, Charles Henry Hardin was sworn in as Missouri’s 22nd Governor on January 12, 1875. Fulfilling a campaign pledge, Hardin allowed no dancing or drinking at the reception following his inauguration. The ceremony itself took place in the House chamber during a joint session of the General Assembly.

Missouri was burdened with enormous debt as the result of Civil War expenditures and various attempts to aid railroad construction. Outstanding state bonds were drawing a high rate of interest but were selling for considerably less than market value. Governor Hardin immediately economized state spending, eliminated wasteful expenditures, refused to assume county war debts, and reduced state indebtedness by over $600,000.
Called by Governor Hardin for the purposes of administering the Missouri State Penitentiary, a special session of the state legislature met in Jefferson City from March 29 through April 1, 1875. The session also focused on legislation pertaining to the Missouri Orphans Home, the school of mines and metallurgy in Rolla, superintendent of public schools, and railroad and property taxes. Legislation was also required for the selection of a suitable state representative and subsequent appropriations to the upcoming National Centennial exhibition in Philadelphia.

A constitutional convention was also called in 1875. Delegates convened in Jefferson City and from May 5th through August 2nd and worked on revising the Missouri Constitution. Proposed new articles focused on city, town, and county matters; revenue and taxation; suffrage and elections; restrictions on the powers and duties of the state legislature; education funding; financial and judicial reform; and on corporate and militia affairs. Missouri voters overwhelmingly passed the 1875 Constitution on October 30, 1875.

During the summers of 1874-1875, hordes of grasshoppers invaded western Missouri, stripping crops and creating economic hardship for Missouri farmers. Every remedy tried by the beleaguered farmers failed. By gubernatorial proclamation, June 3, 1875 was set aside as a day of fasting and prayer. Although rains temporarily drove the grasshoppers out, they returned the following two years. In his farewell address to the General Assembly in 1877, Governor Hardin suggested that other measures be taken to obliterate the insects.

At the conclusion of his term, Governor Hardin returned to private life. He supported the Missouri Military Academy in Mexico; served as president of the Mexico Southern Bank; served on the University of Missouri board of curators; and resumed his association with Hardin Female College. He died on July 29, 1892 and was interred on the family farm. In November 1893, his remains were reinterred in the Jewell Family Cemetery, Columbia. The cemetery is maintained by the Missouri Department of Natural Resources as a State Historic Site.

Timeline

July 15, 1820    Born in Trimble County, Kentucky, to Charles and Mary “Hannah” Jewell Hardin
1821            His family settled in Columbia, Missouri
1843            Admitted to Missouri bar and began practicing law in Fulton, Callaway County
May 16, 1844    Married Mary Barr Jenkins of Columbia
1848            Elected Circuit Attorney for the Second Judicial Circuit
1872            Elected to Missouri Senate
1874            Elected as twenty-second governor of state of Missouri
July 29, 1892  Died on his farm near Mexico, Missouri

ADDITIONAL DESCRIPTIVE INFORMATION

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Related Material

The Missouri State Archives holds the *Life and Writings of Governor Charles Henry Hardin*, Mary Barr Hardin (St. Louis: Buschart Brothers, 1896). See also RG 5.25, Records of the 1875 Constitutional Convention.
The Missouri Valley Special Collections, Kansas City Public Library holds:

“Missouri Heritage”, article in the *Kansas City Star*, May 31, 1969
Portray and biographical article about Charles Hardin, founder of the Hardin College for
women at Mexico, Missouri, the 22nd governor of Missouri in 1875. Describes the
efforts to rid western Missouri of the grasshopper plague.

The Western Historical Manuscript Collection, University of Missouri (Columbia) holds:
C0111 Charles Henry Hardin (1820-1892), Papers, 1842-1892
Collection includes correspondence with wife and friends, essays, speeches, unofficial
reports, law notebook, legal cases in Boone, Callaway, Macon, and Randolph Counties,
and diary of Mary Jenkins Hardin, 1854-1856, and 1859.

C2079 Charles Henry Hardin (1820-1892), Letter, 1851
July 16, 1851 letter from Hardin, secretary of the board of managers, Missouri State
Lunatic Asylum, Fulton, to the Boone County Court in Columbia.
RECORDS OF GOVERNOR CHARLES HENRY HARDIN, 1863-1877

Scope and Content

Records include those received by Hardin while a member of Missouri Senate and during his tenure as governor. Correspondence comprises the collection. Topics include appointments, preparations for the U.S. Centennial, Civil War claims, state eleemosynary institutions and penitentiary, drought of 1875, railroad bonds, and outlawry by gangs of thieves and train robbers.

All references to places are within the state of Missouri unless indicated, and county is specified when known. The spelling of proper names varies greatly. When correct spelling could not be determined the original spelling was retained. Officeholders are Missouri officials unless noted (U.S. Senator, U.S. Secretary of State, U.S. Attorney General, U.S. Supreme Court, and etcetera). State Representatives are referred to as Representative. U.S. Representatives are noted with the title Congressman. Non dated material is filed before dated materials. The bulk of the collection is arranged chronologically and thereunder alphabetically by correspondent. Exceptions are noted.

When the collection was microfilmed, it was determined that some of the collection required rehousing. As a result, some folder numbers have changed. Original folder numbers are noted within parentheses. Under the folder heading, 7 (5) indicates that the item originally in folder 5 is now located in folder 7.

All oversize materials are stored at the end of the collection in box 10. Original location is noted.

Box 1 contains correspondence pertaining to appointment requests. Materials include letters of recommendation, lists, petitions, reports, and additional supporting documents. Appointments are arranged alphabetically by office (Adjutant General, Centennial Commission, Coal Inspector) and thereunder chronologically.

Centennial Commission documents include appointments and requests, recommendations and membership lists, and miscellaneous supporting materials pertaining to the Missouri Centennial Commission. The Commission was created to prepare for the 1876 American Centennial celebration and exhibition in Philadelphia.

Coal Inspector materials include endorsements, non dated letters and petitions. Undated correspondence and petitions are filed in separate folders preceding dated correspondence. Undated petitions are arranged alphabetically by county.

Appointments contained in Box 2 include Coal Inspector, Commissioner of Deeds, County Clerk, Private Secretary to the Governor, Immigration Commission, Insurance Commissioner, and the St. Louis Court of Appeals.

Of special interest is the correspondence to the Governor from J. T. Briggs (president of the Western Oil Tank Line Company of St. Louis), Thomas P. Jaudon (Kansas City coal oil inspector), and Robert L. Yeager (Jackson County prosecuting attorney). Jaudon accused Briggs
of intimidation and other offenses. Briggs refuted the charges, accused Jaudon of incompetence, and requested an official investigation. Yeager attested to the integrity of Jaudon and the falseness of the accusations made by Briggs. The controversy lasted for several months and the records do not show the outcome.

Immigration Commission materials include the commission appointing Governor Harden to the Southern States Convention on Immigration held in New Orleans in March of 1876. The file also contains a call for the organization of the convention; appointment requests, acknowledgements, and declines; membership and the length of term and expiration dates.

St. Louis Courts files contain records pertaining to the creation of the new St. Louis Court of Appeals if the new 1875 Missouri Constitution is adopted and includes requests for appointments to the position and supporting petitions.

**Box 3** contains appointment request documentation for Circuit Judge, County Court Judge, Probate Judge, Courts of Criminal Correction, and the Missouri Supreme Court. Appointment files pertaining to Circuit Judge, County Court Judge, and Probate Court are listed under the heading Appointments—Courts and are arranged chronologically (thereunder alphabetically by surname). Files pertaining to the St. Louis Court of Criminal Correction are listed under Appointments—Criminal Court. Missouri Supreme Court materials are arranged chronologically under the heading Appointments—Supreme Court. Supporting Supreme Court petitions dated 1876 (year only) are filed alphabetically by county under Appointments—Supreme Court, petitions.

Undated material is arranged by county. Petitions from a specific county recommending the same applicant are noted with a number in parentheses (petitions (2), Franklin County). Undated materials are filed before corresponding dated materials.

**Box 4** contains appointment correspondence and supporting petitions for select Normal Schools; for the Missouri State Penitentiary; Notary Public; Railroad Commissioner; and St. Louis County Auditor. Appointments—Normal Schools files include correspondence and supporting petitions for board of regents, regents, and superintendents. Appointments—Penitentiary files contain correspondence and supporting petitions from applicants requesting appointments to positions at the Missouri State Penitentiary. Positions include physician and warden. Appointments—Railroad Commissioner files include correspondence, supporting petitions, and a single commission.

**Box 5** contains appointments correspondence pertaining to the Police Commissioners of St. Louis and Kansas City; State Tobacco Inspector; and University of Missouri (Appointments—MU) board of curators. Appointments—Miscellaneous files are arranged in chronological order and include positions at the Missouri State Lunatic asylums, city and county administrators, attorneys, surveyors, and other officials.

Files may also include commissions, newspaper clippings, petitions, and resolutions. Undated material is arranged by county and thereunder by appointee surname (if the county is unknown).
Of special interest (5/18) are mentions of a Muncie, Kansas train robbery and the subsequent wounding of Mrs. Zerelda James Samuel (the mother of outlaws Jesse and Frank James). An explosive device was thrown unto her house allegedly by agents of the Pinkerton Detective Agency; the weapon exploded in the fireplace. Mrs. James lost part of one arm and her young son, Archie Peyton Samuel, was killed.

Box 6 includes additional Appointments—Miscellaneous. Also includes subject correspondence pertaining to Pardons, State Geologist, Civil War claims, the Missouri Institute for the Blind, the Missouri State Penitentiary, Fine Remittances, and Federal Officials.

Pardons files are arranged in alphabetical order by surname of prisoner. Files with more than two documents included for a single prisoner are arranged in their own folders under the prisoners surname (Pardons—B, Pardons—Brown) and thereunder chronologically. Cases which include more than one defendant are arranged alphabetically under the surname of the first defendant. Additional defendants are noted. Files may also include court depositions, indictments, proceedings, and sworn testimonies; newspaper clippings, and petitions. Communications received from the St. Louis community pertaining to the trial of five Italian immigrants retain the original heading, Pardons—Italians.

State Geologist file correspondence includes communications from George Swallow, State Geologist G. C. Broadhead, and acting geologist Charles P. Williams; a copy of the August 1871 proceedings of the American Association for the Advancement of Science; and a report pertaining to gold and silver mining within the state.

Civil War files pertain primarily to claims by the state of Missouri against the federal government for expenses incurred to furnish and equip Union troops. Files also include requests for appointments as agents to file Missouri claims; individual citizen claims for reimbursement for private property seized by federal troops; reimbursement claims by holders of Missouri Civil War scrip; and resolutions, statements, and memorials issued by the General Assembly requesting speedy payment.

The Institute for the Blind file includes reports on facility conditions, expenses and finances, and payroll. Oversize materials have been transferred to box 10, folder 2.

Materials pertaining to the Missouri State Penitentiary are filed under the heading Penitentiary and include a plat of the grounds and various reports. Of note is the correspondence from the physician of the prison detailing the unsanitary conditions and discussing the deaths of convicts from numerous diseases. The files also contain correspondence pertaining to the possible lease of the prison and allegedly graft by prison guards. Undated materials are arranged in alphabetical order by surname of correspondent and thereunder by type of document. Please see box 10, f. 3 for oversize materials.

Fine Remittances files are arranged in chronological order and thereunder alphabetically. Files may also include supporting petitions.
Subject correspondence comprises **Box 7**. Topics include the Grasshopper Plague, Missouri Board of Immigration (Immigration), Insurance, Invitations, Finance, Slavery, Lunatic Asylums, Lands, Education, and Outlaws. Finance files contain materials primarily related to bonds issued for railroad construction. The Education file contains correspondence pertaining to the board of curators and other matters of the University of Missouri.

Grasshopper Plague files pertain to the swarms of Rocky Mountain locusts which infested western Missouri over several years beginning in 1874. Damage to agricultural crops in Atchison, Andrew, Bates, Barton, Benton, Buchanan, Caldwell, Cass, Clay, Clinton, DeKalb, Gentry, Harrison, Henry, Holt, Jackson, Jasper, Johnson, Lafayette, Newton, Pettis, Platte, Ray, St. Clair, Vernon, and Worth counties exceeded fifteen million dollars. The General Assembly passed legislation in 1877 authorizing bounties of $5 for a bushel of grasshopper eggs and $1 for a bushel of grasshoppers. Entrepreneurs invented machines designed to suction the insects off standing crops. Missouri entomologist C. V. Ross presented a paper on using the locusts as food, including instructions as how they were to be cooked. Missourians reported to Governor Hardin on the conditions in their home counties; pleaded for state assistance and relief; sent funds for the relief of fellow citizens; notified him of inventions designed to get rid of the pests; commended Hardin for calling for a day of prayer and fasting; and discussed various ways of killing grasshoppers.

In the summer of 1876, the Chicago *Inter Ocean* newspaper erroneously published a paragraph which stated that Missouri was compensating former slave owners for their lost “property.” The Slavery files contain correspondence from Governor Hardin to newspaper editors in other states categorically refuting the paragraph.

The Asylum file contains documents pertaining to the lunatic asylums in St. Joseph and Fulton. Includes appropriations; itemization of construction expenses; amount required to complete building; abstract of commission proceedings; report from the board of managers and dissenting minority report; value of land surrounding asylum; plat map; installation of officers and superintendent-elect; and information on physical facility and number of patients.

Materials pertaining to swamp lands comprise the Lands file. Issues of concern include the registration of swamp lands within the state; inaccurate swamp land patents; requests for funds due to counties from the sale of swamp lands; requests from the U.S. Department of Agriculture for information on Missouri swamp lands; notices from the U.S. Treasury of funds due from the sale of swamp lands to the federal government; and reports from the Missouri register of lands.

The Outlaw file contains correspondence pertaining to the hunt for Jesse and Frank James and the Younger Brothers gang; requests for expenses incurred during the searches and submitted invoices; activities of train robbers in Cass, Clay, Cooper, and Jackson counties; miscellaneous arrests of outlaws; the Northfield, Minnesota bank robbery and subsequent deaths of two members of the Cole Younger gang.

**Box 8** contains subject correspondence pertaining to Criminal Cases. The files are arranged in alphabetical order by county (Criminal Cases—Adair County, Criminal Cases—Butler County) and thereunder chronologically. To maintain original order, files pertaining to out of state cases are in
alphabetical order by county with the state abbreviation noted in parentheses. For example, Criminal Cases—Bourbon County (KS).

Documents include requisitions for rewards and extradition requests. Additional topics include escaped prisoners, criminal gangs, murder cases, and common criminals. The files may also contain affidavits, depositions, court proceedings, and witness testimonies.

Subject correspondence pertaining to Criminal Cases (St. Louis-Wright counties) continues in box 9. The box primarily focuses on fugitives and criminals residing in other states and wanted for crimes in Missouri; and for fugitives wanted for crimes in other state and living in Missouri. These materials, including warrants, capture notices, rewards, and requisitions for extraditions, are filed alphabetically under the state requesting extradition (Criminal Cases—Arkansas, Criminal Cases—Kentucky, Criminal Cases—Ohio, and etcetera). Documents where states could not be ascertained are filed under Criminal Cases—Miscellaneous.

Constituent Correspondence comprising the remainder of the box is arranged in chronological order and thereunder alphabetical. Areas of concern for correspondents include comments on legislation; taxation, appropriations, land and property values; requests for photographs, state publications, charity fundraising, and financial aid; and school board and other education matters. Also includes resignations of county officials and congratulatory messages for speeches and for being elected. The files may also contain limited personal bills and requests for payment.

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Appointments—Adjutant General: A. W. Slayback, St. Louis; recommends Col. P. Donan; political adversaries denounce Democrats as colluding with law breakers; Missouri’s exaggerated reputation as a robber state (letterhead of Slayback & Haeussler, Attorneys)

Appointments—Adjutant General: petition, Fayette, Howard County; recommends Adjutant General J. D. Crafton be retained

Appointments—Adjutant General: R. P. Bland, Lebanon, Laclede County; recommends E. Y. Mitchell, Springfield, Greene County

Appointments—Adjutant General: petition, Columbia, Boone County; recommends Joseph K. Rickey, Callaway County

Appointments—Adjutant General: John G. Priest, St. Louis; recommends Col. Joe K. Rickey, Callaway County

Appointments—Adjutant General: S. D. Rin, Kansas City, Jackson County; recommends reappointment of Adjutant General Crafton

Appointments—Adjutant General: J. R. Reavis, Office of the Caucasian, Lexington, Lafayette County; recommends Col. Donan

Appointments—Adjutant General: W. B. Starke, Iron Mountain, St. Francois County; personal request for appointment

Appointments—Adjutant General: (illegible), St. Louis, to Mr. Rickey; recommends Col. Joseph K. Rickey, Callaway County (letterhead of St. Louis Democrat)
November 9, 1874
Appointments—Adjutant General: citizens of Morgan County, Versailles; recommends reappointment of Adjutant General Gen. John D. Crafton or for paymaster; citizens’ military claims for services, forage, etcetera

November 9, 1874
Appointments—Adjutant General: Stilson Hutchins, St. Louis; recommends Col. Joe K. Rickey, Callaway County; Major Edwards, St. Louis Evening Dispatch

November 9, 1874
Appointments—Adjutant General: William Hyde, St. Louis, to Hockaday; recommends Col. Joseph K. Rickey, Callaway County

November 9, 1874
Appointments—Adjutant General: Charles P. Johnson, St. Louis; recommends Col. Joseph K. Rickey, Callaway County

November 9, 1874
Appointments—Adjutant General: Henry A. Newman, Huntsville, Randolph County; requests personal appointment; Celsus Price; Tennessee and Georgia congressional delegates

December 20, 1863
Appointments—Adjutant General: copy of letters from Henry C. Kellogg, 43rd Georgia Regiment and A. Johnson, 40th Georgia Regiment to Capt. I. P. C. Whitehead, A. A. General, Stovalls Brigade; recommends H. A. Newman

November 9, 1874
Appointments—Adjutant General: William F. Switzler, St. Louis; recommends Col. Joseph K. Rickey, Callaway County (letterhead of Laclede Hotel)

November 9, 1874
Appointments—Adjutant General: W. Yeaman, St. Louis; recommends his brother, Caldwell Yeaman, Kansas City attorney, Jackson County

November 10, 1874
Appointments—Adjutant General: John B. Wornall, Kansas City, Jackson County; recommends Caldwell Yeaman, Kansas City attorney, Jackson County

November 10, 1874
Appointments—Adjutant General: Henry C. Young, Springfield, Greene County; recommends E. Y. Mitchell, Springfield, Greene County; endorsement by Phelps Bland
November 11, 1874

Appointments—Adjutant General: M. H. Phelan, St. Louis; recommendations for St. Louis police commissioner and adjutant general;Hyde; Republicans support of Hardin; Irish applicants for police commissioner; Joe Rickey’s past indiscretion, strategy for U. S. presidential bid (letterhead of The Western Watchman)

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Appointments—Adjutant General: Charles H. Morgan, Lamar, Barton County; recommends E. Y. Mitchell, Springfield, Greene County

November 12, 1874

Appointments—Adjutant General: John B. Clark, Jr., Fayette, Howard County; recommends reappointment of Adjutant General Gen. John D. Crafton; efforts before Congress for reimbursing Missouri’s war expenses

November 12, 1874

Appointments—Adjutant General: F. M. Cockrell, Warrensburg, Johnson County; recommends George W. Frame, Boonville, Cooper County, for private secretary; recommends Col. Clay Taylor, Maj. James Harding, Maj. James A. Gillespie, Capt. John A. Rudd, Col. Warner Lewis, Col. Joe Rickey, Col. P. Donan for adjutant general; victory speech at Mexico stating appointments will not be made on basis of numerous signed petitions

November 12, 1874

Appointments—Adjutant General: H. P. Gray, Nevada, Vernon County; personal request for appointment; or chief clerk in adjutant general’s office; Democratic Party owes Gray a debt

November 12, 1874

Appointments—Adjutant General: James E. Hughes, Turney Station, Clinton County; personal request for appointment; election triumph over Tadpoles; Col. Roberts; St. Joseph, Buchanan County

November 12, 1874

Appointments—Adjutant General: Thomas Monroe, Sedalia, Pettis County; requesting personal appointment; George G. Vest (George Graham Vest), John F. Philips; senate term served with Hardin in 1860-61; school with Mrs. Hardin at Bonne Femme Academy (letterhead of Pettis County Surveyor)
Appointments—Adjutant General: E. F. Rogers, Kansas City, Jackson County; recommends reappointment of Adjutant General Gen. John D. Crafton

Appointments—Adjutant General: Wash Adams, Boonville, Cooper County; recommends Col. Walker Wear, Boonville, Cooper County

Appointments—Adjutant General: H. N. Edwards, St. Louis; recommends reappointment of Adjutant General Gen. John D. Crafton; efforts in Washington to settle war claims (letterhead of St. Louis Evening Dispatch)

Appointments—Adjutant General: H. A. Hutchison, Boonville, Cooper County; recommends Col. Walker Wear, Boonville, Cooper County; acquainted with Wear in military and civil life

Appointments—Adjutant General: M. Munford, Kansas City, Jackson County; recommends Capt. J. A. M. Rudd (letterhead of The Kansas City Times)

Appointments—Adjutant General: W. D. Kerr, Fulton, Callaway County; recommends Col. Joseph K. Rickey, Callaway County (letterhead of Institution of the Education of the Deaf & Dumb)

Appointments—Adjutant General: Alf. T. Kierolf, Carrollton, Carroll County; recommends Col. Peter Donan, Lexington, Lafayette County; lawlessness in Lafayette (return address Journal Office)

Appointments—Adjutant General: T. M. Tufts, T. M. Park, editor of Landmark, and R. P. C. Wilson, Platte City, Platte County; recommends reappointment of Adjutant General Gen. John D. Crafton; Wars Claims Commission, Paw-Paw Militia (letterhead of Platte City Landmark)

Appointments—Adjutant General: T. M. Winston, Sr., Jefferson City, Cole County; personal request for appointment
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November 29, 1874  Appointments—Adjutant General: B. Warren Stone, New Franklin, Howard County; recommends Col. Walker Wear, Boonville, Cooper County; Stone fought against Wear at (Civil War) Battle of Pea Ridge

November 30, 1874  Appointments—Adjutant General: Warner Lewis, Fulton, Callaway County; personal request for appointment; war experience in Field and Pay Department; enclosed letter from Gen. E. W. Price

November 30, 1874  Appointments—Adjutant General: W. W. Vaughan, Brownsville, Saline County; recommends Capt. Richard L. Ferguson, Brownsville, Saline County; Union military service in Civil War

December 1, 1874  Appointments—Adjutant General: G. C. (George Caleb) Bingham; requesting personal appointment

December 1, 1874  Appointments—Adjutant General: E. V. Conway, Farmington, St. Francois County; recommends Col. Warner Lewis; Judge Dryden; Judge Huritow; Alex Mathis, all of St. Louis; Dr. Hutton, Mexico, Audrain County

December 1, 1874  Appointments—Adjutant General: W. A. McClain, Warsaw, Benton County; recommends Col. Walker Wear, Boonville, Cooper County

December 1, 1874  Appointments—Adjutant General: Caldwell Yeaman, Kansas City, Jackson County; personal request for appointment; list of personal references in Jackson and Clay Counties; Warnick Hough; Arthur Hough; Samuel L. Sawyer; John B. Wornall; John L. Peak; Charles D. Lucas; George C. Bingham; H. P. White; R. E. Cowen; B. F. Franklin; M. F. Payne; John W. Reid; William Chrisman; A. Comingo; A. T. Litchfield; D. C. Allen; L. W. Burris; O. P. Moss; W. R. Rothwell; Henry Smith
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Appointments—Adjutant General: Samuel A. Rawlings, Paris, Monroe County; requests personal appointment

December 7, 1874
Appointments—Adjutant General: W. R. Rothwell, Liberty, Clay County; recommends Caldwell Yeaman, Kansas City attorney, Jackson County; related to Helm family of Kentucky; brother of Dr. W. P. Yeaman of St. Louis

December 8, 1874
Appointments—Adjutant General: John A. Guthrie, Guthrie, Callaway County; personal request for appointment; Hardin’s guardianship of Butler

December 10, 1874
Appointments—Adjutant General: J. R. Willis, Jefferson City, Cole County; personal request for appointment (letterhead of St. Louis Manufacturing Company); extensive list of references includes Governor Silas B. Woodson

December 12, 1874
Appointments—Adjutant General: Henry Clay Dean, Jefferson City, Cole County; recommends William Stevens, Kansas City, Jackson County; Stevens from Ohio (letterhead of House of Representatives)

December 13, 1874
Appointments—Adjutant General: H. Davis and J. D. Patton, Sturgeon, Boone County; recommends Gen. David Moore, Canton, Lewis County; Moore’s military service, loss of a leg in War (letterhead of Lewis County Savings Bank, Canton)

December 14, 1874
Appointments—Adjutant General: John (illegible), St. Louis; recommends Dr. Samuel S. Harris, Crawford County; Harris’s service under author during Civil War (letterhead of Laclede Hotel, St. Louis)

December 14, 1874
Appointments—Adjutant General: Celsus Price, St. Louis; recommends Dr. Samuel S. Harris, Crawford County

December 14, 1874
Appointments—Adjutant General: J. W. Shields, Shields Farm, Carrollton, Carroll County; recommends Col. Stevens or P. Donan
December 15, 1874

Appointments—Adjutant General: James N. Burnes, St. Joseph, Buchanan County; recommends James R. Willis (letterhead of Chicago & South-Western Railway Co.)

December 15, 1874

Appointments—Adjutant General: M. M. Claggett, secretary, Buchanan Democratic Central Committee; recommends James R. Willis

December 15, 1874

Appointments—Adjutant General: (illegible) Luther, St. Louis; recommends Col. Peter Donan, Lexington, Lafayette County (letterhead of The Central Baptist, Luther and Teasdale, publishers)

December 15, 1874

Appointments—Adjutant General: John L. Peak, Kansas City, Jackson County; recommends Caldwell Yeaman, Kansas City attorney, Jackson County (letterhead of Boggess, Peak & Sloan)

December 15, 1874

Appointments—Adjutant General: A. M. Saxton, St. Joseph, Buchanan County; recommends James R. Willis (letterhead of State Savings Bank, formerly State National Bank)

December 15, 1874

Appointments—Adjutant General: Waller Young, St. Joseph, Buchanan County; recommends James R. Willis

December 16, 1874

Appointments—Adjutant General: Willard P. Hall, St. Joseph, Buchanan County; recommends James R. Willis

December 16, 1874

Appointments—Adjutant General: Stilson Hutchins and J. N. Edwards, St. Louis; recommends Dr. S. S. Harris Crawford County (letterhead of St. Louis Evening Dispatch)

December 16, 1874

Appointments—Adjutant General: Ewing Y. Mitchell, Springfield, Greene County; response to Governor’s correspondence pertaining to possible appointment as adjutant general; Missouri or U.S. should not pay war claims, payment would benefit a few corrupt and perjured men

December 17, 1874

Appointments—Adjutant General: A. Beattie, St. Joseph, Buchanan County; recommends James R. Willis (letterhead of Banking House of A. Beattie)
December 17, 1874  


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Appointments—Adjutant General: H. M. Vorier, St. Joseph, Buchanan County; recommends James R. Willis

December 18, 1874  


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Appointments—Adjutant General: Mrs. Ann E. Campbell, Boonville, Cooper County; recommends W. F. Melbourne

December 18, 1874  

Appointments—Adjutant General: I. R. Reavis, Lexington, Lafayette County; enclosed letter from Gen. Shields concerning adjutant general appointment

December 19, 1874  

Appointments—Adjutant General: James Dunn, Jr., Pleasant Hill, Cass County; personal request for appointment as warden of Missouri Penitentiary or adjutant general

December 19, 1874  

Appointments—Adjutant General: Lucian J. Eastin, Glasgow, Howard County; recommends John M. Blankenship (return address, office of Glasgow Journal)

December 19, 1874  

Appointments—Adjutant General: G. McMally, Jefferson City, Cole County; recommends W. D. Wear of Cooper County; John Stewart as tobacco inspector; retention of Seabry as penitentiary warden (note: surname is illegible, best guess)

December 19, 1874  

Appointments—Adjutant General: William Stevens, Kansas City, Jackson County; personal request for appointment (letterhead of The Kansas City Times, City Department)

December 19, 1874  

Appointments—Adjutant General: J. R. Willis, Jefferson City, Cole County; recommendations for appointment
December 21, 1874
Appointments—Adjutant General: D. Hawkins, Cape Girardeau, Cape Girardeau County; recommends Dr. S. S. Harris; previous meeting at Charleston while holding court

December 21, 1874
Appointments—Adjutant General: William H. Martin, Martinsburgh, Audrain County; requests personal appointment; Army Service as orderly sergeant of company, adjutant of Maj. Pindall’s battalion; and commissioner and quartermaster of Col. Sawthen’s Regiment; and judge advocate; case of William Cassiday, Mexico, Audrain County

December 21, 1874
Appointments—Adjutant General: George W. Samuel, St. Joseph, Buchanan County; recommends James R. Willis (letterhead of George W. Samuel, St. Joseph Building Co.)

December 21, 1874
Appointments—Adjutant General: W. Yeaman, St. Louis; recommends Caldwell Yeaman, Kansas City attorney, Jackson County (letterhead of Law Office of Stephen M. Yeaman)

December 22, 1874
Appointments—Adjutant General: J. F. Phillips, Sedalia, Pettis County; recommends Col. Walker Wear, Boonville, Cooper County

December 23, 1874

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Appointments—Adjutant General: John C. Ferguson, Osceola, St. Clair County; recommends Dr. J. Wade Gardiner; Philips, Phelps, West, Crittenden, Cockerill, (letterhead of Ferguson & Nesbit Law Office)

December 24, 1874
Appointments—Adjutant General: John D. S. Dryden, St. Louis; recommends Col. Warner Lewis (letterhead of Dryden & Dryden Law Office)

December 25, 1874
Appointments—Adjutant General: Allen P. Richardson, St. Louis; requesting personal appointment (enclosed news clipping from 1872)
December 25, 1874
Appointments—Adjutant General: William H. Woodson, Liberty, Clay County; recommends John M. Blankenship

December 29, 1874
Appointments—Adjutant General: John B. Gray and George C. Kimbrough, St. Louis; recommends Dr. Samuel S. Harris, Crawford County (letterhead of Gray, Kimbrough & Co., Wholesale Importers, Hats, Furs & Millinery Goods)

December 29, 1874
Appointments—Adjutant General: M. Oliver, St. Joseph, Buchanan County; requests personal appointment

December 30, 1874
Appointments—Adjutant General: George W. Dunn, Attorney, Richmond, Ray County; recommends John M. Blankenship

December 30, 1874
Appointments—Adjutant General: (illegible) Frost, St. Louis; recommends Gen. James Harding; military service under Claiborne Jackson

January 1, 1875
Appointments—Adjutant General: O. P. Moss, Liberty, Clay County; recommends John M. Blankenship

January 4, 1875
Appointments—Adjutant General: Martin Adams, Boonville, Cooper County; recommends George C. Bingham

January 4, 1875
Appointments—Adjutant General: John M. Blankenship, Liberty, Clay County; requests personal appointment

January 5, 1875
Appointments—Adjutant General: James Dunn, Jr., Pleasant Hill, Cass County, to A. M. Lay, Jefferson City, Cole County; desire for adjutant general appointment

January 5, 1875
Appointments—Adjutant General: William C. Jones, St. Louis; recommends Dr. Samuel S. Harris, Crawford County; Jones’s 20 years of voluntary military service
January 5, 1875
Appointments—Adjutant General: J. F. Shiefer, St. Louis; recommends Dr. Samuel S. Harris, Crawford County (letter forwarded from judge of St. Louis Criminal Court; letterhead of Lindell Hotel)

January 7, 1875

Appointments—Adjutant General: petition from southwest Missouri; recommends E. Y. Mitchell, Springfield, Greene County (letterhead of Madison Hotel, Jefferson City, Cole County)

January 7, 1875

Appointments—Adjutant General: petition from southwest Missouri legislators; recommends E. Y. Mitchell, Springfield, Greene County (letterhead of Madison Hotel, Jefferson City, Cole County)

January 8, 1875

Appointments—Adjutant General: C. H. Mansur, Jefferson City, Cole County; recommends James R. Willis

January 8, 1875

Appointments—Adjutant General: E. A. Seay, 22nd District and F. M. Lewis, Rep. of Phelps; recommends Col. E. Y. Mitchell, Springfield, Greene County (letterhead of Madison Hotel, Jefferson City, Cole County)

January 9, 1875

Appointments—Adjutant General: James S. (illegible), Columbia, Boone County; recommends Gen. David Moore; military service for Union (letterhead of University of Missouri)

January 11, 1875

Appointments—Adjutant General: Senator Peter A. K(illegible), 24th District; William Carter, St. Francois County; William S. Relfe, Washington County; A. W. H(illegible), Iron County; James H. Barrett, Dunklin County; John F. Edward, Iron County; and W. R. Slack, Stoddard County; to E. Y. Mitchell; recommends Mitchell (letterhead of House of Representatives)

January 11, 1875

Appointments—Adjutant General: J. C. Cravens, Jefferson City, Cole County, to Attorney General John A. Hockaday; statement opposing E. Y. Mitchell, applicant for adjutant general; ignorance in Springfield, Greene County, that Mitchell is candidate; poor personal habits
January 11, 1875
Appointments—Adjutant General: Thomas Holladay, Jefferson City, Cole County; recommends E. Y. Mitchell, Springfield, Greene County (letterhead, inspectors of Missouri Penitentiary)

January 11, 1875

January 25, 1875
Appointments—Adjutant General: Samuel Hardwick, Liberty, Clay County; recommends John M. Blankenship; Governor’s policy requiring character and qualifications

February 18, 1875
Appointments—Adjutant General: A. J. P. Garesche, St. Louis; recommends Col. Clay Taylor; military service under both Union and Confederate flags; acceptable to both North and South

October 29, 1875
Appointments—Adjutant General: James H. Birch, Prairie Park; recommends Captain Birch; references previously sent to Governor Brown; Hallowel’s Mathematical School, Alexandria, Virginia; Jones Commercial College; Cambridge; deafness in one ear

October 29, 1875
Appointments—Adjutant General: James H. Birch, Prairie Park, recommending his son, Daniel M. Birch, as County Surveyor

No date
Appointments—Centennial: membership, centennial commission; B. B. Kingsbury; E. P. Baldwin; A. C. Barry; Thomas H. Barwise, Sr; Barton Batez; C. T. Bolin; Charles S. Bryan; C. E. Bushnell; John N. Castlio; Dr. A. W. Chenoweth; George C. Chilton; George E. Clark; William B. Cogswell; H. B. Colburn; J. B. Colt; Charles A. Davis; Thomas C. Davis; A.M. Dillin; D. E. Dye; James E. Finks; James R. Galloway; F. W. Gertzweiler; F. C. Gillette;

Appointments—Centennial, continued: Henry Hatcher; John R. Hopkins; Joseph Hudson; A. G. Hunter; A. R. Jaques; T. M. Johnson; William T. Johnson; Matthias Kenaga; D. C. Kennedy; O. D. Knox; Joshua LaDue; Joseph P. Landes; James H. Lay; A. C. Lemmon; Dr. R. B. Lewis; Samuel G. Loring; Charles H. Lucas; Charles Lotz; Eli Lutes; Thomas Mabrey; William O. Mead; Richard H. Melton; Joseph Montgomery; W. G. S. Morrow; George Munch; John Nahm; Frank C. Nesbit; George E. Patton; William M. Paxton; David K. Pitman; W. A. Proctor; George W. Randolph; Charles H. Rider; Samuel A. Risley; Harvey W. Salmon; C. H. E. Schuttee; William L. Shirk; Lewell W. Smith; A. C. Snyder; A. G. Stewart; William T. Thornton; Charles D. Wilder; and Judge Nathan Zimmerman

Appointments—Centennial: J. W. Strong, St. Joseph, Buchanan County; request for commissions for honorary centennial commission members from northwest; Dr. H. K. Burford; R. T. Davis; H. E. Glozier; John C. Evans; Dr. Morris Hatler; Samuel Hitt; I. G. Kappner; J. A. Kelly; Col. G. H. Koch; Thomas Leech; W. L. Malone J. D. McNeely; O. G. McDonald; Frank M. Posegate; E. W. Russell; J. A. Sanders; Robert Sturdivant; Francis M. Taylor; W. M. Wyeth; Col. H. H. M. Williams

Appointments—Centennial: list of honorary Perry County centennial commission members; Judge (Illegible; Judge John Abernathy; R. M. Brewer; Capt. Boehm; James Burger; Judge Meinhold

Appointments—Centennial: Silas B. Woodson (governor of Missouri from 1871 to 1873), Jefferson City, Cole County; request to represent Missouri at Centennial of 1876 Celebration; business engagements prevent acceptance

Appointments—Centennial: Joseph Luce, St. Louis; requesting appointment to state board responsible for exhibition at 1876 Exposition in Philadelphia; endorsement by Lt. Gov. Norman J. Colman; Luce’s accomplishments in chemistry, mineralogy, geology, botany, and foreign languages.

Appointments—Centennial: J. L. Tracey, Washington, D.C.; requesting appointment to Centennial of 1876 Commission; recommendations from U.S. Senator Bogy and other Missouri congressmen; recommended by Major Rollins; Boston Able, St. Louis; J. B. Price, Jefferson City; large exhibition of St. Louis industries; (letterhead of U.S. Senate)

Appointments—Centennial: James W. Strong, Jefferson City, Cole County; application to centennial commission (letterhead of Atlantic & Pacific Railroad)

Appointments—Centennial: James Jordan Bennett, New York; requesting information for New York Herald concerning Missouri’s participation in the Philadelphia Centennial Exhibition (letterhead of The Herald, notation: not answered)

Appointments—Centennial: V. W. Hobbs, Jefferson City, Cole County; notification that House of Representatives has assembled in pursuance to governor’s proclamation

Appointments—Centennial: Thomas Dewey, Charlotte, North Carolina; invitation to attend centennial celebration of Mecklenburg Declaration of Independence on May 20

Appointments—Centennial: (illegible) Phelps, Jefferson City, Cole County; recommends Mayor Patrick Murphy, Joplin, Jasper County; involvement in mining lead and zinc ore (letterhead of House of Representatives)
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<td>Appointments—Centennial: J. L. Tracy, secretary, Missouri Centennial Board of Finance, St. Louis; U. S. Senator Bogy; headquarters obtained at Laclede Hotel; work on pamphlet for Centennial; unification of state board with board of finance (letterhead of Missouri Centennial Board of Finance)</td>
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Appointments—Centennial: J. R. Reavis, Lexington, Lafayette County; recommendations for centennial commission; Col. McLelland declined nomination; T. F. Hamilton; Tracy and Reavis are opponents for secretaryship; Tracy is U.S. Senator Bogy’s private secretary and secretary of centennial finance board

Appointments—Centennial: T. A. Post; recommends Col. Audenried; was William T. Sherman’s chief of staff

Appointments—Centennial: A. W. Slayback, St. Louis; acknowledging appointment as commissioner to Mecklenburg Centennial at Charlotte, North Carolina on May 20, 1875

Appointments—Centennial: L. Reavis, St. Louis; requesting assistance to procure secretaryship of state centennial board; position also desired by (J. L.) Tracy (letterhead of St. Louis Evening Dispatch)

Appointments—Centennial: J. L. Tracy, secretary, Centennial board of managers, Jefferson City, Cole County; resolution requesting Governor to appoint honorary county managers to aid board of managers; Centennial Exhibition, Philadelphia, 1876 (letterhead of Madison Hotel, Jefferson City)

Appointments—Centennial: unknow author, St. Joseph, Buchanan County; commissions for honorary centennial managers; Milton Tooth (Tootle?); John S. Crosby; Charles Pfeiffer; Isaac Wilkins; Thomas Ashton (letterhead Commercial Agency, St. Joseph)

Appointments—Centennial: J. L. Tracy, St. Louis; requesting names and addresses of honorary centennial members; city papers will publish centennial editions on Saturday
Appointments—Centennial: J. L. Tracy, St. Louis, telegram; addition of names representing important interests; A. H. Laflin; A. Wight; Thomas Richeson; S. M. Dodd; D. K. Ferguson; Miles Sells

Appointments—Centennial: John R Lionberger, St. Louis; recommends Col. J. C. Audenneed (letterhead of Third National Bank of St. Louis)

Appointments—Centennial: S. W. Marston, St. Louis; requesting appointment as assistant to Dr. Cook of Centennial Committee; history of Baptists in Missouri (letterhead of Missouri Baptist General Association)

Appointments—Centennial: M. H. Ritchey, Ritchey, Newton County; appointment as honorary member to Philadelphia Centennial Exposition

Appointments—Centennial: M. M. Robinson, Greentown, Lafayette County; appointment as honorary member to Philadelphia Centennial Exposition

Appointments—Centennial: B. B. Cahoon, Fredericktown, Madison County; recommends H. B. Colburn and William B. Cogswell as honorary centennial board members; qualifications of both men

Appointments—Centennial: Joshua LaDue, Clinton, Henry County; recommends Henry County men for centennial; James E. Finks, Calhoun; J. B. Colt, Will T. Thornton and Harvey W. Salmon, Clinton (letterhead of LaDue & Fyke, Attorneys)

Appointments—Centennial: John L. Morrison, Fayette, Howard County; acceptance of appointment as honorary centennial association member

Appointments—Centennial: Thomas Allen, St. Louis and Iron Mountain Railroad, St. Louis; recommendations for centennial commission, per Hardin’s request (letterhead of St. Louis and Iron Mountain, Cairo and Fulton/St. Louis, Iron Mountain and Southern Railways)

Appointments—Centennial: Timothy Regan, Carthage, Jasper County; acceptance of appointment as honorary member
July 6, 1875

Appointments—Centennial: lists, possible appointees; supplied by William F. Cockrill, Platte City, Platte County; and A. S. Stanley, Buffalo, Dallas County; counties represented include Crawford, Dallas, Dent, Franklin, Gasconade, Osage, Phelps, Platte, and Washington; James Adkins; Joseph G. Anderson; E. W. Bishop; Arthur A. Blumer; B. S. Brush; S. H. Burris; John S. Duncan; James A. Dunn; Charles D. Eitzen; O. Hardeman; H. S. Herbert; Julius Hundhausen; S. D. Immell; T. Isbell; William James; Will J. Knott; E. Lindsey; A. Matthews; John E. Organ; John M. Railey; Morris D. Rees; S. H. Sherlock, C. H. Stoats; C. P. Williams

July 10, 1875

Appointments—Centennial: William B. Hays, Lancaster, Schuyler County, to Hon. John R. Rippey, Jefferson City, Cole County; acceptance of appointment as honorary member

July 10, 1875

Appointments—Centennial: A. H. Edwards, St. Charles, St. Charles County; recommends Hon. H. C. Lackland (letterhead of St. Charles News Company)

July 12, 1875

Appointments—Centennial: A. L. Hammerslough, Kansas City, Jackson County; requesting appointment; endorsement by G. C. Bingham (George Caleb Bingham) (letterhead of Hammerslough & Company)

July 12, 1875

Appointments—Centennial: J. L. Tracy, secretary, State Board Centennial Managers, St. Louis; requested list of names for honorary membership; none found for Douglas County

July 13, 1875

Appointments—Centennial: J. LaDue, Sedalia, Pettis County; recommends S. T. Rosse (letterhead of Ives House)

July 14, 1875

Appointments—Centennial: Jesse Carter, Lancaster, Schuyler County; recommends William B. Hays; names listed on reverse side of letter: M. W. Hogan, prosecuting attorney, St. Louis County; Peter G. Gaffe, assistant prosecutor, St. Louis County; G. C. Normille, circuit attorney, St. Louis County, Criminal Court, Court of Criminal Corrections
July 16, 1875
Appointments—Centennial: E. M. Kerr, Fulton, Callaway County; receipt of commission as honorary member

July 17, 1875
Appointments—Centennial: R. A. Husisy, Neosho, Newton County; declines commission to centennial board, recommends Dr. J. P. McFarland, Neosho

July 20, 1875
Appointments—Centennial: Henry C. Brokmeyer, Jefferson City, Cole County; recommends Gustavus A. Kaswiese, St. Louis

July 20, 1875
Appointments—Centennial: Joseph Pulitzer, Jefferson City, Cole County; Re: recommends Henry Fleischmann, St. Louis (letterhead of Missouri Constitutional Convention)

July 20, 1875
Appointments—Centennial: C. M. Wilson, publisher of Courier, Buffalo, Dallas County; recommends himself, Frank Furth, and B. L. Brush (letterhead of Peter Wilson, Attorney and Real Estate Agent)

July 21, 1875
Appointments—Centennial: J. W. Harris, Boone County; recommends Prof. Swallow and W. S. Woods

July 24, 1875
Appointments—Centennial: J. W. Strong, vice president, state board centennial managers, St. Louis; appropriations needed for Philadelphia Centennial Exposition; recent visit to Philadelphia, state exposition buildings, arrangement of exhibits

July 24, 1875

July 27, 1875
Appointments—Centennial: J. L. Tracy, secretary, state board centennial managers, St. Louis; update on preparations

July 29, 1875
Appointments—Centennial: John L. Bogy, county clerk, St. Genevieve, St. Genevieve County; personal request for appointment; appointment of Mr. Harris (letterhead of clerk of County Court)
July 30, 1875
Appointments—Centennial: Frederick Doerr, editor, *St. Charles Democrat*, St Charles County; requests list of Philadelphia Exhibition appointees (letterhead of *St. Charles Democrat* Steam Printing House)

July 30, 1875
Appointments—Centennial: Charles D. Tresenrter, Clarkton, Dunklin County; appointment of Charles E. Stokes; Stokes’s relocation to Stoddard County; *Dexter City Enterprise* (letterhead of *Southeast Advertiser*)

July 31, 1875
Appointments—Centennial: George W. Carleton, Jefferson City, Cole County; recommends following men from Dunklin, Stoddard, and New Madrid counties; H. H. Bedford; D. L. Crumb; Sam T. Davis; Dr. William E. Evans; Mason H. Foley; Van H. Harrison; James H. Howard; W. L. Jeffers; Charles A. Laforge; F. W. Maulsby; William P. Nicholas; Given Owen; John L. Phillips; J. L. Richardson; Henry C. Riley; R. R. Roberts; Charles E. Stokes; John R. Tomlin; C. C. Williams

August 2, 1875
Appointments—Centennial: Charles E. Stokes, Dexter, Stoddard County; appointment to state board of centennial managers; relocation to Stoddard County; publisher of *Dexter Enterprise* (letterhead of *Dexter Enterprise*)

August 3, 1875
Appointments—Centennial: Ward, Bloomfield, Stoddard County, to Holladay; appointment of honorary centennial board members; Joseph C. Moore, Charleston, Mississippi County; D. A. Edens, Charleston, Mississippi County (letterhead of Circuit Court Clerk, endorsement by Thomas Holladay)

August 3, 1875
Appointments—Centennial: Gus H. Rife, Little Black, Ripley County; commission for centennial board issued to G. H. Rix

August 5, 1875
Appointments—Centennial: George H. Crumb, Bloomfield, Stoddard County; commissions for centennial board; C. B. Crumb; O. C. Jones, former publisher of *Messenger*

August 5, 1875
Appointments—Centennial: B. Charles Vandyke, M.D., Logan Creek, Reynolds County; requesting personal appointment
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Appointments—Centennial: J. L. Tracy, state board centennial managers, St. Louis; memorial volume, *Missouri 1876*, being compiled for centennial; requests $50 donation from Jefferson City and photo of governor (note: subscriptions from C. H. Hardin and Dr. R. D. Shannon; enclosed letter from J. B. Price)

1876
Appointments—Centennial: Mrs. William Dickinson, St. Louis; report of various centennial activities; enclosed list of ladies to whom letters have been sent at governor’s request: Mrs. John Abbott, Cape Girardeau; Mrs. Peter Ake, Van Buren; Mrs. Wyall Arnold, Carrollton; Mrs. M. E. Aspley, Charleston; Mrs. U. J. Bayler, Trenton; Mrs. M. A. Bedford, Bloomfield; Mrs. John Berry, West Plains; Mrs. Col. J. W. Black, Richmond; Mrs. Judge Buckner, Mexico; Mrs. D. H. Budlong, Carthage; Mrs. John Chandler, Liberty; Mrs. C. U. Clark, Hannibal; Mrs. William B. Cogswell, Mine La Motte; Mrs. R. S. Cordell, Pleasant Hill; Mrs. F. J. Crain, Gallatin; Mrs.

Appointments—Centennial (CONTINUED): Dr. Logan DeWitte, Carroll Co.; Mrs. Col. De la (illegible), Clinton; Mrs. J. F. Dillingham, Ironton; Mrs. John Edwads (sic); Mrs. Anna Frake, Grant City; Mrs. S. Fraze, Union; Mrs. Dr. J. A. Geun, Marble Hill; Mrs. Norman Gibbs, Mt. Vernon; Miss Laura Givens, Nevada; Mrs. H. E. Glazier, Maysville; Mrs. G. W. O(illegible), Steelville; Mrs. Col. J. W. Harper, Mrs. U. M. Harris, St. Louis; Kingston; Mrs. Dr. Harvey, Roanoke; Mrs. D. Hendricks, Fayette; Mrs. Fannie C. Howe, La Grange; Mrs. D. K. Irwine, Oregon; Mrs. A. R. Jacques, Lutesville; Mrs. A. D. Jayries, Sedalia; Mrs. William Kerr, Fulton; Mrs. Dr. John King, Greenfield; Mrs. G. W. Lewis, Albany; Mrs. R. E. Lewis, Clarence; Mrs. Z. Lilley, Osceola;

Appointments—Centennial (CONTINUED): Mrs. F. R. Massey, Neosho; Mrs. McCansland, Lexington; Mrs. L. R. Moore, Kansas City; Mrs. Charles E. Peers, Warrenton; Mrs. M. Poischel, Herman; Mrs. Quigley, Joplin; Mrs. Daniel Ransom, Stewardsville; Mrs. Rebecca Roache, California; Mrs. Dr. Rogers, St. Charles; Mrs. Giles Russell, Arcadia;
Appointments—Centennial (CONTINUED): Mrs. Dr. R. Shelly, Longstown; Mrs. S. H. Shulock, Salem; Mrs. R. P. Smith, Lamar; Mrs. A. J. Snell, Stockton; Mrs. C. W. Spencer, Plattsburg; Mrs. G. C. Swallow Columbia; Mrs. C. I. Tilley, St. Louis; Mrs. J. H. Tyner, Savannah; Miss S. V. Vaughn, Moberly; Mrs. Dr. Vincell, Louisiana; Mrs. R. P. C. Wilson, Platte City; Mrs. C. W. Wright, Princeton;

(CONTINUING) journal of expenses and receipts from ladies’ state ways and means committee

Appointments—Centennial: names of Kansas City and Jackson Co. Centennial Association; Miss H. Anderson, Mrs. Austin, Mrs. Bravens, Mrs. R. Carr, Mrs. Chrisman, Mrs. Day, Mrs. J. D. Doggett, Mrs. B. Donnelly, Mrs. Dunbarrs, Mrs. Eso, Mrs. Garrat, Mrs. Griffen, Mrs. H. H. Holden, Mrs. Jewett, Mrs. Lidener, Mrs. Litchfield, Mrs. Long, Mrs. (illegible), Mrs. March, Mrs. Moody, Mrs. (illegible), Mrs. L. R. Moore, Mrs. Pierce, Mrs. Perry, Mrs. Proctor, Mrs. Roberts, Mrs. St. Clair, Mrs. Teinerrsan, Mrs. Turner, Mrs. D. L. Twitchell, Mrs. R. B. Wilson, Mrs. J. B. Wornall,

Appointments—Centennial: partial letter from visitor to centennial exposition at Philadelphia (much of text obliterated)

Appointments—Centennial: J. L. Tracy, secretary, state board centennial managers, St. Louis; consent for picture of governor to be used in centennial book

Appointments—Centennial: Daviess County Centennial Society, Gallatin; contribution of $16.00 towards fund

Appointments—Centennial: form letter from P. Ware, Jr., Boston Chess Club, Boston; soliciting donations for chess tournament prizes

Appointments—Centennial: secretary, U.S. centennial commission; copy of resolution to permit speaker from each state (letterhead of exhibition)
March 6, 1876
Appointments—Centennial: Thomas Allen, president, state board centennial managers, St. Louis; receipt and copy of commission to present address on Missouri History at Centennial Exposition

March 10, 1876
Appointments—Centennial: Samuel K. Hall, St. Louis; requesting recommendation at centennial exposition judge; commission as honorary centennial manager, recommended by T. T. Crittenden

March 15, 1876
Appointments—Centennial: Henry Clay Dean, resident of Missouri with Iowa mailing address; possession of mammoth bald eagle caught on Rebel’s Cove Farm, desire to have bird presented to centennial celebration for mounting on cupola of Independence Hall, Philadelphia

March 15, 1876
Appointments—Centennial: Michael Hayes, Adair County; requesting assistance with debt and mortgage on farm; copy of poem praising George Washington

March 30, 1876
Appointments—Centennial: Thomas Allen, St. Louis; progress report on centennial exposition work; have collected and packed over forty boxes of various specimens and relics from mounds; due to inability to raise funds for Missouri building, is financing it personally; failure to find state flag or symbol (letterhead of St. Louis, Iron Mountain & Southern Railway Company; note in different writing concerning acceptance of eagle)

March 31, 1876
Appointments—Centennial: Dr. Bushrod W. James, M.D., American Literary Union, Philadelphia; requesting gubernatorial autographs for exhibit; Historical Society Archives, Pennsylvania State Archives

May 4, 1876
Appointments—Centennial: Thomas Allen, president, state board centennial managers, St. Louis; need for copies of public documents for display at centennial; request to auditor unanswered

May 29, 1876
Appointments—Centennial: Thomas J. Simpson, High Point, Moniteau County; free shipment of cabinet by railway to centennial
Appointments—Centennial: Mrs. William Dickinson, St. Louis, to Mrs. Col. J. W. Harper, president of Caldwell County centennial committee; requesting names for honorary membership of state centennial board; governor’s wish to recognize efforts of women.

Appointments—Centennial: fragment from unidentified writer, U.S. Centennial Commission, Philadelphia; requesting geological reports to present to foreigners.

Appointments—Centennial: Mrs. Thomas Rice, Hannibal, Marion County; names for honorary membership of state centennial board, per Mrs. Dickinson; Mrs. Goodwin Bishop, Mrs. Asa Turner, Mrs. Gaston, Mrs. George A. Hawes, Mrs. Thomas Rice.

Appointments—Centennial: Mrs. J. W. Harper, Hamilton, Caldwell County, to Mrs. Dr. William Dickinson; names for honorary membership of state centennial board; disgraceful treatment of women centennial workers.

Appointments—Centennial: Mrs. C. K. Fore, Richmond, Ray County; names for honorary membership of state centennial board; Mrs. J. W. Black, Mrs. C. K. Fore, Mrs. Dr. M. C. Jacobs, Miss Morehead, Miss Bettie Shaw, Mrs. D. P. Whitmer.

Appointments—Centennial: Mrs. Jeff Williams, St. Joseph, Buchanan County; names for honorary membership of state centennial board; Mrs. John Crosby, Mrs. Dickinson; Mrs. Mary Hedenburg, Mrs. Carrie Jenkins, Miss Mollie Mailler, Mrs. Jefferson Williams, Mrs. John Wade.

Appointments—Centennial: Mrs. B. B. Minor, St. Louis; names for honorary membership of state centennial board; Mrs. C. E. Barney, Mrs. F. O. Day, Mrs. Henry Flad, Mrs. L. H. Sounenschien; tension between state board of centennial managers headed by Thomas Allen, and two St. Louis women’s groups, one headed by Mrs. N. M. Harris, who is allied with Allen; public criticism of Allen in St. Louis newspapers.
June 9, 1876
Appointments—Centennial: Mrs. Dr. William Dickinson, St. Louis, to president, centennial association, Granby, Newton County; requesting names for honorary membership

June 10, 1876
Appointments—Centennial: Mrs. S. H. Sherlock, Secretary, Dent County Ladies Centennial Committee, Salem, Dent County, to Mrs. Dr. William Dickinson; names for honorary membership; Mrs. H. B. Clark, Mrs. E. E. Lehner, Mrs. J. M. Orchard, Mrs. E. B. Saukey, Mrs. S. H. Sherlock, Mrs. L. B. Woodside,

June 11, 1876
Appointments—Centennial: Erelina C. Dickinson, Windsor Harbor Centennial Organization, Jefferson County; names for honorary membership; Mrs. Sophie Crane, Mrs. Erelina C. Dickinson, Mrs. Mary Grant, Mrs. Mary H. Spencer, Mrs. Letty Waters, Mrs. Lucy C. Wislezenns

June 12, 1876
Appointments—Centennial: (fragment) unknown author, Clarence, Shelby County, to Mrs. Dr. W. Dickinson; names for honorary membership

June 14, 1876
Appointments—Centennial: Mrs. J. W. Harper, Caldwell County Ladies Centennial Organization; names for honorary membership; Mrs. J. A. Austin, Mrs. A. C. Menefee, Mrs. S. C. Rogers, Mrs. Kate Sackman, Mrs. N. M. Smith

June 14, 1876
Appointments—Centennial: Mrs. E. D. W. Hatch, Rolla, Phelps County; names for honorary membership; Mrs. E. W. Bishop, Mrs. C. C. Bland, Miss Julie Derth, Mrs. Charles Flint, Mrs. E. D. W. Hatch, Mrs. David Malcolm, Mrs. Charles P. Williams,

June 14, 1876
Appointments—Centennial: Mrs. L. R. Moore, Kansas City, Jackson County, to Mrs. Herrer; names for honorary membership; committee has dissolved, money raised for centennial not used due to misunderstanding in St. Louis and Mr. (Thomas) Allen’s actions, money raised donated to local public school library
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July 28, 1876  Appointments—Centennial: Mrs. Norman Gibbs, Mt. Vernon, Lawrence County; request for names of centennial organization, failure of organization to meet desired goals; Mrs. G. W. Fowler, Mrs. Norman Gibbs, Mrs. T. H. Jones, Mrs. J. P. Porter, Mrs. L. K. Wright, Mrs. W. E. Wright

September 13, 1876  Appointments—Centennial: Mrs. Kate A. Tuckman, Kingston, Caldwell County, and L. H. Hawes, Hannibal, Marion County; acknowledgement of centennial honor; notation identifying replies of lady centennial managers

October 1876  Appointments—Centennial: Professor Alexandro Rossi Suitton, office of representation for works of art sent by the directors of the Milan permanent exhibition to the universal exposition in Philadelphia; desiring to open partial exhibition of modern Italian art in Missouri, January 1877; from works on display at Philadelphia Exposition; financial arrangements, history of exhibition of fine arts in Milan

October 10, 1876  Appointments—Centennial: D. D. Hampton, Jackson, Cape Girardeau County; Democrats weak in Cape Girardeau County, need Governor and Mr. Brokmeyer to visit (letterhead of *The Missouri Cash-Book*)

October 24, 1876  Appointments—Centennial: form letter from Mrs. C. F. Deihm, *U.S. Centennial Welcome*, New York; requests copies of state seal and photo of governor; publication of photographic centennial album

October 28, 1876  Appointments—Centennial: John T. Heard, Sedalia, Pettis County; requesting duplicate centennial commission; trip to Philadelphia exposition

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<td>N. (H.?) B. Connell, wants papers for coal oil inspector; papers withdrawn January 3, 1877</td>
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1B/1/3 1 15 (4) July 25, 1874 Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: unknown author, Mexico, Audrain County; denial of sentiment printed in *The New Era*, request that denial be printed

1B/1/3 1 15 (3) August 31, 1874 Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: Bernard Bryan, St. Louis; requesting appointment; lost lumber business (letterhead of Bryan Real Estate & House Agent)

1B/1/3 1 15 (3) September 17, 1874 Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: F. B. Fulenwider, Jackson, Cape Girardeau County; requests appointment

1B/1/3 1 15 (3) November 1874 Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: petition, Concord, Callaway County; recommends J. J. Railey

1B/1/3 1 15 (4) November 1874 Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: petition, Montgomery City, Montgomery County; recommends J. J. Railey

1B/1/3 1 15 (3) November 5, 1874 Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: Lt. Governor Norman J. Colman, St. Louis; recommends Bernard Bryan (letterhead of *Colman's Rural World*)

1B/1/3 1 15 (3) November 5, 1874 Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: petition, Miami, Saline County; recommends J. J. Railey, for St. Louis

1B/1/3 1 15 (3) November 5, 1874 Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: (illegible), Columbia, Boone County; recommends B. Dameron for St. Louis (letterhead of St. Louis Life Insurance Co. Agency)

1B/1/3 1 15 (3) November 5, 1874 Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: John A. M. Rudd, Pleasant Hill, Cass County; requesting appointment

1B/1/3 1 15 (3) November 5, 1874 Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: I. I. C. Triplett, Columbia, Boone County; requesting appointment

1B/1/3 1 15 (3) November 6, 1874 Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: W. H. Berman, Columbia, Boone County; recommends A. P. Clarkson, Boone County

1B/1/3 1 15 (3) November 6, 1874 Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: Plattsburg, Clinton County; recommends J. J. Railey for St. Louis
November 6, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: Boyle Gordon, Columbia, Boone County; recommends Arthur P. Clarkston, Boone County

November 6, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: E. R. Offutt, St. Louis; requests appointment; teaches mathematics at Washington University

November 6, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: George C. Pratt, Columbia, Boone County; recommends A. P. Clarkson

November 6, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: R. B. Price, Columbia, Boone County; recommends A. P. Clarkson, unterrified Democrat (letterhead of Boone County National Bank)

November 6, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: John M. Samuel, Circuit Court clerk, Columbia, Boone County; recommends A. P. Clarkson; membership in Boone County Democratic Central Committee

November 6, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: T. R. Shields, Columbia, Boone County; recommends A. P. Clarkson

November 6, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: Edwin W. Stephens, Columbia, Boone County; recommends Arthur P. Clarkson (letterhead of Columbia, Missouri Herald)

November 6, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: Robert L. Todd, Columbia, Boone County; recommends Arthur P. Clarkson; Clarkson’s membership in (Democratic) Central Committee (letterhead of Exchange National Bank)

November 7, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: J. I. Child, Richmond, Ray County; recommends Mark L. Belt

November 7, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: Charles G. Gouern, chairman, St. Louis Democratic County Committee, St. Louis; recommends Bernard Bryan

November 7, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: citizens and business men of Holden, Johnson County; recommends J. J. Railey
November 7, 1874

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: citizens and merchants, Mineral Point, Washington County; recommends J. J. Railey

November 7, 1874

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: citizens and merchants, Potosi, Washington County; recommends J. J. Railey

November 7, 1874

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: David Prowell, Sr., Blackfoot, Boone County; recommends A. P. Clarkson; Woodson’s victory over the “tadpole candidate” (John B. Henderson; tadpole is a term coined circa 1874 referring to the Gentry Republican Party movement)

November 7, 1874

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: J. N. C. Triplett, Columbia, Boone County; recommends A. P. Clarkson

November 7, 1874

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: S. Turner, Jr., Columbia, Boone County; recommends Arthur P. Clarkson (letterhead of Exchange National Bank)

November 8, 1874

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: (illegible), Columbia, Boone County; recommends A. P. Clarkson

November 9, 1874

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: M. H. Cartright, Columbia, Boone County; requesting appointment

November 9, 1874

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: A. P. Clarkson, Columbia, Boone County; requesting appointment (letterhead of University of Missouri at Columbia)

November 9, 1874

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: J. H. R. Cundiff, St. Joseph, Buchanan County; recommends Judge J. J. Railey (letterhead of Buchanan County Circuit Clerk’s Office)

November 9, 1874

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: Sol. Kitchen, St. Louis; recommends Bernard Bryan (letterhead of Lincoln County Coal & Mining Co., St. Louis)

November 9, 1874

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: Thomas C. Ready, St. Louis; recommends Capt. M. L. Belt
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November 17, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: John Jay Johns, St. Charles, St. Charles County; personal request for appointment to position

November 17, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: S. W. Marston, St. Louis; recommends George B. Dameron (letterhead of Missouri Baptist General Association, listing board members and membership statistics)

November 17, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: Nanson, Bartholow & Co., St. Louis; recommends Samuel M. Grantham

November 18, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: R. H. Musser, St. Louis; recommends Bernard Bryan

November 18, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: Hezekiah Purdom, editor, *Pike County Post*, Bowling Green, Pike County; personal request for appointment to position

November 19, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: James M. Carpenter, St. Louis; recommends Arthur P. Clarkson

November 19, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: John H. Stuart, Marion, Cole County; requests personal appointment to position; enclosed letter from A. King

November 20, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: James E. Cadle, Chillicothe, Livingston County; recommends W. H. Mansur

November 20, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: B. J. Franklin, Kansas City, Jackson County; recommends Capt. M. L. Belt, Lafayette County (letterhead of Franklin & Napton, Attorneys)

November 20, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: James Merry, St. Louis; personal request for position

November 20, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: Edgar Moore, St. Louis; personal request for position
November 20, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: J. L. Stephens, Boonville, Cooper County; recommends A. R. French for Kansas City; enclosed letter from French to Stephens (letterhead of Threlkeld & Co. Wholesale Grocers)

November 21, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: R. A. DeBolt, Trenton, Grundy County; recommends W. H. Mansur for St. Louis

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: Paris H. Mason, St. Louis; recommends Bernard Bryan, willingness to stand as Bryan’s bondsman (letterhead of Curtis & Mason Furniture, Bedding, Chairs)

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: William K. Patrick; recommends Kelley (Patrick was coal oil inspector under Governor McClurg)

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: James M. Riley, attorney, Plattsburg, Clinton County; recommends J. J. Railey

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: W. L. Victor, Columbia, Boone County; recommends A. P. Clarkson (letterhead of Boone County National Bank)

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: petition, citizens of Chariton County, recommends J. J. Railey

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: J. N. Edwards, St. Louis; recommends Capt. William H. Mansur (letterhead of St. Louis Evening Dispatch)

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: F. B. Fulenwider, Jackson, Cape Girardeau County; personal request for position; family connections with the Governor

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: Joel Guthrie, Long Branch; requests personal appointment to position

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: Celsus Price, St. Louis; recommends William H. Mansur

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: petition, Liberty, Clay County; recommends J. J. Railey
November 26, 1874  Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: petition, Harrisonville, Cass County; recommends J. J. Railey

November 27, 1874  Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: Robert S. Adkins, Liberty, Clay County; request personal appointment to the position

November 27, 1874  Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: T. Railey and R. O. Boggess, Kansas City, Jackson County; recommends J. J. Railey (letterhead of Boggess & Sloan Law Office)

November 28, 1874  Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: J. E. Belch, Jefferson City, Cole County; recommends Mark L. Belt

November 28, 1874  Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: M. H. Phelan, St. Louis; recommends Thomas E. Phelan (letterhead of The Western Watchman)

November 28, 1874  Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: petition, St. Louis Citizens, St. Louis County; recommends Thomas E. Phelan

November 30, 1874  Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: Charles C. Fuller, St. Louis; recommends George G. Dameron (letterhead of Fuller Oils & Seeds)

December 1, 1874  Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: Thomas A. Anderson, St. Louis; personal request for position

December 1, 1874  Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: F. H. Flood, chairman, Democratic Central Committee, Linneus, Linn County; recommends J. J. Railey

December 1, 1874  Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: W. Johnson, Chairman, Democratic Executive Committee, Osceola, St. Clair County; recommends J. J. Railey

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December 1, 1874  Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: James L. Stephens, Columbia, Boone County; recommends A. P. Clarkson
December 2, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: Marmaduke and Brown, St. Louis; recommends Samuel A. Grantham (letterhead of Marmaduke & Brown)

December 3, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: Charles Forbes, Butler, Bates County; recommends J. J. Railey (letterhead of Bates County Circuit clerk S. H. Geisel)

December 3, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: petition, Weston, Platte County; recommends Joseph J. Railey

December 4, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: F. B. Frelenwider, Jackson, Cape Girardeau County; personal request for position

December 5, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: James Thompson, chairman, Democratic Executive Committee, Harrisonville, Cass County; recommends Joseph J. Railey (letterhead of James Armstrong, Attorney & Real Estate Agent)

December 6, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: J. W. Mercer, Independence, Jackson County; recommends Belt (letterhead of Jackson County treasurer)

December 7, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: John B. Hale and William M. Eads, Carrollton, Carroll County; recommends William H. Mansur (letterhead of Hale & Eads, Attorneys)

December 7, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: John B. Newberry, Butler, Bates County; recommends Coldwell Yeaman for Adjutant General and J. J. Railey for Coal Oil Inspector

December 7, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: petition, county officials and business men, Poplar Bluff, Butler County; recommends J. J. Railey

December 7, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: John Ryan, St. Louis; requesting personal appointment to the position

December 8, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: L. Baraden, St. Louis; requesting personal appointment to the position; previously resided in Mexico, Audrain County
December 8, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: F. M. Cockrell, St. Louis; recommends Capt. Thomas A. Anderson (letterhead of Laclede Hotel)

December 10, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: petition, Cape Girardeau, Cape Girardeau County; recommends J. J. Railey

December 10, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: L. B. Eby, Carrollton, Carroll County; recommends W. H. Mansur

December 10, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: C. J. Hughes, Richmond, Ray County; recommends William H. Mansur (letterhead of Ray County Sheriff’s Office)

December 10, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: Charles A. Mantz, St. Louis; recommends former state representative John Ryan

December 10, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: Web M. Rubey, Macon, Macon County; recommends George B. Dameron and Samuel Grantham for coal oil inspector and R. B. Ruby for penitentiary warden

December 11, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: Benjamin George, St. Louis; recommends Mr. Edie

December 11, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: George T. Hubbard, St. Louis; requesting personal appointment to position (letterhead of Gauss, Hunicke & Company)

December 11, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: William J. Lewis, St. Louis; recommends Samuel A. Grantham (letterhead of Meramec Iron Mining Company)

December 11, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: John I. Martin, St. Louis; recommends Hon. Thomas Anderson (letterhead of John I. Martin, Dealer in Farm Machinery and Special Agent for Acme Reapers and Mowers)

December 11, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: W. M. Price, St. Louis; recommends Samuel A. Grantham
December 11, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: D. G. Tutt & Co.,
St. Louis; recommends S. A. Grantham (letterhead of
D. G. Tutt & Co., General Commission Merchants)

December 12, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: Messer Ward,
attorney, chairman, County Democratic Committee,
Charleston, Mississippi County; recommends J. J.
Railey

December 12, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: J. W. Booth &
Sons, St. Louis; recommends Sam A. Grantham
(letterhead of J. W. Booth & Sons)

December 14, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: Lewis J. Clark, St.
Louis; recommends S. A. Grantham (letterhead of
Lewis J. Clark)

December 14, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: W. W. Edwards,
St. Charles, St. Charles County; recommends John
Powell, St. Charles

December 14, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: Celsus Price, St.
Louis; recommends Capt. T. A. Anderson

December 14, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: R. M. Renick, St.
Louis; recommends John Ryan (letterhead of R. M.
Renick & Co., Bankers and Brokers)

December 15, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: T. J. O.
Morrisson, New Madrid, New Madrid County
recommends J. J. Railey

December 15, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: Celsus Price, St.
Louis; recommends Bernard Bryan

December 16, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: William T.
Hickman, Columbia, Boone County; requesting
personal appointment for position; friendship of 40
years standing

December 16, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: Alinn Rucker,
chairman of executive committee, Farmington, St.
Francois County; recommends J. J. Railey

December 17, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: Frances M.
Cockrell, Warrensburg, Johnson County; recommends
Richard Clinton for St. Joseph
December 17, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: N. Lackland, Mexico, Audrain County; requesting personal appointment for position

December 17, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: William H. Storee, St. Louis; recommends D. R. Kelley

December 18, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: S. Turner, Columbia, Boone County, to former Representative John Ryan; supports Ryan; previously endorsed of Clarkson (letterhead of Missouri House of Representatives)

December 18, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: G. G. Vest (George Graham Vest), Sedalia, Pettis County; recommends Mark Belt, Lafayette County

December 19, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: C. C. Bassett, Attorney, Butler, Bates County; recommends J. J. Railey

December 19, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: J. C. Cruson, chairman, Democratic Central Committee, Butler, Bates County; recommends J. J. Railey

December 21, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: Pierre A. Berthold, St. Louis; requesting personal appointment for position

December 21, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: petition, St. Louis; recommends Pierre A. Berthold

December 21, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: D. W. Crowley, requests personal appointment for position

December 21, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: E. A. Donelan, St. Joseph, Buchanan County; requesting personal appointment for position

December 21, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: Probate Judge David C. Hope, and Circuit Judge D. L. Hawkins, Cape Girardeau County; recommends Maj. F. B. Fulenwider
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Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: F. C. Sharp, St. Louis; recommends Bernard Bryan

December 24, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: Henry McConathy, Louisiana, Pike County; recommends Henry McConathy, Boone County

December 24, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: J. Lykins, Kansas City, Jackson County; requesting personal appointment for position for Kansas City; George C. Bingham; John B. Wornall; Dr. James M. Wood; Dr. Joseph Chen; Thomas Smart; Judge William Holmes

December 25, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: Louis Salisbury, Salisbury, Chariton County; recommends George B. Dameron; W. T. Rutherford, Huntsville, Randolph County

December 25, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: Edward C. Kehn, St. Louis; recommends Hon. John Ryan

December 26, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: Celsus Price, St. Louis; recommends John Ryan

December 26, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: John Ryan, St. Louis; letter from S. Turner; endorsement from Col. Prather, St. Louis County

December 28, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: F. B. Fulenwider, Jackson, Cape Girardeau County; encloses petition recommending himself for petition

December 28, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: Erastus Wells, St. Louis; recommends John Ryan (letterhead of Missouri Railroad Company)

December 28, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: G. C. Swallow, Columbia, Boone County; recommends Arthur Clarkson (letterhead of the University of Missouri)

December 29, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: Celsus Price, St. Louis; recommends Mark Belt

December 30, 1874
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: M. G. Singleton, Fulton, Callaway County; requesting personal appointment for position; longtime acquaintance of Hardin; instrumental in making Hardin senator
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: Thomas A. Anderson, St. Louis, to Hon George W. Hough, Jefferson City, Cole County; requesting personal appointment for position

December 31, 1874

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: George W. Dunn, Richmond, Ray County; recommends William H. Mansur

December 31, 1874

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: Hutchens & Edwards, St. Louis; testimonials in behalf of Mark L. Belt, (letterhead of St. Louis Evening Dispatch)

December 31, 1874

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: Thomas A. Anderson, St. Louis; requesting personal appointment for position; endorsed by Gen. C. Cockerel, Celsus Price, and John Martin

January 1, 1875

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: O. P. Moss, recommends R. L. Adkins

January 1, 1875

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: F. C. Sharps, St. Louis; recommends former Representative John Ryan

January 2, 1875

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: W. R. Wilhite, recommends A. P. Clarkson, Boone County

January 2, 1875

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: J. Yancey, Hannibal, Marion County; requesting reappointment; appointed by Governor Benjamin G. Brown and reappointed by Governor Woodson (letterhead of Keokuk Northern Line Packet Co. with general offices in St. Louis and listing of steamer names)

January 2, 1875

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: James M. Gordon, Columbia, Boone County; recommends Arthur P. Clarkson

January 4, 1875

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: James M. Ming, Washington, Franklin County; recommends James Merry, St. Louis

January 4, 1875

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: J. B. Morris, Mexico, Audrain County; recommends his son John B. Morris, Jr
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1B/1/3  1  19 (4)  January 20, 1875  Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: J. H. R. Cundiff, St. Joseph, Buchanan County; recommends reappointment of Capt. H. Macloon, current St. Joseph coal oil inspector (letterhead of Buchanan County Circuit Clerk’s Office)

1B/1/3  1  19 (4)  January 20, 1875  Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: James Doyle, St. Louis; requesting personal appointment for position
January 21, 1875
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: Murat MacGuison, chairman, Buchanan County Democratic Central Committee and James McRingo, chairman, congressional committee, 9th Congressional District, St. Joseph, Buchanan County; recommends Harry P. Macloon; Dr. E. A. Donelan also interested in position, Donelan is county physician and a Commissioner for Lunatic Asylum No.2

January 22, 1875
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: Stilson Hutchins, Jefferson City, Cole County; Mr. Threlkeld, Kansas City (letterhead of Missouri House of Representatives)

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: H. W. Isbell, Columbia, Boone County; requesting personal appointment for position

January 22, 1875
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: I. H. Shelly, county treasurer, Princeton, Mercer County; recommends Dr. H. A. Brown (letterhead of Mercer County treasurer)

January 23, 1875
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: Henry M. Raney, prosecuting attorney, Buchanan County; recommends Richard Clinton for St. Joseph

January 24, 1875
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: C. Wright, chairman, Democratic Central Committee, Mercer County; recommends Dr. H. A. Brown for St. Louis

January 25, 1875
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: S. H. Perryman, Princeton, Mercer County; recommends Dr. H. A. Brown for St. Louis

January 25, 1875
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: B. A. DeBolt, Trenton, Grundy County; recommends Dr. Horace A. Brown, Princeton, Mercer County (letterhead of Shanklin & Austin, Bankers)

January 26, 1875
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: Horace A. Browne, Princeton, Mercer County; requesting personal appointment for position

January 26, 1875
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: F. B. Fulenwider, Jackson, Cape Girardeau County; requesting personal appointment for position
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: W. L. Robertson, Princeton, Mercer County; recommends Dr. H. A. Browne (letterhead of *The Princeton Advance*)

January 27, 1875

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: petitions (2), citizens of St. Louis; recommends Jesse C. Wilhite

January 28, 1875

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: D. M. Frost, St. Louis; recommends Thomas Ratcliff

January 30, 1875

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: Henry Brokmeyer, St. Louis; recommends James Doyle (letterhead of Conn & McRee)

January 30, 1875

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: Benton Coontz, Hannibal, Marion County; recommends reappointment of Jerry Yancy (letterhead of Marion County Collector of Revenue and Deputy Sheriff)

February 1, 1875

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: George A. Hawes, A. R. Levering, and John H. Garth, Hannibal, Marion County, to Hon. C. F. Kirtley, Jefferson City; recommends reappointment of Jeremiah Yancey, current coal oil inspector

February 2, 1875

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: J. E. Robinson, Columbia, Boone County; requesting personal appointment for position

February 3, 1875

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: J. Yancey, Coal Oil Inspector, Hannibal, Marion County; estimated income for Hannibal coal oil inspector (letterhead of Keokuk Northern Line Packet Co. 29)

February 4, 1875

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: M. R. E. Harvey, Fairville, Saline County; recommends Luther Pulliam, formerly of Saline County but now residing at Knob Noster, Johnson County

February 5, 1875

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: D. C. Allen, Liberty, Clay County, to Jesse C. Wilhite; requesting personal appointment for position; endorsed by R. S. Adkins of Liberty

February 6, 1875

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: Charles A. Mantz, St. Louis; recommends Capt. James Doyle (letterhead of *St. Louis Daily Times*)
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March 11, 1875
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: James M. Finlay, Supt. Of St. Louis Coal Oil Works, St. Louis County; requesting appointment of coal oil inspector who will protect manufacturers, dealers, and consumers (letterhead of St. Louis Coal Oil Works)

March 11, 1875
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: Lafayette Hume, Columbia, Boone County; requesting personal appointment for position; references from Columbia and St. Louis

March 11, 1875
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: R. W. Jones, Danville, Montgomery County; recommends John S. Singleton, lost property during Civil War

March 11, 1875
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: Thomas G. Settle, Ferguson, St. Louis County; requesting appointment for position, endorsed by Norman J. Colman

March 12, 1875
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: William W. Henderson, St. Louis; recommends Thomas G. Settle, Native American; southerner

March 13, 1875
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: James Adkins, Platte County, James M. Bohanz, Clay County, George M. Davis, Clinton County, T. W. Park, Platte County; recommends Robert S. Adkins, Liberty, Clay County (letterhead of Missouri Senate)

March 13, 1875
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: James R. Lackland, St. Louis; recommends Thomas G. Settle

March 13, 1875
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: J. R. Reavis, Jefferson City, Cole County; recommends A. R. French of Kansas City for position in Kansas City

March 15, 1875
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: L. W. Burris, Liberty, Clay County, to James Adkins; recommends Robert S. Adkins (letterhead of the Clay County Clerk)

March 15, 1875
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: Thomas T. January, St. Louis; recommends Thomas G. Settle
March 16, 1875

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: L. W. Burris, Liberty, Clay County; recommends Robert S. Adkins (letterhead of Clay County Clerk)

March 16, 1875

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: William Harper, Mexico, Audrain County; recommends Joel Guthrie

March 16, 1875

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: More and Co., St. Louis; recommends J. J. Railey (letterhead of More & Co.)

March 22, 1875

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: petition, citizens of Kansas City, Jackson County; recommends Elisha F. Rogers for Kansas City

March 22, 1875

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: G. G. Vest (George Graham Vest), Sedalia, Pettis County; recommends L. Pulliam, Johnson County

March 24, 1875

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: William L. Gatewood, Jefferson City, Cole County; recommends S. A. Grantham, St. Louis (letterhead of Missouri Senate)

March 25, 1875

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: James Doyle, St. Louis; requesting personal appointment for position; endorsements

March 27, 1875

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: Thomas G. Settle, St. Louis; requesting personal appointment for position

March 31, 1875

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: L. Pulliam, Knob Noster, Johnson County; requesting personal appointment for position

April 1, 1875

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: Jackson, Pfouts & Douglas, St. Louis; recommends J. J. Railey

April 2, 1875

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: James Hurt, Kansas City, Jackson County; recommends William Morton for Kansas City (letterhead of David O. Smart & Co., Bankers)
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Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: Isaac Hardin Jones, St. Louis; requesting personal appointment for position for St. Louis; southern sympathizer, gun running

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: N. A. Bourland, Hannibal, Marion County; recommends reappointment of Jerry Yancey

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: J. J. Haden, St. Louis; recommends J. D. Hinde (letterhead of Craig Alexander, General Commission Merchant)

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: F. B. Fulenwider, Jackson, Cape Girardeau County, to Hon. T. J. O. Morrison, New Madrid, New Madrid County; requesting personal appointment for position

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: J. P. McAfee, Columbia, Boone County; recommends Arthur P. Clarkson

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: petition, citizens of Boone County, recommends A. O. Runyan, Columbia, Boone County

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: petition, citizens of Independence, Jackson County; recommends A. O. Runyan, Columbia, Boone County

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: petition, citizens of Sedalia, Pettis County; request appointment of unnamed citizen to position

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: R. A. Hatcher, Jackson, Cape Girardeau County; recommends F. B. Fulenwider, Cape Girardeau County, for St. Louis

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: petition, Hannibal, Marion County; recommends Jerry Yancey(letterhead of Farmers & Merchants Bank)
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: J. Yancey, Hannibal, Marion County; requests reappointment to position

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: R. F. Lakeman, Hannibal, Marion County; recommends reappointment of Jerry Yancy

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: Jonathan Reid, Lexington, Lafayette County; recommends Capt. T. A. Webb (letterhead of Lexington Savings Bank)

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: George F. Burdett, St. Louis; opposes Phelan; C. H. Avis

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: F. B. Fulenwider, Jackson, Cape Girardeau County; refusal of William C. Ramsey to support candidacy for position (letterhead of Cape Girardeau county clerk)

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: Thos. G. Settle, Ferguson, St. Louis County; requesting personal appointment for position, endorsement from Edwards

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: William P. Harrison, Hannibal, Marion County; recommends reappointment of Jerry Yancy

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: J. R. Kellen, Jefferson City, Cole County; recommends Dr. William A. Morton, Kansas City, Jackson County (letterhead of Missouri Senate)

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: W. H. Smith, Auxvasse, Callaway County; requests appointment

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: J. H. McVeigh, D. M. Dulany, Hannibal, Marion County; recommends reappointment of Jerry Garvey (letterhead of Dulany & McVeigh Building Materials)

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: Frank B. Fulenwider, Jackson, Cape Girardeau County, to Judge Wash Adams, Jefferson City, Cole County; requesting assistance to secure appointment (letterhead of Cape Girardeau county clerk)
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: J. D. Robinson, Columbia, Boone County; recommends Arthur P. Clarkson, Boone County for St. Louis

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: F. P. Bell, Jefferson City, Cole County; requesting personal appointment for position

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: A. P. Clarkson, Columbia, Boone County; requesting personal appointment for position in St. Louis

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: A. R. French, Kansas City, Jackson County; requesting personal appointment for position in Kansas City (letterhead of Threlkald & Co., Grocers)

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: A. O. Runyan, Columbia, Boone County; requesting personal appointment for position


Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: T. T. Hathaway, St. Louis; recommends Giles Letcher; member of constitutional convention (letterhead of Lanham & Voorhis, Real Estate Agents, Auctioneers)

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: Thomas Thomas, St. Louis; recommends Giles Letcher

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: W. H. Gilman, Pharmacist, Columbia, Boone County; requesting personal appointment for position; has been Democrat since dissolution of old Whig Party

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: N. Lackland, Mexico, Audrain County; requesting personal appointment for position (letterhead of St. Louis Life Insurance Company)

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: Giles C. Letcher, St. Louis; requesting personal appointment for position
May 28, 1875
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: Robert McPheeters, Concord, Pemiscot County; recommends J. J. Bailey

May 28, 1875
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: J. K. Rogers, Columbia, Boone County; recommends A. O. Runyan

May 29, 1875
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: Hon. J. P. Strother, Jefferson City, Cole County; recommends Giles C. Letcher, St. Louis, and Luther Pulliam, Knob Noster; Giles C. Letcher to Strother requesting recommendation to Governor, Strother’s endorsement of J. J. Railey

May 29, 1875
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: J. R. Reavis, Lexington, Lafayette County; recommends Thomas A. Webb (letterhead of Lafayette County Circuit Clerk)

May 31, 1875
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: A. S. Harris, Brunswick, Chariton County; recommends Giles C. Letcher for St. Louis

May 31, 1875
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: William H. Heath, St. Louis County Auditor, St. Louis; recommends Giles C. Letcher (letterhead of County Auditor’s Office)

May 31, 1875
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: J. H. Pennebaker, Versailles, Morgan County; requesting personal appointment for position in St. Louis

May 31, 1875
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: G. G. Vest (George Graham Vest), Sedalia, Pettis County; recommends Judge Joseph J. Railey for St. Louis

June 1875
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: petition; recommends Peter Henry for Hannibal, Marion County

June 1, 1875
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: John Hinton, Columbia, Boone County; recommends Arthur P. Clarkson for St. Louis

June 1, 1875
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: John Quinn, St. Louis; requesting personal appointment for position
June 1, 1875
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: James S. Rollins, Columbia, Boone County; recommends A. O. Runyon (letterhead of Boone County National Bank)

June 2, 1875
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: Joel Guthrie, Mexico, Audrain County; requests appointment for the position in St. Louis

June 3, 1875
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: William F. Switzler, Jefferson City, Cole County; recommends A. O. Runyan; Boone County left out of gubernatorial appointments

June 5, 1875
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: Frank B. Fulenwider, Jackson, Cape Girardeau County; requests appointment for position (letterhead of Cape Girardeau County clerk)

June 5, 1875
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: Nelson Catlett Orear, St. Louis; no endorsements from friends; previous applications unanswered

June 5, 1875
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: Theophile Papin, St. Louis; recommends Giles C. Letcher (letterhead of State and County Collector)

June 7, 1875
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: George S. Shryock, St. Louis; requesting personal appointment for position in St. Louis

June 8, 1875
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: T. W. Barrett, Jefferson City, Cole County; recommends Jesse Wilhite for St. Louis

June 8, 1875
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: William G. Clark, St. Louis; recommends George S. Shryock (letterhead of Hill, Lemmon & Co., Saw Mill and Lumber Yard)

June 8, 1875
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: John Darby, St. Louis, to Hon. T. W. B. Crews, Jefferson City, Cole County; recommends Giles C. Letcher; endorsements by Henry C. Brokmeyer and J. Halligan

June 8, 1875
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: Logan Hunton, St. Louis; recommends Thomas G. Settle
Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: D. A. January, St. Louis; recommends Thomas G. Settle (letterhead of January & Co., Wholesale Grocers & Commission Merchants)

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: John Wickham, St. Louis; recommends Thomas G. Settle (letterhead of John Wickham Law Office)

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: D. P. Rowland, St. Louis; recommends George S. Shryock; appointed by Governor Woodson as deputy under present incumbent (letterhead of Merchants Exchange of St. Louis)

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: James Monaghan, Sedalia, Pettis County; recommends Samuel A. Grantham for St. Louis

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: Giles C. Letcher, St. Louis; requests appointment for position in St. Louis

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: Tom Smith, Mexico, Audrain County; requests appointment to position

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: James McDonough, St. Louis; requests appointment to position

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: P. H. Kelly, St. Louis; requests appointment for the position in St. Louis

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: James Henry, St. Louis; recommends his brother, Peter Henry of Hannibal, Marion County (letterhead of St. Lawrence O’Toole’s Church, St. Louis)

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: Thomas P. Jaudon, inspector of coal oils, Kansas City, Jackson County; harassment and intimidation efforts by J. T. Briggs; Standard Oil Co., Cleveland
January 15, 1876

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: Mayor Norman Mottby, Sedalia, Pettis County; city council action, requesting appointment of coal oil inspector for Sedalia, recommends John F. Autes

January 18, 1876

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: G. G. Vest, Sedalia, Pettis County; recommends Ira E. Barns

January 31, 1876

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: J. T. Briggs, president, Western Oil Tank Line Co., St. Louis; requesting investigation of competence of Mr. Jaudon as Coal Oil Inspector

February 1, 1876

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: Robert L. Yeager, Jackson County prosecuting attorney, Kansas City; untruthfulness of charges against Jaudon made by Briggs; Jaudon’s Integrity

February 5, 1876

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: J. T. Briggs, president, Western Oil Tank Line Co., St. Louis; false statements by T. P. Jaudon, Kansas City oil inspector

March 23, 1876

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: J. T. Briggs, president, Western Oil Tank Line Co., Kansas City, Jackson County; incompetence of T. P. Jaudon; threatens lawsuit against Jaudon; affidavits from H. P. Macloon, inspector of oils, St. Joseph; F. A. Knickerbocker, agent, Western Oil Tank Line Co.; and Thomas Hogan, employee, Western Oil Tank Line Co.

March 31, 1876

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: Thomas P. Jaudon, inspector of petroleum oil, Kansas City, Jackson County; rebuttal of charges made by Mr. Briggs; methods of testing and inspecting oil

April 27, 1876

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: petition, from Citizens of Kansas City, Jackson County; Re: requests Appointment of William M. Dively as Petroleum Oil Inspector

May 13, 1876

Appointments—Coal Oil Inspector: F. M. Black, Kansas City, Jackson County; recommends William M. Dively
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<td>Michael D. Morgan, St. Joseph, Buchanan County; requests return of all letters and petitions presented in his behalf for coal oil inspector of St. Louis</td>
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<td>Robert D. Johnson, Galveston, Texas; request appointment to position for Missouri, residing in Texas; endorsement by A. H. William (note: after date of initial commission by Governor Fletcher, date of revocation and reference to reply in letter book)</td>
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<td>Peter S. Wilkes, Stockton, California; request appointment to position for Missouri, residing in California (previously appointed by Governor Brown, boarding with Hardin’s mother in Columbia)</td>
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Appointments—Commissioner of Deeds: A. L. Gould, San Francisco, California; request appointment to position for Missouri, residing in California

Appointments—Commissioner of Deeds: John W. Waddell, Lexington, Lafayette County; commission sent by Governor under McClelland Bill (letterhead of Lexington Savings Bank)

Appointments—Commissioner of Deeds: Richard M. Bruno, New York, New York; request appointment to position for Missouri, residing in New York

Appointments—Commissioner of Deeds: Joseph T. Tatum, St. Louis; request appointment for his brother to position for Missouri, residing in either New York or Tennessee (letterhead of Tatum Law Office)

Appointments—Commissioner of Deeds: Edward G. Black, attorney, New York; request appointment to position for Missouri, residing in New York

Appointments—Commissioner of Deeds: Peter A. Hegeman, New York; request appointment to position for Missouri, residing in New York; appointed notary public by New York Governor Tilden

Appointments—Commissioner of Deeds: H. T. Morris, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania; request appointment to position for Missouri, residing in Pennsylvania


Appointments—Commissioner of Deeds: Alfred H. Benners, Dallas, Texas; request appointment to position for Missouri, residing in Texas

Appointments—Commissioner of Deeds: John P. Brisben, Taylorville, Illinois; request appointment to position for Missouri, residing in Illinois; holds same position for Kansas
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<td>Commissioner of Deeds: E. R. Hickman, Los Angeles, California; request appointment to position for Missouri, residing in California for H. Fleishman (business card of H. Fleishman, agent for all German steamship lines)</td>
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<td>Commissioner of Deeds: Levi Maule, Cleveland, Ohio; verification that Thaddeus W. Fuller was commissioner of deeds for Missouri at Buffalo, N.Y. 1870-1874; New York County has no record of Fuller, possibility of forged deed acknowledgements, note by Governor Hardin concerning reply</td>
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<td>Appointments—Commissioner of Deeds: Michael K. McGrath, Secretary of State, Jefferson City, Cole County, to Joseph C. Lawrence; Governor’s vacation of commission as commissioner of deeds for Missouri, effective May 15, 1876; failure to comply with law by filing required items within six months after appointment; Lawrence’s response desiring to retain commission</td>
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Appointments—Commissioner of Deeds: F. M. Poland, Houston, Texas; requests appointment as commissioner of deeds for Missouri, residing in Texas

September 8, 1876  
Appointments—Commissioner of Deeds: Jay E. Russell, San Francisco, California; requests appointment as commissioner of deeds for Missouri, residing in California

September 19, 1876  
Appointments—Commissioner of Deeds: B. H. Langston, Springfield, Greene County; payment of award for making arrest; commissioned to receive parties from authorities in Kansas; Mr. Heffeman

December 15, 1876  
Appointments—Commissioner of Deeds: Will H. Burrall, Oakland, California; requests appointment as commissioner of deeds for Missouri, residing in California

December 19, 1876  

No date  
Appointments—County Clerk: petition; vacancy in Grundy County clerk’s office due to resignation of W. H. Roberts; recommends George H. Hubbell

No date  
Appointments—County Clerk: petitions (2), citizens of Grundy County; vacancy caused by resignation of County Clerk W. H. Roberts; County Court has appointed David C. Pugh, requesting affirmation of Pugh’s appointment

January 7, 1875  
Appointments—County Clerk: Theo. E. Roussin, Fredericktown, Madison County, to J. M. Anthony, Jefferson City, Cole County; renewal by Governor Hardin of commission awarded by Governor Woodson

January 21, 1875  
Appointments—County Clerk: Theo. E. Roussin, Fredericktown, Madison County, to J. M. Anthony, Jefferson City, Cole County; commission as county clerk by Governor Woodson
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<td>Appointments—County Clerk: J. H. Shanklin, Trenton, Grundy County; resignation of county clerk W. H. Roberts, three county judges will recommend appointment of David C. Pugh; George H. Hubbell a better candidate; bad condition of county affairs left by Roberts (letterhead of Shanklin, Low &amp; McDougal)</td>
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March 18, 1876
Appointments—County Clerk: copy of Grundy County court order, appointment of D. C. Pugh to fill vacancy left by resignation of W. H. Roberts

March 21, 1876
Appointments—County Clerk: telegram, J. B. Berry, C. A. Conrad and Valentine Briegel, Trenton, Grundy County; recommends George Hubbell or Eberle B. Cooper as county clerk

Appointments—County Clerk: A. H. Burkeholder, George Hall, J. H. Kerfont, G. W. Moberly, M. J. Myers, J. E. Fulkerson, R. E. Boyer, Trenton, Grundy County; appointment of David C. Pugh as county clerk; telegram from governor

Appointments—County Clerk: telegram, H. L. Herrick, prosecuting attorney, Trenton, Grundy County; recommends George H. Hubbell

Appointments—County Clerk: telegram, William Metcalf and P. G. Fulkerson, Trenton, Grundy County; appointment of county clerk

Appointments—County Clerk: telegram, J. H. Shanklin, Trenton, Grundy County; recommends George H. Hubbell

Appointments—County Clerk: telegram, Representative R. C. Young, Trenton, Grundy County; recommends George H. Hubbell

Appointments—County Clerk: S. L. Harvey, Trenton, Grundy County; appointment of county clerk; actions of Republicans to get Hubbell or Cooper appointed; local Whiskey Ring in Trenton

Appointments—County Clerk: telegram, S. L. Harvey, Trenton, Grundy County; forthcoming correspondence from Grundy County Democrats

Appointments—County Clerk: Daniel Metcalf, Grundy County Democratic Central Committee, Trenton; recommends S. L. Harvey; long time Democrat
March 22, 1876
Appointments—County Clerk: J. H. Shanklin, Trenton, Grundy County; Governor’s letter requesting names of qualified Democrats for possible appointment as county clerk; Eberle B. Cooper, Radical; Hubbell, an Anti-Radical; county clerk office was Radical headquarter for many years and might be so again if Pugh appointed.

March 23, 1876
Appointments—County Clerk: telegram, F. A. Dinsmore, editor, and S. L. Harvey, ex editor, *Times*, Trenton, Grundy County; recommends M. G. Kennedy or James M. Bailey for county clerk.

Appointments—County Clerk: newspaper article, *The Trenton Republican*, Grundy County; vacancy; partisan politics concerning replacement appointee.

Appointments—County Clerk: A. D. Mullins, Trenton, Grundy County; M. G. Kennedy is a Pugh supporter; J. L. Shipley or G. H. Hubbell would strengthen (Democratic) party.

Appointments—County Clerk: S. L. Haney, Trenton, Grundy County; recommends M. G. Kennedy or James Bailey.

Appointments—County Clerk: telegram, J. R. Cox, Grundy County Democratic Committee, Trenton, Grundy County; recommends S. T. Harvey.

Appointments—County Clerk: telegram, H. L. Herrick, Trenton, Grundy County; recommends M. G. Kennedy.

Appointments—County Clerk: telegram, Lewis Lamkin, Gallatin, Daviess County; recommends S. T. Harvey.

Appointments—County Clerk: telegram, Daniel Metcalf, Trenton, Grundy County; county Democrats endorse S. L. Harvey.

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1B/1/3  2  6 (3)  November 6, 1874  Appointments—Governor’s Private Secretary: James L. Miner, Jefferson City, Cole County; recommends A. P. (Arthur P.) Selby

1B/1/3  2  6 (3)  November 6, 1874  Appointments—Governor’s Private Secretary: J. F. Philips, Sedalia, Pettis County; recommends George Frame

1B/1/3  2  6 (3)  November 7, 1874  Appointments—Governor’s Private Secretary: T. A. Post, St. Louis; recommends Joseph H. Dacus; Missouri Republican (letterhead of T. A. and H. M. Post)

1B/1/3  2  6 (3)  November 7, 1874  Appointments—Governor’s Private Secretary: William F. Switzler, Columbia, Boone County; recommends A. P. Selby (letterhead of Missouri Statesman)

1B/1/3  2  6 (3)  November 9, 1874  Appointments—Governor’s Private Secretary: Arthur A. Blumer, Chamois, Osage County; request appointment to position; Iowa State University; Governor Kirkwood; military service

1B/1/3  2  6 (3)  November 9, 1874  Appointments—Governor’s Private Secretary: Frank C. King, St. Charles, St. Charles County; request appointment to position

1B/1/3  2  6 (3)  November 9, 1874  Appointments—Governor’s Private Secretary: Charles G. Singleton, St. Louis; request appointment to position (letterhead of Lackland, Martin & Lackland, Attorneys)

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1B/1/3  2  6 (3)  November 9, 1874  Appointments—Governor’s Private Secretary: Attorney General H. Clay Ewing, Jefferson City, Cole County; recommends Arthur P. Selby (letterhead of Missouri Attorney General)
November 10, 1874
Appointments—Governor’s Private Secretary: A. P. (Arthur P.) Selby, Jefferson City, Cole County; request appointment to position (2nd letter)

November 10, 1874
Appointments—Governor’s Private Secretary: E. Selby, Columbia, Boone County; recommends son Arthur P. Selby

November 10, 1874
Appointments—Governor’s Private Secretary: J. P. Snell, Kansas City, Jackson County; request appointment to position

November 11, 1874
Appointments—Governor’s Private Secretary: Arthur M. Hough, Kansas City, Jackson County; request appointment to position

November 11, 1874
Appointments—Governor’s Private Secretary: R. B. Bristow, Monroe City, Monroe County; requests the appointment (letterhead of Piedmont and Arlington Life Insurance Co.)

November 13, 1874
Appointments—Governor’s Private Secretary: E. V. Conway, Farmington, St. Francois County; request appointment to position

November 13, 1874
Appointments—Governor’s Private Secretary: S. M. Lay, Jefferson City, Cole Camp; recommends George Frame, Boonville, Cooper County

November 16, 1874
Appointments—Governor’s Private Secretary: J. E. Belch, Jefferson City, Cole County; recommends Frame, Boonville, Cooper County

November 16, 1874
Appointments—Governor’s Private Secretary: Walter L. Church, St. Louis; request appointment to position

November 20, 1874
Appointments—Governor’s Private Secretary: F. T. Russell, Columbia, Boone County; recommends W. Lewis Church; graduate of the University of Missouri

November 24, 1874
Appointments—Governor’s Private Secretary: J. A. Dacus, St. Louis; request appointment to position (enclosed letter by same author of July 25, 1874)

July 25, 1874
Appointments—Governor’s Private Secretary: copy of letter to Salem Monitor by J. A. Dacus, St. Louis
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<td>Governor’s Private Secretary: A. H. Chevalier, Jefferson City, Cole County, to W. F. Elliott; request appointment to position; endorsement from Elliott, Huntsville, Randolph County (letterhead of State Auditor’s Office)</td>
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<td>Governor’s Private Secretary: Jas. L. Miner, Jefferson City, Cole County; recommends Capt. A. A. Chevalier, Jefferson City</td>
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<td>Governor’s Private Secretary: Benton Coontz, Hannibal, Marion County; recommends A. H. Chevalier; presently revenue clerk in state auditor’s office (letterhead of Coontz, Marion County collector and deputy sheriff)</td>
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Appointments—Governor’s Private Secretary: J. T. Williams, Palmyra, Marion County; request appointment to position

December 23, 1874
Appointments—Governor’s Private Secretary: Charles G. Singleton, St. Louis; request appointment to position (letterhead of Lackland, Martin & Lackland, Attorneys)

No date
Appointments—Immigration: commission membership; John C. Anderson, Canton, Lewis County; T. L. Anderson, Palmyra, Marion County; G. H. Armstrong, St. Louis; Henry Boone, Union Star, DeKalb County; Dr. B. F. Burch, Washington, Franklin County; Isidore Bush, St. Louis; George M. Carlton, Gayoso, Pemiscot County; Nathan Cole, St. Louis; Norman J. Coleman, St. Louis; A. W. Doniphan, Richmond, Ray County; Thomas J. Duey, St. Louis; James B. Eads, St. Louis; A. H. Edwards, St. Charles, St. Charles County; Robert W. Fyan, Marshfield, Webster County; William H. Hatch, Hannibal, Marion County;

No date
Appointments—Immigration: commission membership CONTINUED: C. H. Mansur, Chillicothe, Livingston County; T. J. O Morrison, New Madrid, New Madrid County; M. Mumford, Kansas City, Jackson County; Mordecai Oliver, St. Joseph, Buchanan County; Col. James B. Price, Jefferson City, Cole County; Col. John R. Reed, Lexington, Lafayette County; L. Reavis, St. Louis; James Rollins, Columbia, Boone County; Web M. Rubey, Macon, Macon County; Harvey W. Salmon, Clinton, Henry County; J. P. Strother, Marshall, Saline County; Amadee Valle, St. Louis; G. G. Vest (George Graham Vest), Sedalia, Pettis County; Henry C. Young, Springfield, Greene County;

No date
Appointments—Immigration: expiration of terms of members of board of immigration; members commissioned April 2, 1873 for two years beginning May 19, 1873, Isidore Bush Fred Meunch, Amadee Valle,
November 30, 1875

Appointments—Immigration: Isidor Bush, St. Louis; requesting Governor, as president of Board of Immigration, to attend regular quarterly meeting in December (letterhead of Missouri Board of Immigration)

January 7, 1876

Appointments—Immigration: New Orleans Chamber of Commerce, special committee; invitation to cooperate in organizing immigration convention, resolutions governing assembly; additional states include Alabama, Arkansas, Florida, Georgia, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky, Louisiana, Mississippi, Ohio, Tennessee, Texas, and Wisconsin

January 18, 1876

Appointments—Immigration: Commission appointing Governor Hardin to Southern State Immigration Convention

January 18, 1876

Appointments—Immigration: Samuel Mullen, Southern State Immigration Convention; enclosed call for convention and blank appointment forms

February 5, 1876

Appointments—Immigration: Schnelein, Warrensburg, Johnson County; requests appointment

February 5, 1876

Appointments—Immigration: A. Valle, St. Louis; acknowledging appointment to Southern States Immigration Convention, New Orleans, March 1, 1876

February 8, 1876

Appointments—Immigration: Governor A. H. Garland, Little Rock, Arkansas; urging Missouri’s attendance at New Orleans immigration convention

February 8, 1876

Appointments—Immigration: Samuel Mullen, Southern States Immigration Convention; additional commission requested by Governor Hardin (convention letterhead)

February 11, 1876

Appointments—Immigration: James B. Eads, St. Louis; acknowledging appointment

February 12, 1876

Appointments—Immigration: C. H. Mansur, Chillicothe, Livingston County; declining appointment; Governor’s decision not to run for re-election; respected by Republicans and Democrats
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<td>Appointments—Immigration: Isidore Bush, St. Louis; report on immigration convention held in New Orleans; trade Between Mississippi Valley and Europe (letterhead, Missouri Board of Immigration, St. Louis)</td>
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<td>March 16, 1874</td>
<td>Appointments—Insurance: M. V. L. McWilliams, Willington; recommends Gen. William Shields</td>
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<td>April 22, 1874</td>
<td>Appointments—Insurance: Joseph L. Stephens, Boonville, Cooper County, to G. T. Crane, St. Louis; introduction of A. R. Selby (Arthur R. Selby); experience as editor and journalist (letterhead of Central National Bank)</td>
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<td>Appointments—Insurance: Stilson Hutchins, St. Louis; recommends William Shields (St. Louis Evening Dispatch)</td>
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<td>November 9, 1874</td>
<td>Appointments—Insurance: John Reid, Lexington, Lafayette County; recommends Gen. William Shields, St. Louis, as successor to Gen. F. P. Blair (Frank P. Blair), deceased</td>
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November 11, 1874
Appointments—Insurance: John B. Clark, Jr., Fayette, Howard County; recommends Gen. William Shields (letterhead)

November 12, 1874
Appointments—Insurance: J. A. Holliday, Hamilton, Caldwell County; requests appointment; practicing law since 1856

November 16, 1874
Appointments—Insurance: J. H. N. Cundiff, St. Joseph, Buchanan County; recommends William Shields

November 17, 1874
W. Shields, St. Louis, to Capt. J. L. Stephens, Boonville, Cooper County; requests appointment; endorsement by J. L. Stephens

November 23, 1874
Appointments—Insurance: John B. Clark, Fayette, Howard County; recommends Gen. William Shields

November 24, 1874

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Appointments—Insurance: Trusten Polk, St. Louis; recommends Gen. William Shields (former Governor of Missouri)

November 24, 1874
Appointments—Insurance: Samuel L. Sawyer, Kansas City, Jackson County; recommends Gen. William Shields (letterhead, Kansas City Savings Association)

November 30, 1874
Appointments—Insurance: Erastus Wells, St. Louis; recommends Gen. William Shields (Missouri Railroad Company, letterhead)

December 3, 1874
Appointments—Insurance: T. T. Crittenden, St. Louis; Re: recommends Gen. William Shields (Crittenden, Governor of Missouri, 1881-1885)

December 14, 1874
Appointments—Insurance: John B. Adams, requests appointment to position

December 17, 1874
Appointments—Insurance: president and officers of Union National Bank, St. Louis; recommends cashier William Shields
December 17, 1874
Appointments—Insurance: William Spear, Bev Lewis, Thomas I. Bartholow, William J. Lewis, St. Louis; recommends Gen. William Shields; Bank of Mission at Lexington, Lafayette County; Banking House of William Limerick, Lexington, Lafayette County; Union National Bank, St. Louis (letterhead of Banking House of Bartholow, Lewis & Company)

December 24, 1874
Appointments—Insurance: Joseph Brown, St. Louis; recommends Gen. William Shields (letterhead of St. Louis Mayor’s Office)

December 29, 1874
Appointments—Insurance: D. M. Frost, St. Louis; recommends Gen. William Shields

December 29, 1874
Appointments—Insurance: F. B. Homes, St. Louis; recommends Gen. William Shields (letterhead, Missouri State Mutual F & M Insurance Company)

December 29, 1874
Appointments—Insurance: John P. Horner, Columbia, Boone County; requests appointment to position

December 29, 1874
Appointments—Insurance: John M. Samuel, Columbia, Boone County; recommends John P. Horner (letterhead of Circuit Court Clerk)

December 29, 1874
Appointments—Insurance: Edwin W. Stephens, Columbia, Boone County; recommends John P. Horner (letterhead of the Columbia Missouri Herald)

December 30, 1874
Appointments—Insurance: I. L. Stephens, Columbia, Boone County; recommends John P. Horner

December 31, 1874
Appointments—Insurance: John M. Gilkeson, St. Louis; recommends Gen. William Shields (letterhead of Gilkeson & Sloss, General Commission Merchants)

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Appointments—Insurance: M. Blair, St. Louis; recommends nephew, James Blair

No date
Appointments—Insurance: petition, citizens of St. Louis; recommends Andrew King

No date
Appointments—Insurance: Luther T. Woods & Co.; recommends Celsus Price
Appointments—Insurance: telegram, L. H. Murray, Springfield, Greene County; recommends Celsus Price, agreeable to area Democrats

January 1, 1875
Appointments—Insurance: William L. Singleton, Columbia, Boone County; recommends John P. Horner (letterhead of Missouri Statesman)

January 4, 1875
Appointments—Insurance: Thomas Essex, St. Louis; recommends “Honest John” Hogan (letterhead of St. Louis, Iron Mountain & Southern Railway, Land Dept.)

January 5, 1875
Appointments—Insurance: R. M. Renick, St. Louis; recommends William Shields (letterhead of St. Louis Board of Water Commissioners)

January 5, 1875
Appointments—Insurance: W. L. Senoir, Columbia, Boone County; recommends J. P. Horner

January 25, 1875
Appointments—Insurance: George C. Pratt, Columbia, Boone County; requests appointment to position

January 29, 1875
Appointments—Insurance: Logan Hunton, New Orleans; requests appointment to position (letterhead, Missouri Mobeal Life Insurance Company)

March 26, 1875
Appointments—Insurance: Henry C. Young, Jefferson City, Cole County; will not compete with Celsus Price for position; recommends Gen. Marmaduke for railroad commissioner (letterhead, Madison Hotel, Jefferson City)

April 15, 1875

July 1875
Appointments—Insurance: A. W. Hayback, recommends James L. Blair

July 1875
Appointments—Insurance: petition; recommends Mr. John Hogan

July 1875
Appointments—Insurance: William F. Melbourne; requests appointment to position
1B/1/3 2 9 (5) July 1875 Appointments—Insurance: George Seymour, St. Louis; requests appointment; death of Commissioner Frank P. Blair, assistant superintendent of public schools under Governor Brown

1B/1/3 2 9 (5) July 1875 Appointments—Insurance: petitions (3), citizens of St. Louis; recommends James L. Blair (James Lawrence Blair); to replace his deceased father (Frank P. Blair, Jr.)

1B/1/3 2 9 (5) July 9, 1875 Appointments—Insurance: Thomas P. Akers, St. Louis; requests appointment

1B/1/3 2 9 (5) July 9, 1875 Appointments—Insurance: John D. Anderson, St. Louis; requests appointment; Equitable Fire Insurance Company

1B/1/3 2 9 (5) July 9, 1875 Appointments—Insurance: Frank J. Bowman, St. Louis; recommends Celsus Price

1B/1/3 2 9 (5) July 9, 1875 Appointments—Insurance: I. H. Britton, St. Louis; recommends Celsus Price (letterhead of St. Louis Mayor’s Office)

1B/1/3 2 9 (5) July 9, 1875 Appointments—Insurance: Zeman Bryan, St. Louis; requests appointment to position

1B/1/3 2 9 (5) July 9, 1875 Appointments—Insurance: Robert E. Carr, St. Louis; recommends Walter C. Carr (letterhead of Kansas Pacific Railway Company)

1B/1/3 2 9 (5) July 9, 1875 Appointments—Insurance: Walter C. Carr, St. Louis; requests appointment to position

1B/1/3 2 9 (5) July 9, 1875 Appointments—Insurance: Britton A. Hill, St. Louis; recommends Senator Celsus Price (letterhead of Hill & Bowman, Attorneys)

1B/1/3 2 9 (5) July 9, 1875 Appointments—Insurance: Andrew King, St. Louis; requests appointment to position (letterhead of King, Phillips & Stewart, Attorneys)

1B/1/3 2 9 (5) July 9, 1875 Appointments—Insurance: George Knapp & Company, St. Louis; recommends Walter C. Carr; was city auditor (letterhead of Missouri Republican)
Appointments—Insurance: William McKee, St. Louis; recommends Walter C. Carr to replace Frank P. Blair, Jr., deceased (letterhead of Globe)

Appointments—Insurance: Andrew McKinley, St. Louis; recommends Logan Hunter; death of Frank P. Blair, Jr.

Appointments—Insurance: Trusten Polk, St. Louis; recommends Walter Carr

Appointments—Insurance: John G. Prier, St. Louis; recommends Celsus Price

Appointments—Insurance: Firmin A. Rozier, St. Louis; recommends Celsus Price

Appointments—Insurance: Thomas P. Akers, St. Louis; requests appointment to position (letterhead of the Southern Hotel, St. Louis)

Appointments—Insurance: Th. I. Bartholow, St. Louis; recommends Celsus Price; Mexican War; Santa Fe, August 1846; General Kearney (letterhead of Bartholow, Lewis & Company)

Appointments—Insurance: R. H. Allison, St. Louis; recommends Celsus Price (letterhead, Aetna Insurance Company)

Appointments—Insurance: Th. I. Bartholow, St. Louis; recommends Celsus Price; Mexican War; Santa Fe, August 1846; General Kearney (letterhead of Bartholow, Lewis & Company)

Appointments—Insurance: B. Gratz Brown, St. Louis; recommends Logan Hunton (Benjamin Gratz Brown was governor of Missouri, 1871-1873)

Appointments—Insurance: George F. Burdett, St. Louis recommends Judge E. A. Lewis
1B/1/3 2 9 (5) July 10, 1875 Appointments—Insurance: George H. Chase, St. Louis; recommends James L. Blair (letterhead of Chase & Cabot)

1B/1/3 2 9 (5) July 10, 1875 Appointments—Insurance: (illegible) Clemens, St. Louis; recommends B. B. Minor (letterhead of Universal Life Insurance Company)

1B/1/3 2 9 (5) July 10, 1875 Appointments—Insurance: John Hogan, St. Louis; requests appointment to position

1B/1/3 2 9 (5) July 10, 1875 Appointments—Insurance: R. J. Lackland, St. Louis; recommends Celsus Price

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1B/1/3 2 9 (5) July 10, 1875 Appointments—Insurance: John R. Lionberger, St. Louis; recommends Celsus Price; Third National Bank of St. Louis

1B/1/3 2 9 (5) July 10, 1875 Appointments—Insurance: Andrew McKinley, St. Louis; previously recommended Judge Hunton

1B/1/3 2 9 (5) July 10, 1875 Appointments—Insurance: D. P. Rowland, St. Louis; recommends Celsus Price (letterhead of Shryock & Rowland)

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1B/1/3 2 9 (5) July 10, 1875 Appointments—Insurance: D. C. Stone, president, Security Bank, St. Louis; recommends Celsus Price

1B/1/3 2 9 (5) July 10, 1875 Appointments—Insurance: H. S. Turner, St. Louis; recommends Hunton Logan

1B/1/3 2 10 (5) July 11, 1875 Appointments—Insurance: Senator Lewis V. Bogy, St. Louis; recommends Celsus Price

1B/1/3 2 10 (5) July 12, 1875 Appointments—Insurance: R. S. Todd, John S. Clarkson, John M. Samuel, Columbia, Boone County; recommends Walter C. Carr; Exchange National Bank
July 12, 1875  Appointments—Insurance: petition, St. Charles, St. Charles County; recommends Judge Andrew King

July 12, 1875  Appointments—Insurance: Norman J. Colman, Jefferson City, Cole County; recommends Celsus Price

July 12, 1875  Appointments—Insurance: T. B. Dyer, St. Louis; recommends Walter C. Carr (letterhead of Citizens Savings Bank)

July 12, 1875  Appointments—Insurance: James C. Edwards, Jefferson City, Cole County; recommends Celsus Price (letterhead of 1875 Constitutional Convention)

July 12, 1875  Appointments—Insurance: H. Clay Ewing (Henry Clay Ewing), Jefferson City, Cole County; recommends Mr. Lisbon Applegate, Brunswick, Chariton County

July 12, 1875  Appointments—Insurance: Thomas J. Gantt, St. Louis; recommends James S. Blair

July 12, 1875  Appointments—Insurance: Samuel A. Gilbert, Weston, Platte County; requests appointment to position (letterhead of Weston Savings Bank)

July 12, 1875  Appointments—Insurance: N. Lackland, Mexico, Audrain County; requests appointment to position (letterhead of Mitchell & Lackland)

July 12, 1875  Appointments—Insurance: B. B. Minor, St. Louis; requests appointment to position (letterhead of Universal Life Insurance Company)

July 12, 1875  Appointments—Insurance: Celsus Price, St. Louis; requests appointment to position

July 12, 1875  Appointments—Insurance: R. B. Price, Columbia, Boone County; previous endorsement of John P. Horner for insurance commissioner, recommends cousin Celsus Price (Boone County National Bank, letterhead)

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Appointments—St. Louis Courts: members of Bar, Lincoln County; recommends Hon E. A. Lewis, St. Louis, for Court of Appeals; adoption of new constitution

Appointments—St. Louis Courts: members of Bar, St. Louis; recommends Robert S. Voorhis as St. Louis Court of Appeals Judge if new constitution adopted

Appointments—St. Louis Courts: members of Bar, St. Louis; recommends Col. T. G. C. Davis for St. Louis Court of Appeals Judge

Appointments—St. Louis Courts: petition; recommends Wilson Primm, St. Louis, for Court of Appeals; Primm has been judge of St. Louis Criminal Court for twelve years

Appointments—St. Louis Courts: Judges and members of Bar, St. Louis County; recommends Charles H. Hayden for Court of Appeals judgeship; Court of Appeals created by new constitution

Appointments—St. Louis Courts: members of Bar, St. Louis; recommends E. A. Lewis for Court of Appeals; new constitution

Appointments—St. Louis Courts: members of Warren County Bar: recommends E. A. Lewis for Court of Appeals; new constitution

Appointments—St. Louis Courts: M. R. Cullen, St. Louis; recommends W. V. N. Bay for Court of Appeals; Confederate war service and post war impoverishment under Drake Constitution; removed from bench by Governor Fletcher
Appointments—St. Louis Courts: John W. Henry, Macon, Macon County; recommends Alexander Davis for Appellate Court; new constitution

Appointments—St. Louis Courts: petition; recommends James K. Knight for St. Louis Court of Appeals

Appointments—St. Louis Courts: petition, citizens of Lincoln County, recommends Archibald V. McKee

Appointments—St. Louis Courts: Joseph O’Neil; recommends Bakewell to Court of Appeals; new constitution

Appointments—St. Louis Courts: P. Pipkin, John L. Thomas, Abner Green, W. H. H. Thomas, Jefferson City, Cole County Attorneys; recommends W. V. N. Bay to St. Louis Court of Appeals; new constitution

Appointments—St. Louis Courts: H. C. Wallace, Lexington, Lafayette County; recommends William N. V. Bay, St. Louis; former supreme court judge

Appointments—St. Louis Courts: Senator Lewis V. Bogy, St. Louis; recommends Charles S. Hayden

Appointments—St. Louis Courts: Celsus Price, St. Louis; recommends Charles S. Hayden (letterhead of Missouri State Insurance Dept.)

Appointments—St. Louis Courts: R. E. Rombauer, St. Louis; recommends Charles S. Hayden; attended Harvard Law School with Hayden; includes unsigned copy of this letter

Appointments—St. Louis Courts: J. Bradshaw, St. Louis; recommends Charles H. Hayden

Appointments—St. Louis Courts: W. Chrisman, Independence, Jackson County; recommends Thomas A. Russell, St. Louis (letterhead of Chrisman, Sawyer & Company)
September 7, 1875  
Appointments—St. Louis Courts: J. J. Railey, St. Louis; recommends Alex Davis (letterhead of Jackson, Pfouts & Douglas, Wholesale Grocers and Importers of Wines and Liquors)

September 7, 1875  
Appointments—St. Louis Courts: Thomas A. Russell, St. Louis; requests appointment; new constitution

September 10, 1875  
Appointments—St. Louis Courts: James K. Sheley, Independence, Jackson County; recommends Thomas A. Russell

September 14, 1875  
Appointments—St. Louis Courts: William (illegible), Jefferson City, Cole County; endorsement of Alex Davis, St. Louis

September 16, 1875  
Appointments—St. Louis Courts: Thomas Essex, St. Louis; recommends Alex Davis; (letterhead of St. Louis, Iron Mountain & Southern Railway Company Land Dept.)

September 20, 1875  
Appointments—St. Louis Courts: James Craig, St. Joseph, Buchanan County; recommends Alex Davis (letterhead of Hannibal & St. Joseph Railroad Company)

September 20, 1875  
Appointments—St. Louis Courts: J. W. Pa(illegible), St. Louis; recommends Alex Davis

September 20, 1875  
Appointments—St. Louis Courts: Jeff Chandler, St. Louis; recommends Alex Davis (letterhead of Chandler & Young Law Office)

September 25, 1875  
Appointments—St. Louis Courts: J. H. R. Cundiff, St. Joseph, Buchanan County; recommends Alex Davis (letterhead of Circuit Clerk’s Office)

September 25, 1875  
Appointments—St. Louis Courts: S. A. Finkelnburg, St. Louis; recommends Col. P. E. Bland (letterhead of Finkelnburg & Rassieur, Attorneys)

September 29, 1875  
Appointments—St. Louis Courts: Congressman Aylett Hawes Buckner, Mexico, Audrain County, to W. V. N. Bay, St. Louis; encouraging Bay’s candidacy for St. Louis court of appeals judgeship (letterhead of U. S. House of Representatives)
1B/1/3 2 12 (6) September 29, 1875 Appointments—St. Louis Courts: James K. Sheley, Independence, Jackson County; recommends W. V. N. Bay; new constitution

1B/1/3 2 12 (6) September 30, 1875 Appointments—St. Louis Courts: Winthrop H. Hopson, St. Louis; recommends T. A. Russell

1B/1/3 2 12 (6) October 1, 1875 Appointments—St. Louis Courts: E. H. Norton, Platte City, Platte County; recommends Alexander Davis

1B/1/3 2 12 (6) October 2, 1875 Appointments—St. Louis Courts: W. M. Leftwich, St. Louis; recommends E. A. Lewis or Alex Davis

1B/1/3 2 12 (6) October 5, 1875 Appointments—St. Louis Courts: Erastus Wells, St. Louis; recommends Alex Davis (letterhead of Missouri Railroad Company)

1B/1/3 2 12 (6) October 6, 1875 Appointments—St. Louis Courts: John P. Hudgens, St. Louis; recommends Alexander Davis, also endorsed by Henry A. McGindley

1B/1/3 2 12 (6) October 12, 1875 Appointments—St. Louis Courts: John I. Martin, St. Louis; recommends W. V. N. Bay

1B/1/3 2 12 (6) October 22, 1875 Appointments—St. Louis Courts: Senator Lewis V. Bogy, St. Louis; recommends John F. Darby

1B/1/3 2 12 (6) October 22, 1875 Appointments—St. Louis Courts: A. Todd, St. Louis; recommends John F. Darby

1B/1/3 2 12 (6) October 23, 1875 Appointments—St. Louis Courts: (illegible), Columbia, Boone County; recommends Thomas A. Russell

1B/1/3 2 12 (6) October 23, 1875 Appointments—St. Louis Courts: W. V. N. Bay, St. Louis, to George C. Bingham, Adjutant General; requests endorsement, requests appointment; Radical Republicans; Governor Thomas Clement Fletcher

1B/1/3 2 12 (6) October 23, 1875 Appointments—St. Louis Courts: John G. Priest, St. Louis; recommends John Darby

1B/1/3 2 12 (6) October 27, 1875 Appointments—St. Louis Courts: T. T. Crittenden (future governor 1881-85), Warrensburg, Johnson County; recommends William V. N. Bay
October 27, 1875
Appointments—St. Louis Courts: A. Todd, St. Louis; recommends Charles L. Hayden

October 28, 1875
Appointments—St. Louis Courts: N. C. Claiborne, St. Louis; recommends Thomas A. Russell for St. Louis Court of Appeals

October 30, 1875
Appointments—St. Louis Courts: James S. Rollins, Columbia, Boone County; recommends Thomas A. Russell (letterhead, University of Missouri)

October 31, 1875
- Appointments—St. Louis Courts: John S. Phelps (John Smith Phelps, future governor 1877-1881), Springfield, Greene County, to W. V. N. Bay; recommends Bay (letterhead of Massey, McAfee & Phelps, Attorneys)
- Appointments—St. Louis Courts: James S. Rollins, Columbia, Boone County; recommends John F. Darby
- Appointments—St. Louis Courts: petition, acquaintances of R. A. Bakewell; recommends Bakewell
- Appointments—St. Louis Courts: petition, St. Louis County Court judges; recommends Robert A. Bakewell
- Appointments—St. Louis Courts: petition, St. Louis County Court judges; recommends R. A. Bakewell (letterhead of The Western Watchman)

November 1, 1875
- Appointments—St. Louis Courts: Congressman Aylett Hawes Buckner, Mexico, Audrain County; recommends John F. Darby (letterhead of U. S. House of Representatives)
- Appointments—St. Louis Courts: William H. Letcher, Marshall, Saline County; recommends John F. Darby (letterhead of Letcher & Letcher, Attorneys)
- Appointments—St. Louis Courts: William F. Switzler, Columbia, Boone County; recommends John F. Darby; 1875 Constitution
- Appointments—St. Louis Courts: Erastus Wells, St. Louis; recommends W. V. N. Bay
November 2, 1875
Appointments—St. Louis Courts: Edward A. Nickerson, Warrensburg, Johnson County; recommends W. V. N. Bay; former member of Supreme Court; forced removal from bench by Governor Fletcher

November 2, 1875
Appointments—St. Louis Courts: James H. Birch, Prairie Park; previous correspondence

November 2, 1875
Appointments—St. Louis Courts: Senator Lewis V. Bogy, St. Louis; recommends Robert S. Voorhis; 1875 Constitution

November 2, 1875
Appointments—St. Louis Courts: James B. Goff, St. Louis; recommends A. Russell

November 2, 1875
Appointments—St. Louis Courts: Charles P. Johnson, St. Louis; recommends Robert S. Voorhis

November 2, 1875
Appointments—St. Louis Courts: H. J. Spaunhorst, St. Louis; recommends Robert A. Bakewell; brother of celebrated patent attorney William Bakewell of Pennsylvania (letterhead of Amerika, published by German Literary Society)

November 3, 1875
Appointments—St. Louis Courts: petition, members of St. Joseph Bar, Buchanan County; recommends Alexander Davis; 1875 Constitution

November 3, 1875
Appointments—St. Louis Courts: R. A. Bakewell, St. Louis; requests appointment; 1875 Constitution

November 3, 1875
Appointments—St. Louis Courts: Senator Lewis V. Bogy, St. Louis; recommends W. V. N. Bay

November 3, 1875
Appointments—St. Louis Courts: S. M. Breckinridge, St. Louis; recommends Thomas A. Russell

November 3, 1875
Appointments—St. Louis Courts: S. M. Breckinridge, St. Louis; public opinions of additional candidates for St. Louis Court of Appeals; John R. Shepley, E. A. Lewis, E. S. Hayden

November 3, 1875
Appointments—St. Louis Courts: F. M. Cockrell, Warrensburg, Johnson County; recommends W. V. N. Bay; conditions in Missouri during the Civil War
November 3, 1875
Appointments—St. Louis Courts: Trusten W. Polk (former governor, 1857; and U. S. Senator), St. Louis; recommends Robert A. Bakewell; E. A. Lewis; T. T. Gant

Appointments—St. Louis Courts: George A. Wadell, St. Louis; recommends R. A. Bakewell; 1875 Constitution

Appointments—St. Louis Courts: E. H. Norton, Platte City, Platte County; recommends W. N. V. Bay; forced removal from bench; Drake Constitution

Appointments—St. Louis Courts: H. J. Spaunhorst, St. Louis; recommends Charles S. Hayden

Appointments—St. Louis Courts: Melville Quick, St. Louis; recommends Thomas A. Russell

Appointments—St. Louis Courts: U. S. Senator Lewis V. Bogy, St. Louis; recommends Bakewell for St. Louis Court of Appeals

Appointments—St. Louis Courts: R. P. Bland, Lebanon, Laclede County; recommends W. V. N. Bay

Appointments—St. Louis Courts: R. P. Bland, Lebanon, Laclede County, to W. V. N. Bay, St. Louis; enclosed endorsement

Appointments—St. Louis Courts: Edward C. Kehn, St. Louis; recommends Charles S. Hayden; 1875 Constitution

Appointments—St. Louis Courts: Edward A. Lewis, St. Louis; requests appointment to position

Appointments—St. Louis Courts: James M. Pearson, St. Louis; recommends Thomas H. Russell

Appointments—St. Louis Courts: A. W. Slayback, St. Louis; recommends Thomas A. Russell (letterhead of Slayback & Haeussler, Attorneys)

Appointments—St. Louis Courts: A. R. Taylor, St. Louis; recommends Charles S. Hayden; 1875 Constitution
Appointments—St. Louis Courts: T. A. Post, St. Louis; recommends Charles S. Hayden; 1875 Constitution

October 4, 1875

Appointments—St. Louis Courts: A. R. Taylor, St. Louis; recommends Robert A. Bakewell; 1875 Constitution

November 5, 1875

Appointments—St. Louis Courts: Henry C. Brokmeyer, St. Louis; recommends Charles S. Hayden (letterhead of Conn & McRee Real Estate)

November 5, 1875

Appointments—St. Louis Courts: C. Gibson, St. Louis; recommends Bakewell

November 5, 1875

Appointments—St. Louis Courts: R. J. Howard, St. Louis; recommends Bakewell (letterhead, Bakewell & Farrish)

November 5, 1875

Appointments—St. Louis Courts: Alex Martin, St. Louis; recommends Thomas A. Russell (letterhead of Lackland, Martin & Lackland, Attorneys)

November 5, 1875

Appointments—St. Louis Courts: J. E. Merryman, Platte City, Platte County; recommends Alexander Davis

November 5, 1875

Appointments—St. Louis Courts: John G. Priest, St. Louis; recommends Robert A. Bakewell; 1875 Constitution

November 5, 1875

Appointments—St. Louis Courts: A. W. Slayback, St. Louis; recommends William V. N. Bay (letterhead of Slayback & Haeussler, Attorneys)

November 5, 1875

Appointments—St. Louis Courts: G. S. Wagoner, St. Louis; recommends Robert S. Voorhis 1875 Constitution

November 5, 1875

Appointments—St. Louis Courts: James E. Withrow, St. Louis; recommends Thomas A. Russell; 1875 Constitution

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Appointments—St. Louis Courts: W. W. Watkins, Morley, Scott County; recommends John F. Darby; 1875 Constitution
November 6, 1875

Appointments—St. Louis Courts: Henry C. Brokmeyer, St. Louis; recommends Judge Bay (letterhead of Conn & McRee Real Estate)

Appointments—St. Louis Courts: T. W. B. Crews, Gray’s Summit, Franklin County; recommends W. V. N. Bay; moderate and considerate counsels during Civil War

Appointments—St. Louis Courts: John F. Darby, St. Louis; requests appointment; 1875 Constitution

Appointments—St. Louis Courts: John D. S. Dryden, St. Louis; recommends Edward A. Lewis, Col. Thomas T. Gant and Robert A. Bakewell; 1875 Constitution

Appointments—St. Louis Courts: J. Halligan, Union, Franklin County; recommends Bay; Bay’s fearless efforts in during Civil War to exact justice and stop military marauders; Halligan’s imprisonment in arsenal on charges of supplying arms to Governor Jackson

Appointments—St. Louis Courts: William C. Jones, St. Louis; recommends W. V. N. Bay

Appointments—St. Louis Courts: Sam Reben, St. Louis; recommends Robert A. Bakewell

Appointments—St. Louis Courts: T. F. McDearmon, St. Charles, St. Charles County; recommends W. V. N. Bay

Appointments—St. Louis Courts: A. B. Provines, St. Louis, Hon. John A. Hockaday, Jefferson City, Cole County; recommends Alexander Davis

Appointments—St. Louis Courts: James S. Rollins, Columbia, Boone County; recommends Robert S. Voorhis (letterhead of University of Missouri)

Appointments—St. Louis Courts: S. M. Breckinridge, St. Louis; recommends Robert S. Voorhis

Appointments—St. Louis Courts: W. H. Clopton, St. Louis; recommends Thomas A. Russell
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November 10, 1875
Appointments—St. Louis Courts: D. W. Sadler, St. Louis; recommends Thomas A. Russell

November 10, 1875
Appointments—St. Louis Courts: Seneca N. Taylor, St. Louis; recommends T. A. Russell (letterhead of Taylor & Whitney, Attorneys)

November 10, 1875
Appointments—St. Louis Courts: Charles Green, president, board of assessors, St. Louis; recommends Robert A. Bakewell (office letterhead)

November 11, 1875
Appointments—St. Louis Courts: Norman J. Colman, St. Louis; recommends Peter E. Bland (letterhead of Colman's Rural World, est. 1848)

November 11, 1875
Appointments—St. Louis Courts: W. S., St. Louis; recommends W. V. N. Bay for judgeship under 1875 Constitution (letterhead of St. Louis City Auditor’s Office)

November 12, 1875
Appointments—St. Louis Courts: Thomas E. Tatt, St. Louis; recommends Robert S. Voorhis

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Appointments—St. Louis Courts: John A. Harrison, St. Louis; recommends W. V. N. Bay

November 12, 1875
Appointments—St. Louis Courts: B. Porter, Clarksville, Pike County; recommends William V. N. Bay; Supreme Court tenure with Judges Dryden and Bates

November 13, 1875
Appointments—St. Louis Courts: (Senator) Lewis V. Bogy, St. Louis; recommends Alexander Davis

November 13, 1875
Appointments—St. Louis Courts: I. B. L. LeMoine, St. Louis; recommends R. Voorhis (letterhead of St. Louis Insurance Company)

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Appointments—St. Louis Courts: Phillips & Stewart Law Firm, St. Louis; recommends Thomas A. Russell (letterhead of King, Phillips & Stewart, Attorneys)
November 13, 1875
Appointments—St. Louis Courts: Charles A. Mantz, St. Louis; recommends W. V. N. Bay; former member of Congress from Missouri and Missouri Supreme Court judge

November 15, 1875
Appointments—St. Louis Courts: J. H. Britton, St. Louis; recommends R. Voorhis (letterhead of St. Louis Mayor’s Office)

November 15, 1875
Appointments—St. Louis Courts: J. H. Britton, St. Louis; recommends Robert A. Bakewell (letterhead of St. Louis Mayor’s Office)

November 15, 1875
Appointments—St. Louis Courts: J. Halligan, Union, Franklin County; recommends R. A. Bakewell for St. Louis judgeship; 1875 Constitution

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Appointments—St. Louis Courts: L. T. Glover, St. Louis; recommends E. A. Lewis

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Appointments—St. Louis Courts: R. H. Musser, St. Louis; recommends Robert Voorhis

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Appointments—St. Louis Courts: Nelson Catlett Orear, St. Louis St. Louis County; recommends W. V. N. Bay; (letterhead of Orear & Company)

November 16, 1875
Appointments—St. Louis Courts: W. H. Swift, secretary, Democratic Central Committee, St. Louis; recommends R. A. Bakewell

November 16, 1875
Appointments—St. Louis Courts: Erastus Wells, St. Louis; recommends R. S. Voorhis (letterhead of Missouri Railroad Company)

November 17, 1875
Appointments—St. Louis Courts: Congressman Aylett Hawes Buckner, Mexico, Audrain County; recommends McKee, Troy, Lincoln County, and W. F. Broadhead, St. Charles, St. Charles County, for St. Louis Court of Appeals; people in St. Charles, Warren, and Lincoln Counties feel that one of new judges should come from their counties

November 17, 1875
Appointments—St. Louis Courts: Chauncey F Shultz, St. Louis County; recommends E. A. Lewis (letterhead of County Clerk); 1875 Constitution
1B/1/3 2 15 (8) November 17, 1875 Appointments—St. Louis Courts: Anthony Ittner, St. Louis; recommends Charles S. Hayden; service on Missouri Supreme Court

1B/1/3 2 15 (8) November 19, 1875 Appointments—St. Louis Courts: J. H. Britton, St. Louis; recommends Edward A. Lewis (letterhead of St. Louis Mayor’s Office)

1B/1/3 2 15 (8) November 19, 1875 Appointments—St. Louis Courts: James C. Edwards, St. Louis; recommends Robert A. Bakewell

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1B/1/3 2 15 (8) November 20, 1875 Appointments—St. Louis Courts: L. T. Glover, St. Louis; recommends W. V. N. Bay

1B/1/3 2 15 (8) November 20, 1875 Appointments—St. Louis Courts: Drury D. Adams, St. Louis; recommends Thomas A. Russell; 1875 Constitution (letterhead of Dailey & Adams, Attorneys)

1B/1/3 2 15 (8) November 20, 1875 Appointments—St. Louis Courts: Andrew King, St. Louis; recommends W. V. N. Bay; 1875 Constitution

1B/1/3 2 15 (8) November 20, 1875 Appointments—St. Louis Courts: F. C. Sharp, St. Louis; recommends W. V. N. Bay

1B/1/3 2 15 (8) November 20, 1875 Appointments—St. Louis Courts: R. S. Voorhis, St. Louis; requests appointment; 1875 Constitution

1B/1/3 2 15 (8) November 22, 1875 Appointments—St. Louis Courts: E. Capelberry, St. Louis; recommends Robert A. Bakewell

1B/1/3 2 15 (8) November 23, 1875 Appointments—St. Louis Courts: William Carter, St. Louis; recommends Alex Davis

1B/1/3 2 15 (8) November 23, 1875 Appointments—St. Louis Courts: Amos M. Thayer, St. Louis, St. Louis, recommends Thomas A. Russell (letterhead of Blakeman & Thayer Law Office)

1B/1/3 2 15 (8) November 23, 1875 Appointments—St. Louis Courts: A. R. Taylor and Philip Donahue, St. Louis; recommends Alexander Davis
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December 2, 1875

Appointments—St. Louis Courts: Theodore Bruere, St. Charles, St. Charles County; recommends William V. N. Bay

December 3, 1875

Appointments—St. Louis Courts: Joseph Dickson, St. Louis; recommends Thomas A. Russell (letterhead of Blodgett & Dickson, Attorneys)

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Appointments—St. Louis Courts: Joseph Jecko, St. Louis; recommends Bay

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Appointments—St. Louis Courts: A. J. Smith, St. Louis; recommends Thomas A. Russell; discusses Governor Hardin’s friendship with James F. Smith

December 4, 1875

Appointments—St. Louis Courts: A. W. Slayback, St. Louis; recommends James Knight, Gantt and Lewis

December 4, 1875

Appointments—St. Louis Courts: C. S. Jeffries, Boles, Franklin County; recommends W. V. N. Bay

December 4, 1875

Appointments—St. Louis Courts: Representatives W. H. Priest and J. W. Welch, New Hope, Lincoln County; opposes A. V. McKee

December 6, 1875

Appointments—St. Louis Courts: R. A. Holland, St. Louis; recommends R. S. Voorhis

December 6, 1875

Appointments—St. Louis Courts: Alfred W. Henry, St. Louis; recommends of W. V. N. Bay; Union man opposed to Radicals during Civil War; worked to liberate imprisoned southern sympathizers and volunteered in their defense before military tribunals (letterhead of Missouri Railroad Company)

December 8, 1875

Appointments—St. Louis Courts: W. Pope Yeaman, St. Louis; recommends Bakewell (letterhead of William Jewell College chancellor)

December 8, 1875

Appointments—St. Louis Courts: telegram, William T. Broadhead, St. Louis; recommends H. C. Lackland; withdraws own application
December 8, 1875
Appointments—St. Louis Courts: petition, members of St. Charles Bar, St. Charles County; recommends Henry C. Lackland; withdrawal of W. T. Broadhead

December 8, 1875
Appointments—St. Louis Courts: William T. Broadhead, St. Louis; withdraws application for St. Louis Court of Appeals, recommends H. C. Lackland; death of brother’s partner F. C. Sharp and decision to go into business with brother

December 8, 1875
Appointments—St. Louis Courts: Bishop C. F. Robertson, diocese of Missouri, St. Louis; recommends R. S. Voorhis

December 9, 1875
Appointments—St. Louis Courts: Frank J. Bowman, St. Louis; opposes Robert A. Bakewell (letterhead of Hill & Bowman, Attorneys)

December 9, 1875
Appointments—St. Louis Courts: A. H. Burlington, St. Louis; recommends R. S. Voorhis (letterhead of Leggat, Hudson & Butler, Tobacco Manufacturers, St. Louis Tobacco Works)

December 9, 1875
Appointments—St. Louis Courts: Charles E. Peers and L. B. Cook, Warrenton, Warren County; recommends L. Dryden

December 10, 1875
Appointments—St. Louis Courts: M. Mumford, Jefferson City, Cole County; recommends Cunningham

December 11, 1875
Appointments—St. Louis Courts: telegram, George H. Chase, St. Louis; recommends Edward A. Lewis for appellate court

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Appointments—St. Louis Courts: telegram, Daniel G. Taylor, St. Louis; recommends James K. Knight

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Appointments—St. Louis Courts: J. Broadhead, St. Louis; recommends Bakewell

December 14, 1875
Appointments—St. Louis Courts: R. A. Bakewell, St. Louis; acknowledges appointments of Gantt, Lewis and self to St. Louis Court of Appeals

December 15, 1875
Appointments—St. Louis Courts: Edward A. Lewis, St. Louis; acknowledges appointment
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Appointments—Courts: petition, from Pettis County citizens to Judge E. Kennedy, requesting Kennedy accept nomination as county judge

Appointments—Courts: petition, from Republican members of Putnam County Bar; recommends Andrew Ellison of Kirksville, Adair County, to 27th judicial circuit; resignation of John W. Henry

Appointments—Courts: petition, members, Putnam County Bar; recommends Andrew J. Ellison for 27th circuit; resignation of John W. Henry

Appointments—Courts: petition, Schuyler County officers; recommends Andrew J. Ellison for 27th circuit

Appointments—Courts: petition, Democratic Central Committee of Schuyler County, recommends Andrew J. Ellison for 27th circuit

Appointments—Courts: petition, county unknown; recommends Andrew J. Ellison for 27th circuit

Appointments—Courts: petition; recommends C. C. Owens to Taney County Court; death of Joseph Bryan

Appointments—Courts: petition, from citizens of Taney County; recommends L. R. Stiles and George Ripley to county court; death of Joseph Bryan and resignation of Judge Keithley

Appointments—Courts: George Dipley, Forsyth, Taney County; recommends Stiles; death of Judge Bryan and impending resignation of Judge Keithley

Appointments—Court: I. B. Perkins, Arrow Rock, Saline County; requests appointment as Saline County Circuit Court clerk; death of incumbent Garnett, a Civil War Confederate veteran, son-in-law of former Governor Claiborne Fox Jackson

Appointments—Court: Benjamin F. Burch and S. W. Jones, Washington, Franklin County; recommends J. W. Booth, county attorney, for judge; death of Judge Checord, 9th judicial circuit
1B/1/3  3  2 (3)  January 9, 1875  Appointments—Courts: J. M. Gondon, Mexico, Audrain County; recommends S. M. Edwards for probate judge; resignation of George B. McFarland

1B/1/3  3  2 (1)  January 11, 1875  Appointments—Courts: Benjamin F. Burch, Washington, Franklin County, to John W. Jackson; visit with Governor concerning appointment of Booth; death of Judge Checord (letterhead of Dr. B. F. Burch, Dealer in Fire, Pipe & Potters Clay and Ocher)

1B/1/3  3  2 (3)  January 11, 1875  Appointments—Courts: James R. Williams, Mexico, Audrain County; requests appointment as probate judge; resignation of G. B. Macfarland; experience as Macfarlane’s clerk

1B/1/3  3  2 (3)  January 12, 1875  Appointments—Courts: James Carroll, Mexico, Audrain County, to Hon, Z. J. Ridgway, Jefferson City; recommends Sam Edwards for probate judge (letterhead of circuit clerk)

1B/1/3  3  2  January 12, 1875  Appointments—Courts: N. W. Smith, Kingston, Caldwell County; legislation abolishing Caldwell County Court; citizens recommend Junior A. Holliday

1B/1/3  3  2 (3)  January 13, 1875  Appointments—Courts: William H. Martin, Martinsburgh, Audrain County; request appointment to probate judge; former student of Hardin’s

1B/1/3  3  2  January 14, 1875  Appointments—Courts: Representative H. Johnson, Taney County; recommends C. C. Owens as county court justice; death of Judge Joseph A. Bryan

1B/1/3  3  2 (3)  January 14, 1875  Appointments—Courts: Enoch Hooton, Mexico, Audrain County; requests appointment; resignation of G. B. McFarland

1B/1/3  3  2 (3)  January 16, 1875  Appointments—Courts: T. J. Marshall, Mexico, Audrain County; requests appointment as probate judge; resignation of G. B. McFarland

1B/1/3  3  2  January 18, 1875  Appointments—Courts: George W. Stapleton, et al, Albany, Gentry County, to Hon. J. L. McCulloch, Jefferson City, Cole County; enclosed petition presenting “Uncle Lishe” for county judge; death of Dorsey; also signed by John F. Culp and C. H. S. Goodman. (Elisha Cameron approved, (signed) C. H. Hardin)
Appointments—Courts: petitions (2), from Cedar County citizens; recommend James Hopkins, John Noble and Samuel L. Kerr as county court justices; Drury M. Wooldridge as probate court judge; were elected to these offices, but ousted by act of March 28, 1874; reorganizing Cedar County court, act passed against wishes of Cedar County citizens (see also box 3, folder 1 (3/1))

February 1, 1875
Appointments—Courts: J. Linn Ladd, Mexico, Audrain County; recommends James R. Williams for probate judge; note of concurrence by A. Ladd (letterhead of Mexico Weekly Reader)

February 2, 1875
Appointments—Courts: D. E. Shea, Mexico, Audrain County; recommends James R. Williams for probate judge; resignation of George B. Mcfarlane (letterhead of North British & Mercantile Insurance Co.)

February 2, 1875
Appointments—Courts: Silas Wilson, Mexico, Audrain County; recommends J. R. Williams as Probate Judge

February 3, 1875
Appointments—Courts: S. M. Edwards, Mexico, Audrain County; requests appointment as probate judge; resignation of George Macfarlane

February 3, 1875
Appointments—Courts: John M. Gondon, Mexico, Audrain County; recommends Samuel M. Edwards for probate court

February 3, 1875
Appointments—Courts: petition; recommends L. C. Swerer for probate judge; resignation of G. B. McFarlane

February 3, 1875
Appointments—Courts: L. C. Swerer, Mexico, Audrain County; requests appointment as probate judge

February 4, 1875
Appointments—Courts: B. L. Locke, county clerk, Audrain County; certification of resignation of G. B. Macfarlane as probate judge
1B/1/3  3  2  February 8, 1875  
Appointments—Courts: (J. V.) Summers, Stockton, Cedar County, to Hon. John Dale, Jefferson City, Cole County; urging passage of bill concerning county court; effort by Chandler to delay the matter in hands of the judiciary committee and secure his appointment (letterhead of Cedar County Clerk)

1B/1/3  3  2  February 8, 1875  
Appointments—Courts: Dave P. Stratton, Stockton, Cedar County; passage of bill concerning county court; voters oppose appointment of Chandler; S. R. Crockett, Nevada

1B/1/3  3  2  February 8, 1875  
Appointments—Courts: D. P. Stratton, Stockton, Cedar County; citizens desire reinstatement of previous county court; D. Wooldridge, probate judge; James Hopkins, John Noble, Samuel Kerr, county judges; bill pending to reinstate old county court system

1B/1/3  3  2 (3)  February 8, 1875  
Appointments—Courts: H. C. Timmonds, Stockton, Cedar County, to Hon. John Dale, Jefferson City, Cole County; unsure status of county and probate court

1B/1/3  3  2  February 11, 1875  
Appointments—Courts: Representative W. R. Slack, Stoddard County; recommends P. G. Wilson for Stoddard County Court

1B/1/3  3  2 (3)  February 22, 1875  
Appointments—Courts: J. M. Gondon, Mexico, Audrain County; recommends Samuel M. Edwards for probate judge; estate of Ringo

1B/1/3  3  2  February 28, 1875  
Appointments—Courts: petition, from Douglas County Citizens; recommends William A. Hartin and John Roberson as county judges

1B/1/3  3  2 (3)  March 2, 1875  
Appointments—Courts: G. Salmon, Clinton, Henry County, to Hon. Joshua La Due, Jefferson City, Cole County; death of Judge W. L. Avery, recommends F. E. Savage; appended recommendations by J. LaDue and R. F. Stevenson

1B/1/3  3  2  March 3, 1875  
Appointments—Courts: S. F. Sacket, County Clerk, Kahoka, Clark County; resignation of F. N. Bartlett, township organization of county; request for order of election to fill vacant county justice seat
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Appointments—Courts: A. Ellison, Arno, Douglas County, to J. M. Lewis; opposes petition requesting appointment of W. C. Brazeal as county judge; Brazeal Habitual drunkard, recommends W. G. Barnes or George Hale

March 16, 1875
Appointments—Courts: Sam Turner, Arno, Douglas County, to Hon. J. M. Lewis; opposes appointment of W. C. Brazeale and James Haily as county judges; Brazeale will be “dog drunk” in court, recommends W. G. Barnes (letterhead of Sam Turner General Merchandise)

March 18, 1875
Appointments—Courts: G. G. Vest (George Graham Vest), Sedalia, Pettis County; R. H. Moses, county clerk, is uncompromising Radical; James W. Brown honest but chairman of Tadpole county convention; recommends George Pemberton

March 22, 1875
Appointments—Courts: G. G. Vest (George Graham Vest), Sedalia, Pettis County; Pemberton declines appointment as county judge, petition enclosed recommending E. Kennedy

March 23, 1875
Appointments—Courts: William H. H. Hill, Sedalia, Pettis County; resigning as judge of probate court, to take effect at election

March 24, 1875
Appointments—Courts: petition, citizens of Green Ridge, Pettis County; recommends H. H. Easter for county judge; resignation of O. B. Harris

March 25, 1875
Appointments—Courts: Cole County; Pemberton’s refusal to consider judgeship, other possible candidates are T. J. Mason and Judge Canady (letterhead of Sedalia Democrat)

March 25, 1875
Appointments—Courts: O. M. Harris, Sedalia, Pettis County; personal resignation from county court, recommends M. P. Woodson; county politics

March 27, 1875
Appointments—Courts: James R. Shields, Columbia, Boone County; requests appointment to county court; death of Judge David Gordon
March 29, 1875


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Appointments—Courts: petition, Boone County Citizens; recommends Boyle Gordon to county court

March 29, 1875

Appointments—Courts: petition, members of bar and officials of Boone County; recommends Boyle Gordon to county court (letterhead of W. W. Batterton, county clerk)

March 29, 1875

Appointments—Courts: J. R. Shields, Columbia, Boone County; withdrawing as applicant for county court appointment; Boyle Gordon

March 29, 1875

Appointments—Courts: F. B. Young, Columbia, Boone County; petition, from members of bar and officials of boone county requesting appointment of Boyle Gordon

March 31, 1875

Appointments—Courts: William H. H. Hill, Sedalia, Pettis County; end of term as probate judge, circumstances of election and commission; abolition of common pleas court

April 5, 1875

Appointments—Courts: William T. Johnson, Osceola, St. Clair County; resignations of county court justices

April 7, 1875

Appointments—Courts: F. E. Savage, Clinton, Henry County; election to fill vacant probate judgeship; creation of probate court

April 9, 1875

Appointments—Courts: Judge John Batterton, Judge H. T. Wright, and W. W. Batterton, Columbia, Boone County; recommends James Harris to county court; resignation of Boyle Gordon; James Harris

April 10, 1875

Appointments—Courts: James S. Rollins, Columbia, Boone County; recommends Judge James Harris for county court; resignation of recently appointed Boyle Gordon
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<td>D. H. McIntyre, Mexico, Audrain County; J. P. McAfee’s visit concerning Boone County Court</td>
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<td>John Hinton, Columbia, Boone County; recommends J. A. Boulton for county court; resignation of Justice Boyle Gordon</td>
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<td>John M. Samuel, Columbia, Boone County; recommends J. A. Boulton for county court judge; previous recommendation of James Harris</td>
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<td>R. B. Price, Columbia, Boone County; opposes Jesse A. Boulton to county court; Boulton an unreasonable and proscriptive granger who worked against Hardin’s Election; Boulton’s efforts to break up Democratic Party and establish third party Hardin’s service on board of equalization (letterhead of Boone County National Bank)</td>
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Appointments—Courts: R. A. Hewing, Neosho, Newton County; conflict between former Governor Woodson’s commission as presiding justice dated May 1874 and Hardin’s commission of I. T. Sanders Dated 1875

Appointments—Courts: John Wheat, Ava, Douglas County; commission received appointing James Hailey as county court justice; W. C. Brezeale or Abner Garrison

Appointments—Courts: John C. Dawson, Grant City, Worth County; failure to determine if E. W. Rice resigned as county court judge; commission sent appointing T. L. Davidson

Appointments—Courts: John J. Cabell, Ava, Douglas County; recommends William C. Brazeale to county court; James Davis; legislation creating additional county court judges; James H. Hailey, sheriff

Appointments—Courts: Judge J. M. Brown, Charleston, Mississippi County; appointment procedure if Brown resigned

Appointments—Courts: petition, from Harrisonville, Cass County; recommends H. Clay Daniel for probate judge

Appointments—Courts: D. Dale, Harrisonville, Cass County; recommends H. Clay Daniel as probate judge

Appointments—Courts: H. Clay Daniel, Harrisonville, Cass County; requests appointment as probate judge

Appointments—Courts: copy of letter from Governor Silas Woodson to John C. Ferguson; resignations of four members of county court; Governor’s role to appoint replacements (letter enclosed with unknown previous correspondence)

Appointments—Courts: S. A. Gilbert, Weston, Platte County; commissions for recently elected judge and marshal of Weston Court of Common Pleas; county filling vacancy caused by resignation of G. N. Hood
November 1875

**Courts:** petitions (2), from Marion County Citizens; recommends John C. Duncan, Round Grove, for county court; resignation of Judge Sharp

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November 10, 1875

**Courts:** J. J. Gideon, Ozark, Christian County; need for speedy commission of newly elected county court justice D. M. Cowan; outgoing justice plans to compromise with Atlantic & Pacific Railroad for taxes for 1871-75

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November 17, 1875

**Courts:** H. C. Young, Springfield, Greene County; question concerning propriety of election for judge of probate and common pleas court; election of H. B. Lawrence

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November 30, 1875

**Courts:** John G. Chandler, St. Louis; recommends Thomas A. Russell

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December 8, 1875

**Courts:** Benjamin Davies, Jacob Sosey and H. J. Drummond, Palmyra, Marion County; recommends John C. Duncan as county justice; resignation of Richard M. Sharp; includes supporting petition (letterhead of the Palmyra Spectator)

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December 9, 1875

**Courts:** Thomas Anderson, Palmyra, Marion County; opposes John C. Duncan for appointment as county court judge; drunkard

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December 10, 1875

**Courts:** Edward McCabe, Palmyra, Marion County; recommends John C. Duncan as county court judge; Judge Sharpe’s resignation

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1876

**Courts:** petition, members of bar, Schuyler County; recommends Andrew Ellison for circuit judge (letterhead of Exchange Bank of Baird, Malone & Company)

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1876

**Courts:** petition, members of bar, Schuyler County; recommends Andrew J. Ellison as judge of 27th judicial circuit; resignation of John W. Henry

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February 11, 1876

**Courts:** L. T. Cotter, Edina, Knox County; requesting legal opinion concerning election of judge; county’s township organization
February 12, 1876

Appointments—Courts: James K. Sheley, Independence, Jackson County; requests appointment if Judge Voorhees resigns; Kansas City politics; Sawyer and Black.

February 15, 1876

Appointments—Courts: M. D. Trefren, Kansas City, Jackson County; requests appointment Jackson County Circuit Court.

February 17, 1876

Appointments—Courts: William H. Rupell, Aullville, Lafayette County; recommends James Harrison for county judge; resignation of Amos Groves.

February 18, 1876

Appointments—Courts: William B. Steele, County Clerk, Lexington, Lafayette County; recommends James W. Harrison for county court justice; commission received for James B. Herd, who refuses appointment.

February 21, 1876


February 22, 1876

Appointments—Courts: W. Chrisman, Independence, Jackson County; recommends James H. Stover for circuit judge, based on local opinion; personal opinion dictates appointment of no current candidate; endorsement of E. P. Yates (Gates?) and William L. Bone (letterhead of Chrisman, Sawyer & Company Bankers).

February 23, 1876

Appointments—Courts: W. Y. Pemberton and John T. Heard, Sedalia, Pettis County; recommends William B. Napton, Jr., Kansas City, Jackson County, for circuit judge (letterhead of Head & Jackson, Attorneys).

February 25, 1876

Appointments—Courts: John E. Jewett, Kansas City, Jackson County; recommends M. D. Trefren for 24th circuit judge.

February 26, 1876

Appointments—Courts: C. J. White, Kansas City Savings Association, Jackson County; recommends W. B. Napton, Jr., for circuit judge.
Appointments—Courts: S. H. Woodson, Kansas City, Jackson County; acknowledges appointment 24th circuit judge (letterhead of Commercial National Bank)

March 3, 1876

Appointments—Courts: James H. Burnett, Clarkton, Dunklin County; recommends Elgin C. White for judge of common pleas and probate court

March 10, 1876

Appointments—Courts: petition, Clarkton, Dunklin County; recommends Elgin C. White for judge of common pleas and probate court; death of incumbent John H. Stokes

March 10, 1876

Appointments—Courts: S. G. Kitchen, recommends Mr. Zalmer; death of incumbent

March 11, 1876

Appointments—Courts: Val BriegeI, and C. A. Conrads, Trenton, Grundy County; recommends George H. Hubbell for county clerk, failure to concur with majority of county judges; resignation of William H. Roberts

March 17, 1876

Appointments—Courts: S. T. Glover, St. Louis; vacant judgeships; letter from Governor

March 26, 1876

Appointments—Courts: Charles L. Dobson, Linneus, Linn County; recommends Andrew Ellison, Adair County, to replace Judge John W. Henry

August 1876

Appointments—Courts: William Clancy, Edina, Knox County; recommends Andrew Ellison, Kirksville, Adair County, to replace Judge John Henry

August 21, 1876

Appointments—Courts: John F. Williams, Macon City, Macon County; recommends Andrew Ellison, Kirksville, Adair County, for 27th judicial district

August 21, 1876

Appointments—Courts: petition, Putnam County citizens; recommends Andrew Ellison, Kirksville, Adair County, for 27th judicial district; resignation of John W. Henry

August 24, 1876

Appointments—Courts: Lewis Myers, Memphis, Scotland County; recommends Andrew Ellison, Kirksville, Adair County, for 27th judicial district vacancy (letterhead of Smoot & Myers, Attorneys)
Appointments—Courts: James S. Downing, Memphis, Scotland County; recommends Andrew Ellison, Kirksville, Adair County, for 27th judicial district vacancy; resignation of Judge Henry

Appointments—Courts: John D. Smoot, Prosecuting Attorney, Scotland County; recommends Andrew Ellison, Kirksville, Adair County, for 27th judicial district vacancy

Appointments—Courts: Caspar W. Bell, Unionville, Putnam County, and Brunswick, Chariton County; recommends Andrew Ellison, Kirksville, Adair County, for 27th judicial district vacancy

Appointments—Courts: H. D. Burgess, Linneus, Linn County; recommends Andrew Ellison, Kirksville, Adair County, for 27th judicial district vacancy

Appointments—Courts: H. G. Orton, Unionville, Putnam County; recommends Andrew Ellison, Kirksville, Adair County, for 27th judicial district vacancy (letterhead of Hyde & Christy, Attorneys)

Appointments—Courts: A. W. Mullins, Linneus, Linn County; recommends Andrew Ellison, Kirksville, Adair County, for 27th judicial district vacancy

Appointments—Courts: Junius A. Holliday, Hamilton, Caldwell County; replacement for Judge Evans; opposes Dickinson

Appointments—Courts: George W. Easley, Linn County; recommends Andrew Ellison, Kirksville, Adair County, for 27th judicial district vacancy; Easley practices law in Putnam and Macon counties (letterhead of Hoskinson & Frankey Law Office, Unionville, Putnam County)

Appointments—Courts: petition, from Clark County members of Bar; recommends Andrew Ellison, Kirksville, Adair County, for 27th judicial district vacancy (letterhead of Attorney Ben E. Turner, Kahoka, Clark County)
September 18, 1876  Appointments—Courts: W. O. Forrist, Mexico, Audrain County, to Andrew Ellison; recommends Andrew Ellison, Kirksville, Adair County, for 27th judicial district vacancy

September 18, 1876  Appointments—Courts: N. F. Givens, Kahoka, Clark County; recommends Andrew Ellison, Kirksville, Adair County, for 27th judicial district vacancy (letterhead of Ben E. Turner)

September 18, 1876  Appointments—Courts: Ben E. Turner, Alexandria, Clark County, to Andrew Ellison, Kirksville, Adair County; enclosed recommendations from members of bar (letterhead of N. T. Cherry, Attorney)

September 21, 1876  Appointments—Courts: petition, Caldwell County citizens; recommends John Dodge; resignation of Adison Evins (note from Holliday regarding petition)

September 25, 1876  Appointments—Courts: Web M. Rubey, Macon, Macon County; recommends Andrew Ellison, Kirksville, Adair County, for 27th judicial district vacancy (2 letters)

September 27, 1876  Appointments—Courts: L. F. Cottey, Edina, Knox County; recommends Andrew Ellison, Kirksville, Adair County, for 27th judicial district vacancy (letterhead of St. Joseph Fire & Marine Insurance Company)

September 27, 1876  Appointments—Courts: J. R. Rippey, Glenwood, Schuyler County; recommends Andrew Ellison, Kirksville, Adair County, for 27th judicial district vacancy (letterhead of Purdy & Cutler, Dealers in Grain)

October 2, 1876  Appointments—Courts: Thomas H. Anderson, Palmyra, Marion County; recommends Andrew Ellison for 27th judicial district

October 3, 1876  Appointments—Courts: William B. Hays, Lancaster, Schuyler County; recommends Andrew Ellison, Kirksville, Adair County, for 27th judicial district vacancy
October 4, 1876
Appointments—Courts: John H. Overall, St. Louis; recommends Andrew Ellison, Kirksville, Adair County, for 27th judicial district vacancy

October 6, 1876
Appointments—Courts: D. A. Ely, Kirksville, Adair County; recommends Andrew Ellison for 27th judicial district

October 14, 1876
Appointments—Courts: W. M. Moon, Monticello, Lewis County; recommends Andrew Ellison, Kirksville, Adair County, for 27th judicial district vacancy

October 19, 1876
Appointments—Courts: Blair and Marchand, Attorneys, Monticello, Lewis County; recommends Andrew Ellison for 27th judicial district

October 27, 1876
Appointments—Courts: petition, from Macon County Bar Members; recommends Andrew Ellison for 27th judicial district

October 27, 1876
Appointments—Courts: D. Reddington, Mexico, Audrain County; recommends Andrew Ellison for 27th judicial district

November 1876
Appointments—Courts: petition; recommends Andrew Ellison for 27th judicial district

November 4, 1876
Appointments—Courts: Sam Russell, Kingston, Caldwell County; Judge Evans resignation (letterhead of county clerk)

November 6, 1876
Appointments—Courts: John M. Oldham, Kirksville, Adair County; recommends Andrew Ellison for 27th judicial district

November 9, 1876
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November 14, 1876
Appointments—Courts: Junius A. Holliday, (Hamilton, Caldwell County); Judge Evans’s intent to resign
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November 20, 1876
Appointments—Courts: John C. Dawson, clerk, Grant City, Worth County; W. B. Yates, incumbent probate judge, announced at nominating convention his intention to resign and requested a nomination for his replacement; commission of Mr. Florea

November 21, 1876
Appointments—Courts: T. G. Sharp, Macon, Macon County; recommends J. N. Brown for circuit judge (letterhead of Macon County treasurer and collector)

November 21, 1876
Appointments—Courts: Charles A. Weber, Clerk, Perryville, Perry County; election of William H. Bennett as probate judge under 1875 Constitution

November 25, 1876
Appointments—Courts: James C. Moody, St. Louis; requests appointment to replace Judge Knight, death from accidental gunshot wound; Moody removed from bench by Radical legislative mob in March 1867, refused to enforce the test oath after U.S. Supreme Court had declared it unconstitutional

November 25, 1876
Appointments—Courts: John C. Dawson, Grant City, Worth County; response to Governor’s letter; John W. Florea recently elected; Judge Yates

November 27, 1876
Appointments—Courts: Chester H. Krum, St. Louis; death of Judge Knight; recommends Boyle or Thayer, to fill vacancy

November 27, 1876
Appointments—Courts: Thomas A. Russell, St. Louis; death of Judge Knight; requests speedy replacement; docket in arrears

December 1, 1876
Appointments—Courts: J. L Berry, Macon, Macon County, by Counsel; requests appointment to 27th judicial district; resignation of Judge Henry; Hardin’s lack of statutory authority to appoint

December 6, 1876
Appointments—Courts: Andrew Ellison, Kirksville, Adair County; acknowledging receipt of commission as circuit judge

December 6, 1876
Appointments—Courts: John Wheat, Douglas County Clerk, Ava; requesting commission for Moses L. Alsup, elected probate judge
Appointments—Courts: John F. Williams, St. Louis; appointment of judge to replace Henry, opposes Brown; recommends Ellison

Appointments—Courts: L. M. Dyer and Ed Courier, Charleston, Mississippi County; appointment of county judge

Appointments—Courts: John H. Guthrie, Charleston, Mississippi County; death of Judge William L. Shelby; requests replacement

Appointments—Courts: P. R. Smith, County Clerk, Neosho, Newton County; recommends John T. McElhaney for county court presiding justice

Appointments—Courts: J. T. McElhany, Neosho, Newton County; requesting appointment as presiding justice; appointment of incumbent Judge J. T. Sanders expired in November

Appointments—Courts: James L. Berry (Macon County), election as circuit judge in November 1876, requests commission be issued

Appointments—Courts: Judge P. H. Edwards, et al, Neosho, Newton County; recommends John T. McElhany for presiding county court justice; expired term of J. T. Sanders; also signed by Barton J. Morrow, circuit clerk; and George Hubbert, attorney

Appointments—Courts: M. E. Benton, Neosho, Newton County; recommends J. T. McElhany for county court justice

Appointments—Courts: Joseph C. Moore, Charleston, Mississippi County; recommends Silas S. Smith for county court; death of Judge William L. Shelby (letterhead of Moore & Hatcher, Attorneys)

Appointments—Courts: Schuyler Andrews, Clerk, Wayne County Court, Greenville; commissions of new county judges mailed to Secretary of State McGrath, with certificate of choice by allotment for long, middle and short term
December 23, 1876
Appointments—Courts: Thomas R. Gibson, Ava, Douglas County; Moses L. Alsup elected probate judge at last election, question about whether Alsup entitled to office under enabling legislation of 1866 and 1872

September 19, 1874
Appointments—Criminal Court: petition, St. Louis citizens, to John D. Brooks; recommending him as judge of court of criminal corrections

January 23, 1875
Appointments—Criminal Court: Edward A. Lewis, St. Louis; requesting appointment if Judge Vories (Voorhies) resigns

May 11, 1875
Appointments—Criminal Court: W. C. Battie, Aullville, Lafayette County; requesting delay in appointment of judge in district number one

December 2, 1875
Appointments—Criminal Court: R. J. Lackland, St. Louis; recommends Col. T. T. Gantt and Henry Hitchcock; additional endorsement by William G. Clark

April 1876
Appointments—Criminal Court: petition; recommends Charles F. Cady for St. Louis

April 1876
Appointments—Criminal Court: C. E. Loring, recommends reappointment of Judge Charles F. Cady to St. Louis; endorsements by Hugh F. O’Connor, Charles A. Loring, M. W. Watson, F. Valle’, George Babcock

April 1876
Appointments—Criminal Court: M. H. Phelan, St. Louis; recommends James McBride as judge of court of criminal correction (letterhead of The Western Watchman)

April 13, 1876
Appointments—Criminal Court: petition, St. Louis City Council, St. Louis County; recommends James J. McBride

April 13, 1876
Appointments—Criminal Court: (illegible), St. Louis; recommends John Jecko; death of Hon. John W. Colvin
Appointments—Criminal Court: J. C. (illegible), St. Louis; recommends James J. McBride (letterhead of Southern Hotel)

Appointments—Criminal Court: telegram, Frank J. Bowman, St. Louis; recommends John Jecko; death of Judge Colvin

Appointments—Criminal Court: J. Broadhead, St. Louis; recommends John Jecko

Appointments—Criminal Court: J. Broadhead, St. Louis; recommends Alexander and Jecko; Lighthizer also a good candidate

Appointments—Criminal Court: J. Broadhead, St. Louis; recommends A. W. Alexander

Appointments—Criminal Court: Henry C. Brokmeyer, St. Louis; recommends John; experience as justice of peace

Appointments—Criminal Court: Charles F. Cady, St. Louis; requests appointment as judge; death of Judge Colvin, experience of judge of police court

Appointments—Criminal Court: M. R. Cullen, St. Louis; appointment of judge

Appointments—Criminal Court: Basil Duke, St. Louis; recommends John Jecko

Appointments—Criminal Court: R. H. Musser, St. Louis; recommends J. McBride (letterhead of Laclede Hotel)

Appointments—Criminal Court: Celsus Price, St. Louis; recommends J. J. McBride; practicing lawyer for 27 years (letterhead of State of Missouri Insurance Dept.)

Appointments—Criminal Court: telegram, John G. Priest, M. H. Phelan, George Knapp & Co., St. Louis; requests delay in appointment of judge
Appointments—Criminal Court: A. W. Slayback, St. Louis; recommends John (letterhead of Slayback & Haeussler, Attorneys)

Appointments—Criminal Court: John Wickham, St. Louis; recommends A. W. Alexander

Appointments—Criminal Court: petition, St. Louis; recommends H. D. Lighthizer

Appointments—Criminal Court: August W. Alexander, St. Louis; requests appointment to position

Appointments—Criminal Court: Richard A. Barret, St. Louis; recommends Judge Jecco (letterhead of State Board Centennial Managers)

Appointments—Criminal Court: Norman J. Colman, St. Louis; recommends James J. McBride (letterhead of Colman’s Rural World)

Appointments—Criminal Court: Judge W. C. Jones, St. Louis Criminal Court, St. Louis, to Mack; recommends Judge Cady

Appointments—Criminal Court: Martrom D. Lewis, St. Louis; recommends Charles F. Cady (letterhead of St. Louis County Public Administrator)

Appointments—Criminal Court: James J. Lindley, St. Louis; recommends Lighthizer (added endorsement by Lewis Gottschalk)

Appointments—Criminal Court: Circuit Judges James J. Lindley, W. C. Jones, John Wickham, St. Louis; recommends Augustus W. Alexander

Appointments—Criminal Court: John McGaffy, St. Louis; recommends Judge J. C. McGinnis or C. F. Cady

Appointments—Criminal Court: J. C. Nidelet, St. Louis; recommends James McBride; death of Judge Colvin (letterhead of Board of Police Commissioners)

Appointments—Criminal Court: J. Niel, St. Louis; recommends James J. McBride; death of Judge Colvin
Appointments—Criminal Court: H. Overstolz, St. Louis; recommends Charles F. Cady (letterhead of Mayor’s Office)

Appointments—Criminal Court: M. H. Phelan, St. Louis; eligibility of J. C. McGinnis (letterhead of The Western Watchman)

Appointments—Criminal Court: J. T. Redman, Supt., Union Depot, St. Louis; recommends John Jecko (letterhead of Missouri Pacific Railroad)

Appointments—Criminal Court: Henry J. Spaunhorst, St. Louis; recommends Augustus W. Alexander (letterhead of Amerika, published by the German Literary Society)

Appointments—Criminal Court: Charles Speck, St. Louis; recommends John Jecko

Appointments—Criminal Court: A. Todd, St. Louis; recommends Augustus W. Alexander; Jecko would be improvement over predecessor

Appointments—Criminal Court: George Withers, St. Louis; recommends Judge Cady

Appointments—Criminal Court: Dan Able, St. Louis, to Hon. Thomas Holliday (state auditor); recommends H. B. Lighthizer (letterhead of John J. Daley & Co.)

Appointments—Criminal Court: telegram, F. J. Bowman, St. Louis, to Attorney General Hockad(a)y; previous recommendation for McBride by Price and Nidelet given under misapprehension, Jecko preferred

Appointments—Criminal Court: C. C. Carroll, St. Louis; requests appointment; death of Judge Colvin; Secretary of State McGrath

Appointments—Criminal Court: S. T. Glover, St. Louis; recommends Augustus W. Alexander

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Appointments—Criminal Court: F. Mathias, St. Louis; recommends Charles F. Cady

Appointments—Criminal Court: John G. Priest, et al, George Knapp & Co., St. Louis; recommends W. H. H. Russell; also signed by J. Broadhead, William Hyde, M. H. Phelan,

Appointments—Criminal Court: J. H. Britton, St. Louis; recommends Charles Cady; endorsement by G. S. Van Wagner (letterhead of National Bank of State of Missouri)

Appointments—Criminal Court: B. Gratz Brown, St. Louis; recommends Charles F. Cady (Benjamin Gratz Brown was governor from 1871 to 1873)

Appointments—Criminal Court: Jos. Brown, St. Louis; recommends John Jecko

Appointments—Criminal Court: Bernard Bryan, St. Louis; recommends C. F. Cady


Appointments—Criminal Court: Thomas C. Fletcher, St. Louis; recommends Col. H. B. Lighthizer (Thomas Clement Fletcher was Governor from 1865 to 1869)

Appointments—Criminal Court: Thomas J. Gantt, St. Louis; recommends A. W. Alexander

Appointments—Criminal Court: Charles Green, St. Louis; recommends C. F. Cady (letterhead of State and County Assessor’s Office)

Appointments—Criminal Court: H. Rechtien, County Treasurer, St. Louis; recommends Charles F. Cady (letterhead of County Treasurer’s Office)
Appointments—Criminal Court: Justice C. F. Shultz, et al, St. Louis County Court; recommends Charles F. Cady; also signed by justices J. D. Finney, Joshua Houston, James S. Farrar, M. Heller, R. C. Allen, Christian Staehlin, (letterhead of St. Louis County Clerk)


Appointments—Criminal Court: A. J. P. Garesch, St. Louis; recommends John Hockady

Appointments—Criminal Court: Walter C. Douglass, St. Louis; recommends John D. Brooks

Appointments—Criminal Court: G. D. Grismore, St. Louis; recommends John McGuffey; death of Judge John W. Colvin

Appointments—Criminal Court: Joseph L. Hyatt, St. Louis; recommends A. W. Alexander

Appointments—Criminal Court: James C. McGinnis, St. Louis; recommends Charles F. Cady

Appointments—Criminal Court: M. H. Phelan, St. Louis; recommends John Jecko (letterhead of The Western Watchman)

Appointments—Criminal Court: E. P. Nicholson, St. Louis; recommends John D. Brooks

Appointments—Criminal Court: Edward White, St. Louis; recommends John D. Brooks

Appointments—Criminal Court: F. J. Bowman, St. Louis; recommends John Jecko (letterhead of Hill & Bowman, Attorneys)

Appointments—Criminal Court: Andrew J. Clabby, St. Louis Criminal Court, St. Louis; recommends C. F. Cady (letterhead of Clerk of Criminal Court)
1B/1/3 3 7 (4) April 19, 1876 Appointments—Criminal Court: John Daly, St. Louis; recommends James J. McBride

1B/1/3 3 7 (4) April 19, 1876 Appointments—Criminal Court: telegram, William Hyde, St. Louis, to Attorney General John Augustus Hockaday; appointment of Jecko or Cady would be bad but McBride would be disgraceful

1B/1/3 3 7 (4) April 19, 1876 Appointments—Criminal Court: Sol. Kitchen, St. Louis; requests appointment for position

1B/1/3 3 7 (4) April 19, 1876 Appointments—Criminal Court: Celsus Price, St. Louis; recommends Sol Kitchen (letterhead of State of Missouri Insurance Dept.)

1B/1/3 3 7 (4) April 19, 1876 Appointments—Criminal Court: Thomas A. Russell, St. Louis; recommends H. B. Lighthizer

1B/1/3 3 7 (4) April 19, 1876 Appointments—Criminal Court: J. G. Woerner, St. Louis; recommends John Jecko (letterhead of St. Louis County Probate Court)

1B/1/3 3 7 (4) April 20, 1876 Appointments—Criminal Court: telegram, William Hyde, John G. Priest, M. H. Phelan, St. Louis; requesting reversal of Cady’s appointment

1B/1/3 3 7 (4) April 21, 1876 Appointments—Criminal Court: Judge Charles F. Cady, St. Louis; acceptance of appointment

1B/1/3 3 8 (5) No Date Appointments—Supreme Court: news clipping about Judge Vories (Voorhies); resignation tendered but Governor urged to ignore it due to judge’s irrational state

1B/1/3 3 8 (5) No Date Appointments—Supreme Court: petition, members of the Kansas City Bar; recommends S. L. Sawyer

1B/1/3 3 9 (5) 1876 Appointments—Supreme Court: Thomas J. Gantt, St. Louis, to E. H. Norton, Platte City, Platte County; supreme court schedule, hope that both Norton and Judge William A. Hall will be nominated for two anticipated seats; appointments based on merit rather than political party; previous occurrences before the Civil War; Judge Ferguson, St. Louis; Judge Gamble, Judge Leonard and Judge Richardson
February 24, 1876
Appointments—Supreme Court: C. W. Chase, Kansas City, Jackson County; recommends M. D. Grefero (sic)

February 24, 1876
Appointments—Supreme Court: William Chrisman, Independence, Jackson County; opposes Col. Woodson; poor ability as attorney, lack of moral firmness, and intemperance (letterhead of Chrisman, Sawyer & Co.)

March 14, 1876
Appointments—Supreme Court: Silas Woodson and James T. Owen, St. Joseph, Buchanan County, to Judge; desire to know intentions toward seeking office (Woodson was governor from 1871 to 1873)

March 22, 1876
Appointments—Supreme Court: Henry C. Brokmeyer, St. Louis, to E. H. Norton; offer of assistance

March 22, 1876
Appointments—Supreme Court: S. A. Crockett, Nevada, Vernon County, to E. H. Norton, Platte City, Platte County; offer of support for candidacy

March 23, 1876
Appointments—Supreme Court: A. W. Slayback, St. Louis, to E. H. Norton; offer of assistance (letterhead of Slayback & Haeussler)

March 25, 1876
Appointments—Supreme Court: Joseph Pulitzer, St. Louis, to Judge E. H. Norton, Platte City, Platte County; offer of assistance in spring nominating convention (letterhead of Southern Hotel)

March 25, 1876
Appointments—Supreme Court: John Ray, Cassville, Barry County, to Judge E. H. Norton, Platte City, Platte County; offer of support for supreme court candidacy; Norton on Supreme Bench and John Smith Phelps (former Congressman) as governor would get state on high road to honor again

March 26, 1876
Appointments—Supreme Court: (illegible) P. Johnson, Osceola, St. Clair County; expectation of support from this section of state
March 26, 1876
Appointments—Supreme Court: A. P. Morehouse, Maryville, Nodaway County; offer of support, anticipated support of Nodaway County (Albert Pickett Morehouse was governor from 1887 to 1889; letterhead of Morehouse, Sisson & Co., Real Estate Brokers)

March 27, 1876
Appointments—Supreme Court: George W. Carleton, Gayoso, Pemiscot County, to E. H. Norton, Platte City, Platte County; offer of support

March 27, 1876
Appointments—Supreme Court: Alex Davis, St. Louis, to E. H. Norton; recommends Norton; Davis’s desire to see Norton in U.S. Senate

March 27, 1876
Appointments—Supreme Court: Edmond A. Nickerson, Warrensburg, Johnson County; offer of support for supreme court candidacy, spoke to David Nation, editor of Journal, an independent paper of large circulation, will speak to Crittenden and Col. Broadhead

March 27, 1876
Appointments—Supreme Court: L. Shackelford, Glasgow, Howard County, to E. H. Norton, Platte City, Platte County; Norton’s candidacy; present supreme judges’ contempt for constitution

March 27, 1876
Appointments—Supreme Court: E. C. Thomas, Plattesburg, Clinton County, to E. H. Norton; Norton’s Candidacy for Governor or Supreme Judge; offices should be filled with Democrats; Thomas Jefferson; Andrew Jackson; Thomas Hart Benton

March 27, 1876
Appointments—Supreme Court: Thomas Thoroughman, St. Louis; recommends E. H. Norton

March 28, 1876
Appointments—Supreme Court: John F. T. Edwards, Ironton, Iron County, to E. H. Norton; support for Norton’s candidacy for supreme judge or governor

March 30, 1876
Appointments—Supreme Court: H. C. Lackland, St. Charles, St. Charles County; will support nomination as candidate for supreme court judge
March 30, 1876
Appointments—Supreme Court: John W. Ross, Bolivar, Polk County, to E. H. Norton; will work to secure delegates from Polk and adjoining counties for Norton

March 31, 1876
- Appointments—Supreme Court: A. W. Alexander, Paris, Monroe County, to E. H. Norton, Platte City, Platte County; will support Norton
- Appointments—Supreme Court: R. W. Fyan, Marshfield, Webster County; recommends E. H. Norton
- Appointments—Supreme Court: J. R. Rippey, Glenwood, Schuyler County, to E. H. Norton; supports John W. Henry; recommends Norton for Governor since Hardin will not run for re-election; deaths of Vic Mortell and General Watkins
- Appointments—Supreme Court: James C. Roberts, St. Joseph, Buchanan County, to Judge Norton; supports his candidacy

April 3, 1876
- Appointments—Supreme Court: L. F. Cottey, Edina, Knox County, to E. H. Norton, Platte City, Platte County; will support Norton
- Appointments—Supreme Court: T. W. B. Crews, St. Louis, to Judge Norton; will support Norton for Supreme Court Judge; regret losing Judges Vories (Voorhies) and Wagner, Letcher has reputation for laziness but is persevering
- Appointments—Supreme Court: L. J. Dryden, Warrenton, Warren County, to E. H. Norton; will support Norton for Supreme Court
- Appointments—Supreme Court: P. Mabrey, Doniphan, Ripley County, to E. H. Norton, Platte City, Platte County; obligated to support candidacy of Judge William Carter, St. Francois County; Norton for governor; 1875 constitution
- Appointments—Supreme Court: B. W. Massey, Neosho, Newton County, to E. H. Norton; will help candidacy in Barry, Lawrence, Newton and McDonald counties; recommends Norton for governor
1B/1/3 3 9 (5) April 3, 1876 Appointments—Supreme Court: M. V. L. McClelland, Wellington, Lafayette County, to E. H. Norton; support for his candidacy for supreme court or governorship

1B/1/3 3 9 (5) April 3, 1876 Appointments—Supreme Court: P. Pipkin, Kimmswick, St. Louis County, to E. H. Norton; offer of support for supreme court judgeship; recommends Holliday for auditor; Rozier, St. Genevieve, St. Genevieve County, unfit for lieutenant governor

1B/1/3 3 9 (5) April 4, 1876 Appointments—Supreme Court: C. H. Mansur, Chillicothe, Livingston County, to E. H. Norton, Platte City, Platte County; conditions of support for Norton

1B/1/3 3 9 (5) April 4, 1876 Appointments—Supreme Court: J. W. Reid, Kansas City, Jackson County, to E. H. Norton; support for Norton

1B/1/3 3 9 (5) April 4, 1876 Appointments—Supreme Court: Waller Young, St. Joseph, Buchanan County, to E. H. Norton; support for Norton

1B/1/3 3 9 (5) April 5, 1876 Appointments—Supreme Court: M. McKillop, Rock Port, Atchison County, to E. H. Norton, Platte City, Platte County; support for Norton (back of letterhead has printed list of Paul Brothers’ selected list of first-class business lawyers in the principal towns in the USA, fall 1875)

1B/1/3 3 9 (5) April 6, 1876 Appointments—Supreme Court: William L. Gatewood, Montgomery City, Montgomery County, to E. H. Norton, Platte City, Platte County; support for Norton; Judge Buckner

1B/1/3 3 9 (5) April 7, 1876 Appointments—Supreme Court: D. D. Burnes, St. Louis, to E. H. Norton, Platte City, Platte County; support for Norton; Burnes born in Platte County

1B/1/3 3 9 (5) April 8, 1876 Appointments—Supreme Court: Lt. Gov. Norman J. Colman, St. Louis, to Judge Norton; support for Norton (letterhead of Colman’s Rural World)

1B/1/3 3 9 (5) April 8, 1876 Appointments—Supreme Court: W. Halliburton, Milan, Sullivan County, to E. H. Norton; support for Norton; 1875 constitution; Drake constitution
Appointments—Supreme Court: James N. Burnes, St. Joseph, Buchanan County, to E. H. Norton; support for Norton (letterhead of Chicago and South Western Railway)

Appointments—Supreme Court: G. W. Lewis, Albany, Gentry County, to E. H. Norton; support for Norton

Appointments—Supreme Court: William F. Switzler, Columbia, Boone County, to E. H. Norton; support for Norton (letterhead of The Printing House)

Appointments—Supreme Court: C. Hammond, Brunswick, Chariton County, to E. H. Norton, Platte City, Platte County; support for Norton; Mr. Ray, Carrollton

Appointments—Supreme Court: W. Chrisman, Independence, Jackson County, to E. H. Norton; support for Norton but preference for Sawyer (letterhead of Chrisman, Sawyer & Co.)

Appointments—Supreme Court: J. L. Farris, Richmond, Ray County, to E. H. Norton, Platte City, Platte County; support for Norton but would prefer that Norton run for governor (letterhead of Ray County Prosecuting Attorney)

Appointments—Supreme Court: John W. Bradfield, Lebanon, Laclede County; candidacy for position; no newspaper recognizable as Democratic, although a so-called one edited by a Radical fanatic

Appointments—Supreme Court: T. G. Hutt, Troy, Lincoln County, to E. H. Norton; support for Norton

Appointments—Supreme Court: A. V. McKee, Troy, Lincoln County, to E. H. Norton; support for Norton for judgeship or governor (letterhead of McKee & McFarland)

Appointments—Supreme Court: John C. Taylor, Carthage, Jasper County, to E. H. Norton; support for Norton; regrets Norton not a candidate for governor
1B/1/3 3 9 (5) April 14, 1876 Appointments—Supreme Court: D. M. Armstrong, St. Louis, to E. H. Norton; support for Norton; regrets Norton not a candidate for governor

1B/1/3 3 9 (5) April 14, 1876 Appointments—Supreme Court: A. W. Doniphon, Richmond, Ray County, to E. H. Norton, Platte City, Platte County; support for Norton from Ray County; Napton, Scott, Vories (Voorhies), Adams

1B/1/3 3 9 (5) April 15, 1876 Appointments—Supreme Court: A. H. Edwards, St. Charles, St. Charles County, to E. H. Norton; support for Norton

1B/1/3 3 9 (5) April 18, 1876 Appointments—Supreme Court: William T. Wood, Lexington, Lafayette County, to E. H. Norton; support for Norton

1B/1/3 3 10 (5) July 24, 1876 Appointments—Supreme Court: W. M. Eads, Carrollton, Carroll County; recommends R. D. Ray to replace Judge Vooris (sic) (letterhead of Hale & Eads)

1B/1/3 3 10 (5) August 11, 1876 Appointments—Supreme Court: Henry C. Young, Springfield, Greene County; recommends Judge Norton, Platte City, Platte County, to replace Judge Voorhies

1B/1/3 3 10 (5) October 3, 1876 Appointments—Supreme Court: John Doniphan, St. Joseph, Buchanan County; recommends George Hall to replace Judge Voories (letterhead of St. Joseph & Denver City Railroad)

1B/1/3 3 10 (5) October 3, 1876 Appointments—Supreme Court: telegram, B. I. Franklin, W. B. Norton, John W. Reid, John C. Gage, F. M. Black and Turner Gill, Kansas City, Jackson County, to A. C. Bryant, St. Louis; support for Norton

1B/1/3 3 10 (5) October 3, 1876 Appointments—Supreme Court: telegram, Turner A. Gill et al, Kansas City, Jackson County, to H. Clay Ewing, St. Louis; support for Norton; also signed John W. Reid, John C. Gage, B. I. Franklin, F. M. Black, W. B. Tapton and R. P. C. Wilson

1B/1/3 3 10 (5) October 3, 1876 Appointments—Supreme Court: I Maleiu, M.D., St. Joseph, Buchanan County; Judge Voories not sane and will not survive for long; Dr. Maleiu is Voories family physician
October 4, 1876
Appointments—Supreme Court: C. H. Mansur, Chillicothe, Livingston County; recommends R. D. Ray, Carroll, to replace Judge Henry Vories (Voorhies) (sic); list on back of letterhead, first-class business lawyers for Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Missouri, Ohio and Pennsylvania, fall 1875

October 5, 1876
Appointments—Supreme Court: petition, Kansas City, Jackson County; recommends E. H. Norton, Platte County, to replace Supreme Court Judge Vories (Voorhies) (sic)

Appointments—Supreme Court: petition, members of bar, Marshall, Saline County; recommends Samuel L. Sawyer, Independence, Jackson County, to replace Judge Vooris (appended letter from Thomas I. Yerby recommends Sawyer)

Appointments—Supreme Court: Luthur T. Collier, Chillicothe, Livingston County; recommends Robert D. Ray, Carrollton, Carroll County

Appointments—Supreme Court: telegram, A. W. Doniphan, Richmond, Ray County; recommends E. H. Norton

Appointments—Supreme Court: H. W. Johnson, Jonesburg, Montgomery County; recommends Congressman Aylett Hawes Buckner

Appointments—Supreme Court: telegram, J. E. Merryman, Platte City, Platte County; recommends E. A. Norton

Appointments—Supreme Court: I. Mill Reid, Kansas City, Jackson County; recommends A. J. Norton, Platte

Appointments—Supreme Court: F. M. Carter, Farmington, St. Francois County; requests appointment as supreme court judge from area; resignation of Judge Voorhis; no Judge on supreme court from this area since 1820

Appointments—Supreme Court: E. V. Conway, Farmington, St. Francois County; recommends Judge E. H. Norton, Platte County
October 6, 1876

Appointments—Supreme Court: Turner A. Gill, Kansas City, Jackson County; recommends Samuel L. Sawyer (letterhead of Gill & Reed)

Appointments—Supreme Court: petition, Charleston, Mississippi County; recommends Hon. David L. Hawkins

Appointments—Supreme Court: Edmond A. Nickerson, Warrensburg, Johnson County; recommends Hon. E. H. Norton

Appointments—Supreme Court: Allen H. Vories (Voorhies), St. Joseph, Buchanan County; resignation of Judge Vories (Voorhies) from supreme court, requesting delay in acceptance; impending death

Appointments—Supreme Court: telegram, R. L. Yeager and O. H. Dean, Kansas City, Jackson County; recommends Samuel F. Sawyer

Appointments—Supreme Court: petition, attorneys, Liberty, Clay County; recommends Judge Norton; resignation of H. M. Vories (Voorhies)

Appointments—Supreme Court: A. Comingo, Kansas City, Jackson County; recommends Willard P. Hall (letterhead of Gage & Ladd; Hall was governor from 1864 to 1865)

Appointments—Supreme Court: John C. Gage, Kansas City, Jackson County; recommends Willard P. Hall, St. Joseph, Buchanan County (letterhead of Gage & Ladd; Hall was governor from 1864 to 1865)

Appointments—Supreme Court: Thomas A. Gill, Kansas City, Jackson County; recommends W. P. Hall over Judge Norton (letterhead of Kansas City Mayor’s Office; Hall was governor from 1864 to 1865)

Appointments—Supreme Court: telegram, Willard P. Hall, St. Joseph, Buchanan County; unsuitability (Hall was governor from 1864 to 1865)

Appointments—Supreme Court: Willard P. Hall, St. Joseph, Buchanan County; declining appointment to supreme court (Hall was governor from 1864 to 1865)
October 7, 1876

Appointments—Supreme Court: John E. Ryland and John Reid, Lexington, Lafayette County; Democratic Party’s desire that supreme court seats be distributed throughout state; resignation of Judge Voorhies (letterhead of Lexington Savings Bank)

October 7, 1876

Appointments—Supreme Court: Thomas Thoroughman, St. Louis; recommends Judge Norton

October 8, 1876

Appointments—Supreme Court: Joseph C. Moore, Charleston, Mississippi County; recommends Judge D. L. Hawkins; votes received at Democratic Convention (letterhead of Moore & Hatcher)

October 8, 1876

Appointments—Supreme Court: Samuel Williams, Kansas City, Jackson County; recommends Judge Burgess educated in law in Kentucky; represented Sullivan County in Missouri legislature before war; elected judge over Major Mullen (letterhead of The Kansas City Times)

October 9, 1876

Appointments—Supreme Court: petition, from St. Louis; recommends Samuel L. Sawyer, Jackson County

October 9, 1876

Appointments—Supreme Court: telegram, Judge George W. Dew; S. C. Woodson; R. L. Walton, Platte City, Platte County; recommends E. H. Norton

October 9, 1876

Appointments—Supreme Court: telegram, James Adkins, Platte City, Platte County; recommends E. H. Norton

October 9, 1876

Appointments—Supreme Court: G. C. Bingham (George Caleb Bingham), Kansas City, Jackson County; recommends Judge Sawyer (letterhead of Holmes, Dean & Andrews)

October 9, 1876

Appointments—Supreme Court: Charles L. Dobson, Linneus, Linn County; recommends Judge Burgess

October 10, 1876

Appointments—Supreme Court: (illegible), St. Louis; recommends Judge Gantt
October 10, 1876
Appointments—Supreme Court: George Houck, member state democratic central committee, Charleston, Mississippi County; recommends David L. Hawkins (letterhead of County and Circuit Clerk and Recorder)

October 10, 1876
Appointments—Supreme Court: Silas Woodson, St. Joseph, Buchanan County; recommends E. H. Norton (Woodson was governor from 1871 to 1873)

October 11, 1876
Appointments—Supreme Court: petition, Princeton, Mercer County; recommends Judge Burgess, Linneus, Linn County

October 11, 1876
Appointments—Supreme Court: press copy of letter from John D. S. Dryden to Governor Hardin; recommends Samuel L. Sawyer

October 11, 1876
Appointments—Supreme Court: John D. S. Dryden, St. Louis; recommends Samuel L. Sawyer

October 11, 1876
Appointments—Supreme Court: R. A. DeBolt, Linneus, Linn County; recommends G. D. Burgess, Linn (letterhead of Charles L. Dobson)

October 11, 1876
Appointments—Supreme Court: C. M. Knight, Princeton, Mercer County, to Judge Burgess, Linneus, Linn County; offering assistance; attached letter of recommendation to governor by H. Lander, W. H. Brownlee; H. DeGrace, D. B. Canfield

October 11, 1876
Appointments—Supreme Court: H. M. Pollard, Linneus, Linn County; recommends G. D. Burgess, Linn (letterhead of Charles L. Dobson)

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Appointments—Supreme Court: petition, St. Louis; recommends Robert D. Ray, Carrollton, Carroll County (letterhead of E. M. Samuel & Sons)

October 11, 1876
Appointments—Supreme Court: Web M. Samuel, St. Louis; recommends Hon. R. D. Ray, Carrollton, Carroll County

October 12, 1876
Appointments—Supreme Court: H. Clay Ewing, Attorney General, Jefferson City, Cole County; authority to appoint Judge Vories (Voorhies)’s replacement versus election of replacement
October 12, 1876

Appointments—Supreme Court: S. P. Huston, Brookfield, Linn County; recommends G. D. Burgess

Appointments—Supreme Court: H. Lithgow, Brookfield, Linn County; recommends G. D. Burgess; resignation of Judge Vories (Voorhies)

Appointments—Supreme Court: A. W. Myers, Brookfield, Linn County; recommends G. D. Burgess

Appointments—Supreme Court: B. J. Northcott, Linneus, Linn County; recommends Gavon Drummond Burgess

Appointments—Supreme Court: Ell Torrance, Brookfield, Linn County; recommends G. D. Burgess

Appointments—Supreme Court: Judge Thomas Whitaker, Linn County Court of Common Pleas; recommends G. D. Burgess

Appointments—Supreme Court: William (illegible), St. Joseph, Buchanan County; declining

Appointments—Supreme Court: E. J. Broaddus, Chillicothe, Livingston County; recommends R. D. Ray, Carroll County

Appointments—Supreme Court: H. Burroughs, Cape Girardeau, Cape Girardeau County; recommends D. L. Hawkins; questions concerning Governor’s authority to appoint

Appointments—Supreme Court: Martin L. Claudy, Farmington, St. Francois County; recommends D. L. Hawkins, Cape Girardeau

Appointments—Supreme Court: T. J. O. Morrison, Cape Girardeau, Cape Girardeau County; recommends D. L. Hawkins

Appointments—Supreme Court: Robert L. Wilson, Cape Girardeau, Cape Girardeau County; recommends David L. Hawkins
October 15, 1876
Appointments—Supreme Court: J. H. Shanklin, Trenton, Grundy County; recommends G. D. Burgess as replacement for Judge Vories (Voorhies) (letterhead, Low & McDouglas)

October 16, 1876
Appointments—Supreme Court: Carlos Boardman, Linneus, Linn County; recommends Col. G. D. Burgess

Appointments—Supreme Court: W. W. Bradley, Linneus, Linn County; recommends G. D. Burgess

Appointments—Supreme Court: petition, citizens of Linneus, Linn County; recommends Gaven D. Burgess; currently judge of 11th judicial circuit

Appointments—Supreme Court: Henry Clay Dean, Rebel Cove, Putnam County; recommends G. D. Burgess

Appointments—Supreme Court: A. J. P. Garesch, St. Louis; recommends David L. Hawkins

Appointments—Supreme Court: J. W. Gilson, Brookfield, Linn County; recommends Judge Burgess

Appointments—Supreme Court: telegram, Willard P. Hall, et al, Weston, Platte County; recommends E. H. Norton (Hall was governor from 1864 to 1865); also signed by Burnet Pike, S. A. Gilbert, John Doniphan

Appointments—Supreme Court: W. Halliburton, Milan, Sullivan County; recommends G. D. Burgess

Appointments—Supreme Court: telegram, Thomas P. Porter, et al, Plattesburg, Clinton County; recommends E. H. Norton; also signed by R. Hughes, Charles Ingles, John M. McMichael and J. M. Lowe

Appointments—Supreme Court: Thomas Thoroughman, St. Louis; recommends Judge Hawkins, if Norton is not appointed; appended endorsement by Alex Davis

Appointments—Supreme Court: H. S. Warren, Thomas P. Hay, Robert Crawford, St. Louis; recommends D. L. Hawkins
October 17, 1876

Appointments—Supreme Court: telegram, Daniel Metcalf and J. H. Shanklin, Trenton, Grundy County; recommends Burgess

October 17, 1876

Appointments—Supreme Court: telegram, Daniel Metcalf, Trenton, Grundy County; requesting delay in appointment of supreme court judge; friends of Burgess

October 17, 1876

Appointments—Supreme Court: Celsus Price, St. Louis; recommends David L. Hawkins; currently judge of 10th judicial circuit (letterhead of State Insurance Department)

October 17, 1876

Appointments—Supreme Court: E. W. Price, Dalton, Chariton County, to brother Celsus Price, St. Louis; requesting assistance in promotion of Burgess; appended note from Celsus Price to Governor Hardin concerning his support of Hawkins rather than Burgess

October 18, 1876

Appointments—Supreme Court: A. Comingo and Robert Adams, Jr., Jefferson City, Cole County; recommends S. L. Sawyer, Jackson County; declination of W. P. Hall, former governor (letterhead of Henry W. Ewing, clerk of Supreme Court)

October 18, 1876

Appointments—Supreme Court: telegram, Andrew Ellison, Kirksville, Adair County; petition for Burgess

October 18, 1876

Appointments—Supreme Court: telegram, James Ellison, Kirksville, Adair County; petition for Burgess

October 18, 1876

Appointments—Supreme Court: P. F. Greenwood, Kirksville, Adair County; recommends Judge Burgess

October 18, 1876

Appointments—Supreme Court: telegram, Charles L. Dobson and John W. Henry, Brookfield, Linn County; requests postponement of judge until they arrive on Burgess’s behalf

October 19, 1876

Appointments—Supreme Court: Charles L. Dobson, Jefferson City, Cole County; petitions from Putnam and Sullivan county bars recommend Judge Burgess; letter of support from A. W. Mullins, 10th Congressional District, defeated by Burgess
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1B/1/3 4 1 No Date Appointments—Normal Schools: petition, citizens of Macon County; recommends Judge E. W. Knott to board of regents, Kirksville; resignation of George L. Osborn

1B/1/3 4 1 No Date Appointments—Normal Schools: vacancy of George W. Longan, John E. Ryland Appointed June 30, 1875

1B/1/3 4 1 November 17, 1874 Appointments—Normal Schools: Web M. Rubey, Macon, Macon County; desire to visit with Governor concerning Kirksville board of regents vacancies

1B/1/3 4 1 December 24, 1874 Appointments—Normal Schools: James M. DeFrance, Kirksville, Adair County; reappointment of self and Osborne as normal school regents (letterhead of Porter Coal & Mining Co.)

1B/1/3 4 1 December 31, 1874 Appointments—Normal Schools: John W. Henry, Macon City, Macon County; recommends Ellison for Normal School Regent

1B/1/3 4 1 December 31, 1874 Appointments—Normal Schools: John F. Williams, Macon City, Macon County; recommends Andrew Ellison, Kirksville, for Normal School Regent; son of Judge Ellison of Canton, Lewis County (letterhead of Williams & Overall)

1B/1/3 4 2 (1) January 4, 1875 Appointments—Normal Schools: R. H. Browne, Kirksville, Adair County; recommends DeFrance be reappointed as Normal School Regent; Judge Henry’s opposition to DeFrance rooted in political rivalry

1B/1/3 4 2 (1) January 4, 1875 Appointments—Normal Schools: D. S. Hooper, Kirksville, Adair County; recommends J. M. DeFrance be retained as regent, Kirksville; previous financial problem of school district
January 6, 1875
Appointments—Normal Schools: J. T. Smith, Kirksville, Adair County; recommends Ellison for regent

January 6, 1875
Appointments—Normal Schools: J. N. Brown, Macon, Macon County; recommends DeFrance for regent; opposition to DeFrance rooted in his support of Brown for judge

January 8, 1875

January 8, 1875
Appointments—Normal Schools: George L. Osborne, Warrensburg, requests change in report date for district two (letterhead, Office of State Normal School, District No. 2)

January 16, 1875
Appointments—Normal Schools: W. H. Parcels, Kirksville, Adair County; recommends James M. DeFrance; Parcels second highest taxpayer and responsible for payment of bonded debt for normal school building

January 18, 1875
Appointments—Normal Schools: R. D. Shannon, state superintendent of public schools, Jefferson City, Cole County; recommends Judge John S. Erwin for normal school board of regents; reappointment of Prof. George Osborne, Louisiana, Pike County; political history between DeFrance and Ellison (letterhead of Dept. of Public Schools)

June 19, 1875
Appointments—Normal Schools: A. N. Ridings, Warrensburg, Johnson County; resignation of George W. Longan as regent, Warrensburg; recommends Dr. W. L. Hedges (letterhead of First National Bank of Warrensburg)
June 21, 1875

Appointments—Normal Schools: C. C. Morrow, Warrentsburg, Johnson County; resignation of G. W. Longan as regent, Warrentsburg; regents previously appointed by Governor Woodson from churches as a safeguard against sectarian interference; board composed of Presbyterian (O.S.), Presbyterian (Cumberland), Methodist Episcopal, Baptist, Reformers or Christians; new appointee should be from M.E. Church South and outside of Warrentsburg area; recommends Maj. John E. Ryland Lexington, Lafayette County; Gen. H. C. Ewing, Cole County; Mr. Allen, Harrisonville, Cass County; or someone from Sedalia or Clinton (letterhead of Warrentsburg Democrat)

June 23, 1875

Appointments—Normal Schools: Cephas A. Leach, Sedalia, Pettis County; requesting appointment to Warrentsburg board of regents; teacher at Hartford High School, New England

July 2, 1875

Appointments—Normal Schools: John E. Ryland, Lexington, Lafayette County; acknowledging appointment to board of regents, Warrentsburg (letterhead of Ryland and Ryland, Attorneys)

July 12, 1875

Appointments—Normal Schools: Rev. John D. Vincil, Louisiana, Pike County; requesting appointment as regent to replace Osborne at Kirksville; Regent Geo. L. Osborne been elected to head Warrentsburg

July 15, 1875

Appointments—Normal Schools: J. N. Cooke, Clinton, Henry County; Louisiana, Pike County, board of education offered position as superintendent of schools and Governor used as reference; Prof. Osborn, Supt. of Schools, Louisiana, resigned to accept presidency of South Missouri Normal School (letterhead of Franklin School)

July 21, 1875

Appointments—Normal Schools: James M. DeFrance, Jefferson City, Cole County; recommendations for regent of Kirksville; enclosed supporting petition of July 1875 (letterhead of Dept. of Public Schools)
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September 22, 1876
Appointments—Normal Schools: William E. Sheffield, Kansas City, Jackson County; recommends brother, C. S. Sheffield, for principalship of Cape Girardeau; five years experience of managing a high school; John B. Wornell; Professor Greenwood

No Date
Appointments—Notary Public: former U.S. Senator Lewis V. Bogy, St. Louis; recommends B. B. Cahoon, Fredericktown, Madison County

No Date
Appointments—Notary Public: petition, Newton County; recommends Thomas J. Moore

No Date
Appointments—Notary Public: E. McKee, Memphis, Scotland County; recommends A. W. Sawyer (letterhead of Scotland County Circuit Clerk and Recorder)

1875
Appointments—Notary Public: A. Farrar, Independence, Jackson County; signature on petition recommends Richard Dawson

1875
Appointments—Notary Public: petition, from B. F. Wallace and A. Farrar, Jackson County; recommends Richard Dawson (note: February 11th, 1875 refused)

January 18, 1875
Appointments—Notary Public: A. Davis, St. Louis; recommends William B. Street (letterhead of Jackson, Pfouts & Douglas)

January 19, 1875
Appointments—Notary Public: T. J. Galloway, Butler, Bates County, to Hon. J. B. Newberry; requesting assistance in procuring notary public commission

January 19, 1875
Appointments—Notary Public: Francis S. Merchand, Monticello, Lewis County, to Hon. William Kendrick; recommends Joseph Fuqua, Lewis County; negative opinion on vesting probate court to hear and determine partitions; recommendation by W. W. Kendrick to give notary commission (note: refused January 25 1875 no good reason to appoint another)

January 19, 1875
Appointments—Notary Public: Walter J. Miller, Lamar, Barton County; sent $1 on December 30 to Governor Woodson for commission as notary public; has not received commission (letterhead of Robinson & Chiswell, Attorneys)
January 20, 1875
Appointments—Notary Public: L. T. Collier, Chillicothe, Livingston County; requesting renewal for William T. Browning, Livingston County (note: commission refused (signed), C. H. Hardin)

January 21, 1875
Appointments—Notary Public: Andrew A. Maers, Fulton, Callaway County; requests commission; endorsement by citizens of Callaway County

January 22, 1875
Appointments—Notary Public: Zadok Hook, Fulton, Callaway County, to Hon. John A. Hockaday (John Augustus Hockaday); enclosed petition of Andrew A. Maerz; received previous commissions from Governor Palmer, Illinois, for police magistrate and notary public (note: refused, Callaway has 25—no good reason, January 26, 1875)

January 22, 1875
Appointments—Notary Public: J. Mayfield, Louis Christ and W. H. Dawson, Fulton, Callaway County, to Gen. John A. Hockaday (John Augustus Hockaday), Jefferson City, Cole County; signatures on petition for notary commission for Andrew Maerz should be disregarded, Maerz is a man of little character but signers did not want to incur his enmity

January 22, 1875
Appointments—Notary Public: Alex A. Russell, Glaize City, Camden County; requesting commission; no notary in county; G. W. Miller, J. S. Smith, Hon. Silas Overturf

January 23, 1875
Appointments—Notary Public: R. H. Browne, Kirksville, Adair County; recommends A. Slingerland, Esq., Adair County; owner of title company; circuit clerk

January 23, 1875
Appointments—Notary Public: Governor Charles Henry Hardin to William H. Sloane, Nettleton; large number of notaries in Marion County precludes issuance of more commissions; reply from William B. Wright, Caldwell County, regarding lack of notaries in township (letterhead of the Executive Department, State of Missouri)
January 23, 1875
Appointments—Notary Public: A. Slingerland, Kirksville, Adair County; requesting commission (note: 14 in Adair—see no good reason to appoint another; get someone to resign & I’ll appoint you, so written January 26, 75)

January 23, 1875
Appointments—Notary Public: A. B. Spruill, Jefferson City, Cole County; recommends renewal of commission for Daniel Grover, Jackson County (letterhead of State of Missouri Executive Dept; note: commission issued)

January 25, 1875
Appointments—Notary Public: Walter C. Douglass, St. Louis; requesting commission; endorsed by Bernard J. Reilly and Samuel W. Holliday (note: refused)

January 25, 1875
Appointments—Notary Public: petition, from Gentry County citizens; requesting recommission of William M. Elam

January 25, 1875
Appointments—Notary Public: Governor C. H. Hardin, Jefferson City, Cole County, to E. B. Van Vleet, Macon City, Macon County; refusing commission for notary as there are 43 in Macon County; application presented through Senator Rubey (note: commission ordered)

January 26, 1875
Appointments—Notary Public: petition, from Wilmott, Ray County; recommends C. L. Bowen

January 27, 1875
Appointments—Notary Public: Thomas P. Wilkinson, Rothville, Chariton County, to Representative W. G. Bowman, Jefferson City, Cole County; requesting assistance in acquiring notary public commission; remoteness of area from other towns, endorsement by W. G. Bowman (note: commission expires June 7th next(;) never filed his bond)

January 28, 1875
Appointments—Notary Public: Zadok Hook, Fulton, Callaway County; recommends Andrew A. Maerz; Germans in Missouri
January 28, 1875
Appointments—Notary Public: E. B. Van Vleet, Macon, Macon County, to Mr. Rubey; bond forwarded to Rubey, enclosed letter from Governor indicating a belief Van Vleet Lives in Macon City, Van Vleet resides ten miles from any notary

February 2, 1875
Appointments—Notary Public: M. L. Smith, Wheeling, to “Friend Ireland”; enclosed petition, from Wheeling Township citizens; opposes reappointment of commission to Darrowis, Livingston County; is unreliable in politics and everything (see February 1875 petition)

February 1875
Appointments—Notary Public: petition, citizens of Wheeling Township, Livingston County; opposing H. E. Darowis; so untrustworthy and disreputable that he and his family have become bywords of reproach (enclosed with Feb 2, 1875 letter from M. L. Smith)

February 2, 1875
Appointments—Notary Public: J. P. Thatcher and F. L. Mintie, Jefferson City, Cole County; recommends reappointment of B. B. Taylor, Pettis County (original appointment June 16, 1869)

February 3, 1875
Appointments—Notary Public: James J. Hitt, Weston, Platte County; requests renewal of commission; Railey & Bros. Bankers (note: refused because present commission not out)

February 3, 1875
Appointments—Notary Public: Charles F. Schneider, Uniontown, Perry County; requesting commission; been notary for twelve years; Norman J. Colman (note: refused because present time is unexpired)

February 4, 1875
Appointments—Notary Public: Henry Hart, St. Louis; recommends George C. Hardesty; endorsements by A. L. Jacobs and George Babcock

February 6, 1875
Appointments—Notary Public: Thomas P. Wilkinson, Rothville, Chariton County; bond filed

February 8, 1875
Appointments—Notary Public: James Permeathes Morgan, Stewartsville, DeKalb County; requesting commission (note: refused February 11, 1875)
February 9, 1875  
Appointments—Notary Public: Henry O. Billings, St. Louis; requests commission; recently moved from Illinois, held Illinois notary appointment from Governor Palmer (letterhead of Shedd & Billings Law Office; note: refused)

February 10, 1875  
Appointments—Notary Public: J. F. Merryman, Washington University, St. Louis; recommends J. C. Rosborough; R.S. Voorhis (note: refused)

February 15, 1875  
Appointments—Notary Public: Richard W. Dawson, Independence, Jackson County; most notaries based in Kansas City; rest of county underrepresented

February 16, 1875  
Appointments—Notary Public: Dan E. Dye, Eminence, Shannon County, to George (unknown); request for renewal of commission; endorsement by F. G. Chilton (note: issue commission for four years)

February 16, 1875  
Appointments—Notary Public: Henry E. Glazier, Maysville, DeKalb County, to Hon. Waller Young; request for renewal of commission; endorsed by Waller Young (note: refused because present term not out till March 1st, 1876)

February 20, 1875  
Appointments—Notary Public: C. L. Bowen, Wilmott, Ray County, to Hon. Mr. King, Ray County; requesting presentation of February 25, 1875 petition to governor

February 25, 1875  
Appointments—Notary Public: petition, Wheeling, Livingston County; recommends renewal of commission for H. Earl Darrow (enclosed with Feb. 20, 1875 letter from C. L. Bowen)

February 25, 1875  
Appointments—Notary Public: John P. Butler, Milan, Sullivan County, to Hon. Hampton W. Haley; requests commission

February 26, 1875  
Appointments—Notary Public: H. E. Darrow, Wheeling, Livingston County, to Hon. H. C. Ireland; enclosed petition requests commission (note: refused, signed C. H. Hardin)
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April 3, 1875  Appointments—Notary Public: Governor C. H. Hardin, Jefferson City, Cole County, to A. W. Anthony, Versailles, Morgan County; no notary bond on file for present appointment; response by Anthony

April 9, 1875  Appointments—Notary Public: petition, Wheatland, Hickory County; opposes commission to T. F. Robinson; incumbent J. H. Davidson, handles business

April 9, 1875  Appointments—Notary Public: Benjamin Davies, Palmyra, Marion County; opposes both candidates; John Brown; John W. Boulware (letterhead of Palmyra Spectator)

April 10, 1875  Appointments—Notary Public: E. S. Rowse, St. Louis; requests renewal of commission; endorsements by J. Broadhead and J. H. Britton (letterhead of Cavender & Rowse)

April 10, 1875  Appointments—Notary Public: F. T. Wright, Clinton, Henry County; recommends his son, John W. Wright, Warsaw, Benton County

April 12, 1875  Appointments—Notary Public: Representative E. A. Chapman, Newtonia, Newton County; recommends renewal of commission for John H. Miller, Ritchey, Newton County

April 15, 1875  Appointments—Notary Public: William Monks, West Plains, Howell County; renewal of commission

April 20, 1875  Appointments—Notary Public: Matt J. Corman, New Madrid, New Madrid County; Governor’s refusal of notary commission because bond never filed under previous commission

April 22, 1875  Appointments—Notary Public: E. H. Kridler, Lebanon, Laclede County; requests commission

April 24, 1875  Appointments—Notary Public: O. T. Rouse, Paris, Monroe County; requests commission for Randolph County; current commission for Monroe County will expire upon relocation to Randolph County
Appointments—Notary Public: William H. Martin, Martinsburgh, Audrain County; recommends E. P. French

Appointments—Notary Public: W. S. Ditto, Freeman, Cass County; error in date on notary commission

Appointments—Notary Public: petition, Kansas City, Jackson County; recommends J. W. Jenkins

Appointments—Notary Public: petition, Sarcoxie, Jasper County; recommends Sebastian Armstrong

Appointments—Notary Public: L. R. Nugent, Joplin, Jasper County; requests commission; recently relocated from Kansas to Joplin

Appointments—Notary Public: C. J. Harrison, Sedalia, Pettis County, to J. Johnson, Jefferson City, Cole County; requests commission; endorsed by Waldo P. Johnson

Appointments—Notary Public: B. T. Jones, Moberly, Randolph County; notary public commission; requested fee and additional signatures on petition (letterhead of Martin & Christian, Attorneys)

Appointments—Notary Public: J. Halligan, Jefferson City, Cole County; opposes Crowe

Appointments—Notary Public: petition, Union, Franklin County; recommends Martin L. G. Crowe

Appointments—Notary Public: William M. Elam, Gentry County; resignation as notary and desire for reappointment; law requiring notary seal changes

Appointments—Notary Public: J. W. Miller, Licking, Texas County; requests commission

Appointments—Notary Public: S. M. Breckinridge, St. Louis; recommends Martin Luther Hollister; response by Governor Hardin requiring statement concerning public necessity of appointment and remittance of fee
July 20, 1875  Appointments—Notary Public: John F. Shipley, West Line, Cass County; wants to resume position as notary after leaving state and then returning

July 27, 1875  Appointments—Notary Public: William R. Gannaway, Hannibal, Marion County; requests commission

July 31, 1875  Appointments—Notary Public: Mark C. Jennings, Hanover, Jefferson County; requests commission; expiration of previous commission in March 1875

August 12, 1875  Appointments—Notary Public: James N. Chrystie, St. Louis; requests commission (letterhead of Ohio & Mississippi Railway)

August 13, 1875  Appointments—Notary Public: Lewis Collins, Maryville, Nodaway County; requesting information on commission of notaries; recently relocated from Kentucky, will soon begin law practice in St. Joseph, Buchanan County

August 18, 1875  Appointments—Notary Public: D. S. Harriman, Kansas City, Jackson County; requests commission

September 4, 1875  Appointments—Notary Public: Washington Crosland, St. Louis; requests commission; long time state resident; going into business

September 23, 1875  Appointments—Notary Public: Thomas J. Hicks, Concordia, Lafayette County, to Secretary of State McGrath; requests commission

October 1875  Appointments—Notary Public: petition, St. Francisville, Clark County; recommends Samuel E. Wayland

October 1, 1875  Appointments—Notary Public: Robert L. Wilson, Cape Girardeau, Cape Girardeau County; recommends Leon J. Albert

October 4, 1875  Appointments—Notary Public: Rees H. Roseberry, St. Francisville, Clark County; personal resignation; recommends Samuel E. Wayland
October 18, 1875

Appointments—Notary Public: Thomas J. Bryant, St. Joseph, Buchanan County; enclosure of fees for commission of P. L. Wheeler, Arnoldsville, Buchanan County

October 19, 1875

Appointments—Notary Public: Bernard Dierkes, St. Louis; requests commission; resignation of T. C. (illegible)

October 30, 1875

Appointments—Notary Public: John Doniphan, St. Joseph, Buchanan County; criticism of notary appointments, lack of required notary accounting; recommends Mitchell and Kitt as notaries, investigation of notary practices to bring to grand jury

November 23, 1875

Appointments—Notary Public: James E. Flagg, Clinton, Henry County; wrong county name on notary commission issued by (former) Governor Woodson

December 3, 1875

Appointments—Notary Public: T. B. Robinson, Tuscumbia, Miller enclosed notary bond of James Thompson; Notary I. M. Goodrich has third commission under original bond given in January 1867 (letterhead of Miller County Circuit Clerk and Recorder)

December 9, 1875

Appointments—Notary Public: Charles Jones, St. Louis; recommends William S. Stone, Washington, Franklin County

December 14, 1875

Appointments—Notary Public: Rufus P. Murray, Gallatin, Daviess County; requests commission (letterhead of County Treasurer)

December 16, 1875

Appointments—Notary Public: John R. Brown, Robertsville, Franklin County; recommends James M. Levenich

1876

Appointments—Notary Public: Thomas A. Bradley, Mexico, Audrain County; requests commission (letterhead of Mexico Southern Bank)

1876

Appointments—Notary Public: T. J. Owen, Kingston, Caldwell County; requests commission (letterhead of Mansur & Owen, Attorneys)
1B/1/3  4  6 (3)  1876  Appointments—Notary Public: petition; recommends Nathan E. Walker for Macon County; brother is county surveyor

1B/1/3  4  7 (3)  January 28, 1876  Appointments—Notary Public: Benjamin Davies, Palmyra, Marion County; opposes renewal of commission for John Baum; faithless, untrustworthy and lacks integrity; controls Negro vote by means of whiskey, social conditions during Civil War (letterhead of the Palmyra Spectator, J. Sosey, Proprietor)

1B/1/3  4  7 (3)  January 29, 1876  Appointments—Notary Public: James McDonough, police chief, St. Louis; requesting revocation of commissions for Ed W. Deer and David Bingham; nefarious associations, poor reputations

1B/1/3  4  7 (3)  February 8, 1876  Appointments—Notary Public: Dan R. Brand, Carrollton, Carroll County; requesting revocation of commission for Gilbert J. Peltier; reasons for request (letterhead of James A. Turner, Carroll County Recorder of Deeds)

1B/1/3  4  7 (3)  February 11, 1876  Appointments—Notary Public: William H. Campbell, Waverly, Lafayette County; requests commission for Monroe County; endorsed by Richard A. Collins, former representative of Lafayette County

1B/1/3  4  7 (3)  February 14, 1876  Appointments—Notary Public: William C. Frazer, Cainsville, Harrison County; requests commission

1B/1/3  4  7 (3)  February 16, 1876  Appointments—Notary Public: William H. Campbell, Waverly, Lafayette County; requests commission; currently in Lafayette County but relocating to Monroe County as solicitor and advocate in patent cases; Pike County; previous commission awarded Governor Woodson

1B/1/3  4  7 (3)  February 21, 1876  Appointments—Notary Public: Governor C. H. Hardin to W. H. Campbell, Waverly, Lafayette County; cannot appoint him notary for Monroe County since he is not resident there
February 21, 1876  
Appointments—Notary Public: J. William Wingo, Salem, Dent County; requests revocation of commission for Shannon County and issuance of new one for Dent County; Shannon County commission enclosed

February 26, 1876  
Appointments—Notary Public: petition; recommends Charles M. Wesson for St. Louis County

February 29, 1876  
Appointments—Notary Public: Frank H. Smith, St. Louis; requests commission (letterhead of Columbia Life Insurance Company)

March 4, 1876  
Appointments—Notary Public: Greene B. Mobley, St. Louis, to Secretary of State Michael K. McGrath; requests commission

March 6, 1876  
Appointments—Notary Public: William H. Campbell, Waverly, Lafayette County; requesting return of one dollar submitted as notary fee

March 16, 1876  
Appointments—Notary Public: Louis D. Picot, St. Louis; requests commission

March 20, 1876  
Appointments—Notary Public: D. E. Shea and William H. Barton, Mexico, Audrain County; recommends Silas Wilson

March 21, 1876  
Appointments—Notary Public: W. H. H. Russell, St. Louis; recommends Adams A. Goodrich

March 27, 1876  
Appointments—Notary Public: Sylvanus W. Reid, Spickardsville, Grundy County; request commission renewal

March 31, 1876  
Appointments—Notary Public: John A. Read, St. Joseph, Buchanan County; requests commission (letterhead of St. Joseph Building Company and St. Joseph & Kansas Loan and Building Company)

April 4, 1876  
Appointments—Notary Public: Adams A. Goodrich, St. Louis; requests commission

April 10, 1876  
Appointments—Notary Public: John Stevenson, St. Louis; recommends Blair; son of General F. P. Blair (letterhead of Missouri Railroad Company)
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June 23, 1876
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June 23, 1876
Appointments—Notary Public: J. W. Hulse, St. Louis, to W. C. Boone; enclosed petition requesting commission

June 23, 1876
Appointments—Notary Public: George T. Hulse, St. Louis; recommends J. W. Hulse

June 24, 1876
Appointments—Notary Public: Theron Barnum, St. Louis; recommends David S. Bigham; endorsed by Musser and Porter

June 24, 1876
Appointments—Notary Public: David S. Bigham, St. Louis; request commission renewal

July 1, 1876
Appointments—Notary Public: John C. Foure, Higbee, Randolph County; commission voided by removal from state, recommends H. C. Reynolds, Randolph County

July 1, 1876
Appointments—Notary Public: Simon Obermeyer, St. Louis; requests commission

July 3, 1876
Appointments—Notary Public: R. L. Yeager, Kansas City, Jackson County; recommends John A. Sea

July 3, 1876
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July 8, 1876
Appointments—Notary Public: G. W. Barnett, Unionville, Putnam County; requests commission

July 8, 1876
Appointments—Notary Public: R. F. Little, Unionville, Putnam County; recommends George W. Barnett, county prosecuting attorney (letterhead of Circuit Clerk)

July 12, 1876
Appointments—Notary Public: petition, Cedar County citizens; endorsing Abram Vandenburg
July 12, 1876
Appointments—Notary Public: Abram Vandenbergh, Clintonville, Cedar County; requests commission

July 12, 1876
Appointments—Notary Public: John Montgomery, Jr., Sedalia, Pettis County; recommends Charles V. Tousalen; acting on behalf of Missouri, Kansas & Texas Railway

July 12, 1876
Appointments—Notary Public: John Montgomery, Jr., Sedalia, Pettis County; necessity of having notary near business

July 13, 1876
Appointments—Notary Public: petition, from Billings, Christian County; recommends Marshall T. Russell

July 14, 1876
Appointments—Notary Public: Charles H. Wine, Fulton, Callaway County; request revocation of commission for Macon County and a new one issued for Callaway County, relocated; one thousand undelivered land patents to government lands, patent applications must be made to county officer; holder of notary commission would suffice

July 17, 1876
Appointments—Notary Public: A. J. Ensign, St. Louis; recommends Marshall T. Russell, Christian County (letterhead of Atlantic & Pacific Railroad Company)

July 31, 1876
Appointments—Notary Public: H. D. Marshall, Unionville, Putnam County; recommends Clarence Conger (letterhead of Putnam County Bank)

August 2, 1876
Appointments—Notary Public: petition, Calhoun, Henry County; recommends Henry Slack for Henry County

August 4, 1876
Appointments—Notary Public: petition, Dade County; recommends Henry C. Ruby

August 11, 1876
Appointments—Notary Public: John H. Gilbreath, Appleton City, St. Clair County; H. W. Grantly, commissioned notary for St. Clair County in August 1874, has exceeded jurisdiction by notarizing documents in Bates County

August 25, 1876
Appointments—Notary Public: Samuel Temple, St. Louis; notary commission application
August 28, 1876
Appointments—Notary Public: J. J. McEl, Sulphur Lick; recommends Judge W. W. Shaw for Lincoln County

August 29, 1876
Appointments—Notary Public: Charles H. Brown, Lamar, Barton County; resigning position due to clause in 1875 Constitution; Governor’s offer of reappointment after the November election

August 31, 1876
Appointments—Notary Public: application form for appointment of J. W. Holloway, Vernon County (note: being a postmaster he is not eligible)

September 1, 1876
Appointments—Notary Public: Winslow Judson and Bernard Patton, St. Joseph, Buchanan County; recommends James S. Mullaby (letterhead of Judson & Motter)

September 4, 1876
Appointments—Notary Public: William L. Burkheimer, Clark County; requests commission (note: petition sent September 4, 1876—E.S.)

September 6, 1876
Appointments—Notary Public: Henry C. Kumpf, Kansas City, Jackson County; requests commission

September 6, 1876
Appointments—Notary Public: D. S. Twitchell, Kansas City, Jackson County; recommends City Auditor H. C. Kumpf (letterhead of Jenkins & Twitchell)

September 10, 1876
Appointments—Notary Public: W. M. Vancleve, Macon, Macon County; declining to remain as security on bond of Notary W. S. Hughes (letterhead of Vancleve Brothers, Wholesale Grocers)

September 13, 1876
Appointments—Notary Public: LeGrand Betts, St. Louis; requests commission

September 13, 1876
Appointments—Notary Public: petition, recommends Betts; signed by Thomas C. Fletcher (former Governor), A.W. Slayback, Thomas D. Ford, Jno. H. Tenny (written on back of September 10, 1876 letter from Vancleve)
1B/1/3 4 8 (3) September 18, 1876 Appointments—Notary Public: J. H. Shelly, R. B. Ballew, William M. Casteel, and D. M. King, Princeton, Mercer County; recommends Edward C. Ballew

1B/1/3 4 8 (3) September 26, 1876 Appointments—Notary Public: Lee Chiswell, Lamar, Barton County; previous request for commission (letterhead of Prosecuting Attorney)

1B/1/3 4 8 (3) September 27, 1876 Appointments—Notary Public: J. M. Willis, Miami, Saline County; requests commission

1B/1/3 4 8 (3) September 30, 1876 Appointments—Notary Public: Theodore H. Thomas, St. Louis; requests commission

1B/1/3 4 8 (3) September 30, 1876 Appointments—Notary Public: C. Elliott Vrooman, Lancaster, Schuyler County; request commission renewal (letterhead of Continental Insurance Company of New York)

1B/1/3 4 8 (3) October 2, 1876 Appointments—Notary Public: James C. Moodey, St. Louis; recommends Mr. Martin Oleson; native of Norway

1B/1/3 4 8 (3) October 5, 1876 Appointments—Notary Public: Martin Olson, St. Louis, to Secretary of State McGrath; requesting recommendation to Governor; Scandinavians in St. Louis

1B/1/3 4 8 (3) October 12, 1876 Appointments—Notary Public: Thomas S. Rudd, St. Louis; requests appointment; enclosed recommendation

1B/1/3 4 8 (3) October 13, 1876 Appointments—Notary Public: Austin N. McGindley, Macon, Macon County; requests commission; former Commission from 1866 until 1874

1B/1/3 4 8 (3) October 14, 1876 Appointments—Notary Public: A. R. Taylor, St. Louis; recommends Thomas S. Russ

1B/1/3 4 8 (3) November 16, 1876 Appointments—Notary Public: Genl. J. Wiley, Moselle, Franklin County; request commission renewal

1B/1/3 4 8 (3) November 17, 1876 Appointments—Notary Public: S. H. Perryman, Princeton, Mercer County; notary appointment soon to expire, recommends Edgar H. Parnell
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<td>Appointments—Notary Public: William O. Bashore, Hannibal, Marion County; requests commission; endorsed by Oney Carstarphen, Walter D. Anderson, and Arthur B. Wilson</td>
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<td>Appointments—Notary Public: William Bush, St. Louis; requests commission; previously held commission from 1864 to 1868</td>
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<td>Appointments—Notary Public: Louis Hoffmann, Hermann, Gasconade County; requests commission; endorsed by citizens of Gasconade County</td>
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<td>Appointments—Notary Public: petition, Lincoln County; recommends William S. Pennington</td>
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<td>Appointments—Notary Public: Thomas R. Gibson, Ava, Douglas County; requests commission; no notaries in Ava</td>
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Appointments—Notary Public: Dwight T. Griswold, St. Joseph, Buchanan County, to Secretary of State McGrath; requests commission (letterhead of National Fire Insurance Company of Hartford)

Appointments—Notary Public: J. W. Reid, Kansas City, Jackson County; recommends John H. Reid

Appointments—Penitentiary: petition; recommends R. B. Rubey, Macon, Macon County, for warden

Appointments—Penitentiary: R. C. Ewing, Kansas City, Jackson County; recommends Arnold T. Winson, Lafayette County as warden

Appointments—Penitentiary: J. A. Egan, Jefferson City, Cole County; disputing charges alleged by anonymous prisoners as the Missouri State Penitentiary; current cases include an opium addiction, consumption, dysentery

Appointments—Penitentiary: J. O. Shelby, Moniteau, Moniteau County; recommends Robert Deatheridge, Waverly, Lafayette County, warden (letterhead of Moniteau Coal & Coke Company)

Appointments—Penitentiary: James A. Egan, Salisbury, Chariton County; requests appointment as physician; wounded (foot amputation) during Civil War

Appointments—Penitentiary: Stilson Hutchins, St. Louis; recommends Major Robert Deatheridge warden (letterhead of St. Louis Evening Dispatch)

Appointments—Penitentiary: S. J. Melton, Marshall, Saline County; requests appointment as warden

Appointments—Penitentiary: Edward Rackliff, Cedar City; requests appointment physician

Appointments—Penitentiary: A. T. Winsor, Waverly, Lafayette County; requests appointment as warden

Appointments—Penitentiary: John L. Morrison, Fayette, Howard County; endorsed by John P. Sebree for warden (letterhead of Circuit Clerk)
November 10, 1874
Appointments—Penitentiary: George Diegel, Carrollton, Carroll County; recommends A. C. Blackwell for warden

November 10, 1874
Appointments—Penitentiary: W. M. Eads, Carrollton, Carroll County; recommends A. C. Blackwell (letterhead of Hale & Eads)

November 10, 1874
Appointments—Penitentiary: John B. Hale, Carrollton, Carroll County; recommends A. C. Blackwell for warden (letterhead of Hale & Eads)

November 10, 1874
Appointments—Penitentiary: R. D. Ray, Carrollton, Carroll County; recommends A. C. Blackwell for warden

November 10, 1874
Appointments—Penitentiary: M. T. Williams, Carrollton, Carroll County; recommends A. Blackwell for warden

November 11, 1874
Appointments—Penitentiary: M. V. A. L. McClelland, Willington, Lafayette County; recommends A. T. Winsor for warden

November 14, 1874
Appointments—Penitentiary: Thomas S. Anderson, Marion County; John W. Henry and W. H. Sears, prosecuting attorney, Macon City, Macon County; recommends Sheriff Shain for warden

November 17, 1874
Appointments—Penitentiary: Dr. D. H. Shields, Hannibal, Marion County; requests appointment as physician (letterhead of Phoenix Insurance Co. of St. Louis)

November 17, 1874
Appointments—Penitentiary: R. E. Young, Jefferson City, Cole County; requesting reappointment as physician

November 18, 1874
Appointments—Penitentiary: E. W. Knott and T. B. Howe, Macon, Macon County; recommends R. B. Rubey as warden; experience in sheriff’s office

November 19, 1874
Appointments—Penitentiary: J. C. Crawley, Keytesville, Chariton County; recommends son-in-law, James A. Eagan, for physician; endorsed by R. A. DeBolt
November 19, 1874
Appointments—Penitentiary: Samuel S. Sawyer, Independence, Jackson County; recommends A. T. Winsor, Lafayette County, for warden

November 20, 1874
Appointments—Penitentiary: T. R. E. Harvey, Fairville, Saline County; recommends A. T. Winsor, Waverly, for warden

November 20, 1874
Appointments—Penitentiary: C. Jackson, M.D., Independence, Jackson County; requests appointment as physician; attached newspaper clipping of letter from father Wade M. Jackson replying to comments by Major Gentry

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November 23, 1874
Appointments—Penitentiary: L. R. H. Smith, State Lunatic Asylum No. 1, Fulton, Callaway County; recommends Thomas B. Harris for warden

November 24, 1874
Appointments—Penitentiary: M. C. Schewalter, Carrollton, Carroll County; recommends A. T. Winsor, Lafayette County, warden

November 24, 1874
Appointments—Penitentiary: J. P. Strother, Marshall, Saline County; appreciation for honor conferred (letterhead of Letcher & Strother)

November 25, 1874
Appointments—Penitentiary: I. P. Vaughan, M. D., Glasgow, Howard County; recommends Dr. J. A. Eagan, Salisbury, Chariton County, physician

November 25, 1874
Appointments—Penitentiary: J. I. Child, conservator office, Richmond, Ray County; recommends Arnold Winsor, Waverly, Lafayette County, warden

November 26, 1874
Appointments—Penitentiary: T. B. Harris, Fulton, Callaway County; requests appointment as warden (letterhead of County Clerk)

November 27, 1874
Appointments—Penitentiary: John Reid, Lexington, Lafayette County; recommends A. T. Winsor, warden (letterhead of the Democratic State Central Committee)

November 27, 1874
Appointments—Penitentiary: John W. Waddell, Lexington, Lafayette County; recommends Arnold T. Winsor, warden (letterhead of Lexington Coal Co.)
November 28, 1874
Appointments—Penitentiary: Lillian Davis, Lexington, Lafayette County; recommends A. T. Winsor, warden (letterhead of Lexington Coal Co.)

November 30, 1874
Appointments—Penitentiary: I. P. Baker, Plattsburg, Clinton County; requests appointment as warden (letterhead of Commercial Hotel)

November 30, 1874
Appointments—Penitentiary: J. W. Brown, Mexico, Audrain County; requests appointment as warden

December 2, 1874
Appointments—Penitentiary: J. H. Edwards, St. Joseph, Buchanan County; recommends Dr. R. E. Young, physician

December 2, 1874
Appointments—Penitentiary: Andrew Ellison, Kirksville, Adair County; recommends Ed Shain, Macon County, warden

December 3, 1874
Appointments—Penitentiary: Joseph T. Bryan, circuit clerk; J. Rechenbaugh, county clerk, Fulton, Callaway County; recommends James W. Brown, warden (letterhead of Circuit Clerk and Recorder)

December 3, 1874
Appointments—Penitentiary: E. S. Dulin, Columbia, Boone County; recommends A. T. Winsor, warden (letterhead of Stephens Female College)

December 4, 1874
Appointments—Penitentiary: F. B. Philpott, M. D., Salisbury, Chariton County; recommends Dr. J. A. Egan, physician

December 5, 1874
Appointments—Penitentiary: W. M. Prottsman, Sedalia, Pettis County; recommends A. T. Winsor, Lafayette County, warden

December 6, 1874
Appointments—Penitentiary: John P. Sebree, Jefferson City, Cole County; requests appointment as warden

December 7, 1874
Appointments—Penitentiary: Dr. John P. Grinstead, Salisbury, Chariton County; recommends Dr. James A. Egan, physician

December 8, 1874
Appointments—Penitentiary: G. H. Burckhartt, Fayette, Howard County; request renewal of Sebree, warden (letterhead of Circuit Court Clerk)
December 8, 1874
Appointments—Penitentiary: A. W. Munsen, Fayette, Howard County; recommends Sebree, warden

December 8, 1874
Appointments—Penitentiary: Lucius Salisbury, Salisbury, Chariton County; recommends Dr. J. A. Egan, physician; endorsed by L. D. Isbell and Norman Johnson

December 8, 1874
Appointments—Penitentiary: R. D. Shannon, Jefferson City, Cole County; recommends reappointment of warden Sebree; Myers; DeBolt; election

December 9, 1874
Appointments—Penitentiary: Willard P. Hall, St. Joseph, Buchanan County; recommends reappointment of John T. Sebree as warden (Hall was Governor from 1864 to 1865)

December 9, 1874
Appointments—Penitentiary: Mrs. S. D. Turner, Montrose, Henry County; recommends her husband as physician; her father is Gen. Parsons of Jefferson City, Cole County

December 9, 1874
Appointments—Penitentiary: G. B. Winston, Jefferson City, Cole County, to D. Smith; recommends his son, in medical school in St. Louis as physician; former Governor McClurg

December 10, 1874
Appointments—Penitentiary: M. S. Allgaier, Clinton County; requests appointment as warden

December 10, 1874
Appointments—Penitentiary: William Carrington, Carrington, Callaway County; requests appointment as warden

December 10, 1874
Appointments—Penitentiary: John A. Tritt, Lexington, Lafayette County; recommends A. T. Winsor, warden

December 11, 1874
Appointments—Penitentiary: A. J. Hemoon, Fayette, Howard County; recommends Maj. John P. Sebree, warden (letterhead of Circuit Court Clerk)

December 12, 1874
Appointments—Penitentiary: William Morrison, Lexington, Lafayette County; recommends A. T. Winsor, warden (letterhead of Exchange and Banking House)
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<td>T. Shackelford, Glasgow, Howard County; recommends John P. Sebree, warden (letterhead of Glasgow Savings Bank)</td>
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<td>Dr. James K. Sheley, Independence, Jackson County; recommends Dr. Robert E. Young, physician</td>
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<td>H. C. Wallace, Lexington, Lafayette County; recommends Arnold T. Winsor, warden</td>
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<td>William T. Wood, Lexington, Lafayette County; recommends A. T. Winsor, warden</td>
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<td>December 16, 1874</td>
<td>E. Winsor, Lexington, Lafayette County; recommends brother, Arnold Winsor, warden (letterhead of Lafayette Insurance Co.)</td>
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<td>J. E. Belch, Jefferson City, Cole County; recommends Dr. R. E. Young, physician</td>
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<td>D. A. January, St. Louis; recommends J. W. Brown, Mexico, Audrain County, warden</td>
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<td>T. H. Smedley, Macon, Macon County; recommends Ed C. Shain, warden; served as sheriff for two terms</td>
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Appointments—Penitentiary: H. W. Long, Jefferson City, Cole County; recommends P. T. Miller for warden

December 19, 1874
Appointments—Penitentiary: William F. Switzler, Columbia, Boone County; recommends John Sebree as warden; otherwise recommend R. B. Rubey, Macon, Macon County (letterhead of Missouri Statesman)

December 20, 1874
Appointments—Penitentiary: Albert Gipson, Truxton, Lincoln County; requests appointment as warden

December 21, 1874
Appointments—Penitentiary: A. C. Blackwell, Carrollton, Carroll County; requests appointment as warden; was to receive same appointment from Governor (Claiborne Fox) Jackson but withdrew because of impending war

December 21, 1874
Appointments—Penitentiary: John Phelps, St. Louis; recommends Capt. J. W. Brown, Callaway County, warden (letterhead of Southern Hotel)

December 21, 1874
Appointments—Penitentiary: J. W. Shields, Carrollton, Carroll County; recommends Judge Alexander Blackwell, warden

December 22, 1874
Appointments—Penitentiary: Web M. Rubey, Macon, Macon County; recommends R. B. Rubey as warden; appointment to Board of Kirksville Normal School

December 23, 1874
Appointments—Penitentiary: R. Hawkens, Louisiana, Pike County; recommends Capt. J. W. Brown, Audrain County, warden

December 24, 1874
Appointments—Penitentiary: William A. Hall, Huntsville, Randolph County; recommends John P. Sebree, warden

December 24, 1874
Appointments—Penitentiary: Waldo P. Johnson, Osceola, St. Clair County; recommends John P. Sebree, warden

December 24, 1874
Appointments—Penitentiary: J. W. Reid, Kansas City, Jackson County; recommends Major Sebree, warden
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<td>Dr. T. A. Arnold, Columbia, Boone County; recommends Dr. James Egan, Salisbury, Chariton County, physician</td>
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<td>M. F. Tiernan, Cameron, Clinton County; recommends Benjamin F. Willis, warden</td>
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<td>G. B. Winston, Jefferson City, Cole County; requests appointment as physician</td>
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<td>George H. Chase, St. Louis; recommends James W. Brown, Mexico, Audrain County, warden</td>
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<td>Thomas M. Carroll, Jefferson City, Cole County; requests appointment as warden; leasing of state prison</td>
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<td>E. C. D. Shortridge, Macon, Macon County; opposes appointment of Shain, Macon County, (letterhead of Missouri Coal &amp; Mining Co)</td>
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<td>petition, Jefferson City, Cole County; recommends Dr. James D. Moore, physician</td>
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<td>E. W. Knott, Macon, Macon County; recommends R. B. Rubey as warden</td>
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Appointments—Penitentiary: Veritas, Lexington, Lafayette County; opposes James O. Shelby, warden; friend of the James Boys; confirmed drunkard

February 15, 1875
Appointments—Penitentiary: Dr. Eagan, Jefferson City, Cole County; desiring to know, as penitentiary physician, whose interests he should represent, the state or lessees, current salary of $1200 inadequate

March 18, 1875
Appointments—Penitentiary: A. T. Winsor, Waverly, Lafayette County; requests appointment as warden or railroad commissioner; applied for superintendent of insurance appointment from Governor Woodson

November 1, 1875

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T. S. Smith, Jefferson City, Cole County, to John A. Hockaday; recommends Dr. Willis B. Winston, physician; rumor of dissatisfaction with medical attendant

November 27, 1875
Appointments—Penitentiary: J. C. Cravens, Springfield, Greene County; recommends Samuel Odell, superintendent (warden); lessees have surrendered penitentiary to state

November 27, 1875
Appointments—Penitentiary: Henry C. Young, Springfield, Greene County; recommends Samuel Odell; lessees have surrendered penitentiary to state

No Date
Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: petition, members, 28th General Assembly; recommends John M. Oldham, Adair County

No Date
Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: petition; recommends George N. Brighten, Butler County

No Date
Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: petition, unknown county; recommends D. P. Stratton, Stockton, Cedar County

No Date
Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: petition, clerks in state auditors office, Cole County; recommends Gen. James Harding, Cole County
Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: A. M. Hough, Jefferson City, Cole County; recommends W. W. Carter, Kansas City, Jackson County

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: petition, from Jackson County citizens; recommends George M. London, Westport, Jackson County

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: petition, Laclede County Officers; recommends Harrison Attaway, Lebanon, Laclede County; railroad commission bill recently passed

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: petition; recommends Judge James M. Brown, Charleston, Mississippi County

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: petition; recommends Dr. J. J. Barlow, Neosho, Newton County

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: petition; recommends James B. Eads; recommends Barton Able, St. Louis

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: petition; recommends H. Clay Ewing; recommends James Harding, St. Louis

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: petition, St. Louis members of 28th General Assembly; recommends Nicholas M. Ball

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: petition; recommends George Winch

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: J. R. Shields, Columbia, Boone County; recommends George C. Pratt

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: George C. Pratt, Columbia, Boone County; requests appointment

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: H. Overstolz, St. Louis; recommends F. Aglar (letterhead of Tenth Ward Savings Association)
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<td>Railroad Commissioner: G. L. Hughes, Liberty, Clay County; requests application be presented to Governor; Merchants Exchange; social conditions in Missouri during the Civil War</td>
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<td>Railroad Commissioner: William S. Bryan, Montgomery City, Montgomery County; requests appointment (letterhead of the <em>Montgomery Standard</em>)</td>
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<td>Railroad Commissioner: T. A. Sherwood, St. Joseph, Buchanan County; recommends Harrison Attaway, Lebanon, Laclede County (endorsed by Vories (Voorhies))</td>
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<td>Railroad Commissioner: John E. Pitt, Platte City, Platte County; requests appointment; legislation (letterhead of Cockrill &amp; Co. Bankers)</td>
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<td>Railroad Commissioner: J. B. Thompson, Moberly, Randolph County; recommends Mayor J. H. Burkholder (letterhead of <em>Enterprise-Monitor</em>)</td>
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<td>Railroad Commissioner: petition, from Marshfield, Webster County; recommends Harrison Attaway, Lebanon, Laclede County</td>
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Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: James Harding, Jefferson City, Cole County; requests appointment

March 23, 1875

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: petition; recommends Col. Moses C. Little

March 20, 1875

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: Geo W. Bradfield, Lebanon, Laclede County; recommends Harrison Attaway

March 20, 1875

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: M. C. Little, St. Louis, to Harris; requesting petition in his behalf

March 20, 1875

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: Geo W. Bradfield, Lebanon, Laclede County; recommends Harrison Attaway

March 20, 1875

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: Judge V. B. Hill, 18th judicial circuit; recommends Harrison Attaway

March 21, 1875

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: John Smith Phelps, Springfield, Greene County, to Hon. L. H. Murray; recommends Harrison Attaway, Laclede County (Phelps, future governor from 1877 to 1881)

March 22, 1875

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: petition, from Gallatin, Daviess County; recommends William M. Rush, Jr.

March 22, 1875

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: J. Broadhead, St. Louis; recommends Gen. John S. Marmaduke; appended endorsed by S. T. Glover and William Hyde (John Sappington Marmaduke, future governor from 1885 to 1887)

March 22, 1875

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: Samuel R. Crockett, et al, Nevada City, Vernon County; recommends Hon. D. P. Stratton, Cedar County; also signed by D. C. Hunter, W. W. Prewitt, S. A. Wright,
March 22, 1875

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Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: A. M. Dockery, Gallatin, Daviess County; recommends William M. Rush, Jr. (letterhead of Farmers Exchange Bank)

March 22, 1875
Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: James T. Dunn, Sheriff, Gallatin, Daviess County; recommends William M. Rush, Jr.

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Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: James T. Dunn, Sheriff, Gallatin, Daviess County; recommends William M. Rush, Jr. (letterhead of John C. Howell, Attorney)

March 22, 1875
Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: J. M. Franklin, Bethany, Harrison County; recommends William M. Rush, Jr. (letterhead of John C. Howell, Attorney)

March 22, 1875
Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: B. S. Head, Moberly, Randolph County; requests appointment

March 22, 1875
Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: William T. Hood, Lexington, Lafayette County; recommends Gen. John S. Marmaduke (John Sappington Marmaduke, future governor from 1885 to 1887)

March 22, 1875

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Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: John Reid, Lexington, Lafayette County; recommends Harrison Attaway (letterhead of Lexington Savings Bank)

March 22, 1875
Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: Web M. Rubey, Jefferson City, Cole County; recommends Charles G. Epperson, Macon, Macon County (letterhead of Missouri Senate)

March 22, 1875
Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: B. H. Wallace, Independence, Jackson County; recommends George W. Gates

March 23, 1875
Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: Barton Able, St. Louis; requests appointment
March 23, 1875

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: James Adkins, Jefferson City, Cole County; recommends W. C. Wells, Platte City, Platte County (letterhead of Missouri House of Representatives)

March 23, 1875


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Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: Benjamin Gratz Brown, St. Louis; requests appointment (former Governor, 1871-1873)

March 23, 1875

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: A. W. Doniphan, Richmond, Ray County; recommends William M. Rush, Jr., Gallatin, Daviess County

March 23, 1875

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: R. W. Fyan, Marshfield, Webster County; recommends H. Attaway, Lebanon, Laclede County

March 23, 1875

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: L. C. Pace, Hamilton, Caldwell County; recommends William R. Rush, Jr., Daviess County (Rush is son of Rev. William M. Rush, Boonville, Cooper County)

March 23, 1875

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: John E. Pitt, Platte City, Platte County; requests appointment (letterhead of Cockrill & Company Bankers)

March 23, 1875

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: J. W. Reid, Kansas City, Jackson County; opposes Ladue for railroad commission; involved in management of Kansas City and Memphis Railroad, part of swindle involving Jackson, Henry and St. Clair counties

March 23, 1875

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: E. A. Seay, Jefferson City, Cole County; recommends Harrison Attaway, Lebanon, Laclede County (letterhead of Missouri Senate)

March 23, 1875

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: L. R. H. Smith, Fulton, Callaway County; recommends Col. M. C. Little (letterhead of office of superintendent, State Lunatic Asylum)
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Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: John G. Prather, Water Commissioner, St. Louis; recommends Capt. Barton Able; endorsed by S. C. McCormack (letterhead of Board of Water Commissioners)

March 24, 1875

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: Thomas C. Reynolds, Jefferson City, Cole County; recommends Col. Wright Schaumburg, St. Louis

March 24, 1875

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: James K. Sheley, Independence, Jackson County; requests appointment; doubts about the constitutionality of the railroad bill

March 24, 1875

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: A. W. Slayback, St. Louis; recommends George Winch for Railroad Commissioner (letterhead of Slayback & Haeussler, Attorneys)

March 24, 1875

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: H. J. Spaunhorst, St. Louis; recommends Capt. Barton Able (letterhead of Amerika, published by the German Literary Society)

March 24, 1875

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: R. F. Stevenson, Jefferson City, Cole County; requests appointment (letterhead of Office of Superintendent, Dept. of Public Schools)

March 24, 1875

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: J. P. Strother, Jefferson City, Cole County; recommends Gen. John S. Marmaduke (John Sappington Marmaduke, future governor, 1885-1887 (letterhead of Missouri Senate)

March 25, 1875

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: I. H. Britton, St. Louis; recommends Gen. John S. Marmaduke (John Sappington Marmaduke, future governor, 1885-1887)

March 25, 1875

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: Henry C. Brokmeyer, Jefferson City, Cole County; requests appointment (letterhead of Missouri Senate)

March 25, 1875

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: A. H. Chevalier, Jefferson City, Cole County; requests appointment
Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: M. J. Clark, St. Louis; recommends James C. Edwards; president of N.M.R.R. before (Civil) War, delegate to constitutional convention (letterhead of Planters Horse & Mule Market)

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: A. Comingo, Independence, Jackson County; requests appointment

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: John L. Detchemendy, Jefferson City, Cole County; recommends Gen. James Harding (letterhead of Missouri House of Representatives)

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: James L. Dunklin, Pevely, Jefferson County, to Hon. E. Frost; requests appointment

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: J. C. Edwards, St. Louis, to H. T. T. Hathaway; requests appointment; Clay, Taylor, Marmaduke and others seek the appointment (letterhead of Planters Horse & Mule Market)

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: James C. Edwards, St. Louis; requests appointment (letterhead of Planters Horse & Mule Market)

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: James L. Farris, Richmond, Ray County; recommends William M. Ruch (letterhead of Ray County clerk)

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: A. Guthrie, Platte City, Platte County; recommends Maj. Jesse Morin (letterhead of Cockrill & Company Bankers)

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: Waldo P. Johnson, Osceola, St. Clair County; recommends Gen. John S. Marmaduke, St. Louis (John Sappington Marmaduke, future governor, 1885-1887)

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: Andrew King, St. Louis; requests appointment; past misfortunes (letterhead of King, Phillips & Stewart, Attorneys)
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| Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: John M. Oldham, Jefferson City, Cole County; requests appointment (letterhead of Missouri Senate) | March 25, 1875 |
| Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: George C. Pratt, Columbia, Boone County; requests appointment | March 25, 1875 |
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| Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: Dan Able, Jefferson City, Cole County; recommends his brother Barton Able (letterhead of Missouri Senate) | March 26, 1875 |
March 26, 1875

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: D. Robert Barclay, St. Louis; recommends John O’Fallon (letterhead of *St. Louis Evening Dispatch*)

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: telegram, M. J Clark, St. Louis; Missouri Grangers and leading friends will approve appointment of Edwards

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: Luther Collier, Chillicothe, Livingston County; requests appointment

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: T. W. B. Crews, St. Louis; recommends Col. John O’Fallon, Jefferson County

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: A. H. Edwards, Jefferson City, Cole County; recommends James C. Edwards (letterhead of Missouri Senate)

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: J. M. Henry, Macon City, Macon County; recommends C. G. Epperson, Macon, and Benjamin Tompkins, Boonville, Cooper County

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: Waldo P. Johnson, Osceola, St. Clair County; recommends Daniel P. Stratton

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: E. W. Knott, Probate Judge, Macon, Macon County; requests appointment

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: J. Ladue, Jefferson City, Cole County; recommends Gen. Marmaduke (John Sappington Marmaduke, future governor 1885-1887; letterhead of Missouri State Executive Dept.)

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: T. B. Lester, M.D.; T. M. Farrer; and J. M. Wood, M.D., Kansas City, Jackson County; recommends W. H. Carter; endorsed by G. C. Bingham (George Caleb Bingham)
March 26, 1875

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: telegram, T. B. Lester, M.D.; T. M. Farrer; and J. M. Wood, M.D., Kansas City, Jackson County; recommends W. H. Carter

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: Charles A. Mantz, St. Louis; recommends Col. John O’Fallon, Jefferson County (letterhead of St. Louis Daily Times)

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: R. H. Overall, Macon, Macon County; opposes Judge Burkholder, Moberly, Randolph County; allegedly poor moral character (letterhead of Enterprise Mills, Manufacturer of Choice Family Flour)

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: telegram, John G. Priest, St. Louis; recommends James C. Edwards

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: telegram, L. G. Rowland, vice president, Quincy Missouri & Pacific Rail Road, Quincy, Illinois; railroad legislation; railroad expansion

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: W. R. Samuel, Huntsville, Randolph County; recommends Thomas B. Kimbrough

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: U. A. Schoppenhorst, Rep. from Warren County; recommends Col. C. Taylor (letterhead of Missouri House of Representatives)

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: H. J. Spaunhorst, St. Louis; state debt management; opposes current railroad legislation; Spaunhorst’s plan announced in 1871 to manage state bonded debt (letterhead of Amerika)

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: Daniel G. Taylor, St. Louis; recommends James C. Edwards

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: Henry C. Young, Jefferson City, Cole County; recommends Gen. Marmaduke (John Sappington Marmaduke, future governor 1885-1887; letterhead of Missouri House of Representatives)
March 27, 1875

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: James F. Aglar, St. Louis; requests appointment (letterhead of the Great Western Despatch South Shore Line)

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: D. Robert Barclay, St. Louis; recommends James C. Edwards; former president of the North Missouri Railroad (letterhead of St. Louis Evening Dispatch, endorsed by John Hodnett and John G. Prathin)

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: telegram, D. Robert Barclay, Dispatch, and John Hodnett, Times, St. Louis; recommends James C. Edwards

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: telegram, James C. Edwards, St. Louis, to Hon. Henry Brockmyer; requests appointment

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: James C. Edwards, St. Louis; requests appointment

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: telegram, Judges John D. Finney, Michael Hiller, John Busby, St. Louis; recommends Mr. Edwards (James C. Edwards)

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: telegram, William Hyde, St. Louis; opposes railroad legislation; recommends James C. Edwards

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: John M. Richardson, Springfield, Greene County; recommends southwest Missouri men to position; fairness calls for both Democrat and Radical

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: Harry E. Sharpe, St. Louis, St. Louis county; requests appointment (letterhead of Railway Association of America)

Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: W. Shields, St. Louis, to Hon. Celsus Price, Jefferson City, Cole County; recommends James C. Edwards (note from Price to governor asking that letter be put on file; letterhead of Bartholow, Lewis & Co. Banking House)
March 28, 1875
Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: E. C. D. Shortridge, Macon, Macon County; requests appointment or recommends C. G. Epperson

March 29, 1875
Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: N. C. Hardin, Louisiana, Pike County; recommends H. C. Duffey (letterhead of Commercial Bank)

March 29, 1875
Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: John W. Martin, Louisiana, Pike County; recommends H. C. Duffy

March 31, 1875
Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: telegram, Henry C. Young, Springfield, Greene County; declines appointment; recommends Harrison Attaway

March 31, 1875
Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: Henry C. Young, Springfield, Greene County; recommends Harrison Attaway, Lebanon, Laclede County

April 2, 1875

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Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: Henry C. Young, Springfield, Greene County; resignation as railroad commissioner; recommends Harrison Attaway

April 7, 1875
Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: W. C. B. Allen, Ed. & Mgr., Railway Register, St. Louis; requests appointment

April 7, 1875
Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: J. Ladue, Jefferson City, Cole County; recommends Barnes, St. Louis if Spaunhorst declines (letterhead of Missouri Senate)

April 8, 1875
Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: A. L. Logan, St. Louis; requests appointment (letterhead of Logan Publishing Co.)
1B/1/3  4  15 (5)  April 15, 1875  Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: John S. Marmaduke, St. Louis; acknowledging receipt of appointment (John Sappington Marmaduke, future governor, 1885-1887)


1B/1/3  4  16 (5)  July 30, 1876  Appointments—Railroad Commissioner: A. G. Lane, Billings, Christian County; newspaper clipping recommending Lane for railroad commissioner attached to acknowledgement of commission as state immigration agent

1B/1/3  4  17 (6)  June 1876  Appointments—St. Louis County Auditor: Miles Sells, recommends Barton Able to replace St. Louis County Auditor Heath

1B/1/3  4  17 (6)  June 1876  Appointments—St. Louis County Auditor: petition, St. Louis County delegates to state convention; recommends Joel G. Harper; resignation of Heath

1B/1/3  4  17 (6)  June 22, 1876  Appointments—St. Louis County Auditor: Bernard Bryan, St. Louis; recommends Joel G. Harper

1B/1/3  4  17 (6)  June 22, 1876  Appointments—St. Louis County Auditor: Walter C. Carr, St. Louis; requests appointment; four years experience as city auditor

1B/1/3  4  17 (6)  June 23, 1876  Appointments—St. Louis County Auditor: W. V. N. Bay, St. Louis; recommends Joel G. Harper; appended endorsement by Edward A. Lewis

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1B/1/3  4  17 (6)  June 23, 1876  Appointments—St. Louis County Auditor: J. H. Britton, St. Louis; recommends Walter C. Carr; past experience as city auditor (letterhead of National Bank of State of Missouri)

1B/1/3  4  17 (6)  June 23, 1876  Appointments—St. Louis County Auditor: James M. Carpenter, St. Louis; recommends Joel G. Harper; political corruption in St. Louis
Appointments—St. Louis County Auditor: John D. S. Dryden, St. Louis; recommends Joel G. Harper

Appointments—St. Louis County Auditor: Henry J. Spaunhorst, St. Louis; recommends Joel G. Harper (letterhead of Central Savings Bank)

Appointments—St. Louis County Auditor: Charles Green, president, board of assessors, St. Louis; recommends Walter C. Carr (letterhead of State and County Assessor’s Office)

Appointments—St. Louis County Auditor: T. T. Hathaway, St. Louis; recommends W. C. Carr; resignation of W. H. Heath (letterhead of Mitchell & O’Grady, Attorneys)

Appointments—St. Louis County Auditor: H. Overstolz, Mayor, St. Louis; recommends Joel G. Harper

Appointments—St. Louis County Auditor: John S. Marmaduke, St. Louis; recommends Joel G. Harper; resignation of Mr. Heath (letterhead of Railroad Commissioners; John Sappington Marmaduke, future governor, 1885-1887)

Appointments—St. Louis County Auditor: Joseph O’Neil, St. Louis; recommends Joel G. Harper

Appointments—St. Louis County Auditor: Thomas C. Reynolds, St. Louis; recommends J. G. Harper

Appointments—St. Louis County Auditor: Celsus Price, St. Louis; recommends Walter C. Carr; appended endorsement by Samuel & Sons (letterhead of State Insurance Dept.)

Appointments—St. Louis County Auditor: William Shields, City Auditor, St. Louis; recommends J. G. Harper; endorsed by city comptroller (letterhead of City Auditor’s Office)

Appointments—St. Louis County Auditor: Joseph Brown, St. Louis; recommends Walter C. Carr
June 24, 1876
Appointments—St. Louis County Auditor: Walter C. Carr, St. Louis; requests appointment

June 24, 1876
Appointments—St. Louis County Auditor: William F. Causy, St. Louis; recommends Thomas W. Hornsby

June 26, 1876
Appointments—St. Louis County Auditor: Norman J. Colman, St. Louis; recommends J. G. Harper (letterhead of Lindell Hotel)

June 26, 1876
Appointments—St. Louis County Auditor: James Broadhead, St. Louis; recommends J. G. Harper (letterhead of Lindell Hotel)

June 26, 1876
Appointments—St. Louis County Auditor: A. J. P. Garesche, St. Louis; recommends Thomas W. Hornsby

July 17, 1876
Appointments—St. Louis County Auditor: Chauncey F. Shultz, St. Louis; recommends J. G. Harper (letterhead of County Clerk, Chauncey F. Shultz, presiding justice)

July 17, 1876
Appointments—St. Louis County Auditor: Walter C. Carr, St. Louis; requests appointment; resignation of Col. Heath

July 17, 1876
Appointments—St. Louis County Auditor: John D. Finney, R. C. Allen, M. Hiller, County Court, St. Louis; recommends Eugene C. Harrington; removal of William H. Heath from office

July 17, 1876
Appointments—St. Louis County Auditor: Stilson Hutchins, St. Louis; recommends M. A. Wolff (letterhead of St. Louis Times)

July 17, 1876
Appointments—St. Louis County Auditor: William Hyde, St. Louis; recommends M. A. Wolff (letterhead of Missouri Republican)

July 17, 1876
Appointments—St. Louis County Auditor: Andrew McKinley, St. Louis; requests appointment

July 17, 1876
Appointments—St. Louis County Auditor: telegram, Chauncey F. Shultz, St. Louis; recommends J. G. Harper
Appointments—St. Louis County Auditor: William C. Buchanan, St. Louis, to W. D. Napton, Saline County; requests appointment

Appointments—St. Louis County Auditor: Thomas W. Hornsby, St. Louis, to Hon. M. H. Phelan, Jefferson City, Cole County; requests appointment

Appointments—St. Louis County Auditor: S. A. Grantham, St. Louis; recommends D. G. Lutt

Appointments—St. Louis County Auditor: J. J. Meier, St. Louis; recommends Walter C. Carr (letterhead of Foster & Meier, Attorneys)

Appointments—St. Louis County Auditor: George M. Paschall, St. Louis; recommends Walter C. Carr (letterhead of Spotswood & Paschall)

Appointments—St. Louis County Auditor: H. Rechtien, county treasurer, St. Louis, to Hon. M. H. Phelan; opposes M. A. Wolff; Spaunhorst writes about same

Appointments—St. Louis County Auditor: telegram, H. J. Spaunhorst, St. Louis; requests delay in appointment of St. Louis County auditor pending receipt of letter

Appointments—St. Louis County Auditor: H. J. Spaunhorst, St. Louis; opposes Marcus A. Wolf; ties to county treasurer’s office would prevent independent action, letter written at request of county treasurer (letterhead of Spaunhorst & Hackman, Grocers and Merchants)

Appointments—St. Louis County Auditor: D. G. Tutt, St. Louis; requests appointment

Appointments—St. Louis County Auditor: Thomas E. Tutt, St. Louis; recommends his brother, Dent G. Tutt (letterhead of Third National Bank)

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November 20, 1874  Appointments—Police Commissioner: Web M. Samuel, St. Louis; recommends Dr. J. C. Nidelet

November 20, 1874  Appointments—Police Commissioner: H. J. Spaunhorst, St. Louis; recommends R. D. Lancaster (letterhead of Amerika)

November 21, 1874  Appointments—Police Commissioner: D. Robert Barclay, St. Louis; recommends R. D. Lancaster (letterhead of St. Louis Evening Dispatch)

November 21, 1874  Appointments—Police Commissioner: U.S. Senator Lewis V. Bogy, St. Louis; recommends Dr. James C. Nidelet (also includes identical copy)

November 21, 1874  Appointments—Police Commissioner: Marmaduke & Brown, St. Louis; recommends J. L. Thompson

November 21, 1874  Appointments—Police Commissioner: Robert Campbell, St. Louis; recommends Dr. Nidelet (also includes identical copy)

November 21, 1874  Appointments—Police Commissioner: Alfred W. Henry, St. Louis, to Hon. Joseph Stephens; requests appointment, personal assistance (letterhead of Missouri Railroad Co., appended endorsed by J. Stephens)
November 21, 1874

Appointments—Police Commissioner: Samuel Peltz, St. Louis; recommends J. L. Thomson

November 21, 1874

Appointments—Police Commissioner: Thomas C. Reynolds, St. Louis; recommends Jeremiah Fruin

November 21, 1874

Appointments—Police Commissioner: A. F. Shapphaugh (sic), St. Louis; recommends Jesse L. Thompson (appended, endorsed by Edward J. Gay & Co.)

November 23, 1874

Appointments—Police Commissioner: Robert Aull and B. B. Minor, St. Louis; recommends Dr. James C. Niedelet (letterhead of Universal Life Insurance Co.)

November 23, 1874

Appointments—Police Commissioner: Robert Aull and B. B. Minor, St. Louis; recommend Dr. James C. Niedelet (letterhead of Universal Life Insurance Co.; note: true copy)

November 23, 1874

Appointments—Police Commissioner: Lenter & Co., St. Louis; recommends J. L. Thompson

November 23, 1874

Appointments—Police Commissioner: Joseph O’Neil, St. Louis; recommends R. D. Lancaster (letterhead of Citizens Savings Bank)

November 23, 1874

Appointments—Police Commissioner: Trusten Polk, St. Louis; recommends Dr. James C. Nidelet (Trusten W. Polk was governor, 1856-1857; includes identical copy)

November 23, 1874

Appointments—Police Commissioner: Celsus Price, St. Louis; recommends Alf W. Henry

November 23, 1874

Appointments—Police Commissioner: John G. Preist, St. Louis; recommends Dr. James C. Nidelet; includes identical copy of letter

November 23, 1874

Appointments—Police Commissioner: Waller Young, St. Joseph, Buchanan County; recommends Alfred W. Henry

November 24, 1874

Appointments—Police Commissioner: J. Brown, St. Louis; recommends Henry McCabe (letterhead of Mayor’s Office)
November 24, 1874
Appointments—Police Commissioner: James B. Eads, St. Louis; recommends Hon. R. D. Lancaster

November 24, 1874
Appointments—Police Commissioner: Britton A. Hill, St. Louis; recommends Dr. James C. Nidelet; includes identical copy of letter

November 24, 1874
Appointments—Police Commissioner: Edward C. Kehr, St. Louis; recommends Henry Stuessel (endorsed by D. M. MacAdam)

November 24, 1874
Appointments—Police Commissioner: G. M. B. Maugh, St. Louis; recommends Dr. James Nidelet; includes identical copy of letter

November 24, 1874
Appointments—Police Commissioner: Shryock & Rowland, St. Louis; recommends Jesse L. Thomson

November 24, 1874
Appointments—Police Commissioner: Henry J. Spanhorst, St. Louis; recommends Henry Stussel (letterhead of Amerika)

November 24, 1874
Appointments—Police Commissioner: Seymour Voullaine, St. Louis; recommends Dr. James C. Nidelet; includes identical copy

November 25, 1874
Appointments—Police Commissioner: Al Nire & Co., St. Louis; recommends J. L. Thomson

November 25, 1874
Appointments—Police Commissioner: William A. Stoue, St. Louis; recommends A. W. Henry

November 26, 1874
Appointments—Police Commissioner: Walter C. Carr, St. Louis; recommends Henry Stussel (St. Louis, German descent; letterhead of Auditor’s Office)

November 26, 1874
Appointments—Police Commissioner: M. Mumford, Kansas City, Jackson County; recommends Alf W. Henry (letterhead of Kansas City Times)

November 27, 1874
Appointments—Police Commissioner: Alex J. P. Garesche, St. Louis; recommends Dr. J. C. Nidelet; native born Creole; includes identical copy

November 27, 1874
Appointments—Police Commissioner: George (illegible), St. Louis; recommends Jesse L. Thompson (endorsed by E. Stanard)
November 27, 1874
Appointments—Police Commissioner: C. Gibson, St. Louis; recommends Henry Stussel

November 27, 1874
Appointments—Police Commissioner: Charles G. Goner, St. Louis; recommends John Busby

November 27, 1874
Appointments—Police Commissioner: J. G. Waerner, St. Louis; recommends Henry Stuessel; endorsed by Henry C. Brokmeyer

November 28, 1874
Appointments—Police Commissioner: Anderson & Watson, St. Louis; recommends J. L. Thomson (letterhead of Anderson & Watson, Cotton Factors)

November 28, 1874
Appointments—Police Commissioner: D. Armstrong, St. Louis; requests reappointment

November 28, 1874
Appointments—Police Commissioner: C. E. Cander, St. Louis; recommends J. L. Thompson (letterhead of Toledo, Wabash & Western Railway)

November 28, 1874
Appointments—Police Commissioner: Moody Michel & Co., St. Louis; recommends J. L. Thomson

November 28, 1874
Appointments—Police Commissioner: Dr. Thomas O’Reilly, St. Louis; recommends Richard D. Lancaster; O’Reilly large property owner; conducted iron manufactory which lost heavily because of financial panic; member of England’s Royal College of Surgeons

November 28, 1874
Appointments—Police Commissioner: C. S. Thompson, St. Louis; recommends Jesse Thomson (letterhead of Phenix Insurance Co.)

November 30, 1874
Appointments—Police Commissioner: McCormick, Adams & Armington, St. Louis; recommends J. L. Thompson (letterhead of McCormick, Adams & Armington Grain Merchants)

November 30, 1874
Appointments—Police Commissioner: E. B. Ebert & Co., St. Louis; recommends J. L. Thomson

November 30, 1874
Appointments—Police Commissioner: Thomas E. Jarrett, St. Louis; recommends Jesse L. Thompson
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December 2, 1874
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Appointments—Police Commissioner: Henry C. Brokmeyer, St. Louis; recommends A. W. Henry
(letterhead of Conn & McRee Real Estate)

December 2, 1874
Appointments—Police Commissioner: U.S. Senator Lewis V. Bog, St. Louis; recommends John L. Detchemendy

December 2, 1874
Appointments—Police Commissioner: John J. Meier, St. Louis; recommends Henry Stussel (letterhead of Mayor’s Office)

December 2, 1874
Appointments—Police Commissioner: Web M. Samuel, St. Louis; recommends Sol. Quinlivan

December 3, 1874
Appointments—Police Commissioner: W. N. R. Beall, St. Louis; recommends Sol. J. Quinlivan

December 3, 1874
Appointments—Police Commissioner: Collins & Holliday Broadway Foundry, St. Louis; recommends Sol. J. Quinlivan; specific author unknown

December 3, 1874
Appointments—Police Commissioner: Marmaduke & Brown, St. Louis; recommends Sol. J. Quinlivan

December 3, 1874
Appointments—Police Commissioner: John I. Martin, St. Louis; recommends Sol. J. Quinlivan (letterhead for Farm Machinery)

December 3, 1874
Appointments—Police Commissioner: I. N. Booth & Sons, St. Louis; recommends Sol. J. Quinlivan

December 4, 1874
Appointments—Police Commissioner: M. R. Cullan, St. Louis; recommends Peter Schardin

December 4, 1874
Appointments—Police Commissioner: Charles A. Mantz, St. Louis; recommends Sol. J. Quinlivan; native Irishman (letterhead of St. Louis Daily Times)

December 4, 1874
Appointments—Police Commissioner: Leonhardt & Schmicht, Saxony Mills, St. Louis; recommends J. L. Thomson
December 4, 1874
Appointments—Police Commissioner: Henry Stussel, St. Louis; requests appointment

December 5, 1874
Appointments—Police Commissioner: I. G. Greer & Co., St. Louis; recommends Sol J. Quinlivan

December 5, 1874
Appointments—Police Commissioner: Shryock & Rowland, St. Louis; recommends Sol J. Quinlivan

December 5, 1874
Appointments—Police Commissioner: Web M. Samuel, St. Louis; recommends Jesse L. Thomson (letterhead of E. M. Samuel & Sons)

December 7, 1874
Appointments—Police Commissioner: E. Wilkerson, St. Louis; recommends Jesse L. Thomson (letterhead of Covenant Mutual Life Insurance Co.)

December 7, 1874
Appointments—Police Commissioner: Charles G. Gourner, Chairman, Democratic County Committee, St. Louis; recommends Alf. W. Henry

December 8, 1874
Appointments—Police Commissioner: Maurice McKing, St. Louis; requests appointment

December 8, 1874
Appointments—Police Commissioner: M. B. Maugh, St. Louis; recommends Dr. Niedlet

December 8, 1874
Appointments—Police Commissioner: Sol. J. Quinlivan, St. Louis; requests appointment

December 8, 1874
Appointments—Police Commissioner: Samuel Virden, St. Louis; recommends Sol. J. Quinlivan

December 8, 1874
Appointments—Police Commissioner: Fred Von Phul, St. Louis; recommends Jesse L. Thomson (letterhead, Von Phul & Co., Cotton Factors)

December 9, 1874
Appointments—Police Commissioner: George G. Berg, St. Louis; recommends Jesse L. Thomson

December 9, 1874
Appointments—Police Commissioner: Teasdale, Harrison Co., St. Louis; recommends Sol. J. Quinlivan

December 9, 1874
Appointments—Police Commissioner: Web M. Samuel, St. Louis; recommends A. W. Henry (letterhead of E. M. Samuel & Sons, Commission Merchants)
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December 12, 1874  Appointments—Police Commissioner: I. W. Booth & Sons, St. Louis; recommends Henry McCabe.

December 12, 1874  Appointments—Police Commissioner: Stilson Hutchins, St. Louis; recommends Alfred W. Henry (letterhead of St. Louis Evening Dispatch).

December 12, 1874  Appointments—Police Commissioner: Estill M. Henry, St. Louis; recommends Richard D. Lancaster (letterhead of St Louis Daily Times).

December 12, 1874  Appointments—Police Commissioner: John I. Mitchell, St. Louis; recommends Hy McCabe (letterhead of Hibernia Savings Bank).

December 12, 1874  Appointments—Police Commissioner: Henry L. Patterson, St. Louis; recommends Basil Duke.

December 14, 1874  Appointments—Police Commissioner: Joseph Brown, St. Louis; recommends S. J. Quinlivan (letterhead of Mayor’s Office).

December 14, 1874  Appointments—Police Commissioner: Fletcher & Co., St. Louis; recommends Henry McCabe.

December 14, 1874  Appointments—Police Commissioner: Louis Fusz, St. Louis; recommends Henry McCabe (letterhead of Fusz & Backer).

December 14, 1874  Appointments—Police Commissioner: J. Halligan, Union, Franklin County; recommends R. D. Lancaster and Clay Taylor for adjutant general; petitions for General Compton.

December 14, 1874  Appointments—Police Commissioner: W. P. Howard, St. Louis; recommends Henry McCabe.

December 14, 1874  Appointments—Police Commissioner: Basil Duke, St. Louis; requests appointment; social conditions in Missouri during the Civil War.
Appointments—Police Commissioner: George Mills, St. Louis; requesting Governor to order police commissioners to quit using charitable funds for idle vagrants to the detriment of honest indigents; County Treasurer Rechtien

December 14, 1874
Appointments—Police Commissioner: Hy Overstolz, St. Louis; recommends Peter Schardin

December 15, 1874
Appointments—Police Commissioner: W. H. Phelan, St. Louis; recommends Henry McCabe (letterhead of The Western Watchman)

December 15, 1874
Appointments—Police Commissioner: Jackson, Pfouts & Douglas, St. Louis; recommends S. J. Quinlivan

December 16, 1875
Appointments—Police Commissioner: Governor Hardin to George Mills, St. Louis; former request to order police commissioners to quit giving charitable funds to vagrants; governor does not have authority to do so, duties and powers of commissioners established by law

December 17, 1874
Appointments—Police Commissioner: Shenard Clemens, St. Louis; recommends Alfred W. Henry

December 17, 1874
Appointments—Police Commissioner: M. H. Phelan, St. Louis; recommends Sol I. Quinlivan and John O’Brien; both are city council members (letterhead of The Western Watchman)

December 17, 1874
Appointments—Police Commissioner: John Reid, Lexington, Lafayette County; recommends Basil Dukes; previously held the position but was removed by Governor Gamble (letterhead of Democratic State Central Committee)

December 17, 1874
Appointments—Police Commissioner: L. R. H. Smith, Fulton, Callaway County; recommends Judge Bushy, St. Louis County Justice; represents the Irish; enclosed letter from Dr. Winston (letterhead of State Lunatic Asylum)

December 21, 1874
Appointments—Police Commissioner: M. V. L. McClelland, Wellington, Lafayette County; recommends Basil Duke
December 23, 1874  
Appointments—Police Commissioner: M. V. L. McClelland, Wellington, Lafayette County; recommends Rhodus; John E. and Xenophen Ryland

December 24, 1874  
Appointments—Police Commissioner: John Phelps, St. Louis; recommends D. H. Armstrong

December 24, 1874  
Appointments—Police Commissioner: W. B. Thompson, St. Louis; recommends Frank Clement (foundry operated by Buck & Wright)

December 26, 1874  
Appointments—Police Commissioner: George T. Hubbard, St. Louis; recommends H. M. Rhodus (letterhead of Gauss, Hunicke & Co.)

December 26, 1874  
Appointments—Police Commissioner: John F. Williams, Macon City, Macon County; recommends Col. John G. Prather; unsuccessful Democratic candidate for sheriff (letterhead of Williams & Overall)

December 28, 1874  
Appointments—Police Commissioner: O. Root, Jr., St. Louis; recommends H. M. Rhodus; endorsed by George Frank Gonley (letterhead of Southern Hotel, Lavelle, Warner & Co., Proprietors)

December 28, 1874  
Appointments—Police Commissioner: Ryland & Ryland, Lexington, Lafayette County, to H. M. Rhodus; recommends Rhodus (enclosed letter from McClelland)

December 28, 1874  
Appointments—Police Commissioner: Henry J. Spaunhorst, St. Louis; recommends Peter Schardin (letterhead of Amerika)

December 28, 1874  
Appointments—Police Commissioner: Henry J. Spaunhorst, St. Louis; recommends Richard D. Lancaster and D. H. Armstrong; need to satisfy Irish and German elements (letterhead of Amerika)

December 29, 1874  
Appointments—Police Commissioner: (Lt. Gov.) Norman J. Colman, St. Louis; recommends James Suthy, president of Mechanics and Manufacturers Exchange (letterhead of Colman’s Rural World)
December 30, 1874
Appointments—Police Commissioner: John S. Marmaduke, St. Louis; recommends H. M. Rhodus; previously recommended him for same position to Governor Woodson.

December 31, 1874
Appointments—Police Commissioner: T. W. B. Crews, St. Louis; recommends Henry M. Rhodus.

December 31, 1874
Appointments—Police Commissioner: T. W. B. Crews, St. Louis; recommends James Luthey.

December 31, 1874
Appointments—Police Commissioner: James C. Edwards, St. Louis; recommends Frank Clement and Gen. William Shields for Insurance Commissioner if Frank Blair leaves vacancy; endorsed by M. J. Clark (letterhead of Planters’ Horse and Mule Market).

December 31, 1874

January 2, 1875
Appointments—Police Commissioner: John I. Barnett, St. Louis; recommends James Luthey.

January 2, 1875
Appointments—Police Commissioner: M. Brotherton, St. Louis; recommends James Luthey.

January 2, 1875
Appointments—Police Commissioner: David Gordon, Columbia, Boone County; recommends James Luthey, St. Louis.

January 2, 1875
Appointments—Police Commissioner: W. C. Jones, Judge of Criminal Court, St. Louis; recommends James Luthey.

January 2, 1875
Appointments—Police Commissioner: Isaac M. Veitch, St. Louis; recommends James Luthey (letterhead of Hope Mutual Fire Insurance Co.).

January 4, 1875
Appointments—Police Commissioner: petition, from St. Louis; recommends James Lutghig (Luthey).

January 4, 1875
Appointments—Police Commissioner: J. P. O. Broadhead, St. Louis; recommends James Luthey.
January 4, 1875

Appointments—Police Commissioner: O. Garrison, St. Louis; recommends James Luthey (letterhead of The Mechanics Bank)

Appointments—Police Commissioner: N. C. Hudson, St. Louis; recommends H. M. Rhodus (letterhead of Leggat, Hudson & Butler, St. Louis Tobacco Works)

Appointments—Police Commissioner: H. Overstolz, St. Louis; recommends B. F. Clement (letterhead of Tenth Ward Savings Association)

Appointments—Police Commissioner: F. C. Sharp, St. Louis; recommends James Luthey

Appointments—Police Commissioner: Chauncey F. Shultz, St. Louis; recommends Henry Stussel

Appointments—Police Commissioner: Trusten Polk, St. Louis; recommends James Luthey (former governor, 1856-1857)

Appointments—Police Commissioner: John Pauly, St. Louis; requests appointment; member of state convention, will satisfy Germans (letterhead of P. J. Pauly & Bro., Jail Builders)

Appointments—Police Commissioner: Walter C. Carr, St. Louis; recommends David H. Armstrong (letterhead of Treasury Dept., Auditor’s Office)

Appointments—Police Commissioner: W. Patrick, Police Commissioner, St. Louis; requests reappointment; appointed by Governor Brown in 1871, details of police expansion since 1871

Appointments—Police Commissioner: John G. Prather, Jefferson City, Cole County; requests appointment (letterhead of Madison Hotel)

Appointments—Police Commissioner: Jules A. Detchemendy, St. Louis; requests appointment; experience as police lieutenant and city marshal

Appointments—Police Commissioner: Charles G. Goutern, chairman, St. Louis County Democratic Committee, St. Louis; recommends Alf. W. Henry
January 11, 1875

Appointments—Police Commissioner: A. W. Slayback, St. Louis; opposes Alf W. Henry (letterhead of Slayback & Haeussler)

January 12, 1875

Appointments—Police Commissioner: William Hyde, Jefferson City, Cole County; Col. John G. Prather withdraws name for consideration; Prather will be appointed to water commission by mayor to replace Col. Renick, deceased (letterhead of Madison Hotel)

January 13, 1875

Appointments—Police Commissioner: D. Armstrong, Jefferson City, Cole County; opposition of Stilson Hutchins and N. J. Colman (Lieutenant Governor Norman J. Coleman) to Armstrong’s appointment as police commissioner based on cited political differences (letterhead of Madison Hotel)

April 29, 1875

Appointments—Police Commissioner: C. C. Rainwater, St. Louis; requesting copy of letter from Gen. John S. Marmaduke to Governor Woodson recommending Rainwater (letterhead of Security Bank)

November 26, 1875

Appointments—Police Commissioner: James Carroll, Circuit Clerk, Mexico, Audrain County; enclosed copy of motion ordered sent by M. Y. Duncan; Rev John D. Vincil; R. Gentry (motion not with letter in file)

No Date

Appointments—Police Commissioner: John Brooks, Mexico, Audrain County; requests appointment; 20 years experience in raising tobacco in Kentucky

No Date

Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: Robert McPheeters; recommends Elijah S. Buckner; has raised and bought tobacco for twelve or fifteen years, his appointment would please growers in Callaway County

No Date

Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: F. J. North (county unknown); recommends Mr. Clarkson

No Date

Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: petition, citizens of Boone County; recommends Elijah T. Buckner, Callaway County
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: Thomson, James S. and W. F. Du(legible)ca, Glasgow, Howard County; recommends James W. Colgan

Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: petitions (2), Lincoln County; recommends James for the City of St. Louis

Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: petition, Lincoln County; recommends Jefferson L. Ray

Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: petition; recommends James M. Wilson, Lincoln County; tobacco farmer and manufacturer

Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: petition; recommends James S. Price, Saline County; engaged in manufacture and sale for 30 years

Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: petition, Pike County, recommends Abram Hoff

Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: John T. Chandler, et al, Liberty, Clay County; recommend James A. Gillespie for tobacco inspector, adjutant general, or coal oil inspector; also signed by L. W. Burris, Samuel Hardwick, Henry L. Routh, and J. R. Keller

Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: petition, from Richmond, Ray County; recommends James W. Colgan

Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: petition, from Linneus, Linn County; recommends James W. Colgan

Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: D. Spahr, Boonville, Cooper County; requests appointment

Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: petition, citizens of St. Louis; recommends Edward Berry

Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: W. B. Napton, St. Louis; recommends James Price

Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: petition, Wentzville, St. Charles County; recommends James M. Wilson, Lincoln County
November 12, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: W. H. ro(surname illegible), St. Louis; recommends A. P. Speed

November 12, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: Andrew King, St. Charles, St. Charles County; recommends John H. Stewart; served as assistant tobacco inspector under Governor Brown’s appointee

November 12, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: Austin P. Speed, St. Louis; requests appointment (letterhead of R. D. Lancaster & Co.)

November 12, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: Austin P. Speed, St. Louis, to Capt. J. L. Stephens, Boonville, Cooper County; requests appointment and recommendation (letterhead of R. D. Lancaster & Co.)

November 13, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: George F. Burdett, St. Louis; requests appointment

November 14, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: J. Hickman, St. Louis; requests appointment (letterhead of The Central Baptist)

November 14, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: J. L. Miner, Jefferson City, Cole County; recommends John H. Stuart of Cole County

November 14, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: W. G. Pope, Jefferson City, Cole County; recommends John H. Stewart; clerk for Calvin Gunn

November 14, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: J. L. Stephens, Boonville, Cooper County; recommends A. P. Speed (letterhead of Central National Bank)

November 16, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: M. W. Hall, Marshall, Saline County; recommends James S. Price

November 16, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: T. P. Bell, St. Louis; requests appointment

November 16, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: Elijah S. Buckner, Auxvasse, Callaway County; requests appointment
November 16, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: F. M. Cockrell, Warrensburg, Johnson County; recommends Hon. Pines H. Shelton, Henry County

November 16, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: Daniel Nolley and W. T. Snell, Callaway County; recommends Elijah S. Buckner

November 17, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: A. W. Ridings, Warrensburg, Johnson County; recommends Pines H. Shelton, Henry County (letterhead of First National Bank)

November 17, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: William H. Stone, St. Louis; recommends James S. Price, Saline County

November 17, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: Joseph A. Mudd, Troy, Lincoln County; recommends James M. Wilson (letterhead of The Troy Herald)

November 18, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: T. P. Bill, St. Louis, to Captain Stevens; requests recommendation to appointment; appended endorsed by J. L. Stephens

November 18, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: W. P. Greenlee, Warrensburg, Johnson County; recommends Pines H. Shelton, Henry County; tobacco inspector under Governor Edwards and Governor King

November 23, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: W. H. Garrett, Linneus, Linn County; recommends James W. Colgan

November 23, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: Nelson Catlett Orear, St. Louis; requests appointment

November 24, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: John B. Clark, Fayette, Howard County; recommends James W. Colgan, Linn County

November 24, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: F. M. Cockrell, Warrensburg, Johnson County; recommends J. M. Wilson, Lincoln County

November 24, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: T. G. Hutt, Troy, Lincoln County; recommends Wilson Miller; Mr. Ray seeks same position but is less qualified
November 25, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: John K. McDearmon, St. Charles, St. Charles County; recommends Pines H. Shelton, Democrat; previously served as tobacco inspector

November 25, 1874

November 25, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: J. L. Ray, Troy, Lincoln County, to Judge A. C. Buckner, Mexico, Audrain County; requests appointment

November 25, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: R. F. Stevenson, Jefferson City, Cole County, to Col. P. H. Shelton, Mexico, Audrain County; enclosed letter of introduction to Governor Hardin; request received by Maj. Salmon (letterhead of Missouri Treasurer’s Office)

November 26, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: R. H. Parks, St. Charles, St. Charles County; recommends Pines Shelton (former resident of St. Charles County)

November 27, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: P. P. Ellis, New Florence, Montgomery County; recommends P. H. Shelton; does not drink liquor (letterhead of Grand Worthy Chief Templar, Independent Order of Good Templars)

November 28, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: J. N. Welch, New Hope, Lincoln County; recommends James M. Wilson; civil unrest in Lincoln County; mob violence

November 28, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: E. Swon, Auxvasse, Callaway County; requests appointment

November 29, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: J. W. McKee, Mexico, Audrain County; requests appointment

November 30, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: Nanson Bartholow & Co., St. Louis; recommends E. B. Butler

November 30, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: Edward B. Butler, St. Louis; requests appointment; experience with tobacco in Virginia and Missouri (letterhead of Lewis J. Clark, Tobacco Mgrs. Agent)
November 30, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: N. P. Minor, Louisiana, Pike County; recommends Fayette Turner; grew up with tobacco

November 30, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: J. P. Thatcher, Sedalia, Pettis County; political unfitness of P. H. Shelton, Henry County; Grangers

December 2, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: H. W. Chappell, Cedar City; requests appointment

December 2, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: James W. Colgan, Linneus, Linn County; requests appointment

December 2, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: R. A. DeBolt, Trenton, Grundy County; recommends James W. Colgan, Linneus, Linn County

December 2, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: L. D. Dryden, Warrenton, Warren County; recommends Nelson Catlett Orear

December 2, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: Charles G. Gouthern, St. Louis; recommends James S. Price

December 3, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: D. Robert Barclay, St. Louis; recommends James S. Price (letterhead of St. Louis Evening Dispatch)

December 3, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: A. Y. Hull, Sedalia, Pettis County; recommends Capt. Ferguson, Saline County, and Josiah McCary, Pettis County; enclosed papers in Ferguson’s behalf

December 3, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: D. A. January, St. Louis; recommends James S. Price, Saline County

December 3, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: A. Reese, St. Louis; recommends Pines H. Shelton

December 4, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: James W. Booth to James S. Henderson, Fulton, Callaway County; recommends James S. Price

December 4, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: E. C. McCarty, Clinton, Henry County; requests appointment
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: John K. McDearmon, St. Charles, St. Charles County, to Nelson Catlett Orear; previous recommendation given to Pines H. Shelton

Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: W. B. Napton, recommends reappointment of Col. D. Armstrong

Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: Nelson Catlett Orear, St. Louis; requests appointment (letterhead of Dormitzer & Co., Leaf Tobacco Warehouse)

Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: W. T. O’Rear, Moberly, Randolph County; recommends N. C. O’Rear Nelson Catlett Orear, St. Louis

Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: R. H. Parks, St. Charles, St. Charles County; recommends John J. Johns (letterhead of Gauss & Parks Lumber)

Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: John W. Robinson, St. Louis; recommends reappointment of Edward Berry; Robinson superintendent of two tobacco warehouses

Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: J. C. Goodrich, Wentzville, St. Charles County; recommends William Frans

Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: D. U. O’Rear, et al Pettis County; recommend Nelson Catlett Orear, St. Louis; also signed by Isaac Sale, S. B. Sale, James M. Jones,

Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: Nelson Catlett Orear, St. Louis; meeting of tobacco association directors will endorse Berry; also support for Orear

Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: James F. Regan, Jefferson City, Cole County; recommends Judge J. D. Finney, St. Louis (letterhead of Regan and Carter, Publishers)

Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: Tobacco Association of St. Louis; recommends Edward Berry; list of members present and their company affiliations
December 8, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: J. T. S. Reid & Co., and George F. Hill, St. Louis; recommend reappointment of Edward Berry

December 8, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: John H. Overall, Columbia, Boone County; recommends Nelson Catlett Orear, St. Louis

December 9, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: C. E. Peers, Warrenton, Warren County; recommends H. H. Jones, Lincoln County

December 9, 1874

December 10, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: (surname missing), Mexico, Audrain County; recommends Col. McCarty; Col. Shelton (letterhead of Mexico Southern Bank, Charles H. Hardin, president)

December 10, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: James S. Henderson, Fulton, Callaway County; Major J. W. Booth recommends Mr. Price

December 11, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: petition, Williamsburg, Callaway County; recommends John M. Fullington; experienced in the business

December 11, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: T. D. Fisher, Troy, Lincoln County; endorses Dr. J. A. Mudd recommendation of J. M. Wilson

December 12, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: John D. Finney, St. Louis; requests appointment

December 12, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: J. A. Harnett, St. Louis, to James Caliway; requests assistance in obtaining appointment; job as city lumber inspector expires January

December 13, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: T. W. B. Crews, Grays Summit, Franklin County; recommends Anselm Clarkson, Labadie
December 13, 1874  Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: R. E. Miles; requests appointment (letterhead of Chicago and Alton Railroad Co.)

December 14, 1874  Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: E. S. Buckner, Boone County; requests appointment

December 14, 1874  Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: D. L. Caldwell, Bowling Green, Pike County; recommends F. N. S. Turner

December 14, 1874  Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: Charles A. Mantz, St. Louis; recommends John D. Finney (letterhead of St. Louis Daily Times)

December 14, 1874  Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: W. C. Williams, Bowling Green, Pike County; recommends T. N. S. Turner

December 15, 1874  Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: William McElhiney, St. Charles, St. Charles County; recommends Nelson Catlett O’Rear (letterhead of First National Bank of St. Charles)

December 15, 1874  Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: Geo. A. Majurin; re: recommends Austin Speed for Tobacco Inspector

December 15, 1874  Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: John G. Priest, St. Louis; recommends Quintin P. Speed

December 16, 1874  Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: John A. Brooks, Mexico, Audrain County; recommends his father; relocated to Missouri from Kentucky

December 17, 1874  Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: John Clark, Fayette, Howard County; recommends David Spahr, Boonville, Cooper County

December 17, 1874  Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: John A. Guthrie, Guthrie, Callaway County; recommends J. T. Reynolds

December 17, 1874  Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: P. P. Stewart, Warrenton, Warren County; recommends John Hill
December 18, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: William M. Sharp and Sam Thornhill, Concord, Callaway County; recommends John M. Fullington, Williamsburg

December 19, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: Thomas and Andrew Harrison and Zephy Yates, Clinton City, Henry County; recommends John Fullington, Callaway County

December 19, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: R. A. Campbell, St. Louis; recommends Abraham Hoff, Pike County

December 21, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: William M. Allen, Wentzville, St. Charles County; recommends James M. Wilson, Lincoln County

December 22, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: S. W. Buckner, Bowling Green, Pike County; recommends Abram Hoff

December 22, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: Thomas J. C. Flagg, Bowling Green, Pike County; recommends A. Hoff

December 22, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: J. B. Henderson, St. Louis; recommends Abram Hoff, Pike County

December 22, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: J. H. Luther, St. Louis; recommends Col. T. P. Bell (letterhead of The Central Baptist)

December 22, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: G. Porter, Clarksville, Pike County; recommends Abraham Hoff

December 22, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: Celsus Price, St. Louis; recommends Anselm Clarkson, Franklin County (letterhead of Davis, Thoroughman & Warren, Attorneys)

December 23, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: John S. Phelps; recommends A. Clarkson; appended endorsed by J. Halligan (John Smith Phelps, future governor, 1877-1881)

December 24, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: John J. Griffin; requests appointment
December 24, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: J. E. Haynes, St. Louis; recommends Edward Berry

December 24, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: Hugh M. Hays, Jr., New Orleans, Louisiana; requests appointment; Kentucky and Tennessee crops a failure; corrupt New Orleans politics

December 24, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: J. A. Talley, M.D., Wentzville, St. Charles County; recommends J. M. Wilson (letterhead of Wentzville Tobacco Factory)

December 26, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: petition, New Bloomfield, Callaway County; recommends John J. Griffin

December 26, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: Thomas J. Price, Bowling Green, Pike County; requests appointment

December 26, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: J. T. Reynolds, New Bloomfield, Callaway County; requests appointment

December 27, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: William L. Gatewood, Montgomery City, Montgomery County; recommends Abram Hoff, Pike County

December 30, 1874
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: Mark Adams, Boonville, Cooper County; recommends David Spahr

January 4, 1875
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: E. M. Bolton, Fulton, Callaway County; requests appointment

January 4, 1875
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: L. R. H. Smith, Fulton, Callaway County; recommends E. M. Boulton (letterhead of State Lunatic Asylum Superintendent)

January 5, 1875
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: W. M. McPheeters, St. Louis; recommends Edward Berry; appended, endorsed by William G. Clark

January 6, 1875
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: Edward A. Lewis, St. Louis; recommends Maj. Nelson C. Orear

January 8, 1875
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: A. O. Melvin, Sullivan, Franklin County; requests appointment
Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: I. S. Warren, St. Louis; recommends Edward Berry

January 8, 1875

Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: James H. Brick, Jr., Plattsburg, Clinton County; opposes Charles J. Nesbitt; discusses his character

January 9, 1875

Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: W. M. Leftwich, St. Louis; recommends reappointment of Edward Berry

January 9, 1875

Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: D. J. Hoban, Boonville, Cooper County, to M. K. McGrath (Secretary of State); recommends Spare; appended, endorsed by McGrath

January 10, 1875

Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: H. E. W. McDearmon, Boonville, Cooper County; recommends D. M. Sphar

January 10, 1875

Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: J. E. Liggett, et al, Tobacco Association of St. Louis; recommend E. Berry; resolution of support; also signed by Web M. Samuels, vice president, and J. F. Webber, secretary

January 11, 1875

Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: John S. Marmaduke, St. Louis; tobacco association’s recommendation (John Sappington Marmaduke, future governor, 1885-1887)

January 11, 1875

Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: James B. Davis, Boles, Franklin County; recommends Clarkson or J. Clark Davis

January 12, 1875

Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: John Sampson, Carrington, Callaway County; requests appointment

January 22, 1875

Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: George B. Ransom, Jefferson City, Cole County; requests appointment

January 23, 1875

Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: Charles F. Nesbitt, Platte City, Platte County; requests appointment (letterhead of The Platte City Landmark)

March 13, 1875

Appointments—Tobacco Inspector: R. P. C. Wilson, Platte City, Platte County; recommends Col. Nesbitt

March 24, 1875
Appointments—MU: Governor C. H. Hardin, incomplete draft of letter; addressed to J. W. Barrett, A. M. Dockery, John W. Harris, Henry Mudd, Henry Smith; W. F. Switzer’s commission and Paul Hubbard’s commissions received (back of letter contains incomplete statement regarding clemency)

Appointments—MU: list of curators; includes date of commission, expiration of term, and congressional district


Appointments—MU: A. M. Dockery, Gallatin, Daviess County, to Hon. Joshua Ladue, State Senator, Jefferson City, Cole County; requests appointment (letterhead of Farmers Exchange Bank)

Appointments—MU: W. G. Patrick, St. Louis; requests appointment

Appointments—MU: J. Ladue, Jefferson City, Cole County; endorsed of A. M. Dockery

Appointments—MU: A. M. Dockery, Gallatin, Daviess County, to Hon. William B. Smith, Jefferson City, Cole County; requesting re-appointment as curator (letterhead of Farmers Exchange Bank)

Appointments—MU: H. Clay Ewing, Jefferson City, Cole County; recommends Dr. A. M. Dockery, Gallatin, Daviess County, curator

Appointments—MU: James S. Rollins, Columbia, Boone County; request for list of curators

Appointments—MU: James S. Rollins, Columbia, Boone County; suggestions concerning board of curators; reduce size of board; political and educational qualifications for appointment
January 25, 1875
Appointments—MU: Edwin W. Stephens, Columbia, Boone County; appointment of curators (letterhead of Columbia Herald)

February 1, 1875
Appointments—MU: R. S. Todd, Columbia, Boone County; commissions for curators (letterhead of University of Missouri)

February 2, 1875
Appointments—MU: Thomas S. Carter, Sturgeon, Boone County; recommends M. M. Jessee, Dr. J. S. Lockidge, or J. M. Proctor for curators (letterhead of Sturgeon Leader)

February 11, 1875
Appointments—MU: John S. Singleton, Montgomery City, Montgomery County; requests appointment

February 12, 1875
Appointments—MU: William Mosby, Jefferson City, Cole County; recommends A. M. Dockery, Gallatin, Davies County, for curator (letterhead of Missouri Senate)

February 15, 1875
Appointments—MU: E. A. Seay, F. M. (surname illegible), Jefferson City, Cole County; opposes reappointment of Elijah Perry, Rolla, Phelps County, as curator; Rolla School of Mines and Metallurgy

February 28, 1875
Appointments—MU: J. M. Harris; Governor’s request for commission as curator

March 1, 1875
Appointments—MU: Henry T. Mudd, St. Louis; resignation from curators due to error in expiration date on commission; response by Governor Hardin declining to accept resignation (letterhead of Missouri State Horticultural Society)

March 1, 1875
Appointments—MU: Henry T. Mudd, St. Louis; to error in expiration date on commission (letterhead of Missouri State Horticultural Society)

March 1, 1875
Appointments—MU: Henry Smith, Liberty, Clay County; enclosed commission as requested, board of curators much too large

March 1, 1875
Appointments—MU: William L. Switzler, Columbia, Boone County; curator commissions from self, Paul Hubbard, Henry Smith, and George Husman (letterhead of the Missouri Statesman)
March 2, 1875
Appointments—MU: J. W. Barnett, Canton, Lewis County; enclosed curator commission, desire that number of curators be reduced

March 6, 1875
Appointments—MU: William F. Switzler, Columbia, Boone County; successor to Dr. Read and university president; enclosed clipping from Missouri Statesman

March 12, 1875
Appointments—MU: James Rollins, Columbia, Boone County; expiration of curator term; railroad tax cases before U.S. Supreme Court

March 15, 1875
Appointments—MU: G. C. Swallow, Columbia, Boone County; poor administration of Agricultural College; recommends A. J. Conant, St. Louis; recommends R. B. Price; donations and the uses to which they were put

March 16, 1875
Appointments—MU: T. A. Russell, Guthrie, Callaway County; recommends Thomas A. Russell, Callaway County, curator; personal references are Governor Charles H. Hardin and Attorney General John A. Hockaday

March 16, 1875
Appointments—MU: John D. Vincil, Louisiana, Pike County; requests reappointment; membership should be reduced

March 19, 1875
Appointments—MU: O. Gentoe, Columbia, Boone County; recommendation per previous request by governor

March 20, 1875
Appointments—MU: J. H. Waugh, Columbia, Boone County; recommendations per previous request by governor

March 22, 1875
Appointments—MU: A. M. Dockery, Gallatin, Daviess County; recommends Rollins and Switzler (letterhead of Farmers Exchange Bank)

March 22, 1875
Appointments—MU: William F. Switzler, Columbia, Boone County; recommends Rollins for new board; opposes appointing preachers

March 23, 1875
Appointments—MU: L. J. Dryden, Warrenton, Warren County; recommends Dr. H. H. Middelkamp
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<td>Appointments—MU: H. Clay Ewing, Jefferson City, Cole County; opposes Newman, Phelps County, for curator, reputation of a hard drinker; owns a saloon and dancehouse; recommends Sam Williams; Rolla School of Mines and Metallurgy</td>
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<td>Appointments—MU: list of curators; includes residence, congressional district, state board of agriculture, predecessor, date of appointment and expiration (note: commissions of Harris, Smith, Dockery, Hubbard, Barret, Mudd and Switzler mailed back to them)</td>
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Appointments—Miscellaneous: petition, from Christian County; recommends T. N. Stewart as county surveyor; Stewart has been deputy surveyor for four years

1B/1/3 5 14 (5) No Date  
Appointments—Miscellaneous: John Dale, D. P. Stratton, J. Summers, S. A. Wright, Cedar County; recommends W. J. Lyon for county administrator; resignation of Louis Gravely (note: W. F. Lyon appointed January 27, 1875)

1B/1/3 5 14 (5) No Date  
Appointments—Miscellaneous: list of appointments to be made by Governor Hardin

1B/1/3 5 14 (5) No Date  
Appointments—Miscellaneous: T. B. Harris, Fulton, Callaway County; requesting appointment

1B/1/3 5 14 (5) No Date  
Appointments—Miscellaneous: William Harrison, Fulton, Callaway County; recommends Robert McFeeters or Dr. (surname illegible) in place of Samuel Thornhill to board of managers of State Lunatic Asylum (letterhead of Callaway County Clerk)

1B/1/3 5 14 (5) No Date  
Appointments—Miscellaneous: J. G. Dorman, Clinton, Henry County; recommends Col. P. H. Shelton

1B/1/3 5 14 (5) No Date  
Appointments—Miscellaneous: petition, Osage County; recommends Francis B. LeMans for public administrator (resignation of D. B. Griffith)

1B/1/3 5 14 (5) No Date  
Appointments—Miscellaneous: William Priest, James H. Underwood, Ralls County; recommends William Christian for prosecuting attorney; resignation of Thomas H. Frazer, elected November 1874

1B/1/3 5 14 (5) September 23, 1872  
Appointments—Miscellaneous: J. K. Rogers, Christian College, Columbia, Boone County, to people of Howard County; recommends A. P. Selby

1B/1/3 5 14 (5) 1873  
Appointments—Miscellaneous: A. M. Dockery commissioned to unknown position; Philemon Bliss

1B/1/3 5 14 (5) 1874  
Appointments—Miscellaneous: petition, Kirksville, Adair County; recommends Andrew Ellison, Adair County to Kirksville Normal School
Appointments—Miscellaneous: Mrs. S. B. Kerr, Jefferson City, Cole County; requesting help to obtain clerkship in Senate

Appointments—Miscellaneous: William M. Rush, Jr., Gallatin, Daviess County; failure to pay respects to governor

Appointments—Miscellaneous: J. Ladue, State Senator, Jefferson City, Cole County; recommends A. P. Selby

Appointments—Miscellaneous: Governor Silas Woodson, Jefferson City, Cole County, to Col. Charles Mantz; recommends A. P. Selby

Appointments—Miscellaneous: telegram, James Sanderson, county collector, Bowling Green, Pike County; requesting delay in appointment

Appointments—Miscellaneous: J. H. Luther, St. Louis; recommends G. B. Dameron (letterhead of The Central Baptist)

Appointments—Miscellaneous: Stilson Hutchins, St. Louis; recommends George B. Dameron (letterhead of St. Louis Evening Dispatch)

Appointments—Miscellaneous: B. B. Minor, St. Louis; presenting astronomy lectures in Mexico, Audrain County; Hardin’s public life in 1860-61, lectures illustrated by a magic lantern, Hardin Institute at Mexico (letterhead of Universal Life Insurance Co.)

Appointments—Miscellaneous: John A. Craighead; I. T. Wood & Co., merchants; Gilbert & Sampson, merchants; W. P. Ashworth; J. A. Comer & Son, merchants; and Carrington and Boysville, Callaway County; recommends J. J. Railey

Appointments—Miscellaneous: James S. Rollins, Columbia, Boone County; recommends Arthur P. Clarkson (letterhead of Boone County National Bank)

Appointments—Miscellaneous: B. F. Wallace, Independence, Jackson County; requests appointment, militia chief of staff; Tadpoles; Wallace; elections
November 7, 1874  
Appointments—Miscellaneous: N. W. Wilson, Belmont; requests appointment; unsuccessful bid for clerk of Boone County Circuit

November 9, 1874  
Appointments—Miscellaneous: C. F. Burnes, St. Louis; recommends Bernard Bryan

November 9, 1874  
Appointments—Miscellaneous: N. T. Cherry, Alexandria, Clark County; requesting Hardin’s assistance to obtain position

November 10, 1874  
Appointments—Miscellaneous: J. H. Luther, St. Louis; recommends J. K. Rickey (letterhead of *The Central Baptist*)

November 10, 1874  
Appointments—Miscellaneous: George Yates, Williamsburg, Callaway County; requests appointment

November 11, 1874  
Appointments—Miscellaneous: A. M. Lay, Jefferson City, Callaway County; recommends Tom Winston

November 11, 1874  
Appointments—Miscellaneous: John Ralls, New London, Ralls County; requests appointment

November 11, 1874  
Appointments—Miscellaneous: R. D. Shannon, Jefferson City, Cole County; offer to explain office work to Governor’s new private secretary

November 13, 1874  
Appointments—Miscellaneous: F. M. Cockrell, Warrentsburg, Johnson County; recommends Col. P. Donan of the *Caucasian*

November 13, 1874  
Appointments—Miscellaneous: F. M. Cockrell, Warrentsburg, Johnson County; recommends John R. Reavis of the *Lexington Caucasian*

November 13, 1874  
Appointments—Miscellaneous: Thomas K. Kinker, St. Louis; recommends Gen. William Shields

November 14, 1874  
Appointments—Miscellaneous: Thomas C. Reynolds, St. Louis; future appointments in St. Louis; election results in St. Louis; political divisions within the city

November 16, 1874  
Appointments—Miscellaneous: Lieutenant Governor Norman J. Colman, St. Louis; recommends P. H. Kelly (letterhead of *Colman’s Rural World*)
November 16, 1874
Appointments—Miscellaneous: John T. Heard, Sedalia, Pettis County; recommends Judge Gray, for clerkship under adjutant general

November 16, 1874
Appointments—Miscellaneous: Zadok Hook, Fulton, Callaway County; requesting clerkship appointment

November 16, 1874
Appointments—Miscellaneous: Henry J. Spaunhorst, St. Louis; recommendations (letterhead of Central Savings Bank)

November 17, 1874
Appointments—Miscellaneous: William N. Beattie, Columbia, Boone County; recommends A. P. Clarkson

November 17, 1874
Appointments—Miscellaneous: John B. Clark, Jr., et al, Fayette, Howard County; recommend Joseph B. Davis, Moberly, Randolph County; also signed by W. A. (surname illegible), I. H. Burkholder, and W. H. Williams,

November 17, 1874
Appointments—Miscellaneous: T. T. Crittenden, Warrensburg, Johnson County; recommends Pines H. Shelton, Henry County

November 18, 1874
Appointments—Miscellaneous: Jennie E. Dunscomb, Jefferson City, Cole County, to Mrs. Hardin (Mary Barr Jenkins Hardin); husband would like to retain current position with adjutant general

November 18, 1874
Appointments—Miscellaneous: O. Gibson, St. Louis; recommends James Merry

November 19, 1874
Appointments—Miscellaneous: F. M. Cockrell, Warrensburg, Johnson County; recommends Arnold Winsor, Lafayette County

November 20, 1874
Appointments—Miscellaneous: D. Bates, New Bloomfield, Callaway County, to brother Bysfield; Bysfield’s desire for appointment

November 20, 1874
Appointments—Miscellaneous: Frank B. Bysfield, Fulton, Callaway County; requesting appointment, enclosed letter of recommendation from Bates
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<td>Appointments—Miscellaneous: John M. Gilkeson, St. Louis; recommends Jesse L. Thompson (letterhead of Gilkeson &amp; Sloss)</td>
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<td>Appointments—Miscellaneous: J. H. Davidson, Wheatland, Hickory County; requests appointment as adjutant general clerk; Col. A. W. Myers, Linn County, previously served as clerk of House, ran for representative in last election</td>
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<td>Appointments—Miscellaneous: Charles W. Chastain, Marshall, Saline County; requests appointment as enrolling clerk of Senate; application of Rev. W. M. Prottsman, Hickory County, as secretary of Senate</td>
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<td>Appointments—Miscellaneous: Congressman Aylett Hawes Buckner, Mexico, Audrain County; recommends W. A. Henry, police commissioner; S. A. Grantham, coal oil inspector at St. Louis; Col. Clay Taylor, Warren County, or Col. Warner Lewis, Fulton, Callaway County, adjutant general; Elijah Bucker, Callaway County, tobacco inspector, St. Louis</td>
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<td>Appointments—Miscellaneous: Ed C. Shain, Sheriff, Macon, Macon County; recommendations obtained</td>
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November 27, 1874
Appointments—Miscellaneous: Secretary of State (Elect) Michael K. McGrath, St. Louis; requesting a sleeping room in Governor’s Mansion; family wants to remain in St. Louis, salary insufficient (letterhead of clerk of the Criminal Court)

November 27, 1874
Appointments—Miscellaneous: John L. Morrison, Fayette, Howard County; requests appointment

November 27, 1874
Appointments—Miscellaneous: J. L. Stephens, Boonville, Cooper County; recommends George B. Dameron (letterhead of Central National Bank)

November 29, 1874
Appointments—Miscellaneous: John B. Clark, Fayette, Howard County; recommends J. B. Davis, Jr.

November 30, 1874
Appointments—Miscellaneous: Waldo P. Johnson, Butler, Bates County; recommends Col. Warner Lewis, Callaway County (letterhead of Circuit Clerk)

November 30, 1874
Appointments—Miscellaneous: A. T. Winsor, Waverly, Lafayette County; recommends appointment as warden

December 1, 1874
Appointments—Miscellaneous: Henry C. Yaeger, St. Louis; recommends Jesse L. Thompson (letterhead of Yaeger Mill Co.)

December 2, 1874
Appointments—Miscellaneous: R. L. Ferguson, Brownsville, Saline County, to Doctor; endorsements

December 2, 1874
Appointments—Miscellaneous: (Mrs.) N. B. King, St. Charles, St. Charles County; requests appointment for her husband; letter

December 2, 1874
Appointments—Miscellaneous: Josiah McCary, Green Ridge, Pettis County; requests appointment tobacco inspector

December 3, 1874
Appointments—Miscellaneous: Robert S. Adkins, Liberty, Clay County; endorsements enclosed

December 3, 1874
Appointments—Miscellaneous: John M. Gilkeson, St. Louis; recommends Sol. J. Quinliven
December 3, 1874
Appointments—Miscellaneous: Caldwell Yeaman, Kansas City, Jackson County; Marshall Brotherton; Col. J. H. Brittan, St. Louis

December 4, 1874
Appointments—Miscellaneous: E. V. Conway, Farmington, St. Francois County; requests appointment; relocating to St. Louis

December 4, 1874
Appointments—Miscellaneous: Henry A. Nueman, former representative, Huntsville, Randolph County; recommends Joseph B. Davis as detective

December 4, 1874
Appointments—Miscellaneous: H. Martin Williams, Warrensburg, Johnson County; recommends Judge William Stephens (letterhead of Johnson Weekly Democrat)

December 5, 1874
Appointments—Miscellaneous: C. C. Holliday, Jefferson City, Cole County, to Mr. Price; requests appointment as engrossing clerk of the House of Representatives

December 6, 1874
Appointments—Miscellaneous: George Yates, Williamsburg, Callaway County; requests appointment

December 7, 1874
Appointments—Miscellaneous: G. H. Burckhartt, Moberly, Randolph County; recommends Joseph B. Davis for detective (letterhead of Merchants Hotel)

December 7, 1874
Appointments—Miscellaneous: E. V. Conway, Farmington, St. Francois County; requests appointment

December 7, 1874
Appointments—Miscellaneous: John B. Wornall, Kansas City, Jackson County; recommends J. J. Railey

December 8, 1874
Appointments—Miscellaneous: H. M. Porter, Moberly, Randolph County; recommends James Ragsdale, experience as city marshal

December 8, 1874
Appointments—Miscellaneous: H. M. Porter, Moberly, Randolph County; recommends Joseph B. Davis for state detective (letterhead of Levy & Krailsheimer)
December 8, 1874

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Appointments—Miscellaneous: Mrs. M. L. Reed, Jefferson City, Cole County; requests appointment to Senate engrossing clerk; Mrs. Kerr, Mrs. Dunscomb, Miss Moore

December 8, 1874
Appointments—Miscellaneous: R. P. Tansey, St. Louis; recommends Hy McCabe (letterhead of Mitchell & Tansy)

December 9, 1874
Appointments—Miscellaneous: Adam Hendrix, Fayette, Howard County; recommends David Spahr, Boonville, Cooper County

December 9, 1874
Appointments—Miscellaneous: Thomas C. Ready, St. Louis; requests appointment as inspector general of militia, St. Louis

December 10, 1874
Appointments—Miscellaneous: F. G. Nichols, Fulton, Callaway County; recommends James Nichols

December 10, 1874
Appointments—Miscellaneous: J. B. Thompson, Enterprise-Monitor, Moberly, Randolph County; opposes James W. Ragsdale

December 11, 1874
Appointments—Miscellaneous: Nave, Goddard & Co., St. Louis; recommends Samuel A. Grantham

December 11, 1874
Appointments—Miscellaneous: A. R. Ringo, Mexico, Adrain County; recommends B. F. Dobyns (letterhead of Farmers & Traders Bank)

December 12, 1874
Appointments—Miscellaneous: R. H. Browne, Kirksville, Adair County; requesting appointment of self and reappointment of James M. DeFrance to Normal School Board of Regents; expiration of terms of James M. DeFrance and Mr. Osborne, Louisiana, Pike County

December 12, 1874
Appointments—Miscellaneous: Governor (elect) C. H. Hardin to Rev. L. C. Pace; will recommend Pace to Senate; appended reply from L. C. Pace to C. H. Hardin
December 14, 1874
Appointments—Miscellaneous: J. H. R. Cundiff, St. Joseph, Buchanan County; recommends James R. Willis (letterhead of Buchanan County Circuit Clerk)

December 14, 1874
Appointments—Miscellaneous: P. P. Ellis, Montgomery City, Montgomery County; requests appointment chief clerk of House of Representatives (note: written on printed flyer soliciting support and contains newspaper endorsements for Ellis)

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December 14, 1874
Appointments—Miscellaneous: S. A. Grantham, St. Louis; enclosed endorsement

December 14, 1874
Appointments—Miscellaneous: Henry McCabe, St. Louis; requests appointment to Metropolitan Police Board (letterhead of McCabe Plug Chewing Tobacco)

December 15, 1874
Appointments—Miscellaneous: D. N. Armstrong, St. Louis; recommends Bernard Bryan

December 16, 1874
Appointments—Miscellaneous: M. R. Singleton, Savannah, Andrew County; recommends James R. Willis

December 17, 1874
Appointments—Miscellaneous: F. M. Cockrell, Warrensburg, Johnson County; recommends Dr. Samuel S. Harris, Scotia, Crawford County

December 17, 1874
Appointments—Miscellaneous: A. W. Doniphan, Richmond, Ray County; recommends Maj. A. T. Winsor, Lafayette County (letterhead of Ray County Savings Bank)

December 17, 1874
Appointments—Miscellaneous: Ephraim Myers, Rosendale, Andrew County; recommends Charles H. Bod (illegible)

December 18, 1874
Appointments—Miscellaneous: John Hodnett, St. Louis; recommends John O’Brien (letterhead of St. Louis Daily Times)

December 19, 1874
Appointments—Miscellaneous: S. B. Elger, Carrollton, Carroll County; recommends A. T. Winsor, Waverly, Lafayette County

December 19, 1874
Appointments—Miscellaneous: John H. Henderson, Clifton Hill, Randolph County; requests appointment
December 21, 1874
Appointments—Miscellaneous: Theo Brace, Paris, Monroe County; recommends J. B. Davis, Moberly, Randolph County, for state detective

December 21, 1874
Appointments—Miscellaneous: C. T. Garner, Richmond, Ray County; recommends A. C. Blackwell, Carrollton, Carroll County

December 22, 1874
Appointments—Miscellaneous: Dr. James L. Grant, Carrollton, Carroll County; requests appointment

December 22, 1874
Appointments—Miscellaneous: R. J. Lackland, St. Louis; recommends D. H. Armstrong and John G. Priest, recommends Dr. Harris, Crawford County, for adjutant general

December 22, 1874
Appointments—Miscellaneous: J. L. Stephens, Boonville, Cooper County; recommends J. L. Thomas, St. Louis (letterhead of Central National Bank)

December 23, 1874
Appointments—Miscellaneous: Caleb Winfrey, Pleasant Hill, Cass County; requests appointment for superintendent of Lunatic Asylum, either at Fulton or St. Joseph

December 24, 1874
Appointments—Miscellaneous: Shenard Clemens, St. Louis; recommends Col. David H. Armstrong (letterhead of Cabell and Wood)

December 27, 1874
Appointments—Miscellaneous: Clifton Hill, Randolph County; recommends John C. Turner

December 27, 1874
Appointments—Miscellaneous: R. B. Carey, Carthage, Jasper County; requests appointment

December 28, 1874
Appointments—Miscellaneous: Daniel Bates, New Bloomfield, Callaway County; recommends Frank B. Bysfield of the Fulton Enterprise, recommends John J. Griffin for tobacco inspector

December 28, 1874
Appointments—Miscellaneous: George Biggs, Winchester, Clark County; DeFrance’s efforts to be appointed to Normal School board of regents

December 30, 1874
Appointments—Miscellaneous: Joseph Brown, Mayor, St. Louis; recommends John Ryan
December 30, 1874
Appointments—Miscellaneous: James S. Rollins, Mexico, Audrain County; recommends George C. Bingham (George Caleb Bingham), Jackson County

December 31, 1874
Appointments—Miscellaneous: petition, from Kansas City, Jackson County; recommends Capt. G. C. Bingham (George Caleb Bingham)

January 1, 1875
Appointments—Miscellaneous: J. B. Davis, Jr., Mexico, Audrain County; sending papers by A. W. Myers

January 4, 1875
Appointments—Miscellaneous: Henry M. Rhodus, St. Louis, to J. H. Terry; requesting enclosed papers from Stanard and Hudson for Governor

January 4, 1875
Appointments—Miscellaneous: M. Schuyler, St. Louis; recommends James Merry

January 5, 1875
Appointments—Miscellaneous: telegram, Charles Green, St. Louis, to T. C. Reynolds, Jefferson City; requests meeting with Governor regarding Finny

January 5, 1875
Appointments—Miscellaneous: B. Clement, St. Louis; enclosed letter from Mr. Overstall

January 7, 1875
Appointments—Miscellaneous: G. H. Burckhartt, Huntsville, Randolph County; withdrawal of support for Davis as detective

January 7, 1875
Appointments—Miscellaneous: G. H. Burckhartt, Huntsville, Randolph County; recommends William Elster, Moberly, for state detective

January 11, 1875
Appointments—Miscellaneous: Thomas L. James, James C. Edwards, M. J. Clark, St. Louis; recommends Gen. William Shields for position now occupied by Gen. Frank Blair; appended endorsement by Edwards (letterhead of Planters Horse & Mule Market)

January 12, 1875
Appointments—Miscellaneous: Henry C. Young, Jefferson City, Cole County; enclosed letters of recommendation for Col. Mitchell
January 13, 1875
Appointments—Miscellaneous: William F. Switzler, Columbia, Boone County; recommends Dr. Charles Chandler, Rocheport, Boone County, for surgeon of Governor’s staff (letterhead of Missouri Statesman)

January 19, 1875
Appointments—Miscellaneous: William Elster, Moberly, Randolph County; requests appointment as state detective

January 23, 1875
Appointments—Miscellaneous: R. B. Ballew, Princeton, Mercer County; recommends Dr. H. A. Brown (letterhead of the Chillicothe and Des Moines City Railroad)

January 26, 1875
Appointments—Miscellaneous: John B. Wornall, Kansas City, Jackson County; recommends I. C. Wilhite

January 27, 1875
Appointments—Miscellaneous: E. S. Dulin, Columbia, Boone County; recommends J. C. Wilhite

January 28, 1875
Appointments—Miscellaneous: Charles A. Ligget, private detective, Kansas City, Jackson County; civil unrest in Clay County; offers assistance

January 28, 1875
Appointments—Miscellaneous: Mrs. M. A. Lykins, Supt., Orphans Home of Missouri., Kansas City, Jackson County; requesting reappointment of Col. G. L. Case

February 2, 1875
Appointments—Miscellaneous: J. H. Luther, St. Louis; recommends J. C. Wilhite

February 4, 1875
Appointments—Miscellaneous: Pattie Woodson, Roanoke, Howard County; requests appointment as copyist or writer

February 5, 1875
Appointments—Miscellaneous: J. Lykins, Kansas City, Jackson County; recommends Wilhite, St. Louis

February 9, 1875
Appointments—Miscellaneous: Miles Mix, Carthage, Jasper County; requests appointment to state secret service (letterhead of Sheriff’s Office)

March 6, 1875
Appointments—Miscellaneous: F. B. Davidson, St. Louis; recommends J. C. Whilhoute (letterhead of Union Merchants Exchange)
March 11, 1875
Appointments—Miscellaneous: G. L. McClure, Middletown, Montgomery County; requests appointment with annual salary of $1500 to $2000.

March 18, 1875
Appointments—Miscellaneous: E. M. Cooper, E. Martin, S. D. Woods, Kansas City, Jackson County; recommendation of B. F. Moon; who claims to have information concerning train robbery at Muncy (Muncie, Kansas).

March 18, 1875
Appointments—Miscellaneous: E. M. Cooper, E. Martin, S. D. Woods, Kansas City, Jackson County; recommendation of B. F. Moon; who claims to have information concerning train robbery at Muncy (Muncie, Kansas).

March 18, 1875
Appointments—Miscellaneous: R. H. Moses, Sedalia, Pettis County; forthcoming vacant position of Judge Harris (letterhead of County Clerk).

March 19, 1875
Appointments—Miscellaneous: Capt. B. F. Moore, Kansas City, Jackson County; the Muncie (train) robbery and the hand grenade in Mrs. James’s house (mother of outlaw Jesse Woodson James and Frank James); F. Mitchell’s deceit regarding commissions.

March 19, 1875
Appointments—Miscellaneous: S. M. Moore, Chicago, Illinois; recommends Mr. Boggs of Memphis, Scotland County.

March 20, 1875
Appointments—Miscellaneous: Samuel A. Richardson, Gallatin, Daviess County; recommends William M. Rush, Jr. (letterhead of Richardson & Alexander).

March 22, 1875
Appointments—Miscellaneous: J. L. Stephens, Boonville, Cooper county; recommends Capt. A. C. Widdicount (letterhead of Central National Bank).

March 25, 1875
Appointments—Miscellaneous: A. Comingo, Independence, Jackson County, to James Dunn , Jr.; Judge Sheley; requests appointment.

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March 25, 1875
Appointments—Miscellaneous: William Shields, St. Louis; recommends Thomas G. Settle.

March 29, 1875
Appointments—Miscellaneous: William D. Deering, Kansas City, Jackson County; pursuit of Muncie train robbers, failure to receive commission although it is promised by F. A. Mitchell.
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<td>March 31, 1875</td>
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<td>Appointments—Miscellaneous: H. J. Spaunhorst, St. Louis; appointment made by Governor (letterhead of Amerika)</td>
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<td>April 2, 1875</td>
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<td>Appointments—Miscellaneous: A. J. Fleming, Kearney, Nebraska; requests assistance to obtain position with the St. Louis Dispatch or Times</td>
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<td>Appointments—Miscellaneous: Mrs. Henry Ewing, St. Louis; requesting Governor not to accept Mr. Young’s resignation</td>
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<td>Appointments—Miscellaneous: B. F. Wallace, Independence, Jackson County; petition to relieve Mr. Williams from his obligation on bond (letterhead of Brown, Hughes &amp; Co.)</td>
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<td>Appointments—Miscellaneous: Semple Birge &amp; Co., St. Louis; recommends C. C. Bray &amp; Co. for carpet at capital</td>
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<td>April 9, 1875</td>
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<td>Appointments—Miscellaneous: telegram, H. C. Young, Pacific City, Franklin County; would like to discuss appointment of successor</td>
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<td>Appointments—Miscellaneous: petition, St. Louis; recommends Walter C. Carr for city collector</td>
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<td>Appointments—Miscellaneous: J. H. Luther, St. Louis; Governor’s nomination and appointment to educational committee</td>
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<td>Appointments—Miscellaneous: John Reid, Lexington, Lafayette County; recommends Alf Brant (letterhead of the Democratic State Central Committee)</td>
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Appointments—Miscellaneous: M. V. L. McClelland, Wellington, Lafayette County; Prather’s acceptance

Appointments—Miscellaneous: Charles N. Parry, New York, New York; requests appointment; R. R. Pegram

Appointments—Miscellaneous: Ben. P. Tevis, Shelbyville, Kentucky; appointment of Edward Riley, St. Joseph, Buchanan County

Appointments—Miscellaneous: L. Rower, St. Louis; requesting appointment as commissioner of Immigration; resides in Baden; often approached for information by people wishing to relocate from Germany to Missouri (letterhead of North St. Louis Savings Association)

Appointments—Miscellaneous: T. C. Simpson, County Judge, Alton, Oregon County; Mr. Tribble as county attorney (county’s heavy debt)

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Appointments—Miscellaneous: James H. Chase to Mr. Edwards; request from Washington to determine whether Edwards and Solomon Brill were enlisted soldiers; Maria Russell, widow of Beverly

Appointments—Miscellaneous: Chauncey F. Shultz, Saint Louis, St. Louis County; recommends Walter Carr for city collector (letterhead of county clerk)
May 26, 1875
Appointments—Miscellaneous: W. H. Duncan, Columbia, Boone County; recommends John H. Duncan, as second assistant physician in the Lunatic Asylum

May 30, 1875
Appointments—Miscellaneous: N. W. Wilson, Columbia, Boone County; recommends A. O. Runyan

June 1, 1875
Appointments—Miscellaneous: Dr. George A. Crooker, St. Louis; recommends John Quinn

June 8, 1875
Appointments—Miscellaneous: A. E. Frankland, Shelby County, Tennessee; recommends Ed. Burke Pickett (letterhead of Frankland, City and County Collector, Memphis, Tennessee)

June 8, 1875
Appointments—Miscellaneous: R. J. M(surname illegible), Memphis, Shelby County, Tennessee; recommends Ed Burke Pickett

June 8, 1875
Appointments—Miscellaneous: J. E. R. Ray, probate judge, Memphis, Tennessee; recommends Ed. Burke Pickett

July 8, 1875
Appointments—Miscellaneous: John Martin, St. Louis; recommends John; James Carroll

July 9, 1875
Appointments—Miscellaneous: Joseph Brown, St. Louis; recommends Walter C. Carr

July 15, 1875
Appointments—Miscellaneous: James Shields, Kansas City, Jackson County; requests appointment to replace Gen. Frank Blair, deceased

July 28, 1875
Appointments—Miscellaneous: Web M. Rubey, Macon, Macon County; recommends Judge E. W. Knott; Rev. John D. Vincil; opposes James M. DeFrance; recent appointment of county judge has been criticized, man indicted at end of war for horse stealing

July 28, 1875
Appointments—Miscellaneous: Joseph R. Speed, 5th Police District, St. Louis, to L. J. Dryden, Jefferson City, Cole County; requests promotion to rank of sergeant
1B/1/3  5  19 (6)  July 31, 1875  Appointments—Miscellaneous: Henry C. Young, Springfield, Greene County; requests assistance to obtain employment as attorney with Texas & Pacific Railroad

1B/1/3  5  19 (6)  August 1875  Appointments—Miscellaneous: petition, Jefferson City, Cole County; recommends E. H. Hutchinson for night watchman at the capitol

1B/1/3  5  19 (6)  August 2, 1875  Appointments—Miscellaneous: L. J. Dryden, Warrenton, Warren County; recommends Joseph R. Speed for sergeant

1B/1/3  5  19 (6)  August 4, 1875  Appointments—Miscellaneous: John H. Duncan, M.D., Columbia, Boone County; requests appointment as U.S. Navy surgeon; qualifications for job

1B/1/3  5  19 (6)  August 13, 1875  Appointments—Miscellaneous: A. T. Lacey, Memphis, Tennessee; introduction to J. J. Freman, financial agent and copartner of the lessees of the Missouri Penitentiary

1B/1/3  5  19 (6)  August 18, 1875  Appointments—Miscellaneous: John W. Booth, Union, Franklin County; opposes appointment of J. C. Bryan to replace Michael Bauer (deceased), recorder of deeds

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1B/1/3  5  19 (6)  August 19, 1875  Appointments—Miscellaneous: C. W. Samuel, Cedar City; recommends E. H. Hutchinson for night watchman at capitol

1B/1/3  5  20 (6)  September 20, 1875  Appointments—Miscellaneous: Congressman Aylett Hawes Buckner, Mexico, Audrain County; acknowledging appointment and commission as state delegate to convention in Vicksburg, Mississippi concerning Mississippi River Levees, unable to attend
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<td>John F. Philips, Sedalia, Pettis County; unable to fulfill appointment and attend the Vicksburg convention</td>
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<td>William Hyde, St. Louis, to George C. Bingham, adjutant general; recommends Leigh O. Knapp (letterhead of the Missouri Republican)</td>
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<td>R. A. Hatcher, New Madrid, New Madrid County; acknowledging appointment as delegate to Vicksburg Convention; unable to attend</td>
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<td>October 6, 1875</td>
<td>P. H. Leslie, Glasgow, Kentucky; introducing son, Dr. James H. Leslie, who has just moved to St. Louis (Preston Hopkins Leslie served as governor of Kentucky from 1871 to 1875)</td>
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<td>October 19, 1875</td>
<td>Irwin Z. Smith, St. Louis; recommends T. A. Russell</td>
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<td>Mary Provines, Oakley, St. Louis County; requests appointment to post office Columbia, Boone County</td>
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<td>E. H. Norton, Platte City, Platte County; acknowledging commission as delegate to National Railroad Convention in St. Louis</td>
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<td>W. J. Orr, New Hartford, Pike County; cannot accept appointment as he is not 21</td>
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<td>J. M. Varnum, St. Joseph, Buchanan County; recommends Milton Tootle, James McCord and Richard D. Tumer as delegates for the Railroad Convention at St. Louis; Governor Osborn of Kansas (letterhead of Board of Trade)</td>
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<td>T. T. Crittenden, Warrensburg, Johnson County; introducing J. B. Archer (future governor, Thomas Theodore Crittenden, 1881-1885)</td>
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Appointments—Miscellaneous: Samuel Hayden, Glasgow, Howard County, to Gen. G. I. Hokady; requesting an endorsement of Mr. Phillips for Linn County sheriff (letterhead of T. W. Morgan)

November 27, 1875
Appointments—Miscellaneous: Cy Mitchell, Hartville, Wright County; R. V. Burns, prosecuting attorney elected in Douglas County, lives in Taney County; recommends N. E. Ide as replacement; attorney general opinion that Stone County Prosecutor office vacant because prosecutor lives in another county (letterhead of F. M. Mansfield)

December 1, 1875
Appointments—Miscellaneous: W. Pope, Jefferson City, Cole County; Douglas County prosecuting attorney, who resides in Taney County

December 2, 1875
Appointments—Miscellaneous: Joseph Brown, St. Louis; acknowledging appointment as delegate to Convention of American Board of Transportation and Commerce in Chicago, cannot attend

December 2, 1875
Appointments—Miscellaneous: John Wheat, Ava, Douglas County; R. V. Burns elected county attorney for Douglas and Taney counties; resides in Taney County; recommends N. E. Ide as replacement

December 6, 1875
Appointments—Miscellaneous: T. R. Allen, Allen, St. Louis County; acknowledging appointment as delegate to convention of American Board of Transportation and Commerce in Chicago, cannot attend

December 8, 1875
Appointments—Miscellaneous: R. S. McDonald, St. Joseph, Buchanan County; acknowledging appointment as delegate to convention of American Board of Transportation and Commerce in Chicago

1876
Appointments—Miscellaneous: petition, Jefferson County; recommends Samuel Byrns as prosecuting attorney

1876
Appointments—Miscellaneous: Anton Yeager, presiding county court justice, Jefferson County; recommends W. H. H. Thomas for prosecuting attorney
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**Appointments—Miscellaneous:**
- January 11, 1876: Petition, Stone County recommends F. B. Eaton.
- January 11, 1876: Appointment of W. F. Geiger, Springfield, Greene County; resignation of Stone County prosecuting attorney; requesting no appointment be made except during each term of court; lack of qualified applicants; F. B. Eaton indicted of obtaining goods under false pretenses; division in county politics.
- January 17, 1876: Appointment of W. G. Eliot, St. Louis; requests appointment as delegate with son, Rev. Thomas L. Eliot, as alternate; National Prison Reform Congress (letterhead of Washington University).
- January 17, 1876: Appointment of Nicholas Ford, Representative, Andrew County; recommends J. S. Turwell, county surveyor in Worth County, for county surveyor; vacancy caused by relocation of elected surveyor.
- January 28, 1876: Appointment of Judge M. P. Tate, Gainesville, Ozark County; question of prosecutor who lives outside county holding office.
- January 29, 1876: Appointment of G. G. Vest (George Graham Vest), Sedalia, Pettis County; acknowledging appointment as delegate to southern states immigration convention to be held in New Orleans.
- January 31, 1876: Appointment of Norman J. Colman, St. Louis; acknowledging appointment to Southern State Immigration Congress, unable to attend, birth of infant daughter (letterhead of Colman’s Rural World).
- February 1876: Appointment of Judge M. P. Tate, (Ozark County); enclosed letter from Circuit Judge J. R. Woodside concerning appointment of prosecuting attorney (for Ozark County); recommends Y. E. McClendon.
February 1876
Appointments—Miscellaneous: petition, citizens of Ozark County; recommends Y. E. McClendon; removal of John F. Hale

February 1876
Appointments—Miscellaneous: F. B. Eaton, Galena, Stone County; indictment against him, regarding property settlement of client McKinney, Gideon’s efforts to ruin him

February 4, 1876
Appointments—Miscellaneous: McLaran Williams & Co., St. Louis; recommends Charles M. Williams to Southern States Immigration Congress

February 10, 1876
Appointments—Miscellaneous: E. S. Dulin, Columbia, Boone County; recommends brother C. W. Dulin; position as messenger in Washington Department; quartermaster in Washington Navy Yard, but no ships are being built and so no money appropriated

February 12, 1876
Appointments—Miscellaneous: J. R. Woodside, Thomasville, Oregon County, to M. P. Tate; correspondence covering letter from Governor Hardin, recommends McClendon for prosecutor, Ozark County

February 21, 1876
Appointments—Miscellaneous: John W. Harlin, clerk of circuit court, Ozark County; certification that J. F. Hale, prosecuting attorney-elect, has moved from county; recommends Y. E. McClendon for replacement

February 22, 1876
Appointments—Miscellaneous: P. C. Berry, Stone County; former prosecutor F. M. Gideon appointed prosecutor pro tem by the county court, citizens want F. B. Eaton appointed in order to remove Gideon, charges are believed to be malicious

February 22, 1876
Appointments—Miscellaneous: M. V. Massey, Galena, Stone County; recommends F. B. Eaton as prosecuting attorney; prosecution of Eaton was malicious and fraudulent, county court has retained F. M. Gideon (letterhead of Schellack Brothers)

February 22, 1876
Appointments—Miscellaneous: W. R. Davenport (sic), Stone County; recommends F. B. Eaton, Stone County prosecutor
February 22, 1876
Appointments—Miscellaneous: John H. Story, Galena, Stone County; copy of indictment against F. B. Eaton sent to governor by Gideon; general sentiment has this is a false charge by Gideon

February 23, 1876
Appointments—Miscellaneous: Volney Moon, Greenfield, Dade County; question over procedure for appointing school commissioner

February 25, 1876
Appointments—Miscellaneous: F. M. Gideon, former Stone County prosecuting attorney, Highlandville, Christian County; opposes F. B. Eaton for prosecutor; Eaton leads a band that one year ago attempted to assassinate J. M. Williams and others, causing (Adjutant) General Bingham to visit the county; seven men stand indicted for attempted assassination of several citizens, and if appointed Eaton will turn them lose; James Lain

February 26, 1876
Appointments—Miscellaneous: John D. Parkinson, Greenfield, Dade County; recommends George E. Bowling as school commissioner

March 1876
Appointments—Miscellaneous: petition, Dade County; recommends George S. Bowling as common school commissioner; vacancy due to death of Prof. William R. Bennington

March 3, 1876
Appointments—Miscellaneous: M. M. Fisk, county clerk, Galena, Stone County; withdrawing recommendation of F. B. Eaton for prosecuting attorney (see also Fisk, Feb. 17, Dec. 2; Geiger, April 5; Carr, Nov. 23)

February 17, 1876
Appointments—Miscellaneous: (#1 of 5) M. M. Fisk, Stone County; certification of copy produced by F. B. Eaton purporting to be certificate of Hon. John T. Morton

April 5, 1875
Appointments—Miscellaneous: (#2 of 5) certification by Judge W. F. Geiger that F. B. Eaton produced satisfactory evidence in Stone County Circuit Court of his qualifications to practice law in Missouri
November 23, 1875

**Appointments—Miscellaneous:** (#3 of 5) copy of transcript from F. M. Carr, Stone County; administrator of the estate of J. N. McKinney, deceased, versus F. B. Eaton, action for the recovery of a cow.

December 2, 1875

**Appointments—Miscellaneous:** (#4 of 5) certification by M. M. Fisk, Stone County circuit and county clerk, that F. B. Eaton has taken oath to practice law in Missouri.

July 20, 1874

**Appointments—Miscellaneous:** (#5 of 5) certification of Frank B. Eaton’s license to practice law in Kansas by Judge John T. Morton (end of enclosures).

March 7, 1876

**Appointments—Miscellaneous:** file notation by Governor C. H. Hardin; P. C. Berry, Galena, Stone County, declined to appoint Eaton as long as a charge stood against him and because Judge Geiger said he was not qualified.

March 23, 1876

**Appointments—Miscellaneous:** I. H. Murray, Springfield, Greene County; recommends Zack T. Murphy, formerly of Greene County, for prosecuting attorney of McDonald County (letterhead of McGregor, Noe & Keet Hardware).

April 10, 1876

**Appointments—Miscellaneous:** J. R. Woodside, Ava, Douglas County; reply to Governor’s request, will determine if Mr. Hale has left Christian County and suggest the appointment of a replacement for prosecuting attorney.

April 18, 1876

**Appointments—Miscellaneous:** A. W. Alexander, St. Louis; no office currently held.

April 20, 1876

**Appointments—Miscellaneous:** S. M. Moore, Chicago, Illinois; recommends David Davis, St. Louis, as Democratic Candidate for President.

April 26, 1876

**Appointments—Miscellaneous:** W. P. Smyth, St. Louis; requests appointment as secretary for state board of equalization (letterhead of Barnum’s Hotel).
Appointments—Miscellaneous: J. R. Woodside, Thomasville, Oregon County; prosecuting attorneyship in Ozark (County); Hale resides at Marshfield, Webster County; McClenden arranging to go to New Mexico; no other recommendations

May 6, 1876

Appointments—Miscellaneous: Joseph Brown, St. Louis; acknowledging appointment as delegate from Missouri to Fourth National Prison Reform Congress of the U.S., unable to attend

May 27, 1876

Appointments—Miscellaneous: Anthony Leiweke, Linn, Osage County; enclosed certified copy of county court proceedings concerning resignation of coroner Henry Hood

May 31, 1876

Appointments—Miscellaneous: Walter C. Carr, St. Louis; requests appointment as city collector

June 26, 1876

Appointments—Miscellaneous: petition, from citizens of Pike County; recommends Robert H. Wright as county court clerk; currently deputy sheriff; death of Henry C. Campbell

June 27, 1876

Appointments—Miscellaneous: (surname illegible), St. Louis; recommends Thomas W. Hornsby for auditor

June 28, 1876

Appointments—Miscellaneous: James A. Sanderson, Collector, Bowling Green, Pike County; enclosed petitions endorsing Wright’s appointment, opponent Mr. Porter

July 1, 1876

Appointments—Miscellaneous: petition, Hillsboro, Jefferson County; recommends Samuel Byrns as prosecuting attorney to replace Abner Green, deceased

July 4, 1876

Appointments—Miscellaneous: William P. Adair, Public Administrator, Hillsboro, Jefferson County; recommends W. H. H. Thomas for prosecuting attorney

July 8, 1876

Appointments—Miscellaneous: Eugene Amor, Hillsboro, Jefferson County; recommends W. H. H. Thomas for prosecuting attorney (letterhead of Amor’s Hotel)
July 8, 1876  Appointments—Miscellaneous: Mark C. Jennings, Hillsboro, Jefferson County; recommends William H. H. Thomas for prosecuting attorney

July 8, 1876  Appointments—Miscellaneous: R. W. McMullin, Hillsboro, Jefferson County; recommends W. H. H. Thomas for prosecuting attorney (letterhead of Jefferson Democrat)

July 10, 1876  Appointments—Miscellaneous: Justice J. C. Cape, DeSoto, Jefferson County; recommends W. H. H. Thomas for prosecuting

July 10, 1876  Appointments—Miscellaneous: P. Pipkin, Kimmswick, St. Louis County; recommends William H. H. Thomas for Jefferson County prosecuting attorney; political group called gravel road men, headed by J. H. Moose; illegal contracts

July 10, 1876  Appointments—Miscellaneous: Silas Woodson, St. Joseph, Buchanan County, to Judge E. H. Norton; will be unable to attend the Jefferson City Convention the 19th because of obligations as attorney (Governor Silas Woodson, 1871-1873)

July 10, 1876  Appointments—Miscellaneous: Silas Woodson, St. Joseph, Buchanan County; recommends Cullen M. Lincoln, Willard P. Hall, Jr., son of Governor Hall, or Samuel B. Green; Governor Hardin’s request for recommendations for particular position (Governor Silas Woodson, 1871-1873)

July 12, 1876  Appointments—Miscellaneous: telegram, Sam Byrnes, DeSoto, Jefferson County; requesting that Jefferson County prosecutor appointment be delayed until further endorsements arrive; J. F. Thomas’s application

July 12, 1876  Appointments—Miscellaneous: Sam Byrnes, Hillsboro, Jefferson County; enclosed endorsements and petitions, Jefferson County prosecutor

July 12, 1876  Appointments—Miscellaneous: Louis F. Dinning, Potosi, Washington County; recommends Samuel Byrns as Jefferson County prosecuting attorney; Byrns is a surveyor (letterhead of Andrew F. Casey, Circuit Clerk and Recorder)
Appointments—Miscellaneous: Abraham M. Garver, Decatur, Macon County, Illinois; false charges against him concerning the rape of a child (Clinton County); Dr. Webster, Theodore Metcalf, D. Adkins, Peter Hackenburg; Governor Hardin’s correspondence of July 5, 1876

Appointments—Miscellaneous: John L. Thomas, Jefferson City, Cole County; recommends W. H. H. Thomas, for Jefferson County prosecuting attorney (letterhead of Missouri State Auditor)

Appointments—Miscellaneous: James F. Green, Hillsboro, Jefferson County, to James H. Green; recommends W. H. H. Thomas to replace Abner Green, his deceased father and former prosecuting attorney

Appointments—Miscellaneous: Eugene A. Harrington, St. Louis; Ways and Means Committee has decided to recommend no one for the position (of St. Louis County Auditor)

Appointments—Miscellaneous: T. L. Smith, Jefferson City, Cole County; recommends James W. Allen, Chariton County, for staff officer of the commander-in-chief of state militia

Appointments—Miscellaneous: R. V. Burns, Forsyth, Taney County; requests appointment as Douglas County prosecutor; N. E. Ide, prosecutor, has moved to Texas

Appointments—Miscellaneous: George C. Catlett, St. Joseph, Buchanan County; commending appointment of former Governor Woodson; recommends Dr. William I. Heddens to replace Dr. E. A. Doneland, elected to the legislature (letterhead of State Lunatic Asylum No. 2)

Appointments—Miscellaneous: J. B. McClendon, Gainesville, Ozark County, to Secretary of State McGrath; election results obtain by voting fraud, county being run by Radicals; in 1868 were only six Democrats in Ozark County (note: respectfully referred to Governor Hardin (by) McGrath, Secy)
November 12, 1876
Appointments—Miscellaneous: J. G. Blair, Monticello, Lewis County; acknowledging receipt of appointment as alternate delegate for Hon. W. P. Harrison to Railroad Convention at St. Louis, unable to attend

November 16, 1876
Appointments—Miscellaneous: John L. Detchemendy, Carterville, Reynolds County; requesting expeditious commission for new prosecuting attorney John S. Jordan; Detchemendy former prosecuting attorney

November 16, 1876
Appointments—Miscellaneous: R. H. Manly, Houston, Texas County; enclosed certificate of election for R. T. Foard, sheriff; L. G. Nichol, prosecuting attorney, George Paulding, county surveyor; request for their commissions

November 23, 1876

December 3, 1876
Appointments—Miscellaneous: W. P. Smyth, St. Louis; requests appointment (letterhead of St. Louis Times)

December 12, 1876
Appointments—Miscellaneous: Thomas S. Carter, Sturgeon, Boone County; recommends M. M. Jesse as sergeant at arms of the House (letterhead of Sturgeon Leader)

December 26, 1876
Appointments—Miscellaneous: Joseph C. Moore, Charleston, Mississippi County; recommends both Ringo and Smith; Ringo comes from a largely Republican Township; Smith from a Democratic area (letterhead of Moore & Hatcher)

January 2, 1877
Appointments—Miscellaneous: William E. Walton, County Clerk, Butler, Bates County; confusion whether Alfred Lea or Johnson Hill is public administrator
Appointments—Miscellaneous: note, Stoddard County; statutory authority for appointment of county judge

Pardons—A: G. J. Burns, Osage Fork; requests pardon for Frank Aron; financial hardship for wife and children

Pardons—A: Governor C. H. Hardin to Mrs. Eliza Anderson, St. Louis; refused for her husband (note: this was returned by post office—let it be sent again)

Pardons—B: George H. Baker, Jefferson City Cole County; paperwork error regarding beginning date of incarceration; convicted in St. Louis Criminal Court on June 21, 1875 for grand larceny

Pardons—B: Ritchie, Springfield, Greene County; pursuit of Bird Bass, horse thief

Pardons—Berg: grand jury finding, St. Louis County; burglary and larceny against Stephen Monday, John Berg and Charles Beck

Pardons—Berg: St. Louis Criminal Court, Michael K. McGrath, clerk; convicted of second degree burglary and grand larceny

Pardons—Berg: sworn statement of Bertha Bick, St. Louis; alibi for John Berg during time of robbery in St. Louis County; purchased stolen goods in St. Louis

Pardons—Berg: sworn statement of Fred Bick, St. Louis; witness to purchase of stolen goods; Carr Street Ferry

Pardons—Berg: sworn statement of Mena Bick, St. Louis; witness to purchase of stolen goods

Pardons—Berg: sworn statement of Annie Foreman, St. Louis; alibi for John Berg during time of robbery

Pardons—Berg: Judge Wilson Primm to Col. N. C. Claiborne, defense attorney; cannot comply with Claiborne’s request to recommend pardon for Berg; possible executive clemency
1B/1/3  6  6 (3)  January 28, 1875  Pardons—Berg: Judge Wilson Primm, St. Louis; requesting pardon for John Berg, sentenced to penitentiary for burglary and grand larceny; Primm presided over trial and feels that man may have been innocent; Berg’s sister from Germany wants to take him home

1B/1/3  6  7 (3)  No Date  Pardons—Brown: requesting stay of execution for Henry Brown, St. Louis County, in order to file appeal; error in jury instructions (note: has been hanged)

1B/1/3  6  7 (3)  October 20, 1875  Pardons—Brown: C. H. Tandy, St. Louis; requesting stay of execution for Henry Brown, convicted of murder; Brown a Negro convicted by prejudice rather than impartial justice

1B/1/3  6  8 (4)  March 30, 1875  Pardons—C: John P. Sebree, warden, Missouri State Penitentiary, Jefferson City, Cole County; pardon brokerage, convict Samuel Cady, broker James R. Willis

1B/1/3  6  8 (4)  July 22, 1875  Pardons—C: John P. Sebree, warden, and W. H. Bradbury, Penitentiary, Jefferson City, Cole County; protest against executive interference in case of William Campbell; violated terms of pardon and makes frequent visits near penitentiary, coming in contact with convicts

1B/1/3  6  8 (4)  March 6, 1875  Pardons—C: John P. Sebree, warden, Missouri Penitentiary, Jefferson City, Cole County; care of William H. Caulk, convicted of grand larceny in Jackson County 1874; must be chained in cell; statement by J. A. Egan, penitentiary physician regarding Caulk’s need for a quiet place and proper treatment

1B/1/3  6  8 (4)  March 2, 1875  Pardons—C: Pardons: Ethbert Caulk, Easton, Kansas; requesting to have son moved from Missouri Penitentiary to insane asylum; mother subject to hereditary insanity (letterhead of Kansas State Legislative Dept.)

1B/1/3  6  8 (4)  April 13, 1875  Pardons—C: William L. Dulaney, Bowling Green, Kentucky; John A. Childers, in penitentiary for stealing a horse (note: Ans’d April 16th ’75 declining to pardon)
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<td>C: J. A. Egan, Missouri Penitentiary physician, Jefferson City, Cole County; examination of Ambrose Coe at Hardin’s request; no indication of insanity</td>
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<td>September 10, 1876</td>
<td>C: Mrs. C. C. Cox, Salem, Dent County; thanking governor for pardon of father, requesting pardon of brothers (surname of father and brothers unknown)</td>
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<td>D: J. P. Colcord, St. Louis; requests return of Michael Dooley’s application for pardon, submitted to Governor Woodson</td>
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February 26, 1875  
Pardons—G: E. S. King, Jefferson City, to Edwin Silver, Jefferson City, Cole County; misplaced papers concerning pardon of W. F. Goode, Iron County

November 18, 1876  
Pardons—G: T. T. Crittenden, Warrensburg, Johnson County; request for I. M. B. Greene, sentenced on two counts of incest with daughters

May 25  
Pardons—G: Mrs. S. A. Ives, Deansville, to Mr. Colcord; efforts to get Ed pardoned; Mr. Peckham’s letter

January 11, 1875  
Pardons—G: proceedings of St. Louis Court of Criminal Corrections, St. Louis, Missouri vs. Edward Grinnell, charged with assault and battery upon Sophia Kaiser

June 1, 1875  
Pardons—G: petition, St. Louis; request for Edward Grinnell, fined one hundred dollars and confined at hard labor in county workhouse; mother will take him home to Ohio if released

May 8, 1875  
Pardons—Gilmore: J. A. Egan, physician, Missouri Penitentiary, Jefferson City, Cole County; recommends pardon for Francis Gilmore due to physical condition; convict will go to Albany, New York

July 13, 1875  
Pardons—Gilmore: J. A. Egan, physician, Missouri Penitentiary, Jefferson City, Cole County; arrangements for Gilmore to get to St. Louis; if pardoned, Catholic friends in St. Louis will take charge of him

May 8, 1876  
Pardons—Gilmore: John P. Sebree, Jr., Clerk, Missouri Penitentiary, Jefferson City, Cole County; report on prisoner status of Francis Gilmore

October 8, 1876  
Pardons—H: Charles H. Harold, Penitentiary, Jefferson City, Cole County; impending pardon with stipulation to leave county within twenty-four hours
1B/1/3  6  13 (8)  January 29, 1876  Pardons—H: J. A. Egan, physician, Missouri Penitentiary, Jefferson City, Cole County; recommends R. W. Hillis on grounds of health

1B/1/3  6  13 (8)  February 10, 1876  Pardons—H: Samuel Boyd, Marshall, Saline County; request for Joseph Hoover, convicted embezzler

1B/1/3  6  14 (8)  November 5, 1875  Pardons—Hallenscheid: petition, Hermann, Gasconade County; requesting commutation of death sentence imposed upon Henry and Anna Hallenscheid; convicted of murder of Christian Alband; speak only German, aged

1B/1/3  6  14 (8)  November 30, 1875  Pardons—Hallenscheid: petition, Hermann, Gasconade County; requesting commutation of death sentence imposed upon Henry and Anna Hallenscheid

1B/1/3  6  14 (8)  December 3, 1875  Pardons—Hallenscheid: Mrs. Francis Minor, St. Louis; requesting commutation of death sentence imposed upon Anna Hallenscheid; death sentence based on legal principle of femme coverture

1B/1/3  6  14 (8)  December 8, 1875  Pardons—Hallenscheid: T. S. Smith, Jefferson City, Cole County; requesting commutation of death sentence imposed upon Henry and Anna Hallenscheid, sentenced to be hanged; convicted of first degree murder of son-in-law, Christian Alband; popular sentiment wholly against accused, change of venue not granted; unfair trial

1B/1/3  6  14 (8)  December 16, 1875  Pardons—Hallenscheid: telegram, Sheriff Theo Bergner, Hermann, Gasconade County; receipt of commutation pardon for Anna Hallenscheid

1B/1/3  6  15 (8)  No Date  Pardons—Hardin: James H. Hardin, state prison, Charlestown, Massachusetts; requests letter to Governor Gaston recommending pardon; convicted and given long sentence in Massachusetts due to Civil War service with Gen. Lee on Richmond lines and at Gettysburg; attached copy of letter from Hon. Gerrit Smith, New York, to Gen. Talbot
1B/1/3 6 15 (8) January 17, 1874 Pardons—Hardin: Alexander Stephens, Washington, D.C., to James H. Hardin; expressing sympathy and hope for executive clemency (notes: one of Mr Stephens notes to me, signed Jas H Hardin; intention to stop at Jefferson City on the way to relatives in southwest Missouri; acquaintance with General Cockrell at Battle of Franklin, Tennessee)

1B/1/3 6 15 (8) October 4, 1875 Pardons—Hardin: Alexander H. Stephens, Liberty Hall, Crawfordsville, Georgia; request for Missouri citizen James H. Hardin, jailed in Massachusetts for fraud

1B/1/3 6 16 (8) February 26, 1875 Pardons—Harris: James Harris, Missouri Penitentiary, Jefferson City, Cole County; personal request; will leave state in twelve hours and state in ten days, desires to return to native France

1B/1/3 6 16 (8) July 26, 1875 Pardons—Harris: James Harris, Missouri Penitentiary, Jefferson City, Cole County; knows what causes railroad calamities and can prevent them

1B/1/3 6 16 (8) July 7, 1876 Pardons—Harris: James Harris, Missouri Penitentiary, Jefferson City, Cole County; personal request to return to native France

1B/1/3 6 16 (8) July 26, 1876 Pardons—Harris: James Harris, Missouri Penitentiary, Jefferson City, Cole County; personal request; desires to return to native France

1B/1/3 6 17 (10) February 12, 1876 Pardons—Italians: Charles P. Johnson, St. Louis; case of five Italians arrested after killing of Polermo; Peter Gazzallo, the policeman who obtained Russo’s confession; Italians of our city are deeply interested, believing the defense to have been inadequate; Russo previously requested Polermo’s arrest; statement made to coroner changed

1B/1/3 6 17 (10) February 13, 1876 Pardons—Italians: David J. Doherty, St. Louis; Mr. Gazzolo is policeman who arrested three Italians now sentenced to death

1B/1/3 6 17 (10) February 14, 1876 Pardons—Italians: Father David J. Doherty, St. Louis; details of inadequate trial defense and changing testimony of principal prosecution witness; Italians had previously appealed for protection from victim; Governor Johnson (letterhead of St. Louis Cathedral)
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<td>Pardons—Italians: E. A. Noonan, St. Louis; Italians convicted of murder acted in self defense; details of crime; three of five defendants sentenced to death; was attorney for Santo Maglio, who turned state’s evidence along with Angelo Russo; Maglio only defendant that spoke English, being reared in St. Louis; defendants and victim Palermo from Sicily, where they were involved in feud; Palermo threatened murder</td>
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March 9, 1875  Pardons—S: City Marshal Alf Roberts, Keokuk, Iowa; case of William Smith, now in Missouri State Penitentiary; train robbers

April 7, 1873  Pardons—S: Warden J. P. Sebree, Penitentiary, Jefferson City, Cole County; imprisonment and conduct of Dudley Strange

November 25, 1875  Pardons—S: George Stern, Penitentiary, Jefferson City, Cole County; request under three-fourths rule (note: pardoned under ¾ rule)

August 18, 1875  Pardons—Sheehan: James Sheehan, Missouri Penitentiary, Jefferson City, Cole County; personal request; inmate William Hodges confessed to crime for which Sheehan was convicted; convicted in Hannibal, Marion County, of first degree burglary

August 28, 1875  Pardons—Sheehan: affidavit from William Hodges, Missouri Penitentiary, Jefferson City, Cole County; confession of attempted burglary in Hannibal, Marion County and exoneration of James Sheehan

August 31, 1875  Pardons—Sheehan: Oney Carstarphen, Hannibal, Marion County; returning papers concerning James Sheehan, per governor’s request

December 22, 1874  Pardons—Shultz: copy of letter from Judge W. W. Edwards, St. Charles, St. Charles County, to E. A. Shultz; merits pardon from Governor

July 6, 1876  Pardons—Shultz: Judge W. W. Edwards, St. Charles, St. Charles County; recommends pardon for E. A. Shultz; appended statement of convict’s conduct by warden John P. Sebree

July 6, 1876  Pardons—Shultz: Judge W. W. Edwards, St. Charles, St. Charles County, to E. A. Shultz, Missouri Penitentiary, Jefferson City, Cole County; letter written to governor in Shultz’s behalf
July 8, 1876
Pardons—Shultz: E. A. Shultz, Missouri Penitentiary, Jefferson City, Cole County; personal request

August 4, 1875
Pardons—Sprague: J. F. Brookhart, M.D., Harrisonville, Cass County; opposes pardon for Sprague, sentenced to hang

August 16, 1875
Pardons—Sprague: J. R. Sasseen, Harrisonville, Cass County; clemency for J. S. E. Sprague

August 23, 1875
Pardons—Sprague: James Armstrong, Harrisonville, Cass County; opposes clemency for Elijah James Sprague (or James Elijah Sprague); Armstrong was prosecuting attorney against Sprague, who committed murder in Holden, Johnson County

December 14, 1875
Pardons—W-Y: Isaac Walton, State Penitentiary, Jefferson City, Cole County; personal request; five months over bill time

February 8, 1876
Pardons—W-Y: A. E. Barns, Bushnell, Illinois; request for Charlie West; conversation in December regarding pardon

October 20, 1875
Pardons—W-Y: W. H. Yates, Whitesville, Andrew County; request for his son; petitions sent with Mr. Vincent

January 14, 1875
Pardons—Ware: Samuel Ware, State Penitentiary, Jefferson City, Cole County; petition for pardon

November 22, 1875
Pardons—Ware: John H. Ware, Sr., City Bluffs, Nodaway County, to Samuel F. Ware; if your conduct in prison has been good maybe you can get a pardon under the ¾ rule; note sent to warden in prisoner’s behalf

December 6, 1875
Pardons—Ware: Samuel Ware, State Penitentiary, Jefferson City, Cole County; petition for pardon; convicted in Andrew County

October 12, 1875
Pardons—Wilson: Celsus Price, St. Louis; request; judge in case greatly offended by governor (letterhead of State Insurance Dept.)
October 29, 1875
Pardons—Wilson: Jeff Chandler, St. Louis; Judge Jones will not sign petition for Wilson’s pardon unless governor requests (letterhead of Chandler & Young Law Office)

November 8, 1875
Pardons—Wilson: Mary L. Wilson, St. Louis; requesting return of all papers concerning request for pardon of husband, William H. Wilson (note: Nov. 9th 1875; mailed as requested)

November 30, 1874
State Geologist: G. C. Swallow, Columbia, Boone County; expenditure for state geological survey to be redone; past efforts at conducting the survey; interrupted by the Civil War

November 30, 1874
State Geologist: G. C. Swallow, Columbia, Boone County; enclosed memorial and meeting report from the Committee of the American Association for the Advancement of Science recognizing the geological survey done by Professor Swallow in Missouri

January 29, 1875
State Geologist: George H. Morgan, St. Louis; requesting copy of geological report for the exchange library (letterhead of Union Merchants Exchange; note: book & map sent

February 3, 1875
State Geologist: George H. Morgan, St. Louis; acknowledging receipt of geological report book and map (letterhead of Union Merchants Exchange; note: I cheerfully commend any enterprise which tends to increase the facilities for the education and general intelligence of the blind)

February 26, 1875
State Geologist: Prof. John B. Dunbar, Washburn College, Topeka, Kansas; requesting donation of Geological Survey of Missouri for College Library (note: April 1st 1875 Forwarded)

March 4, 1875
State Geologist: State Geologist G. C. Broadhead, St. Louis; collection of geological specimens; legislature recently abolished board of geology and mines (letterhead of Missouri Geological Survey)

March 4, 1875
State Geologist: J. Turner, Reeds Landing, Wabashaw County, Minnesota; requesting geological information on lead mines later than Prof. Swallow’s report published in 1854; lead mines, Perry County
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<td>acknowledging receipt of <em>Geological Survey of State of Missouri 1873-74</em> with atlas, requesting photograph and autograph of governor</td>
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<td>G. C. Broadhead (Garland Carr Broadhead), St. Louis</td>
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<td>requesting information on asbestos; company preparing to use up to 100 tons per month (letterhead of Asbestos Fire-Proofing Company)</td>
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<td>W. B. Potter, Washington University, St. Louis</td>
<td>what will be state’s role in collecting and preparing specimens for the Centennial Exhibition?</td>
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1B/1/3 6 30 (16) May 26, 1875  State Geologist: Lloyd Smith, Library Committee of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; requesting copy of Geological Survey of Missouri

1B/1/3 6 30 (16) May 27, 1875  State Geologist: L. H. Murray, Springfield, Greene County; requesting copy of Broadhead’s geological reports; Dr. Tefft; mining in Greene County (letterhead of McGregor, Murray & Noe)

1B/1/3 6 30 (16) July 20, 1875  State Geologist: Julius Bien, New York, New York; requesting assistance to obtain balance due for printing geological report for 1872; bill first presented in January 1874 (note: July 23 1875, returned the enclosure advising him to mail paper to Prest Williams (at) Rolla to lay it before proper authorities)

1B/1/3 6 30 (16) September 10, 1875  State Geologist: F. L. Harvey, Arkansas Industrial University, Fayetteville, Arkansas; requesting geological reports for Missouri

1B/1/3 6 30 (16) October 21, 1875  State Geologist: Charles P. Williams, Missouri School of Mines and Metallurgy, Rolla, Phelps County; communication from James M. Love; Macon County; gold

1B/1/3 6 30 (16) November 17, 1875  State Geologist: Charles P. Williams, Missouri School of Mines and Metallurgy, Rolla, Phelps County; report of inspection of gold locality in Macon County; no veins exist and gold not worth extracting

1B/1/3 6 30 (16) December 27, 1875  State Geologist: Charles P. Williams, Missouri School of Mines and Metallurgy, Rolla, Phelps County; manuscript of Industrial Report of Metallurgy of Lead, Etc. is complete; Missouri lead gaining favor; attached estimate from Regan & Carter, Jefferson City, Cole County, for printing geological report for 1875

1B/1/3 6 30 (16) February 21, 1876  State Geologist: A. & H. Wilcox, Jackson, Michigan; requesting geological reports; interested in developing Missouri manufacturing interest

1B/1/3 6 30 (16) May 19, 1876 State Geologist: Thomas Simpson, High Point, Moniteau County; offer of collection of mineralogical and geological specimens for the centennial exhibition at Philadelphia; must accompany collection but cannot afford expenses; former owner of Simpson coal and lead mining property in Moniteau County

1B/1/3 6 30 (16) July 6, 1876 State Geologist: Fred H. Smith, Baltimore Bridge Company, Baltimore, Maryland; requesting set of geological reports for Missouri, specimens sent by Judge Bates from Granby and Joplin mines have excited such interest in Maryland (letterhead of Baltimore Bridge Company)

1B/1/3 6 30 (16) December 11, 1876 State Geologist: W. J. Ackley, Waterloo, Blackhawk County, Iowa; requesting copy of geological survey for 1864; lead mining at Dubuque; possible mining for lead and zinc in Missouri

1B/1/3 6 31 (17) No Date Civil War: draft of proclamation appointing R. P. Lowe and J. B. Archer, Washington, D.C., as agents of Missouri to pursue claim of payment for land taken up by (Civil War) military warrants

1B/1/3 6 31 (17) No Date Civil War: statement of Crittenden; bill introduced into Congress by Banning of Ohio requiring the U.S. Government to pay for horses and articles furnished U. S. (Civil War) troops in Ohio was defeated; Ohio legislature had appointed commission to audit claim

1B/1/3 6 31 (17) No Date Civil War: reply by Governor Hardin to article in Chicago Inter Ocean; history of Missouri war claims, article is a fabrication; claims of some militia organizations found to be fraudulent and parties indicted in state and federal courts

1B/1/3 6 31 (18) No Date Civil War: petition (colored citizens); requesting legal opinion from the Supreme Court upon the constitutionality of 1863 legislative act establishing commutation tax to support enrolled (Civil War) militia; opinion may be used as basis for application to general assembly or U.S. Congress or Supreme Court
June 24, 1874

Civil War: L. G. Cottey, Edina, Knox County, to Col. David Moore, Canton, Lewis County; desires to know how to pursue war claim for father’s property taken; Major Rodgers’s command at time part of Missouri State Militia but later recognized as U.S.; most losses to Missouri State Militia and Home Guards (letterhead of Circuit Clerk)

November 22, 1874

Civil War: James Craig, St. Joseph, Buchanan County; requesting appointment as agent to pursue war claims with U.S. Government

January 5, 1875

Civil War: Nathan C. Kouns, Jefferson City, Cole County; opposes appointment of any member of the military claims commission as adjutant general

January 11, 1875

Civil War: William Herrick, Westmoreland Hotel, New York, New York; holds $60,000 of war scrip issued by Missouri General Assembly, desires to know prospects of them being paid off

January 16, 1875

Civil War: Silas Woodson, Jefferson City, Cole County; recommends Gen. James Craig as war claims agent in Washington (letterhead of Dept. of Public Schools, appended endorsements; Woodson was governor, 1871-1873)

January 19, 1875

Civil War: memorial and join resolution from Missouri General Assembly to the U.S. Congress; request for speedy resolution and payment of war claims

January 30, 1875

Civil War: U.S. Senator Lewis V. Bogy, Washington, D.C. to Adj. Gen. George C. Bingham, Jefferson City, Cole County; advise delay in presenting claims to Congress, claims now before Congress are small part of those allowed by the Missouri Commission

February 3, 1875

Civil War: statement to the Senate and House of Representatives; bill before Congress would consider regular claims but disqualify irregular claims, urging support of legislation that would cover all war claims (letterhead of Missouri Executive Dept.)
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Civil War: Allan Rutherford, Treasury Dept., Washington, D.C., to Hon, G. C. Bingham, Adjutant General of Missouri, Jefferson City, Cole County; request for statement concerning Missouri war claim filed for settlement; first installment filed January 1867 and payment made for amount allowed; no payment made on second installment, filed 1873; no payment made on third installment, filed 1874; Congressional appropriation act of 1873 barred settlement of all state military claims.

March 2, 1875

Civil War: Seneca W. Hammock, Middletown, Montgomery County; Missouri should pay war claims; history of origin of claims and government action on them.

March 11, 1875

Civil War: William C. Wilson, St. Louis, to Adjutant General George C. Bingham, Jefferson City, Cole County; possible fraud concerning certificates (of indebtedness) amounting to over $10,000 drawn on roll of company C., 17th Regiment, Enrolled Missouri (Civil War) Militia.

March 17, 1875

Civil War: George W. Brown, Augusta, Kansas; redemption of certificate of indebtedness for Enrolled Missouri Militia Service; Company A 77th Regiment.

March 18, 1875

Civil War: Governor C. H. Hardin, Jefferson City, Cole County, to Adjutant General G. C. Bingham; enclosed letter from William C. Wilson, order to investigate and report on possible fraud.

March 18, 1875

Civil War: Alex Paddack, Cincinnati, Ohio; questioning advisability of accepting certificates of indebtedness for war claims, issued by Missouri, as payment.

April 15, 1875

Civil War: R. H. Brown, Kirksville, Adair County; Civil War service claims and claims allowed by the commission, wish to get them ready to be presented in Washington if Congress provides for their payment.

April 27, 1875

Civil War: order from governor of commissioned officers vacated from Missouri Militia.
1B/1/3  6  32 (17)  July 16, 1875  Civil War: D. W. Kilbourne, New York, New York; holds $50,000 of Missouri war certificates and would like to know their standing; sold by B. F. Wallace, St. Louis; certified authentic by Adjutant General Crafton of Missouri in 1874; enclosed telegraph of authentication from Crafton

1B/1/3  6  32 (17)  July 23, 1875  Civil War: G. W. Miller, Cincinnati, Ohio; hold Missouri war certificates granted to George H. Young and would like to know their standing

1B/1/3  6  32 (17)  November 30, 1875  Civil War: Lowe & Archer, Jefferson City, Cole County; offer to pursue military bounty land five percent claim for war debt in Missouri’s behalf before Congress for 20% contingency fee

1B/1/3  6  33 (18)  January 3, 1876  Civil War: Thomas C. Reynolds, St. Louis; requesting information on statutory authority by which war claims agent may be appointed

1B/1/3  6  33 (18)  January 6, 1876  Civil War: Thomas C. Reynolds, St. Louis; recommends Col. Wailer, agent of State of Maryland, for war claims agent; recommendation of Judge Montgomery Blair, Washington, D.C.

1B/1/3  6  33 (18)  January 3, 1876  Civil War: Thomas C. Reynolds, St. Louis; recommending services for collection of war claims

1B/1/3  6  33 (18)  January 7, 1876  Civil War: Thomas C. Reynolds, St. Louis; acknowledging Governor’s correspondence General Wailer

1B/1/3  6  33 (17)  January 11, 1876  Civil War: J. B. Archer, Washington, D.C.; reiterating earlier offer to represent Missouri’s claims concerning military lands (letterhead of Lowe & Archer)

1B/1/3  6  33 (18)  January 14, 1876  Civil War: Congressman Aylett Hawes Buckner, Washington, D.C.; recommends John B. Clark, Jr. as agent for collecting war claims (letterhead of House of Representatives)

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<td>Civil War: Missouri Adjutant General G. C. Bingham, Washington, D.C.; enclosing a bill drawn up with Senator Bogey’s approval to be introduced into Senate for payment of war claims; many of vouchers related to payments made by Major des Been destroyed or stolen, copy of proposed senate bill</td>
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Civil War: Adjutant General G. C. Bingham, Washington, D.C.; war claim committee hearing postponed, bill introduced by Senator Stevenson, Kentucky, which would secure payment of state claims but not those of citizens who had supplies and property taken.

March 23, 1876
Civil War: Adjutant General G. C. Bingham, Washington, D.C.; Senate Committee on War Claims referred Missouri bill to sub committee of three; Cockrell expects sub committee to report favorably, bill also presented in House; abstract of payments by Major (surname illegible)des to the Militia, filed with state auditor, show larger sum paid by state than record of unpaid claims in Missouri Adjutant General’s office.

March 23, 1875
Civil War: James H. Lay, Jefferson City, Cole County; recommends A. C. Widdicombe, Boonville, Cooper County, as war claims agent (letterhead of Missouri House of Representatives).

March 23, 1876
Civil War: J. H. Payne, Kansas City, Jackson County; speculation in Confederate Civil War scrip (letterhead of Irwin, Allen & Co., Live Stock Merchants).

March 25, 1875
Civil War: Walter O. King, Jefferson City, Cole County; recommends A. C. Widdicombe, Boonville, Cooper County, as war claims agent.

March 27, 1876
Civil War: J. A. McAllister, Triplett, Chariton County; re: inquiring about payment of war debt for Enrolled Missouri Militia.

April 3, 1876
Civil War: Adjutant General G. C. Bingham, Washington, D.C.; enclosed copy of bill that will be favored by House, provides settlement of state war claims, but not claims of citizens, will likely receive more support than Missouri bill because it provides for payment to all states, employment of clerk at own expense.

April 19, 1876
Civil War: Susanna E. Shelton, Hunnewell, Shelby County; inquiring about militia pay for husband.
September 19, 1876  
Civil War: J. A. McAllister, Triplett, Chariton County; will war quartermaster claims audited by (Adjutant) General Crafton in the Summer of 1874 against the Enrolled Missouri Militia be honored?

November 4, 1876  
Civil War: telegram, Donnell Lawson & Co., New York, New York; newspapers publishing facsimiles of Missouri war scrip as evidence that Missouri is allowing and supporting rebel war claims, wish to know if scrip is genuine and facts of allegations

November 4, 1876  
Civil War: telegram, Thomas L. Snead, New York, New York; Republican falsehoods concerning scrip are injuring Tilden; governor should answer Donnell

April 16, 1875  
Institute for the Blind: D. H. MacAdam, trustee & secretary, board of trustees, St. Louis; annual appropriation not been paid to institution due to lack of funds

September 3, 1875  
Institute for the Blind: Silas Bent, board of trustees, St. Louis; state warrant protested for non-payment; T. B. Edgar, president of Continental Bank and treasurer of board of Institute, will allow overdraft to cover expenses

January 13, 1876  
Institute for the Blind: W. M. Leftwich, board of trustees; D. H. MacAdam, secretary; James McWorkman, superintendent, St. Louis; annual report on institution; debt free, change in mechanical department from lessee arrangement, average number of students was ninety-seven, certificate of notaries (see box 10, f.2 for oversize materials)

March 29, 1876  
Institute for the Blind: A. Willharfit, St. Louis; recommends that legislature appropriate funds for outfitting graduates of state institute for blind to support themselves; news clipping about suicide of blind man

July 11, 1876  
Institute for the Blind: operational report of the affiliated industrial workshop
July 26, 1876
Institute for the Blind: James McWorkman, supt. and secy. pro tem, St. Louis; submission of semi-annual report of condition and management of institute, according to constitution; need for industrial home where blind could work and support themselves; girls industrial band has raised $4000; number of students & subjects taught, items produced in girls work department, accompanying reports from treasurer and foreman of workshop.

August 1, 1876
Institute for the Blind: ledger of accounts with Citizens Savings Bank, St. Louis; appended exhibit of expenses Jan. 1 to July 1, 1876.

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Institute for the Blind: W. M. Leftwich, board of trustees, St. Louis; verification of semi-annual report of officers.

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Penitentiary: M. E. Hall, Matron, Female Dept., Jefferson City, Cole County; statement of work done by women and others during September 1876.

Penitentiary: Charles G. McHatton, St. Louis; advocating lessee system whereby cotton mill would be installed and employ over 200 convicts (letterhead of St. Louis Life Insurance Co.)

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Federal Officials: Governor C. H. Hardin to comptroller of Currency, U.S. Treasury Dept., Washington, D.C.; banks in Missouri; no banking commission; Missouri has two banks of issue, other banks are either national banks or savings banks, which are incorporated through the secretary of state and report annually to him.
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1B/1/3 6 41 (22)  August 25, 1876  Federal Officials: Treasurer of U.S., Washington, D.C.; remittance advice (note: August 28, 1876 draft described within endorsed to J. W. Mercer, state treas’r & delivered to register of lands, signed C. H. Hardin)

1B/1/3 6 41 (22)  October 10, 1876  Federal Officials: John Jay Knox, comptroller of Currency, U.S. Treasury Dept., Washington, D.C.; requesting annual reporting information on all banks; act of Congress approved Feb. 19, 1873

1B/1/3 6 41 (22)  October 21, 1876  Federal Officials: Hamilton Fisher, U.S. Dept. of State, Washington, D.C.; transmittal of pamphlet *Statutes of the United States of America Passed at the First Session of the Forty-Third Congress 1875-76*


1B/1/3 6 41 (22)  October 28, 1876  Federal Officials: John Jay Knox, comptroller of the Currency, U.S. Treasury Dept, requesting official report concerning condition of banks organized under Missouri law

1B/1/3 6 41 (22)  January 2, 1877  Federal Officials: Treasurer of U.S., Washington, D.C.; remittance advice; amount due Missouri, Franklin County (note: draft described within endorsed and delivered to treasurer of Missouri, signed C. H. Hardin)

1B/1/3 6 41 (22)  January 2, 1877  Federal Officials: Treasurer of U.S., Washington, D.C.; remittance advice; amount due Missouri, St. Clair County (note: January 8, 1877 endorsed and delivered to treasurer of Missouri, draft mentioned within, signed C. H. Hardin)

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Grasshopper Plague: State Entomologist C. V. Riley, St. Louis; requests bounty for destroyed grasshoppers

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May 31, 1875  
Grasshopper Plague: Mr. Sturgeon, St. Louis; applauding Governor’s day of fasting and prayer

June 1, 1875  
Grasshopper Plague: unknown author, Jefferson City, Cole County, to Hon. Frederick Watts, Commissioner of Agriculture, Washington, D.C.; requesting assistance with seeds for June planting; Governor will distribute, railroads from St. Louis west will provide free shipping; afflicted counties Bates, Buchanan, Cates, Cass, Clay, Clinton, Henry, Jackson, Johnson, Lafayette, Platte, Vernon, and portions of Pettis and St. Clair; last year was almost total crop failure due to insects and drought and thousands of dollars worth of stock perished in winter and early spring because of starvation (note: necessity of immediate relief)

June 1, 1875  
Grasshopper Plague: Rev. J. Barley, Chairman and A. H. Parks, secretary, ministers of Windsor, Henry County; resolution to observe day of fasting and prayer

June 1, 1875  
Grasshopper Plague: F. J. Tygard, Butler, Bates County; acknowledging receipt of funds for destitute, township trustees will distribute any relief (letterhead of Bates County National Bank)

June 3, 1875  
Grasshopper Plague: A. H. Burlingham, pastor, and deacons of Second Baptist Church, St. Louis; approval of and participation in day of fasting and prayer

June 3, 1875  
Grasshopper Plague: William T. Baird, Kirksville, Adair County; businesses closed in observance of day of fasting and prayer; collection taken and enclosed for relief of the destitute (letterhead of Baird, Melone & Co. Exchange Bank)

June 3, 1875  
Grasshopper Plague: Henry F. Baird, Lawson Station, Ray County; suggestion to kill grasshoppers and chinch bugs by sprinkling fields with coal oil
June 3, 1875
Grasshopper Plague: S. E. Hawthorne, Kingsville, Johnson County; copy of resolution passed by churches and people

June 3, 1875
Grasshopper Plague: James M. Riley, Plattsburg, Clinton County; observance of day of fasting and prayer

June 3, 1875
Grasshopper Plague: R. S. Tucker and J. R. Ach, Woodlawn, Monroe County; enclosed contribution for relief of southwest Missouri

June 4, 1875
Grasshopper Plague: Mayor Thomas K. Collins, Hannibal, Marion County; enclosed relief contribution collected during day of fasting and prayer

June 4, 1875
Grasshopper Plague: Ladies’ Church Committee, St. Louis; resolution approving day of fasting and prayer

June 4, 1875
Grasshopper Plague: J. W. McConness, treasurer, Christian Church, Macon City, Macon County; enclosed donation for relief (note: June 7th 1875 rec’d in this letter $4.50, signed C. H. Hardin)

June 4, 1875
Grasshopper Plague: D. M. Tucker, Fulton, Callaway County; widespread observance of day of fasting and prayer (letterhead of D. M. and J. H. Tucker, Dealers in Dry Goods)

June 4, 1875
Grasshopper Plague: B. F. Wallace, Independence, Jackson County; collection of nearly $200 for relief of grasshopper sufferers (letterhead of Brown, Hughes & Co.)

June 5, 1875
Grasshopper Plague: John Barker, Wellsville, Montgomery County; enclosed contribution for relief of southwest Missouri

June 5, 1875
Grasshopper Plague: Robert Brown, Mexico, Audrain County; enclosed relief collection from Concord and Pleasant Grove churches (letterhead of Mexico Southern Bank)

June 5, 1875
Grasshopper Plague: Mayor Thomas K. Collins, Hannibal, Marion County; enclosed relief contribution
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<td>Grasshopper Plague: Committee of distribution, Shelbina, Shelby County; enclosed bank draft for relief (letterhead of <em>Shelbina Democrat</em>); signed by D. G. Minter, Sam. S. Rawlings, P. H. Lish</td>
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Grasshopper Plague: William Sparks, Keytesville, Chariton County; requesting assistance in form of small, unsecured loans; chinch bugs killing wheat, oats and corn

June 24, 1875  
Grasshopper Plague: Oval Pirkey, president of faculty, Abingdon College, Abingdon, Illinois; commending day of fasting and prayer

June 25, 1875  
Grasshopper Plague: R. B. Harwood, County Clerk, Warrensburg, Johnson County, to Edwin Silver, Jefferson City, Cole County; receipt of contribution for relief (letterhead of County Clerk)

June 26, 1875  
Grasshopper Plague: Ewel M. Winslow, Plattsburg, Clinton County; requesting emergency legislation for relief of destitute due to grasshoppers

June 30, 1875  
Grasshopper Plague: S. G. Hubert, Reading, Pennsylvania; has designed machine to catch and kill grasshoppers, will forward drawings for examination if desired

July 2, 1875  
Grasshopper Plague: S. S. Laws, New York City; enclosed letter from Thomas S. McChesney and check for $100 for relief

July 10, 1875  
Grasshopper Plague: William W. Cook, County Clerk, Harrisonville, Cass County; William A. Hancock authorized by mass meeting of citizens of his township to solicit aid (letterhead of County Clerk)

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Grasshopper Plague: Thomas Taylor, Dept. of Agriculture, Washington, D.C.; requesting one barrel of dried grasshoppers for experimentation; wish to determine if they may be profitably utilized, will make exhibition of products for Philadelphia (Centennial) Exhibition; includes recipe for cooked grasshoppers
Grasshopper Plague: Thomas S. McChesney, Mount Hope, Lafayette County, to Dr. Laws; requesting aid for SniaBar township, people destitute because of drought and grasshoppers; attached news clippings

Grasshopper Plague: J. F. Jones, Johnson County; conditions of starvation and hardship in Columbus Township, appeal for relief

Grasshopper Plague: newspaper clipping

Grasshopper Plague: Duncan Brown, Palmyra, Marion County; enclosed collection for relief

Grasshopper Plague: receipt from A. A. LeSueur, Lafayette County, to Governor Hardin; $100 for distribution to Sni-a-bar Township

Grasshopper Plague: Alex P. Stewart, Minona, Mississippi; relief funds sent earlier

Grasshopper Plague: Clarke Irvine, Oregon, Holt County; suggesting bounty for grasshopper eggs harvested

Grasshopper Plague: T. R. Allen, Missouri State Grange, Allenton, St. Louis Co.; requesting information on contributions and relief distributions

Grasshopper Plague: A. M. Chase, sec. of Clay County Grange, J. Q. Adams, O. F. Dougherty, Liberty, Clay County; requesting tax relief; drought and grasshoppers

Grasshopper Plague: Henry C. Armstrong, Mt. Hope, to Capt. A. A. Lesueur, Lexington, Lafayette County; $100 has been distributed to the poor of Sniabar Township

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1B/1/3 7 8 (4) August 12, 1875 Invitations: bridge celebration at Atchison, Kansas; new bridge across Missouri River

1B/1/3 7 8 (4) August 12, 1875 Invitations: T. L. Anderson, G. T. Giles, Jacob Sosey, Palmyra, Marion County; old settlers’ reunion

1B/1/3 7 8 (4) August 18, 1875 Invitations: John A. Martin, chairman, committee of invitation, Atchison, Kansas; celebrate completion of iron bridge across Missouri River at Atchison (letterhead of Daily and Weekly Champion)

1B/1/3 7 8 (4) August 21, 1875 Invitations: A. E. Tralene, Hannibal, Marion County; speak at Hannibal Fairgrounds

1B/1/3 7 8 (4) August 23, 1875 Invitations: John W. Jacks, secretary, Sturgeon A & M Association, Sturgeon, Boone County; attend the Sturgeon Fair; enclosed admission ticket

1B/1/3 7 8 (4) August 23, 1875 Invitations: Albert Badger, Badger Township, Vernon County; speak at dinner of Camp Grange No. 66

1B/1/3 7 8 (4) August 24, 1875 Invitations: Society of the Army of the Tennessee, Des Moines, Iowa; attend ninth annual reunion

1B/1/3 7 8 (4) August 25, 1875 Invitations: attend celebration, Atchison, Kansas; completion of iron bridge across Missouri River (letterhead of Chicago and Atchison Bridge Co.)

1B/1/3 7 8 (4) August 27, 1875 Invitations: Joshua Ross, International Fair, Muskogee, Indian Territory (Oklahoma); attend Indian International Fair

1B/1/3 7 8 (4) August 28, 1875 Invitations: Edmund Burke, president, California, Moniteau County; requesting presence at county fair

1B/1/3 7 8 (4) August 29, 1875 Invitations: telegram, W. C. Walker, Fulton, Callaway County; Jeff Davis will address people here (former Confederate President Jefferson Davis)

1B/1/3 7 8 (4) August 30, 1875 Invitations: A. W. Harris, Fulton, Callaway County; request Governor to introduce Mr. Davis at fair
August 31, 1875
Invitations: J. H. Cordell, Saline Central Agricultural and Mechanical Association, Marshall, Saline County; attend fair (letterhead of Saline County Bank)

November 1875
Invitations: program and tickets to Caledonian Society St. Andrew’s Day 23rd Annual Banquet, St. Louis

November 13, 1875
Invitations: W. D. Rutledge, St. Louis; Thanksgiving benefit literary entertainment given under auspices of home mission workers to benefit indigent; description of activities (letterhead of William L. Garrison, Insurance Agent)

November 23, 1875
Invitations: Nathaniel Myers, St. Louis; requesting Governor’s signature for New York charity fair (letterhead of Myers & Litton, Attorneys)

December 14, 1875
Invitations: R. C. Rainwater, St. Louis; enclosed complimentary tickets to charity ball (letterhead of St. Louis Chief of Police)

December 20, 1875
Invitations: A. Morton, William Cross, G. W. Dupee, Jefferson City, Cole County; enclosed complimentary ticket to social banquet at Brag Hall (ticket marked “Masonic Festival”)

1876
Invitations: public meeting of St. Louis Sanitarium, reformation of inebriates; news clipping from Globe-Democrat of Aug. 20, 1876

February 19, 1876
Invitations: Times Fast Newspaper excursion train from Kansas City to Topeka and back (letterhead of Kansas City Times)

March 1, 1876
Invitations: J. M. Dalzell, Third National Reunion, Caldwell, Ohio; national reunion of civil war soldiers

March 1, 1876
Invitations: Andrew J. Kennedy, secretary, Knights of St. Patrick, St. Louis; tenth annual banquet

April 25, 1876
Invitations: Fulton May-Day centennial celebration, Callaway County

June 6, 1876
Invitations: J. H. Bothwall, Sedalia Gymnastic Association, Pettis County; attendance at Fourth of July celebration; description of entertainment
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February 6, 1876  Finance: U.S. District Judge Samuel Treat, U.S. St. Louis, to Hon. R. E. Rombauer; Bailey vs. Pacific Railroad Co. et al will be argued before U.S. Supreme Court on March 1st; Missouri governor or attorney general should be informed

February 6, 1875  Finance: affidavit of Hannibal and St. Joseph Railroad Co. officials; unpaid railroad bonds (note: the bonds referred to in these affidavits were withdrawn)

February 18, 1875  Finance: affidavit of Van Schaick & Co., New York; unpaid Hannibal and St. Joseph railroad bonds


April 9, 1875  Finance: depositions (2) of E. H. Riker, New York; protesting non-payment on Hannibal and St. Joseph railroad bonds

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April 15, 1875  Finance: A. M. Alexander, Paris, Monroe County; statutory authority of county court to issue new bonds and pay off old bonds

April 17, 1875  Finance: W. F. Melbourne, Adjutants General’s Office, Jefferson City, Cole County; guns at freight office being returned to state

April 27, 1875  Finance: deposition of E. H. Riker, New York; protesting non-payment on Pacific Railroad bonds

May 4, 1875  Finance: George C. Pratt, secretary, Missouri Railroad Commission, St. Louis; board wishes warrant for furniture purchase
May 8, 1875  
Finance: A. C. Cassidy, St. Louis; requesting opinion on worth of bonds, can be purchased for five cents on dollar (letterhead of Irons, Cassidy & Co.)

May 27, 1875  
Finance: freight bill from Atlantic & Pacific Railroad, shipment of four boxes of books

June 8, 1875  
Finance: Deposition of E. H. Riker, New York; protesting non-payment on Hannibal and St. Joseph Railroad Bonds; was refused at bank and railroad office, difference in value between gold or silver and currency

June 15, 1875  
Finance: Mortimer McIlhany, president, Missouri Railroad Commission, St. Louis; recommends legislative amendment to railroad commission guidelines

June 15, 1875  
Finance: George C. Pratt, Missouri Railroad Commission, St. Louis; receipt of correspondence and treasurer’s payment

June 18, 1875  
Finance: William H. Hollister, New York; Missouri bonds payable for coin were paid in currency instead

June 24, 1875  
Finance: deposition of E. H. Riker, New York; protesting non-payment on Missouri Pacific Railroad bonds

July 23, 1875  
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July 26, 1875  
Finance: Deposition of E. H. Riker, New York; protesting non-payment on North Missouri Railroad bonds

August 9, 1875  
Finance: Thomas A. Scott, Texas & Pacific Railway Company; receipt of recommendation of Col. Young, Springfield, for company attorney

October 27, 1875  
Finance: Henry C. Young, Springfield, Greene County; requesting appointment of delegate to St. Louis Convention; Convention wants Congress to give government credit to building of Texas & Pacific A & P Railroad
October 30, 1875
Finance: F. J. Tygard, Butler, Bates County; receipt of commission as alternate delegate to National Railroad Convention in St. Louis (letterhead of Bates County National Bank)

November 9, 1875
Finance: Web M. Rubey, Macon, Macon County; Senate as board of railroad equalization

December 31, 1875
Finance: notice from William A. Duer, Notary, New York; protesting non-payment on North Missouri Railroad Co. bonds

December 21, 1875
Finance: Kohn & Co., St. Louis; declining price of gold, Missouri state bonds

1876
Finance: balance in sinking fund and interest fund, with dates bonds sold and paid

January 4, 1876
Finance: Donaldson & Fraley, St. Louis; inquiry about Missouri bonds for sale

January 7, 1876
Finance: George W. McLean, New York Stock Exchange, New York; payment of interest on Missouri bonds; enclosed copy of letter from Missouri Treasurer Mercer and Auditor Holliday to National Bank of Commerce

January 26, 1876
Finance: J. LaDue, Clinton, Henry County; legal questions concerning board of assessment and equalization for railroad taxes; citizens pay $55,000 annual interest on railroad bonds and railroad taxes help offset that (letterhead of LaDue and Fyke, Attorneys)

March 20, 1876
Finance: deposition of Gabriel Netter, New York; unpaid Hannibal and St. Joseph Railroad bonds

March 20, 1876
Finance: deposition of president, secretary and treasurer of Hannibal and St. Joseph Railroad, New York; unpaid railroad bonds (note by Governor dated April 15 ordering renewal bonds)
April 4, 1876  
Finance: J. Riley McCord, Linn, Osage County; protesting reappointment of county officials disqualified from office by taking favors from Pacific Railroad; officials compromised with railroad on tax issue, county court in 1875 ordered county clerk to separately transcribe county court and probate records, (back of stationery contains list of correspondents of American Attorneys’ Collection Association)

April 10, 1876  
Finance: Hill & Bowman, special attorneys for state, St. Louis; court decision in railroad tax cases, should decision be appealed?

April 15, 1876  
Finance: State Treasurer Joseph W. Mercer, Jefferson City, Cole County; unpaid bonds held by Gabriel Netter have been presented for exchange

April 19, 1876  
Finance: Frank J. Bowman, Hill & Bowman, St. Louis; requesting instructions concerning appeal in railroad tax cases

April 22, 1876  
Finance: Britton A. Hill, St. Louis; requesting information on case referred to in correspondence from Governor

April 25, 1876  
Finance: B. A. Hill, Hill & Bowman, St. Louis; compromise settlement on railroad taxes; power of Board of Equalization

May 6, 1876  
Finance: Mortimer McIlhany, president, State Railroad Commission, St. Louis; report on the Quincy and Pacific Railroad, road well-managed but incomplete line is forced by law to operate under financial handicaps

May 6, 1876  
Finance: Britton A. Hill, Hill & Bowman, St. Louis; court case with large amount of money at stake; H. Clay Ewing

May 17, 1876  
Finance: telegram, Hill & Bowman, St. Louis; requesting payment on tax cases now that they are terminated

May 19, 1876  
Finance: B. A. Hill, St. Louis; contract of attorneys Hill & Bowman with state to defend railroad suits preventing the collection of county taxes, law partnership dissolved state owes firm $5,000
May 29, 1876
Finance: telegram, J. L. Stephens, Boonville, Cooper County; bankruptcy of Pacific Railroad, no receipts for five years but $16,000 taxes paid, taxation will lead to pauperism.

May 31, 1876
Finance: circular letter from Britton A. Hill, St. Louis, to county justices and prosecuting attorneys in counties along the Pacific Railroad; collection of railroad taxes for previous years; railroad is in receivership, former law partner Bowman now attorney for receivers of railroad.

June 13, 1876
Finance: E. Popper, St. Louis; price of Missouri state bonds on New York market.

July 31, 1876
Finance: Web M. Rubey, Macon, Macon County; newspaper account that state treasury empty; Lexington, Lafayette County.

August 4, 1876
Finance: memo by Governor Hardin and Thomas Holland; opening of packages of N.M.R.R. bonds in presence of Hardin, Joseph W. Mercer (state treasurer); John Augustus Hockaday (attorney general); Holliday (state auditor); and Noland.

August 11, 1876
Finance: Kohn & Co., St. Louis; advice to sell railroad bonds now instead of September when they become due.

September 6, 1876
Finance: copy of letter, Joseph W. Mercer, state treasurer, Jefferson City, Cole County to Eugene S. Ballin & Co., New York; receipt of Hannibal and St. Joseph Railroad bonds sent for conversion, bonds being held subject to unsettled claim between state treasury and railroad.

September 11, 1876
Finance: Eugene S. Ballin & Co., New York; Hannibal and St. Joseph Railroad bonds sent to Missouri state treasurer for exchange, which he refused to do.

September 11, 1876
Finance: Mills, Robeson & Smith, New York; $22,000 of state bonds issued for Hannibal and St. Joseph Railroad sent to Joseph W. Mercer for exchange; Mercer refuses exchange pending settlement of claim against railroad.
1B/1/3  7  12 (5)  September 15, 1876  Finance: Joseph W. Mercer, state treasurer, Jefferson City, Cole County, to William Westervelt, New York City; acknowledging receipt of Hannibal and St. Joseph Railroad bond for conversion, exchange cannot be made until claim against railroad settled

1B/1/3  7  12 (5)  September 18, 1876  Finance: William Westervelt, New York; exchange of Hannibal and St. Joseph Railroad bond, which Missouri state treasurer refused to do

1B/1/3  7  12 (5)  September 20, 1876  Finance: Kelley & Alexander, New York; mature bonds of Hannibal & St. Joseph Railroad Co. submitted to Missouri State Treasurer Joseph W. Mercer for renewal; Mercer declined exchange due to misunderstanding with railroad company, treasurer bound by law to exchange bonds, requesting governor’s action to resolve problem

1B/1/3  7  12 (5)  September 20, 1876  Finance: F. Gottschalk, St. Louis; refusal of State Treasurer Joseph W. Mercer to exchange Hannibal and St. Joseph Railroad Bonds for Eugene S. Ballin & Co., New York; Mercer’s contention that state has claim for engraving against railroad, which it denies

1B/1/3  7  12 (5)  September 20, 1876  Finance: L. W. Moose, New York; effort by Hannibal and St. Joseph Railroad to mortgage land upon which stockholders have rightful lien, requesting governor to withhold action until legislature meets

1B/1/3  7  12 (5)  September 25, 1876  Finance: H. Clay Ewing, Democratic State Central Committee, St. Louis; meetings in October

1B/1/3  7  12 (5)  September 30, 1876  Finance: Eugene S. Ballin & Co., New York; exchange of old bonds for renewal bonds; previous correspondence with governor

1B/1/3  7  12 (5)  October 9, 1876  Finance: Eugene S. Ballin & Co., New York; exchange of bonds can be accomplished in New York at Bank of Commerce, an agent for Missouri; bonds were remitted with express charges and fees, but ordered back when Mercer said they were there at company’s risk, when bonds returned; treasurer remitted only part of money paid
October 12, 1876  Finance: copy of letter, Joseph W. Mercer, State Treasurer, to Eugene S. Ballin & Co., New York; Attorney General’s opinion concerning refusal to issue bonds, favor conferred by allowing express return

October 18, 1876  Finance: Eugene S. Ballin & Co., New York; must resort to U.S. Court to decide issue between company and Missouri treasurer and attorney general; company being forced to send bonds a second time

October 24, 1876  Finance: Governor C. H. Hardin, Jefferson City, Cole County, to Eugene S. Ballin & Co., New York City (Response to Ballin’s Letter of Oct. 18); bonds have not been given to governor with request for renewals; Mercer in New York and business may be conducted with him

October 30, 1876  Finance: Eugene S. Ballin & Co., New York; refusal to send bonds to Mercer, will send to governor in future; Mercer’s threat that there is a risk while bonds are in his hands (note: Nov. 6 – 1876 answered that excepting express charges & official fees the exchange in bonds would be made without risk to them)

November 11, 1876  Finance: Eugene S. Ballin, New York; requesting information concerning official fees due for exchange of bonds; appended letter from Governor Hardin to General Hockaday requesting information on fees allowed by law for Hannibal & St. Joseph Railroad Company

November 24, 1876  Finance: Thomas Allen, St. Louis; question about “cheap transportation” (letterhead of St. Louis, Iron Mountain & Southern Railway President’s Office)

November 24, 1876  Finance: Thomas Allen, St. Louis; accepting appointment as commission of “cheap transportation” railway project; has doubts about practicality of project (letterhead of St. Louis, Iron Mountain & Southern Railway President’s Office)

November 25, 1876  Finance: Eugene S. Ballin, New York; receipt for 91 bonds, remittance of 91 bonds to be exchanged for new issue; old bonds of Hannibal & St. Joseph
1B/1/3 7 12 (5) November 28, 1876  Finance: Eugene S. Ballin & Co., New York; bonds received in exchange for old bonds, delay in transaction with Missouri treasury caused devaluation of bonds and additional expense

1B/1/3 7 12 (5) December 7, 1876  Finance: Charles E. Ware, St. Louis; requesting payment of two-year-old printing bill for railroad lawsuit

1B/1/3 7 12 (5) December 14, 1876  Finance: Kohn & Co., St. Louis; response to Governor’s inquiry concerning six percent currency bonds in other states

1B/1/3 7 13 (6) No Date  Slavery: draft of letter from Governor Hardin to A. L. Underhill, Steuben Farmers’ Advocate, Bath, N.Y.; denial of statement that Missouri has issued to former slave owners $1,000 certificate for each slave emancipated (letter handwritten on the back of a destroyed commission)

1B/1/3 7 13 (6) July 24, 1876  Slavery: John P. Irish, Iowa City, Iowa; requesting verification of statement that Missouri has given $1,000 certificate to former owners for each emancipated slave (letterhead of Iowa State Press)

1B/1/3 7 13 (6) August 1, 1876  Slavery: I. M. Weston, Montague, Michigan; requesting information on statement that Missouri law grants certificates to those who lost slaves during Civil War; making government responsible; claims will be paid if Tilden and Hendricks elected (letterhead of Tilden and Hendricks, Muskegan County Centennial Reform Club)

1B/1/3 7 13 (6) August 22, 1876  Slavery: A. L. Underhill, Steuben Farmers’ Advocate, Bath, N.Y.; radical newspapers of New York printing enclosed paragraph, request official denial if it is untrue

1B/1/3 7 13 (6) September 29, 1876  Slavery: Thomas Wolfe, The Appeal, Bloomington, Ill.; requesting information on enclosed article from Chicago Inter Ocean
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February 7, 1874

Asylums: copy of resolution of board of commissioners for Northwestern Missouri Lunatic Asylum; additional appropriation of $75,000 needed for completion

March 3, 1874

Asylums: Allen H. Voris, St. Joseph, Buchanan County; finances for State Lunatic Asylum No. 2; description of orchards and vineyard

March 3, 1874

Asylums: meeting minutes of the board of managers for State Lunatic Asylum 2 in St. Joseph, Buchanan County

June 9, 1876

Asylums: A. M. Saxton, St. Joseph, Buchanan County; auditors warrants totaling $25,000, sale with Mr. Chappel (letterhead of State Savings Bank; handwritten note to Chappell from Hardin concerning warrants)

December 30, 1874

Lands: Daniel G. Saunders, Chillicothe, Livingston County; swamp lands in Grand River valley (letterhead of Saunders & Asper)

January 15, 1875

Lands: Henry Clay Dean, Tipton, Iowa; inaccurate swamp land patents issued for lands crossing county lines

January 20, 1875

Lands: George Diegel, register of lands, Jefferson City, Cole County; inaccurate swamp land patents for lands crossing county lines, survey inaccuracies

September 21, 1875

Lands: questionnaire, U.S. Commissioner of Agriculture, Washington, D.C.; state swamp lands (note: Dec. 16th 1875 register of lands will please prepare the very best report he can make to the questions within as soon as he can—address report to me, signed C. H. Hardin)

October 13, 1875

Lands: A. H. Shy, Reynolds County; court order regarding designation of swamp land

November 17, 1875

Lands: R. W. Taylor, comptroller, U.S. Treasury Dept., Washington, D.C.; funds due the state for swamp land in Mississippi County

November 18, 1875

Lands: J. M. Gondon, Mexico, Audrain County; acquiring money for swamp land in the county
1B/1/3  7  15 (8)  December 1, 1875  Lands: F. Watts, commissioner of agriculture, U.S. Dept. of Agriculture, Washington, D.C.; desiring information on swamp lands requested in previous circular letter; attention being given to drainage

1B/1/3  7  15 (8)  December 2, 1875  Lands: William Hemphill Imes, acting comptroller, U.S. Treasury Dept., Washington, D.C.; funds due the state for swamp land in New Madrid County

1B/1/3  7  15 (8)  December 3, 1875  Lands: Treasurer of the U.S., Washington, D.C.; transmittal of funds


1B/1/3  7  15 (8)  December 11, 1875  Lands: news clipping entitled “Swamp Lands,” report of George Deigel, register of lands

1B/1/3  7  15 (8)  December 11, 1875  Lands: R. W. Taylor, comptroller, U.S. Treasury Dept., Washington, D.C.; funds due the state for swamp land in Macon County

1B/1/3  7  15 (8)  January 10, 1876  Lands: R. W. Taylor, comptroller, U.S. Treasury Dept., Washington, D.C.; funds due the state for swamp land in Chariton County

1B/1/3  7  15 (8)  January 11, 1876  Lands: R. W. Taylor, comptroller, U.S. Treasury Dept., Washington, D.C.; funds due the state for swamp land in Linn County

1B/1/3  7  15 (8)  January 11, 1876  Lands: R. W. Taylor, comptroller, U.S. Treasury Dept., Washington, D.C.; funds due the state for swamp land in Scott County

1B/1/3  7  15 (8)  January 13, 1876  Lands: (Incomplete), Jamesport, Daviess County; requesting appointment (letterhead of Farmers’ Bank of Jamesport)


1B/1/3  7  15 (8)  February 5, 1876  Lands: Henry Smith, attorney, Liberty, Clay County; payment by federal government for swamp land in Clay County
Lands: draft of message from Governor Hardin to Congress; need for legislative action so state can obtain payment for five percent claim on all military location of lands in state (page 1 of draft on back of letter from Henry Smith, Clay County and page 2 on back of letter bearing letterhead of Farmers’ Bank of Jamesport)


Lands: R. W. Taylor, comptroller, U.S. Treasury Dept., Washington, D.C.; funds due the state for swamp land in Monroe County


Lands: R. W. Taylor, comptroller, U.S. Treasury Dept., Washington, D.C.; funds due the state for swamp land in Adair County


Lands: comptroller, U. S. Treasury Dept., Washington, D.C.; $68.73 due to state for Mississippi County swamp lands

Lands: U.S. Treasurer, Washington, D.C.; transmittal of funds (note: “July 1st 1876 draft described within endorsed to J. W. Mercer state treasurer & delivered to register of lands”)

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April 17, 1875
Outlaws: Daniel Geary, Kansas City, Jackson County; need for state to protect people from James boys; brother-in-law who resides near James home in Clay County; murder of Askew in Clay County; five families in area give aid to James gang; outlaws

May 11, 1875
Outlaws: anonymous (private detective), St. Louis; newspaper clipping discussing the search for the James and Younger outlaw gangs; rewards are from $65,000 to $75,000; newspaper clipping from *St. Louis Republican*

May 17, 1875
Outlaws: Lewis W. Stevens, St. Louis; requesting payment of expenses to pursue James and Younger brothers

July 3, 1875
Outlaws: E. M. Cooper, Kansas City, Jackson County; response to Governor’s communication through Mr. Mitchell; approval of plan, nothing can be done through civil officers in the state; jailbreak at Lawrence, subsequent capture and death (letterhead of Wells, Fargo & Co.)

July 17, 1875
Outlaws: Isaac V. Pratt, Laclede, Linn County; inquiry about rewards offered for James Boys and Clay County gang of desperadoes, detective interested in case if reward sufficient

October 27, 1875
Outlaws: Jesse R. Noland, Independence, Jackson County, to E. T. Noland; identification of photo by several as Rall White, after war robbed Wells, Fargo & Co. and killed a man; has been preaching through Tennessee for Baptist Church, will see if he has relatives in this county; Corinth, Mississippi

August 15, 1876
Outlaws: James C. Nidelet, board of police commissioners, St. Louis; need money to pursue train robbers; arrest of Kerry and Younger
August 19, 1876  Outlaws: James McDonough, chief of police, St. Louis; pursuit of train robbers, although Cooper County grand jury did not consider case, warrants were issued; Kerry’s confession, raid of July 7

September 12, 1876  Outlaws: James McDonough, chief of police, St. Louis; imminent capture of Cole and Bob Younger, Frank James and possibly Clel Miller near Dennison, Texas; officers hunting information in Cass, Clay and Jackson counties

September 22, 1876  Outlaws: James McDonough, chief of police, St. Louis; robbery in Northfield, Minnesota; going with officer to Minnesota to identify captured robbers; dead first believed to be Pitts and Chadwell; but now appear to be Clel Miller and Bond; Cal Carter, the gang’s eighth man, resides east of Dennison, Texas; at Carter’s house the Youngers and Frank James hid after Otterville robbery, planned the Northfield Bank Job, and Frank James’s wife and child are now there; officers guarding crossings on Missouri River in case uncaptured outlaws return to Jackson or Clay counties

October 19, 1876  Outlaws: James McDonough, chief of police, St. Louis; arrest of John Goodin in Jackson County by St. Louis officers believing him to be Frank James; Minnesota robbery; James Boys and Bill Hines; Dr. Mosher’s encounter with James Boys outside Sioux City, Iowa

October 25, 1876  Outlaws: James McDonough, chief of police, St. Louis; statement of expenses incurred by special force engaged in capturing train robbers; Missouri Pacific Train Robbers, who also robbed the safes of the Adams and the U.S. Express Companies near Otterville on July 7, 1876; proclamation of August 18, 1876; outlawry act

November 1, 1876  Outlaws: James McDonough, chief of police, St. Louis; invoice for expenses of special force engaged in hunting Otterville train robbers, are funds available for medical care for John Goodin?

March 22, 1875  Criminal Cases—Adair County: B. F. Brock, state’s attorney, Mercer County, Illinois, to Harrington and Coon, Kirksville; presence of Marsh in Mercer County
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September 9, 1873
Criminal Cases—Bourbon County (KS): journal of proceedings, district court of Bourbon County, Kansas; Kansas vs. Thomas Watkins

January 9, 1875
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July 15, 1875

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April 12, 1875

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July 1, 1875

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Criminal Cases—Cass County: S. H. Rodgers, sheriff, Harrisonville; reward for Al Beagle indicted in Cass County for murder at Pleasant Hill; presently at Fort Smith, Arkansas

Criminal Cases—Cass County: telegram, S. H. Rodgers, sheriff, Harrisonville; reward offered for James Sprague, sentenced to hang September 3, murder of James Dwyer, Holden, Johnson County; escaped from jail

Criminal Cases—Cass County: Deputy Sheriff E. A. Winthrop, Marquez, Texas; inquiring about reward offered for Henry E. Miller; murder of John B. Wilson, Cass County

Criminal Cases—Cedar County: H. J. Church, sheriff, Stockton; terms of 1866 previous reward for William Stowe; murder of sheriff

Criminal Cases—Chariton County: telegram, Berry Owens, sheriff; payment of expenses incurred if Osborne surrendered in Kansas; charged with forging and passing fifteen dollar order

Criminal Cases—Chariton County: telegram, G. W. Franklin, agent for Kansas, Keytesville; payment on expenses incurred for Osborne; use Osborne to capture other horse thieves

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October 25, 1876

Criminal Cases—Clinton County: telegram, Elijah Baker, Muscatine, Iowa; requesting warrant for James Barrett, Clinton County.

May 8, 1875

Criminal Cases—Clinton County (PA): affidavit, Marion E. Neace, Clinton County, Pennsylvania; confession by husband, Andrew J. Neace, of murder at Sedalia, Pettis County, in 1871, for which someone else was convicted (see also Criminal Cases—Pettis County).

May 10, 1875

Criminal Cases—Clinton County (PA): John M. Washburn, Renovo, Pennsylvania; enclosed affidavit of Mrs. Neace.

May 13, 1876

Criminal Cases—Cole County: affidavit, John P. Sebree, Sr; escape from penitentiary of Joseph Fore, sentenced in St. Louis County for felonious assault.

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Criminal Cases—Cooper County: note; reward for Otterville train robbers turned over to sheriff of Cooper County.

No Date

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May 10, 1875

Criminal Cases—Cooper County: J. H. Johnston, prosecuting attorney, Boonville; escape of accused murderer Robert Glass to California; request for extradition and that F. A. Rogers, Cooper County sheriff, be appointed agent.

August 21, 1875

Criminal Cases—Cooper County: J. H. Johnston, prosecuting attorney, Boonville; can obtain no information of murder being committed fifty miles above Cedar City on the Missouri River.
June 9, 1876

Criminal Cases—Cooper County: J. H. Johnston, prosecuting attorney, Boonville; requesting information on Frank Zumsteg, dram shop keeper in Otterville, convicted of selling whiskey on Sunday

August 12, 1876

Criminal Cases—Cooper County: J. L. Stephens, Boonville; protection of town from train robbers until after trial of Kerry; Kerry has given evidence and robbers plan to rob bank and lynch Kerry (letterhead of Central National Bank)

November 14, 1876

Criminal Cases—Cooper County: Jackson Monroe, county clerk, Boonville; enclosed certificates of elected county officers

December 14, 1875

Criminal Cases—Crawford County: J. M. Seay, prosecuting attorney, Steelville, Crawford County; reward for escaped state convicts captured by local citizens

May 6, 1875

Criminal Cases—Dade County: A. J. Bahner, Columbus, Kansas; requesting requisition on Governor of Kansas for Monroe R. Richardson, who killed William Miller in Dade County and escaped from jail at Greenfield; Bahner former deputy sheriff of Jasper

June 15, 1875

Criminal Cases—Dade County: B. G. Thurman, prosecuting attorney, Greenfield; indictment against Kinchen West, held now at Ft. Smith, Arkansas; conviction doubtful and Sheriff Jeff G. Carter is careless; escape of James P. Stockton, William Stoddard and Calvin Stockton after conviction for felonious assault

June 15, 1875

Criminal Cases—Dade County: copy of indictment from county grand jury against James A. Davis, Huston Choate, Isaac Scott, Jeremiah Bigley, Alfred Bigley, William Cox, Rexsey B. Cox, Stephen Hicks, Kincheon T. West, Bailey T. West, William Harris and Francis Harris; murders of Samuel Farris and Henry M. Gibbs
April 1, 1875

Criminal Cases—Dallas County: R. A. Holt, prosecuting attorney, Lebanon, Laclede County; requests reward be offered for Joseph Vermillion and M. D. L. Davis, charged with raping child in Dallas County; descriptions of Vermillion and Davis, endorsed by sheriff, county clerk, county court justices, recorder, and circuit clerk (includes cover letter with handwritten note)

February 22, 1875

Criminal Cases—Daviess County: Gallatin, to Hon. William B. Sheets (fragment); murder of Captain Sheets (letterhead of clerk of circuit court)

June 21, 1875

Criminal Cases—Daviess County: William M. Rush, Jr., prosecuting attorney, Gallatin; requisition on Governor of Iowa for Amos Nichols, charged with murder; recommends Alexander M. Irving as agent for extradition (note: issue requisition on Iowa for arrest & delivery of Amos Nichols to Alexander M. Irving agent of the state)

February 14, 1876

Criminal Cases—Daviess County: William M. Rush, Jr., prosecuting attorney, Gallatin; order of capias to sheriff of Jackson County; all Sheriffs in that section except Groom of Clay County are afraid of Jesse James

July, 1875

Criminal Cases—Dent County: deposition, G. A. Kenamore; arrest of Lawson Rathbone and claim for reward offered

July 12, 1875

Criminal Cases—Dent County: Lucius Judson, prosecuting attorney, Salem; protests claim of G. A. Kenamore to reward for Rathbone, Kenamore assisted escape (newspaper clipping; note: July 24th 1875 reward directed to be paid.)

July 17, 1875

Criminal Cases—Dent County: G. A. Kenamore, Salem; reward offered for Lawson Rathbone; circumstances of murder; objections of Lucius Judson

July 17, 1875

Criminal Cases—Dent County: L. B. Woodside, Salem; contention concerning Kenamore’s claim to reward for Rathbone; governor’s correspondence to Kenamore
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1B/1/3 8 26 (5) February 27, 1876  Criminal Cases—Greene County: O. C. Powell, Calita, Polk County, Texas; whereabouts of Sam L. Hosley in Bell County, Texas; killed man named Christian in Springfield, Missouri in Spring of 1861, has since killed C. C. Clark

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August 25, 1875
Criminal Cases—Howard County: R. B. Caples, Glasgow; fruitless investigation into murder allegedly committed by James Brady & James Jacques

September 2, 1875
Criminal Cases—Howard County: R. B. Coker, Glasgow; fruitless investigation into murder allegedly committed by James Brady & James Jacques

October 14, 1876
Criminal Cases—Howard County: R. B. Caples, Fayette; requests reward for Joseph D. Keebaugh; small amounts offered by interested parties; Keebaugh forged $50,000 of county bonds and notes

April 21, 1876
Criminal Cases—Howell County: J. A. Chapin, sheriff, West Plains; Joseph Coffee, charged with grand larceny, received from Robert Reed (letterhead of G. B. Thomas, county and circuit clerk)

April 21, 1876
Criminal Cases—Howell County: affidavit, Robert Reed, Howell County; arrest of Joseph Coffee in Schuyler County; sheriff’s receipt for Robert Reed

April 22, 1876
Criminal Cases—Howell County: J. H. Maxey, West Plains; reward for Joseph Coffee, enclosed receipt of sheriff for Coffee

May 16, 1876
Criminal Cases—Howell County: J. H. Maxey, West Plain; enclosed application of Robert for reward for Joe Coffee (note: July 26, 1876 refused to pay because arrest was made before reward was offered)

June 8, 1876
Criminal Cases—Howell County: J. H. Maxey, West Plains; capture of Joseph Coffee by Robert Reid in Schuyler County; Governor’s stated intention to offer reward; Coffee, leader of gang of horse thieves

February 10, 1874
Criminal Cases—Jackson County: T. H. Baugham, Kansas City; possible problems in Kansas City police department concerning robbers, danger posed by criminals in area; enclosed newspaper clippings
May 13, 1875  
Criminal Cases—Jackson County: R. L. Yeager, Kansas City; murder of John T. Coleman in April 1874 by Thomas Lemmons, Ky Lemmons, Henry Norton and James Norton; now under arrest and one confessed; expenses to return suspects from Texas

May 15, 1875  
Criminal Cases—Jackson County: R. L. Yeager, Kansas City; William Mason gave information on murder of John T. Coleman in April 1874 by Henry Norton, Thomas and Ky Lemmon; Lucinda Marshall alias Lucinda Mason witnessed murder; Henry Norton, James Norton, Thomas Lemmons, Ky Lemmons, Joseph Lewis and Joe Henshaw allegedly committed the Gads Hill robbery; Louisa Sparlow, Seneca, Newton County; Martha Smith

July 10, 1875  
Criminal Cases—Jackson County: Pat Connor, Kansas City; expenses incurred arresting Quade in Kansas on requisition from governor

February 10, 1876  
Criminal Cases—Jackson County: R. L. Yeager, Kansas City; application for requisition; disagreement of Briggs concerning oil inspection by Jaudon

July 11, 1874  
Criminal Cases—Jasper County: grand jury indictment of Frank Lee for robbery of William German

March 13, 1874  
Criminal Cases—Jasper County: grand jury indictment of Samuel Carter; theft of timber and trees from H. B. Wilson

January 15, 1875  
Criminal Cases—Jasper County: A. L. Thomas, Carthage; requisition for extradition of Samuel Carter from Kansas; recommend Charles Murray as agent; copy of indictment for grand larceny

January 15, 1875  
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February 13, 1875  
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March 11, 1875
Criminal Cases—Jasper County: affidavit, John Steele, accused of murdering Harvy Sitton; arrest at Billings Station, Christian County, by Miles Mix, Jasper County deputy sheriff, writ read to Steele by Christian County Deputy Anderson

March 13, 1875
Criminal Cases—Jasper County: Miles Mix, Carthage; Deputy Anderson’s claim to reward for John Steely; inquiring about renewal of reward offered by Governor Woodson for William Steely, son of John Steely (letterhead of Ulysses Hendrickson, sheriff, Jasper County)

March 16, 1875
Criminal Cases—Jasper County: affidavit, T. J. Howell, Jasper County; whereabouts of Albert Beubbrook alias Albert Stoner; requisition upon Governor of Texas for his return; indictment for forgery

March 17, 1875
Criminal Cases—Jasper County: copy of grand jury indictment against Isaac J. Sloan; forgery of mineral check

March 18, 1875
Criminal Cases—Jasper County: U. Hendrickson, sheriff, Carthage; enclosed statement of T. J. Howell and copy of indictment against I. J. Sloan; recommend James S. Zaur as agent to arrest Sloan

March 18, 1875
Criminal Cases—Jasper County: A. L. Thomas, Carthage; requisition on Governor of Kansas for Martin & Dick Hodge, appointing J. M. Lawrence agent; one man not sufficient to bring criminals back; wanted men hung a respectable citizen (letterhead of county sheriff’s office)

March 27, 1875
Criminal Cases—Jasper County: C. H. Hardin, Jefferson City to A. L. Thomas, Carthage; fugitives Hodge and Martin; state will pay only traveling expenses for Mr. Lawrence to retrieve fugitives

April 18, 1875
Criminal Cases—Jasper County: John Moore, Waco, McLennon County, Texas; inquiring about reward for Arkansas Johnson alias Frank Little; Little may have murdered man in Jasper County, Missouri in 1870

May 31, 1875
Criminal Cases—Jasper County: Luther M. Davis, Joplin; opposes requisition for Dr. Davis, Oregon
December 1, 1875
Criminal Cases—Jasper County: Ulysses Hendrickson, sheriff, by John M. Lawrence, deputy, Carthage; enclosed papers from Texas executive department; warrant should be issued authorizing Lawrence as agent (note: requisition from Texas for Bill Elgin fails to name agt. December 4, 1875 sent back for correction)

December 2, 1875
Criminal Cases—Jasper County: U. Hendrickson, sheriff, by J. M. Lawrence, deputy, Carthage; requests Lawrence as agent on requisition to bring Isaac J. Sloan and R. J. Jourdain back from Texas; Deputy B. F. Thomas appointed but Lawrence going to Texas with prisoner next week

December 8, 1875
Criminal Cases—Jasper County: J. M. Lawrence, deputy sheriff, Carthage; enclosed requisition papers (letterhead of U. Hendrickson, Jasper County Sheriff)

January 8, 1876
Criminal Cases—Jasper County: B. F. Thomas, Carthage; requests change of agent on requisitions on Governor of Texas for Sloan and Jourdain; J. M. Lawrence is going to Texas and will be agent (letterhead of U. Hendrickson, Jasper County Sheriff)

January 18, 1876
Criminal Cases—Jasper County: M. Mix, detective, Baxter Springs, Kansas; if reward has expired for arrest of Jack Newcomb can it be renewed; citizens of Carthage, Jasper County, have subscribed $150, Newcomb murdered Daugherty

February 23, 1876
Criminal Cases—Jasper County: A. L. Thomas, prosecuting attorney, Carthage; request that reward for Jack Newcomb be renewed; facts surrounding Newcomb’s murder of Patrick Dougherty in 1872, Newcomb is half Indian; Native American

December 24, 1875
Criminal Cases—Johnson County: proceedings, William P. Asbury, justice of peace, Warrensburg Township; Walter C. Dannaldson vs. Lewis Ingram, Ingram a fugitive from North Carolina

May 5, 1876
Criminal Cases—Johnson County: I. A. McCombs, Carrollton, Carroll County, to prosecuting attorney, Johnson County; inquiring if James Painter is wanted is Johnson County and if there is reward for him
Criminal Cases—Johnson County: I. A. McCombs, Carrollton, Carroll County, to A. W. Rogers, prosecuting attorney, Johnson County; the man you want is here

Criminal Cases—Knox County: W. R. McQuoid, prosecuting attorney, Edina; charges that C. C. Campbell harbors robber and murderer appear groundless

Criminal Cases—Laclede County: R. P. Goodall, sheriff, Lebanon; requisition for Joseph Vermillion and M. D. L. Davis, who escaped and are now fugitives in Arkansas; charged with child rape

Criminal Cases—Laclede County: copy, 1872 county grand jury indictment of Isaac Massey; murder of Houston Stewart (note: reward $100 offered in this case February 28, 1872 still in force)

Criminal Cases—Laclede County: R. A. Holt, prosecuting attorney, Lebanon; enclosed certified indictments for murder against Isaac Massey and John T. Gordon (note: August 27, 1875 reward of $100 offered for John T. Gordon)

Criminal Cases—Laclede County: R. P. Goodall, sheriff, Lebanon; requisition for Hawks, found in Kansas; telegram, T. C. Gatliff, Wellington, Kansas (note: requisition made)

Criminal Cases—Laclede County: R. A. Holt, county prosecuting attorney; requisition for return of fugitive Nathan B. Howard from Illinois and appointment of Sheriff R. P. Goodall to retrieve him; indictment for murder committed in 1858

Criminal Cases—Laclede County: R. P. Goodall, sheriff, Lebanon; enclosed application for requisition for Nathan B. Howard; if reward offered still in force

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