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MISCELLANEOUS
MEDICAL CERTIFICATES
HOSPITAL NOTES
FURLONGHS
FINAL STATEMENTS
CERTIFICATES OF DISABILITY

OF, 14th New York Hy. Atty.

Charles Cross

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Near Paris Ky. Dec 21/63

Worra Arf.

2^d Lieut 118th U.S.

Gives names of firm prisoners
taken with property taken with
them - Morphisms in their
possession.

Stephen Karl

William Owens

James Barnett

Benj. Thurston

Harrison

2^d Lieut

Co. 1

Detachment 118th Regt. O.V.S.

Camp near Paris Ky. Feb. 27/63

Sient. Col. Walker.

Commanding Detachment.

Sir Pursuant
to your order of the 18th inst. I proceeded to
Carlisle Nicholas Co. Ky. with a Detachment of
twenty men & succeeded in arresting five prisoners
& capturing six horses five saddles, & seven hundred
& eighty seven bottles of Morphine each containing
1 drachm.

The following is a list of the Prisoners arrested.
Stephen Beal, William Owens, and James
Barnett. Returned Rebel Soldiers.

Benjamin Thurston & Harrow in whose
possession was found seven hundred, & eighty-seven
bottles Morphine which they were smuggling through
to the Rebel Army.

The said Harrow escaped from the guard
who arrested him before he was reported to me.
After Harrow escaped, said Benjamin
Thurston claimed both of the horses (two in num-
ber) which himself & Harrow were riding
& all of ^{the} Morphine.

The following is a list of property captured, viz.

Two Cavalry horses, & Cavalry saddles from George Burns, & Son, which they purchased from Union Soldiers.

One Cavalry saddle from Patric Campbell purchased from a Union Soldier.

Two horses brought from the Rebel Army, one in possession of Samuel Foulton, & the other in possession of R. M. Mathers.

Two horses, & saddles from Benjamin Thurston, & Harrow.

Seven hundred, & eighty-seven bottles of Morphine each containing one drachm, from B. Thurston, & Harrow.

A. J. Moore 2 Lieut.
Co. H. 118th Regt. O. I.

Louisville Ky, July 21st 1863

Capt A. C. Sample
Capt Ady's Guard

Sir, My Deputy, W. A. Merritt
will start to Henderson early next week
and if you will send me an order
to Col Foster to turn over to Merritt
the contraband goods seized by him (if
the matter will be properly attended
to - On receiving your letter I wrote
to Col Foster on the subject, but
Merritt is so familiar with the
law and proceedings that he can
tell at once from the facts which he
will ascertain can be established
whether or not the goods can be
confiscated.

Yours Sir

Very Respectfully

Yours Obedt Servt

A. C. McDowell

U. S. Marshal

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Chas R Farmer

February 13th 1863.

Report and arrest
of B. Montross
now in Military Prison

Chas R Farmer

R 42 PM 2 13 63

May, 1863

In obedience to the enclosed
order I proceeded to the home of
Capt William Welch but did not find
his son Gibson, but succeeded in ascer-
taining V Montgomery, he is now in the
Military Prison according to order &
subject to same.

Respectfully,
Wm. R. Garrison
Lieut Co B 34 N.Y. Vol
Feb 13th 1863

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Capt H. Schutt ³⁶³²

Comdg Fort. Norfolk

Report in reference to
Prisoners leaving the
Fort.

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W. H. C. C.

Rec'd Ad. G. O. M. B. Feb'y 2/63

Fort Norfolk

February 13 1863

1st Adjt Genl J. M. Lieberman

In reply to —

Your inquiry whether at any time prisoners have been allowed to go outside of the Fort for any purpose whatever I would say that Dr Green a prisoner of war has remained in the house and had the privilege of the yard but has not been permitted to pass the guard

and at different times prisoners have been brought out under guard to visit their friends as per orders received from Head quarters and the prisoner John Breslow has remained in the house but has never been permitted to pass the guard

These are the only cases in which prisoners have been permitted outside of the Fort to my knowledge

I am very Respectfully
Your Obedt Servant
Horace Belton Capt in
Command of Fort Norfolk

Head Quarters, Army of the Potomac,

February 19. 1863.

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Maj. Genl. B. Meacham

Comd'g 2 Corps

General The Commanding General directs

that you order your Chief Commissary to

cause Mrs. Beck and Mrs. Harris ourselves

at the Lucy Howe Hospital to be supplied

each, with a ration of Fresh Beef.

Very Respectfully

Yours Obedt Servant

(Ad.) A. Williams

Asst. Surg. Genl.

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Head Quarters Army Patrons

February 21. 1863

Bry. Genl Patrick

Pers. Mar. General
General;

Memoranda from the 3^d Corps says "The Corps Provost Marshal, sent to Aquia for express matter, was refused by the Quartermaster the delivery of the express matter" What is the reason of this?

"I would also state, that the picket relieved on the 19th reports having detected signal lights at the house of Geo. W. Wroter on the right of the 17th. The guard and the male inmates were arrested" He also reports "A citizen named Wallace captured under suspicious circumstances outside the picket lines, forwarded 2.30. P.M. 20th to Provost Marshal A. of P."

Your attention is requested to the above

Very respectfully

Yours ob. Servant

J. W.

Adjutant

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Feb. 4, 1863.

E. Lee. Comdr & C. Co.
Richmond Va.

In reply to
application of David Hart-
Col. Elsie of England
permission to enter our
lines instructed by
General in Chief of
Army as follows:

No officers will not
be allowed to pass our lines
without a pass from the war
department such passes are
only on application
of a Minister or Diplomat
who represents their
country.

Application has
been made to the General.

By order of Genl.
(Signed) Joseph Hooker

Feb. 4, 1863.

Genl. Robt. E. Lee, Comdr &c. Cof
 near Fredericksburg Va.

In reply to
 the application of Genl Hart-
ington & Col. Elsie of England
 for permission to enter our
 lines. I am instructed by
 the Commander in Chief of
 the U. S. Army as follows:

"Foreign officers will not
 be permitted to pass our lines
 without a pass from the war
 dept. and such passes are
 given only on application
 of the Minister or Diplomat
 -ic Agt. who represents their
 government."

Your application has
 been referred to the Genl
 in Chief of our army.
 Signed Joseph Hooker

Head Quarters, Army of the Potomac,

Feb. 1st

1863

And's M. Gallade,
Reading, Pa.

I am just in receipt of a letter
from you, dated July 28, 1862 (I presume
an error in the date) in relation to the
clothing pay of the 12th regt. state militia.

The order of the Secy of War was depos-
ited with you at the time of payment. It
was in the shape of a check on the

Feb. 4 ~ 77 ~ 1863
Genl. Robt. E. Lee
Headq. at Frederick

Feb 2. ~ 72 ~ 1863

Mrs J. L. Green &
3641 Mrs Duff Green

to the first of them. I. D.

I am requested by the Am. gov. here 2/25/63
to kindly to acknowledge the receipt of
your letter of the 14th of the 31st volume and
to state in answer that he has directed
me to give the facts & reports to be made
of the circumstances connected with
the arrest of your ^{husband & brother} as soon as
convenient to him ^{so} he will receive his
return. Meanwhile the General has
been to assume for that he is disposed

fully

to give your approval in the behalf of the work
consideration to be to believe you are for
has in this process of your application of
to the fullest extent possible duty will
permit me. J. L.

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Mrs Geo. G. Bacon &
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Buff Green

General Hooker

Dear Sir

I write in great distress this morning. I hope you will excuse the liberty I take in so doing. My husband & brother (both names) were arrested Thursday, it was very sudden & unexpected, they ^{were} taken off, not having time to prepare a change of garments - without blanket, overcoat or any thing to keep out the cold. General, I appeal to your sympathies, if it is within your power I beg you will exert your influence in their behalf. I am confident they are perfectly innocent of any charges that may be brought against them. though one has not yet heard what charges has caused them to be arrested.

We are in great distress and
suffering, and perfectly unprotected
I feel this appeal will not be
made in vain - to one who has
so much influence, and power
as yourself - and can feel for
Germans in distress - If it is not
asking too much I beg you will
let me hear from you as soon
as possible, & give this appeal a
kind consideration

Very respectfully yours
Mrs James L. Green
Mrs Buff Green

Falmouth Jan - 31st 1863

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Feb 10, 1863

Department of

Gen. ~~Samuel~~

C. S.

This affidavit Benjamin Simpson states
That on the day of December 1862 one Jack
Burrofs, Wood Burrofs, Buck Taylor, & ^{most} "Boss"
Parsons, were at Andy Burrofs House in the
County of Warren, ^{& State} Ky. and they all left the house
and went to Ed Smiths Mill afterward they ^{went} from
the Mill to Andy Burrofs House, & while there
about dark they asked me to go with them to William
Stuarts & take that negro, Wood Burrofs said that
Boss Parson & Buck Taylor would go up & see
about getting ^{him}. Wood Burrofs said to me "less" go
up to the Stables I went with him but returned
& left him there. All of them then got on their
horses & came down from the barn to the
gate & hollered for me, I told them that
I would not go & it was dark & they all
rode off. This is about all I know of advantage
to either party.

Benjamin Simpson

Sworn to by Benj Simpson before me this
28 of January 1863 S J Clarke Clerk

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W. S. Hastings Ky Feb 1/03

Stevens Major J. W.

States that Matthew Sons
John Hines and Abigail
Hines. Witnesses for James
Sons are within the enemy
Lines

C. H.

Wd. Feb 14th Ky. Cavalry. On the field
Near Mt Sterling Ky. Feb 15th 1863
Genl. Genl. L. W. Gilmore
Comd'g U. S. Forces Lexington Ky
Genl.

Your order of 30th ult. Comd'g
Mathews Sons John Hines Davis George Hines
interview of me behalf of the United States
agst James Sons charged with deception
is recd. These witnesses are made the enemies
of me and cannot be found.

M. Napier
Lieut. & Adjutant

Very Respectfully your Obedt Servant
Cos W. Stevens Major Comd'g.
1st Bat 14th Ky. Cavalry

Irvine Feb 12th

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Vaugh J. V.

Will David

State that they have been in
jail 43 days. Held as sus-
pects for two union men who
were carried off by pro-Morgan
last fall. Say they have never
given aid or comfort to
the Southern Army, and
do not understand why
they are imprisoned.

Endorsed by several citi-
zens of that place

Will David

Regiment General
Prisoners
Commanding Central District

Irvin February the 12th 1863

Dear Kentucky, General -

~~As~~ we S. J. Vaughn and David Witt Received from the Commander at this Post a parole on the 9th of this month to our "cain" at Irvin Estell County Ky, as Prisoners of war, we have been in prison in Irvin 43 days, we dont understand how it is that we are Considered prisoners of war, we never were in the Southern army nor gave aid or comfort to the Southern confederacy, we have all ways obeyed the laws of the State of Kentucky and of the United States, we have been taken and held as hostages for Madison Abernethy and Garritt Townsend, with out any charges against us, they were taken from our County last fall by John Morgan and his men, in that act, we have no hand or knowledge, untill some time after they were taken from the County, we disapproved of such conduct as much as any man in the State and never would ^{have} given our consent to such acts, and think we ought not to be held responsible for the acts of John Morgan, we are old men and have large Families that require our presence at home, Vaughn lives about 10 miles from Irvin, and Witt about 4 miles, his family is at this time sick and he can not yet leave to visit them, his son is dangerously ill and is considered, so by his doctor, Witt is sixty four years old and Vaughn is fifty six years old, and his family requires his presence at home

Neither of us are stout and healthy, but are
frequently ill and require that we should not
repose our selves" we are informed by the
Commander at this Post, Maj. Smith, that we
have to provide and pay our Board" also that
we have to pay the jailor his fees and our
Board" for the 43 days he has had us in his custo-
-dy" so the jailor informed us that Capt Snow,
the Provost Marshall at this place told him,
we are not allowed to draw Soldiers Rations, we
are ignorant of the usages or customs of war,
But suppose if we are held as prisoners of
war" we would be allowed Rations" now
from all of these facts we ask of you to release
us" we can not by any act of ours release the
men" Morgan took from our country. If we
could we would do so" we urge that you will
have us released" and from all of the facts
if you should think, we ought not to be released
then we ask you to extend our paroles so as
to permit us to go home and remain there
subject to any Order you may make in
our cases" please to answer this as soon as
possible and direct your answer to us at
Irvine Ky" we Remain Respectfully yours

Saml. S. Laughlin
David Pitt

We the under signed citizens of Estell
 County being personally acquainted with
 S. J. Vaughn and David Witt and the cir-
 -cumstances under which they are held, we think
 they set fourth the facts in their case in their
 letter and most earnestly request you to grant
 this petition

Morton M. Prou
 Drs, Scholl
 W. S. Ashcroft
 Matthew Walden
 W. H. Wiley
 Joseph A. Gardner
 James M. Witt

C. L. Lockhill
 Silas Witt
 Howard Ware
 W. L. Jacob
 Wm. Arvian
 Francis S. Miller
 J. L. Price
 Andrew Shepherd
 J. F. Wilcox

Drumhobby 12th / 63
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 Vaughn & Witt
 David Witt

State that they have been in
 jail 43 days. Held as lunatics
 for two money orders who
 were carried off by pro-segs
 last fall. Say they have no
 firm aid or comfort to
 the Southern Army, and do
 not understand why
 they are confined.
 Endorsed by several citi-
 zens of that place

Edwards

Commonwealth of Kentucky
Executive Department

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Frankfort, Ky Febry, 4th

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Robinson

J. F.
Castell

States that in the part of Estill
county there are two persons - Saml
Vaughn and Mr Witts imprisoned, and
held as hostages for two Union men
who were carried off by guerrillas.
These men are "Southern Rights" men, but
law-abiding citizens. States that
he disapproves of it and requests their
release.

See letter book 26

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Commonwealth of Kentucky,

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

Frankfort
Louisville, Ky Feb. 4 1863

My Dear Sir:

I have received information of a reliable character that two persons, Samuel J. Vaughn and Mr. White are incarcerated in the jail of Estill county, where they were placed after being arrested by a squad of the 14th Kentucky, more than a month ago. They were arrested, and are held, as I understand, as hostages for two men - who were carried off by guerrillas, what band of guerrillas is not known, nor is it known where they have been taken to.

These men, Vaughn and White are reported to be "Southern Rights" men, and doubtless correctly so. But they are law abiding, correct, honorable and reliable citizens, against whom there are no charges except that they hold opinions not accordance with our own. This act of arrest and incarceration of them I wholly disapprove, as I do not doubt you will; and I have to request that, as the Commanding General of the Department, you will cause them to be released. Such a course on your part will be consonant with justice, tempered with that mercy which should govern the actions of a Commander. I am sure the granting of this request will be simply an act of justice to injured citizens, and I make it with the confident assurance that it will be granted.

With great respect I am your friend

A. H. Minner

P.S. My information in regard to this matter has been derived
necessarily from Union members of the Legislature and other
reputable Union men, and I therefore make this statement and request
with entire confidence in its truth and justice.

I will merely add that, if the public good requires
these men to be held, I think they could be held by parole instead
of incarceration.

J. F. R.

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Head Quarters, Army of the Potomac,
Office of the Provost Marshal General,

13th Feby 1863

General -

I have the honor to report, that in this case of Mrs. Cole I have such personal knowledge of the facts, as to be able to corroborate her statement, substantially - Her husband has long been wanting here to take her North - I believe, from information obtained, that Mrs. Hine's statement is true, Mr. Jett I know very well; an inoffensive man, nearly blind, & with his sister, unfortunately detained here by the arrival of our troops - The case of Miss Kelly is different - I cannot recommend a Pass for her across the lines - She knows too much & is too strongly Secesh to be trusted -

Brig Genl William
Asst Adjt Genl,

Respectfully
G. W. Patrick
Provost Genl,

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July 3
J. A. Sup. D. C. A. 1863.

Forwarded to

John C. ...

W. B. ...

Communication

from

Major Foxman & Pierce

regarding instruction rec'd

from Mr. Gatzman prohibiting

permits to waste below

Helena

Office Board of Trade

Helena Ark. Feb. 3rd 1863

General:

We are advised from the Treasury Department at Memphis that we must not grant permits nor clearances to go below Helena, under any circumstances, until the Special Agent can himself obtain permission from Washington to authorize it, which he expects in a few days. I regret that we are thus forbidden to co-operate in a privilege, which Gen. Grant evidently contemplated in his order No 7.

Mr Vestman writes to us on the 30th inst. and says:

"I have written to the department for instructions to allow me to clear Boats to go below, which I would now do, with the greatest pleasure if I had the authority, and until those instructions arrive we must be governed by present rules. * * *

"If the military authority advise me that it is safe to extend trade to any designated place I immediately inform the Secretary of the Treasury, who then instructs the several Treasury Agents to open trade.

"I again repeat to you, and most emphatically now impress upon you, under no consideration, sign any permits for trade, or clearances to go below Helena. For a violation of this order

I shall not only seize the Boat and cargo
but dismiss the officers of the Board of Trade
who permit it.

General: This letter was received by us
day before yesterday, in reply to inquiries
of ours made since our interview with
you upon Gen Grant's Order No 7.
And we see no way but for parties to
wait here till their requisite authority
and instruction come from the Head of
the Treasury Dept at Washington. I
regret this necessity, but as a Board
of Trade we feel obliged to respect
the prohibition imposed on us.

Yours respectfully
J. B. Pierce

Brig Gen Gorman
Commanding Army
Dist C. Ark.

J. B. Gorman
D. B. Pierce

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No. 18-

1863

Washington City
Feb. 11th, 1863

Gen S. Hallingford

Citizens

In relation to claims
of certain citizens
for back and carriage
fines in bringing in
wounded from the Bull
Run battle field

Requests to be informed
when the claims are
allowed

(1 Enc)

Recd M. D. W. Feb. 11, 1863

Washington City D.C.

Feb'y 11. 1863.

Major Sherburne

Dear Sir

I mentioned to you a few days since in your
Office that some of my neighbors had requested me to mention their
claims to you. For Stack hire. the last Battle of Bull Run.

Formerly when I attended to business with, and
for Gen Wadsworth as Commissioner of Deeds &c. I was at
no loss of whom to make enquiries. I knew you by sight at that
time. hence my troubling you.

I enclose the within paper and respectfully
request that you will let me know when their claims are
allowed, which I hope will be at any early day.

I am Sir

Very Respectfully

Your Obedt Servt

John S. Hollingshead

26.18 - M.D.M. 1963
(Enclosures)

Washington City D.C.

Feby 9th 1863.

We the undersigned residents of the City of Washington
D.C. do constitute and appoint John S. Hollingshead of the
same place as our representative before the Military Governor
of the District of Columbia in regard to our claims before
the Department against the United States for Passage
and Stack Hire to Centreville &c to bring in the Wounded at
the last Battle of "Bull Run"

Witness our hands this 9th day of February 1863.

Cyrus Masten
W. Williams
John Graham
John Hursley

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Station
From Fairfax Court-House
Feb'y 20th 1863

Robert Johnson
St. Louis Comdg Post

Asks for orders in
reference to a person
who wishes a pass.

Office of U. S. Military Telegraph,

WAR DEPARTMENT.

The following Telegram received at Washington 5:40 P. M. Feb 20 1863,

From Fairfax Va 5 P. M.

Dated,

Feb 20 1863.

Capt W Potter
Acty

Mr Kerney lives near Aldie, has
a pass dated December 15th 1862. of
which the following is a copy

"Head Quarters Mil. District
of Washⁿ. Washington D. C.
December 15th 1862

No 172.

Mr William Kerney & team
having furnished satisfactory
evidence of his loyalty to the
Government of the U. S. will be
permitted to pass within the lines
of the U. S. forces over Chain Bridge
with Eight pounds groceries for the

Office of U. S. Military Telegraph,

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WAR DEPARTMENT.

The following Telegram received at Washington..... M..... 1863,

From..... M.

Dated,..... 1863.

purpose of getting a pass at Fort
Chan Allen to proceed further.
This pass will expire Dec.
16th. 1863.

By order J. A. Martindale
Brig. Gen. & Mil. Gov.
Dist. of Washⁿ

Signed W. M. Calahish
L. A. C. T. G. A. C.

Says he took the oath of allegiance
to enable him to get a pass but
lost the pass which contained his
oath. He also says he had a pass
dated at Fort Chan Allen but
has lost it. He wants to get a

Office of U. S. Military Telegraph,

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WAR DEPARTMENT.

The following Telegram received at Washington..... M..... 1863,

From..... M.

Dated,..... 1863.

pass for himself & team & 4 female
to Alexandria Two of the females
desire to return.

He is an Irishman & I do not
think he is a dangerous person,

Shall they be allowed to
proceed?

Robert Johnston
Lieut Col Commanding post

3650/

Lebanon 19/10/23

W & Jessie
Peter Cunningham
Ino vannedale
Ino Hunt

We have to ask your
consent to go to
Mercur County
to attend our
aunts funeral
&c

bits

South-Western Telegraph Company.

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

All messages will hereafter be received by this Company for transmission subject to the above conditions.

N. GREEN, Pres't., Louisville, Ky.

Feb 19 1863

By Telegraph from *Shuman* 1863
To *Prig Genl Bayle*

We have got Jacobs
Consent to go to Mercer
County to attend our
aunts funeral Can we
go

W G Masie
Peter Cunningham
Mrs Vanousdale
Mrs Hall

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New Bern July 5 1863

North Carolina

E Stanley Mil Gov-

States that two men, Stearns
& Barco, sent to Prov March
when no charges exist
against them. If there
are no objections he will
have them dismissed

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Recd. Adm 18th Corps July 5, 1863

Department of North Carolina,

Head-Quarters—Military Governor,

Newbern, N. C., July: 5th 1863.

Col. Gustavus Hoffman
A. A. Genl.,

Col:

There are two men, named
Stearns, & Pairo, sent to the
Prison—Marshal here, without any
charge against them that I can ascertain.

There is nothing in the office
of the Prison—Marshal, that shows
upon what charge they are detained.

They are No. C. C. Robts. &
not properly within my jurisdiction.

Have you anything in your office
relating to them?

Please inform Corporal
Roberts. If you have nothing to
say to the contrary, I shall have them
sent back

Wm. G. 
Maj. Genl.

Report on cases
of ³⁶⁵² James Allen
Mrs William Spang
Mrs Stair
& Rachel Wilson (etc)
for Hay of Luce.

Feb 10

207 1/2 N. W. 1/4 Sec 10

Original

Box 0 = 1/2

Provost Marshal's Office

Falmouth Va Feb 20th 1863

Brig. Gen. Patrick
General -

I have the honor to report in case of Jeremiah Allen son, that he is an old man, and blind, and that all his children and relations are on the other side except his little boy who leads him about.

Mrs. McKane & family belong on the other side - they have been lately employed by the office of the 20th Mass. V. to cook &c - left Fredericksburg at time of shelling & wish to return for permanent stay - have received rations as refugees.

Mrs. Stairs I have not been able to see, but her relations, in the same way, are on the other side - All these were frightened over by shelling and have received rations from Commissary.

There is also a colored woman Rachel Wilson (free) who left Fredericksburg on account of the fighting, and whose husband is now sick as well as one daughter, & who wishes to return, and her husband bring them.

I have been unable to report sooner on these cases as I did not know the names about of the parties.

Very Respectfully
O. W. Armstrong
Capt. & Prov. M.

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Office Prov. Secy. Genl.

23 Feb. 1863

Respectfully forwarded to
Head Quarters for instructions
in the case of Smith & Downing
Also that the matter alluded
to in the closing paragraph
may receive attention, as
it is productive of very
many evil results.

M. W. Patrick

Prov. Secy. Genl.

Gen. Nelson's

last Dir. Compliance
of note in P. O.

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See General order

no. 27. June 1863

Recd Feb 23 1863

L 4 Army Potomac, 1863

February 23 1863

L F Lytle
Capt & Prov Marshal

Citizens

Relative to Pro James
Smith & Frederick
Downing prisoners
of war now in custody
of the Provost Marshal

Head Quarters, Army, of the Potomac
Office of the Provost-Marshal-General
February 23rd 1862.

General:

On the 16th inst there were sent under guard to this Office two Citizens - Rev James Smith, and Frederick Downing residents of Northumberland County, Va. and near the village of Heathville. Mr Smith charged with being engaged in carrying goods and grain across the Peninsula from the Potomac to the Rappahannock, and Mr Downing with being instrumental in the capture of the crews of two barges driven ashore near Heathville and of burning the barges. The next day three negroes were sent in as witnesses.

Upon examination of the witnesses, and the men I find that just before Christmas a small boat loaded with goods came into Cove river and landed near the house of Mr Smith. The Overseer for said Smith, Coliff took care of the goods for the night and the next morning Smith directed them to be taken to Heathville, going in advance to notify the inhabitants. When the goods arrived at Heathville the inhabitants seized & distributed the goods among themselves paying the smuggler a percentage on his investment. The negroes only state that Smith directed the goods to be taken to Heathville, and that Mr Smith's wagon carried them saying that there were two loads taken, one before, and the other after Christmas, Smith stating that there was only one, and that before Christmas.

All of them say they do not know the name of the person who came across the river in the small boat. Smith protests that he never had anything to do with trading trafficking, or carrying any goods whatever across the Peninsula on to the enemy since the War commenced, but had remained at home attending to his duties as a Minister of the gospel, and there is no evidence to contradict that statement. I would therefore recommend that Rev James Smith be released, and

said returned to his home. One of the negroes states that Mr. Downing was present and assisted in arresting the crew, and burning the barges drawn on the Va shore, some four or six weeks since.

Mr Downing's statement is more full than the negroes and he acknowledges that he was present and that nearly the whole neighborhood participated in the transaction, Smith was not there.

In my opinion the negroes are of service only for the purpose of giving the names of the parties residing in that vicinity, and after that is obtained, I would recommend they be released, and sent to Washington, and that Mr Downing be sent to Washington under guard, or held in custody at Aquia Creek till he could be brought to trial by a Military Commission.

The practice of arresting citizens outside of our lines with ~~little~~ little, or no evidence against them is in my judgment productive of great evil. It is hardly proper to permit them to be returned to their homes after coming within our lines, and when nothing can be proven against them it seems like great injustice to keep them from their families, which in many instances are actually suffering for want of the necessaries of life.

I respectfully call attention to this matter; that scouting parties and pickets may be required to exercise due precautions in the arrest of citizens peacefully remaining at home, believing that the interests of the service demand that such persons shall not be brought within our lines unless there is sufficient testimony against them to warrant their being retained, and in all cases the names of the witnesses, with their residence, or the witnesses themselves should accompany the prisoner.

Very Respectfully
Yours Obedient

L. F. Lytle
Capt. U.S. Army

To

Brig. Genl. M. R. Patrick

Pro. Marshal

Army of Potomac.

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Headquarters Post Jackson
February 9. 1863

Report of applications
for the return of property
&c &c.

~~Citizens~~

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Petitions for restoration of Property
Horses Mules &c the Examination of which
is entrusted at Jackson to Col M. K. Sawler Comd'g Post.

Date of Petition	Name of Petitioner	Description of Property	Remarks
January 25	Baker Dinwiddie	Two mares one saddle & two bridles	
February 4	Sarah W. Revell	One Bay Horse	
" 3	Frederic C. Douglass	One Mare Mule	
January 30	Wm Ricketts	Wagon Team & other property the amt of \$879.00	
February 3	Thos W. Carr	Horse Bridle & Saddle	
" "	Thos W. Cadaway	Horse Bridle & Saddle	
January 29	Wm J. Spencer	asks aid for blind children whose father was killed in the Battle of Gettysburg	
" 24	Stanford Burns	Property to the amount of \$522.65	
" 18	A. J. Lanesdon	one Grey Mule	
" 18	John H. Keyton	Four mules Wagon Harness & Saddle	
" 27	J. L. H. Tomlin	asks decision in relation to various petitions	
" 25	John C. M. Garland	asks protection for remainder of his property	
" 26	Garnet Kelly	One Mare	
" 23	J. P. Brown	Property to the amount of \$144.55	
February 7	Major S. A. Marks	One Horse taken by 11th Ill. Cavalry	
January 25	H. W. Watton	Two Mules Bridles & Saddles	
" "	A. B. Mitchell	Wagon Horse Mule & Harness	
" 24	Henry E. Frazer	Three mules and one sorrel mare	
" "	James Hicks	Property to the amount of \$248.00	
" "	Benjamin Peoples	One mule & one negro man	
February 11	Capt. C. Newell Smith Cav.	Horse Bridle Saddle & Military Equipments	
" 7	A. A. Chestnut	One Mule	
" 6	Wm H. Jackson	One mare	

Pet. Return with order that the property be returned
Pet. Return with order that the property be returned if unclaimed

Order to be delivered Feb 13, 63
Order to be delivered Feb 13, 63

Order to be delivered Feb 13

citizen

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Names of news agents
of 2nd Corps as reported

Feb. 14th to 1863 -

by Gen. J. S. Burd

Dep. Pro. Marshal

2nd Army Corps

Citizens

2 or more names

2 or more

Head Quarters 2^d Army Corps
Nov 14th 1863.

Dear General
Adjutant General

I have the honor to
forward to you the names of the new recruits
of the 2^d Army Corps.

Edward Sturmer (citizen) 1st Division

James Lacy (citizen) 2^d Division

John Wilson (citizen) 3^d Division

Very General

Very Respectfully

Your Obedient Servant

John D. Hunt

Adj. Gen. 2^d Army Corps

Marshal

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Headquarters Post Jackson
February 9, 1863

Report of applications
for the return of property
&c &c.

Copy no 2

24 11 1863

Citizen

Petitions for restoration of Property
Horses Mules &c. the examination of which
is entrusted at Jackson to Col M. K. Lawler
Comdg Post.

Date of Petition 1863	Name of Petitioner	Description of Property	Remarks
January 25.	Baker Dimwidie	Two mares one Saddle + Two Bridles	
February 4.	Sarah W. Perill	One Bay Horse	
" 3.	Archa. G. Douglas	One mare mule.	
January 30.	Wm Ricketts	Wagon Team &c. to the amt. of \$819.00.	
February 3	Thos W. Carr	Horse Bridle + Saddle.	
" 3.	Thos W. Madaway	Horse Bridle + Saddle <small>(at the request of Britton's Army)</small>	
January 29.	Wm J. Spencer	asks aid for his grand children whose fathers died, belonged to the Federal Army.	
" 24	Stanfield Burns.	Property to the amount of \$562.65	
" 18.	R. D. Lamesdon	One Bay mule.	
" 18	John H. Keyton	Four mules Wagon + Harness + Saddle.	
" 27.	J. L. K. Tomlin	asks decision in relation to various Petitions	
" 25	John C. M. Garland	asks Protection for remainder of his Property.	
" 26	Garret Kelly	One mare.	
" 23	J. P. Brown	Property to the amount of \$140.55	
February 7	Mjr. J. B. Marks	One Horse taken by 11 th Ill. Cavalry	
January 25	S. W. Walton	Two mules Bridles + Saddles.	
" "	A. B. Mitchell	Wagon Horse Mule + Harness	
" 24	Henry E. Frazier	3 mules and one sorrel mare	
" "	James Hicks	Property to the amt of \$248.00	
" "	Benjamin Peoples	one mule + one negro man	
February 4	Capt. G. Newell Smith	Horse Bridle Saddle + military Equipments	
" 7	H. A. Chester	one mule	
" 16	Wm H. Jackson	One mare	

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Wm. Price U.S. Dist. Ct.
Office
Ct. Cl.

Stating that Martin & Watson, confined as witnesses to the seizure of goods at Carrolls Island, are willing to give bail for their appearance at Court, and are anxious to be released

Feb 4th 1863

Head quarters
1st Army Corps July 4th

Respectfully referred
to the Provost Marshal,
with instruction to send
an order to St. Henry
for the Ureas of the two
teams, herein referred
to to appear as witnesses.

in relation to the goods
seized on Slater's farm.

By order of Maj. Genl. Schenck

May 14 1864
Capt. A. S. C.

Watts. Dec. 4, 1863.

Maj. General Schenck, Jr.,

Two men (Watson & Martin), arrested and now confined at Fort Mifflin as witnesses in the case of the seizure at Carroll's Island, have given bail for their appearance at the March term of the District Court, and desire to be released from custody. I am informed by Capt. Chas. W. Bowen, of the 18th Conn. Reg^t Vol., who made the seizure, that this is the only cause of their detention. If such be the case, will you be kind enough to order their release.

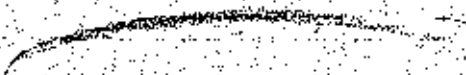
Very respectfully
John W. Taylor
J. W. Taylor, R. S. Dist. Atty.
John W. Taylor.

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From the Dr. of the
by Mr. [unclear]
Postmaster

Not considered for the
Dr. of the [unclear]

List of families & persons having Relations in Rebel
 Employment Still Remaining in the City. July 25. 63.

A. Xenarios.	one son -	Residence	Martin Street
Philip Gurey -	Three sons	"	"
Mrs Jacob Mickle	Four sons	"	Charlotte "
Peter Legui.	one Brother	"	" "
Jos Benet.	Four sons. Pilot.	"	" "
Mrs Cas Ponce.	Husband	"	" "
Mrs J. S. Masters	do -	"	" "
Gabriel Masters	one son	"	" "
Gabriel Pacetty	one son	A - George	" "
Bartolo Ponce	"	"	" "
Mrs. B. F. Olivarius	Husband	"	" "
Mrs Turner	Husband	"	" "
Mrs Whitby	Husband	"	" "
Pedro Benet.	has a son in the U. S. A. a Lieutenant at West Pt.	"	" "
Mrs. P. Armon.	Husband	"	" "
Andrus Pacetty.	Three sons	"	" "
Andrew Lopez	one son	"	" "
Bartolo Olivarius.	think ^{two} sons	"	" "
Bessenty Pacetty	Three sons	"	" "
Mrs Darling -	one son -	"	" "
C. Pumar old man	Two sons	Spanish St	" "
C. Pumar. jr.	Two Brothers	"	" "
Crescentia Pacetty Carbon	one son	Hypolita	" "

List Continued

P. B. Drumat - one son - Subjects
Mrs Roque Lemandy - Two do
John O. Canova - one son - St George St
Mr Taylor Hernandez Two Sons " " "
Ramon Hernandez Two Brothers " " "
Mrs F. Russell Husband - St Francis St
Joseph Manney - one son - Charlotte "
no C. Bravo - one son - " "
A. D. Rogers - one son - " "
Mr Rosa Lemandy Two Sons Marine St
Mr Mathias Andrew Husband " "
Mrs Merson - one son " "
Mrs Ross - one son " "
Michael Hanna - one son " "
Mr Brush - Husband & Two Sons " "

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E. A. Chamberlain

February 1843

Chgo

Army of the Frontier
In the Field Feb. 1863

Sir

In compliance with order from
General Dutton I on November 3^d 1862
proceeded from Cross Hollows Ark. to
Dentonville Ark. in command of a
portion of three Companies of the 1st ^{Regt} Cavalry.
On my return and about
one mile from Dentonville I halted
the command for the purpose of feeding
at a house owned by a man named
Phillips who was according to the
statement of his daughter a Rebel
and in the service of the so called
Southern Confederacy.

While at the house of said Phillips I was
informed by a woman who said she
was the daughter of said Phillips that
there was a family of Negroes by the
name of Smith under her charge
owned in Springfield Missouri
by a woman named Mrs Smith and
brought them from Springfield by
a son of Mrs Smith who was on
his way to the Southern Army. I also
was informed that the family of
Negroes consisting of one John Smith
the husband Jerry Smith, the wife
and three small children names
unknown were to be called for at
the close of the war by said Hadden
Smith of Springfield.
At the request of the Colonel named

John Smith I permitted him with family
to get aboard a wagon and follow
at the rear of my Column to Cross
Station and from there to Cran Creek
Mo. when I reported all the facts in
the case to General Devron and received
permission to send the family of Negroes
to Springfield Mo. which I did.
I subsequently learned that Mrs
Smith of Springfield got possession
of the Colored family and claimed
them as her property.

I thereupon reported to General
Devron the information received
and received instructions from the General
to report the case to the Provost Marshal
at Springfield and request him
to see that each and every one of the
black persons had their free papers
made out and given them.

In this connection permit me to say
that I believe the Claimant Mrs Smith
to be a disloyal woman - a secret
enemy to the Government of the United
States. I furthermore believe from all I
can learn that for a long time the said
Mrs Smith's house was the Dead
Quarters for all mail matters
destined for the South.

Mrs Smith can have no just claim
to the negroes in question under
the late orders from the War Depart-
ment.

If the said Mrs Smith is a

loyal women, and always
has been, as I learned, why.
I would ask even the Negroes
in despatch sent to Antislavery
for safe keeping, and that
too by a noted secessionist, until
the close of the present war.

I have the honor to remain

Sir, Very Respectfully

Your Obedt. Servt.

E. H. Chamberlain

Major 1st Iowa Cavalry

Postmaster
Springfield Mass

3000

February 1863,

Political Prisoners
on Land at
Fort Mifflin

C. C.

Feb. / 63

Political Prisoners on hand at Fort Mifflin Feb February 1863

No	Name	Date of Confinement	By whom Confined	Residence	Remarks
1	Boissac Albert	Jan 27. 1863	Genl Schuette	Philadelphia	Editor of the Evening Journal
2	Bulmer H.	July 4. 1863	" "	"	Aiding and abetting desertion
3	Bizler Samuel	" 30 th 1863	" "	"	" " " " "
4	Castro R. J. H.	" 17. 1863	" "	"	Tearing down the U.S. flag from the Church on Bridge St
5	Carigan Wm	" 4. 1863	" "	"	Charge with burning the sloop "Hercules"
6	Chubb Geo	" 19. 1863	" "	"	Claims to be a Priest in White Cov. Genl Schuette thinks he is here in custody
7	Conkhouse E. H.	" 12. 1863	" "	"	Disloyalty & Treason. Released on taking the oath of allegiance by order Gen Schuette July 16/63
8	Harris George	" 6. 1863	" "	"	Spy sent to Fort Delaware February 23. 1863
9	Johnson Joseph	" 6. 1863	" "	"	Spy sent to Fort Delaware February 23. 1863 by order of Gen Schuette
10	Kearney John	" 5. 1863	" "	"	Spy
11	Lloyd Frank	5. 1863	" "	"	Disloyalty and Treason
12	Belcher George	" 7. 1863	" "	"	Rebel Mail Carrier sent to Fort Delaware by order of Gen Schuette July 23. 1863
13	Spencer John	" 13. 1863	" "	"	Aiding and abetting Desertion
14	Tilghman James	" 4. 1863	" "	"	Charge with burning the sloop "Hercules"
15	Hyler Daniel	" 13. 1863	" "	"	Aiding and abetting Desertion
16	Williamson Eugene	" 13. 1863	" "	"	Charge with carrying mail matter from the Confederates to their agents in Europe
17	Woods G. W.	" "	" "	"	Rebel Spy, a dangerous man not fit subject to parole. Sent to Ft Delaware by order Gen Schuette ^{Sept 1863}
18	Williams Patrick	" "	" "	"	1 st Was charge with being a spy sent to Fort Delaware July 23 1863
19	Wills John	" "	" "	"	" " " " " " " " " " " " " " "
20	Bennett Owen	" "	" "	"	7 th Was Rebel Spy sent to Fort Delaware July 23. 1863 by order Gen Schuette

(Signed) W. W. Morris
 Brig General U.S.A.
 Commanding

Official
 W. H. Chesborough
 Asst. General

Saml. J. Sharp 3661

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Feb 5. rec^d 19. 63

sent to me by Rev Mr
Jayson, banded, at Indi-
anapolis.

Go. S. Lincoln Vol 8

Referred, for report, to the
Judge Advocate General.

By order of the Secretary
of War.

J. A. Watson
Asst. Secretary of War

War Dept. }
April 28, 1863. }

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Feb 25 1863

Judge Advocate General's Office,

May 1st 1863.

The narratives given by Dr
H. W. Pitman & the Rev. Wm. C.
Taylor of the wrongs which they have suffered
at the hands of the Military authorities
in Mexico are very improbable in their
details & no doubt do great injustice to
Gen. Merrill. Inasmuch however as
these papers have been referred to the
Department by the Attorney General
who states that "Dr Pitman some
years ago was a very respectable
person" it is recommended that
Gen. Merrill or Major General
be required to report the grounds
on which these persons were ordered
to leave the State of Mexico together
with all the circumstances which
may tend to explain the action
that has been taken against
them. ~~The~~ On the receipt of such
report the case will be in a condition
to be considered of
Wm. A. R. G. J.
Judge Advocate General

Referred to Major General
Curtis, commanding, U. S.
Louis, Missouri, for the
report required by the Judge
Advocate General. By order
of the Secretary of War.

A. A. Watson
Asst. Secretary of War.

War Dept. E
May 4, 1863

Wm. R. P. Searcy
John W. Searcy

personally acquainted with my father, who per-
son headed to Jackson on 29 May 1863

Dawville Mo

5th Feby 1863

Hon^{ble} Edward Bates

Dr Sir

I write you in reference to Rev W^m
A Taylor of this County. An order was issued by ^{Gen^l Lewis} Merrill
banishing during the war Rev Mr Taylor
(Presbyterian) Rev Spencer (Meth) Rev Storlin (Bap)
& five other citizens of the County (two of whom since
released) The order required them to proceed by way
of Macon City & Hannibal & remain at some point
East of Illinois & North of Indianapolis. No charges
were preferred against them, & they remain entirely
ignorant of any charge against them. I have sought
to discover what their offence is, but have been
unable to learn anything in relation to the matter;
My own impression is that they have been ostracised
at the instance of perhaps only one Union citizen
himself influenced by vindictiveness, prejudice &
selfishness. ~~From~~ ^{The} little I know of Gen^l Merrill
is sufficient for me to arrive at the conclusion that
he is totally unfit to be vested with the discretion
power of banishing citizens. Significantly profane
of immoral character, and (as I ~~have~~ ^{understand}) addicted
to indulgence in mean whisky, he would con-

sider the sacred calling of a man, included in a reported list of secessionists, an additional reason for his persecution. Here in Montgomery Co has been a season of quiet for twelve months no raids, no robberies of any consequence. Yet upon the plea of public safety, six men are banished, some of them considered here, the most inoffensive of the secessionists of the County. I have always supposed Mr Taylor a secessionist in feeling, but I believe he denies it. However from my own knowledge of him & the common report of his immediate neighbors, I can state that he has never permitted his sympathies if indeed they are Southern, to betray him into any disloyal action. As a teacher he has taken the Convention Oath & upon the order of the Lieut. Col of the enrolled Militia, he displayed the Stars & Stripes from ^{his} School building. He has never permitted his boys to take up arms against the Government; He has been remarkably prudent in his conversation, in fact exclusively timid, so much that he denied himself the pleasure of writing, lest some observation might ~~be subjected to~~ ^{be subjected to} improper construction. Mr Taylor is a poor man, with delicate Const

tution has a large family to support
His banishment under the circumstances is
a great hardship.

The order I consider tyrannical & unwise
Is it the policy or disposition of the President
to banish men unless their presence is notoriously
dangerous to the Community; unless the danger
be imminent, palpable?

I will esteem it an especial favor
if you will influence the President to have
this order rescinded. I send this communication
to Mr Taylor at Indianapolis, that he may accompany
it if he wishes with a letter of his own. You are
personally acquainted with my father, I refer
you besides to J. B. Henderson Esq, May Rollins

Yours Res^t
Sam^l J. Sharp

Referred to Major General
Curtis, commanding, C. S. S.
Louis, Missouri for the
report required by the Judge
Advocate General. By order
of the Secretary of War.

A. A. Patton

Asst. Secretary of War.

War Dept
May 4, 1863

Office of the Marshal
Andrain County Mo.
Mexico Mo. Feb 28th 1863

Gardner O. A. W. $\frac{2}{1}$
West Froot Moar

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Writes Col. B. G. Farris
Encloses the evidence in
the cases of Isaac Cartwright
and Abel Crawford charged
with having violated their
Bonds. Wishes to know
if it is made out correct
Also wishes to be informed
what evidence is necessary
to prove that parties are in
the Rebel Army
The roads are so bad that it
renders it almost impossible
to get witnesses. The evidence
Capt Toillion had taken
from prisoners would
forfeit several Bonds.
Wishes to know if a brief of
their statements with the
findings would be sufficient
or would he want a copy in
full sent him. Wishes a
List in full of all Bonds
taken in that County

Sent him

Recd O. G. S. Co. ²/₁₀ to P
March 1st 1863.

Mexico, Mo., Feb'y 28th 1863.

Col B. G. Farrar.

Dear Sir

Herewith I send you findings in case of U. S. vs Jacob Cartmel and Abel Crawford together with a brief of the testimony.

Cartmel is now in Atton and Crawford died there a few weeks since which will account for the original evidence being filed at Dept Hel Ins.

As this is a new business to us (we are not Lawyers) you will please give me instructions where there is a deficiency and I will get into the "right way" quickly.

What evidence will be necessary to prove parties in the rebel service. A man from this county is said to be in the rebel Army but I can find no one who has actually saw him there, and his wife says she don't know where he is. Everybody believes he is in their Army - no positive proof though.

The roads into the country are so bad that it is almost impossible to do anything about getting in witnesses or bringing in property but I will get a "good steady" while the mud is settling and then give them double quick when I can open on them.

The evidence Capt Pollard took in the prison, by your last decision will be sufficient to forfeit several Bonds. Will merely a brief of their statements be enough to send you with the findings or should I send you full copies?

How soon can you send me list of all Bonds on file in your office from this county?

Very Respy

Your obt servt

O. A. A. Gardner

Apt Postman

3663

St Louis Feb 7. 18. 1863

~~194 M. (Curtis) 63~~

Missouri, Dept. of
Curtis, J. R. Maj. Gen.

to Brig. Gen. O. Smith.

Referring to him the cases of
Elijah S. Todd & Wm L. Todd
Prisoners in Alton

To Bro. A. W. Hall
St. Jo. Mo. 5th 1863
Major Gen Curtis,

The Provost Marshall
of this Dept has advised
me that to release the
prisoners named mentioned
upon the conditions in
the enclosure, I know
of no reasons why it
should not be done.

Very Respectfully
Yours obt Servant
O. Smith

of
File
over

Rec'd H. D. Dept Mo.
March 8. 1863.

Head Quarters, Department of the Missouri,

St. Louis, Mo. Feb 18 1863.

~~Answer~~
Colonel. I am told that
two young men now in
Alton Prison Elijah S.
Lodd and W^m L. Lodd
are willing to and anxious
to be released on the
bond. Their father
C. C. Lodd lives four
miles East of St. Joseph
on the Savanna road
and he and others will
go on the bond.

If no violence to public
opinion would result
from a discharge I shall
order it. You are requested
to give me your opinion
in regard to the matter

J. R. Curtis

May God

(73) - Louis Guilan
St Joseph
Mo

Dublin 3664 by 17th 1863

lost

Robert Fenner

Says Richard Hearn
took a flag from
his barn, carried it
stamped on up and
took it up.

Feb. 17/63.

I hereby certify that Richard Wynn
pulled down the American flag from my
door cursed it stamped on it and tore it
up. He cursed the government and is a
dangerous & disloyal citizen

William
July 17, 1863

Robert Feinolt

Howard County

3 miles from 17 mile stone Frederick
turnpike road turn of to the left

B. Linn... Feb 17th / 68.

H. J. Bond.
Judge

Says Finnow is a
Crazy man, was once
tried in Court, & that was
proven, also attempted
to prove him a desperado
that failed, would hesitate
to investigate his affidavit
alone etc &c.

My dear Major

I cannot get
Mr of Court to see
you just now, but
love to say that
Fennell is a crazy
man. He was tried
once here, and an
effort made to send
him to the Lunatic
Asylum as a pauper.
It was proved he was

no one but
the fact that he
was a pauper
was not made our
ground for
our proceeding on
his affidavit alone

very truly

H. A. Bond

Fort M'Henry Feb 4/63

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E. W. Andrews Capt
& A. A. Guse.

Order issued for the
release of waters &
Mentem. held as
witnesses.

Feb 4 - 63

Wm. B. Deane of Boston
J. W. Hays, Esq, 4/63

Genl Morris
Capt Provt Marshal
J. W. Hays

Sir -

In pursuance
of instructions from Dep. Wm. S. Lee,
Corps, you will release from confinement
Watson and Martin, now held as witnesses
in the service of Gov. at Camp Hill.

Yr Obedt Servt Brig Genl Morris

E. M. Andrews

Capt W. C. C. G. G.

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General Order No. 1
H. B. Q. Div. Deputy

Citizens

file

Head Quarters, 3rd Division
Army of the Frontier
Camp Bliss Mo Feb 9th 1863.

General Order
No 19.

At a Military Commission which
was held at Camp Bliss Mo pursuant to Special Order
No 20 dated Head Quarters 3rd Division Army of the
Frontier Camp Bliss Mo Feb 1st 1863 and of which Col
H. M. E. Dye 20th Infantry Iowa Vol. is President was
assigned and tried

James Johnson - Negro
Charge

"Theft"
Specification. In this that the said James Johnson
Negro - did break or assist in breaking open a
trunk the property of Sergeant William Arthur A. D. C.
and steal, take and carry away sundry articles
of clothing, property of Sergeant William Arthur A. D. C.
and which were in the trunk when it was broken
open

This at Camp Schofield Mo. on or about the
8th day of February 1863.

To which Charge and Specification the accused
pleaded

"Not Guilty"

Pending and sentenced

After maturely considering the case the Commission
find the accused James Johnson - Negro

"Not Guilty"

of the charge and Specification and does therefore
acquit him

Pending and acquittal approved, James

Johnson - negro - will be released.

2nd Josephus Turner Citizen Turnster

Charge "Stealing"

Specification. In this that he the said Josephus Turner a citizen Turnster in the employment of the United States and driving a public team in the Ordnance supply train of the 2nd Division Army at Ft. Tarrant, did enter the camp of the Cavalry No. 206. was parked, and stole therefrom one wagon tongue the property of the United States and for which 1st Lieut John Lynch of Co. G. is responsible, he having been arrested in the act of carrying away said wagon tongue.

This at Camp Silloups on the 18th of February 1863.

To which Charge and Specification the accused pleaded

"Not Guilty"

Of the Specification the Commission find the facts as set forth in the Specification except the word "stole" but attach no criminality thereto

Of the charge

"Not Guilty"

and the Commission does therefore acquit him

Finding and acquittal approved Josephus Turner Turnster will be released and returned to duty.

The Military Commission of which Col. H. M. C. Dye is President is hereby dissolved

By order

Brig. Gen. Totten

Lucy J. Barnes
Major

Er. Col. Wm. Mansel
Asst. Adj. Gen.

3667

Letter from G. B. Hall
in regard to a Chומר
who has been bombing him to
keep still about the matter

Feb 5, 63

C. T. E.

Office Provost Marshal
8th Army Corps
Baltimore June 18th 1863.

Respectfully forwarded
a Brig^{adier} "Genl" Morris
commanding Fort Mc Henry
with the request that
he will forward the two
men mentioned within
to this office by means
returning these papers.

Yrs Svc

Offical & Ser^{vant} Major
8th Army Corps

Feb. 2nd 1863.

Drummondton Va, Feb. 3rd 1863

Personally appeared before John C. Graham
Trust Marshal of Accomac & Northampton Counties
Va David C. Hull, and made oath to the follow-
ing statements. Viz:

About two weeks ago, on Thursday
Capt Hurley of Wicomico, of one of the Oyster Boats
reported three Canoes loaded with goods in
Kearney Island Drain, which started out that
night but came back next morning, and thought
they were still there. I immediately reported the
fact to Supt Beuchum, of Co. M. 1st Reg. U. S. M. Vols,
whereupon Beuchum with three Guards and
myself started to look for them, and found two
Sloop Boats at the place loaded with goods. We
approached as near to them as the depth of the
water would permit, and boarded them in a Skiff
(that would carry but three men) and demanded them
to surrender, upon which they refused as they were
well armed. I then went to some of the party
that I was acquainted with and told them they
had better compromise, (seeing the guard was
in danger) upon which they agreed to give six
hundred Dollars, by order on James Andrew and
James Mason, of Gilford, if we would say nothing
about it. We accepted the order of the above
Sums on Messrs Mason & Andrew of Gilford, and
procured what names we could of the party, and
returned. We then went to Mason & Andrew to
see if we could implicate them in the matter, think-
ing the goods belonged to them, as they were keeping
store at the time. They refused to acknowledge
any of the goods, but agreed to pay the Order

as far as they could, and paid one Hundred & Forty-Eight Dollars, and promised to pay the balance.

We then returned, and Serjt Beachum reported the case to Lt. Sawson at first sight.

(Signed) D. L. Hall.

D. L. Hall implicates the following parties as being engaged in the above transaction.

Charles Wright
Giles Travers
Evans S. Phillips
J. M. Stockton
Jos. E. Will
Ruben Hickman
Augustus Parker
Emory Russell
John Hickman
Edward F. Silverthorn
Mr. S. Miterman.

Head Quarters, 1st Sept Brig.
8th Army Corps, Fort Lockout, Md.
June 16, 1863.

Col.

Yours of the 12th inst was duly received. In reply, Prisoners Morris & Wright with the charges, was sent to Fort McHenry on the 4th day of April 1863, with the request that they be sent beyond the lines.

Enclosed, please find a copy of charges, with a renewal of the request, that the Said Parties be sent beyond the lines" at your earliest convenience.

Very respectfully

Your Obedt Servt

Henry H Lockwood
Brig Genl

To Lt. Col. Fish,
Provost Marshal
8th Army Corps.
Baltimore Md.

Recd - Gps. Dep't. **3668** Potomac
Heapses Ferry Feb 11th 1865

Bring Genl. W. P. Kelly
Comd'g

Acknowledging the receipt
of communication rela-
tive to the cases of Mrs. Jones
& Miss Thompson, and sta-
ating that ~~the~~ Club can be
obtained as to the route
indicated. Lits

¹⁰
Feb 13th 1865

St. As Defences W. Potomac
Harpers Ferry Va July 11th 1863

Colonel,

I have the honor to acknowledge
the receipt of your communication of 5th inst giving
information that two rebel women - a Mrs Forrest
and a Miss Thompson - had arrived at Baltimore via
Harpers Ferry from Staunton Va, was duly received.

I have endeavored to investigate this
matter but thus far without success. No information
can be obtained concerning these women nor of any
wagon used or left by them while on the trip. It is
believed that they travelled by some other route than
the one indicated

I am very Respectfully
Yrs obedt Servt

B. J. Kelley
Brig Genl

Lt. Col W. H. Cheabrough
apt capt Genl
Baltimore Md.

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Roll of Male Blacks
Received from
Gun - Boat -
Feb 7th 1863
at
Head Quarters W. C. A.

200 mms
Names

Report of Black Males
Recd.
Roll of Blacks Recd.

Roll of Male Blacks Received from Gun Boat Oct. 7th 1863

No	Name	Age	Height		Complexion	Former Owners
			feet	in		
1	Allen, Clayborn	26	5	6	Black	John. Woodburn
2	Batts John	25	5	7	"	
3	Batts William	14	5	2	"	
4	Batts George	50	5	10	"	
5	Batts Alexander	18	5	8	"	
6	Batts Richard	8	4		"	
7	Bell James	35	5	8	"	
8	Branch Louis	30	5	9	Mulatto	
9	Brinks Daniel	42	5	8	Black	
10	Brown James	17	5	8	Brown	
12	Ditto William	19	5	10	Dark "	
13	Dupuy Samuel	23	5	8	Black	
14	Gale Leander	19	5	5	Dark Brown	
15	Gale Joseph	25	5	9	Mulatto	
16	Gibson Edmund	50	5	8	Black	
17	Gibson Marco	10	4	6	"	
18	Grayson Charles	20	5	4	Brown	
19	Grayson Peter	72	5	9	"	
20	Grayson Cornelius	13	5		"	
21	Hicks John	41	5	6	"	
22	Johnson Moses	25	5	8	Dark Brown	
23	Johnson Henry	30	5	9	" "	
24	Kurd Oliver	60	5	10	Black	
25	Lovy Spencer	26	5	7	"	
26	Marke Daniel	30	5	10	Dark Brown	
27	Marshall Edmund	35	5	10	" "	
28	Marshall Benjamin	6	3	8	" "	
29	Moody Gilbert	78	5	9	" "	
30	Philips Nathaniel	7	3	4	Light "	
31	Reed Esrick	35	5	8	Dark "	
32	Smith Stephen	35	5	9	Mulatto	
33	Stewart Peter	58	5	8	Dark Brown	
34	Rorro Alfred	55	5	8	Light "	
35	Thompson Robert	52	5	8	Dark "	
36	Furner John	7	3	4	Light "	
37	Walker Thomas	9	4	1	"	
38	White Walker	35	5	10	Dark "	
39	Williams Daniel	26	5	5	" "	
40	Williams Nathan	29	5	6	"	
41	Williams Lot	49	6		" Black	

Received the above named parties from Capt. S. W. Jay etc.

Samuel Sawyer

Supt. of Contrabands

Baltimore 3870

July 19th 1868

Ed

Mr. C. Traylor
U. S. Dist. Atty &c

Asks for the papers in
the case of L. F. Warner.
Will examine his case
to day, and after making
the witnesses give bond
to appear in March he
will discharge them.

Examined the case of
Marcus Harris. Got him
with a confession. Discharg-
ed him, there being no
charge against him

Feb. 19/68.

Balt. Feb 19th 1863,
Maj. Fish,
(Post Marshal), Sir,

As soon as
you receive the papers in the cases of
C. F. Wimmer & others, I would
like you to send them up to me im-
mediately, so that I can immediately
file the Bills of Information & know
exactly what facts it will be necessary
for me to prove to support
the Bills. In regard to the case

of Marcus Adams, examined
yesterday, I obtained by written
confession of the facts and discharged
him from custody, there being no
charge against him personally, and
no necessity for his further detention.
I will examine, this morning, the
case of C. S. Turner & the witnesses,
and, after compelling them to give
bail for their appearance in March,
~~discharge~~ discharge them, unless I receive
instructions to the contrary from you.

Please send me the letter from Gen.
Kelly, or Ford, containing the charges
against the parties, and I will return
it, after the examination -

Yours very respectfully,
W. J. Hayes,
for Mr. ^{Wm.} ~~Wm.~~
R. S. Dittell.

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Baltimore Feb 12th 1863

Rebel Mail.

Written by Johannes Wagner

Addressed to Mrs. Philip
Lashmeir Virginia

C. W.

Feb 16th 1863.

Baltimore February 12th 1863

Mr. Castner

I was in the room at 11 o'clock

Sir I take the Liberty and opportunity now of addressing a few lines to you hearing of your Generosity towards Mankind both Friends & Enemy alike I would ask a few favours of you which I know if you receive this you will not refuse 1. do first to let me know how Mr. O'Brien family like is the Man you will remember that was imprisoned in Richmond and dont hesitate to say that he owes his Liberty to you but since he is here over here has been treated very badly by Pretended Friends and has not heard the first word from his family he is stopping at a friend house here and comes to see me every day to ^{know} something about his family Secondly Mr. McCame has not heard anything of his Mother since his Aunt Died and he requests me for to apply to you for some information about him knowing that you will do anything in your power to find out where and how he is and also requests your family to introduce themselves to Mr. Timothy Muras Family in Richmond and visit them as they may give them some information and Thirdly go to Castle Backer and ask for Adelle St. Well you know his Father very well and he is a friend mine alas he was in the Custom house here with John Lutter and anything you do do him there in the way of money matters his Father will doubly pay me here but try and get him out of Prison. I dont want to burden you but being this the first request I have made of you I know you will not refuse and besides will relieve warm Friends of mine Give my Love to Margaret Miss P - - & Mary & Ella not forgetting much for yourself I remain your Friend
(Johnes Manger)

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Baltimore Feby 23rd 1863,

Ct

W. S. Thayer,
W. S. Dist Atty.

Please send up the
Witnesses in L. F. Womers
Case, They propose giving
bail for their appearance
in March next.

Feby 23rd 1863.

Balti. Feb. 22 1863.

Col Amos S. Fish,

Sir,

Please send

up by the train, the Dep. U. S. Marshal,

the witnesses in C. F. Wimmer's Case,

viz, Wimmer's brother, Hines, Croft,

Cost, &c. They propose to give

bond for their appearance in March

of course, very respectfully

W. S. Hayes
for the U. S. Dist. Ct.

3873
Baltimore, Feb 23 1863.

A. S. Thayer

Written in behalf of
Mason & Brothers, who
have applied to him
for the release of their
nephew. he was suspected
of being concerned in the
affair of the "Sloop Lolara"

release order on
Signy Jarvis

Feb 24th 1863.

Balt. Feb 23 1863

Col. Geo. S. Fish,

Sir,

Messrs Newman

& Brothers have applied to me for the

release of their nephews, who with a

Richard Campbell, was arrested a

week or two since, on board the

Sloop "Clara", recently seized and sent

to this port for adjudication. Capt.

John M. Gowen, who made the
arrest and seizure, supposed these
men were implicated with the crew
of the vessel, in violating the Neu-
erme Act, but on an investigation
of the case, after his arrival here,
he was convinced that they were
only passengers and left word with
me to that effect. On the person
of Mr. Newman was found, among
other, a letter couched in rather

Violent and disrespectful language
to ward some of our officers, written
by some one in Batts, to a person
in South Carolina, & hence he
was suspected, by the Capt, of being a
wrong-doer. Of the contents of this letter
however, Mr. Newman ~~is~~ affirms
he had not the slightest knowledge
As he has violated no law, I can
conceive of no objection in detaining him
any longer, except a punishment for
his intemperate language. Of the pro-

Baldwin
Feb 23 1863

Chgo

A. D. Thayer

Writes in behalf of
Crumm & Brocton, who
have applied to him
for the release of their
nephew, he was suspected
of being concerned in the
affair of the "Loop Opera"

release order in
deputy parole

Feb 21 4 1863

fricty of this, however you will be the
Judge.

Very respectfully yours

W. S. Pitts

Ferry Point, Feb. 7, 1868.

G. Reynolds, Capt., Detach.
Cavalry. 3674

Relating to the secessionists
Williamson and Sykes.

et

Perry Point near Norfolk Va.
Feb 4. '63

Brig. General E. L. Vile
Comdg. Military Gov.
Norfolk Va.

General

I respectfully
beg leave to submit Lieut Conthommers report
with reference to the arrest of Williamson (or
non-arrest) also his request for leave to arrest
Mr Syles & Co, with my answer (copy) -

I was quite unwell yesterday, and
should have attended to your instructions
personally - Hoping I may be excused for
not so doing I have the honor to be -

Very Respectfully

Your Obedt Servt

G. Reynolds Capt.
Detachd Cavalry

In Camp 7 a.m.

July 7 '63.

Lieut L. P. Bushman

r c r c

Lt

Your communication is just rec^d for Haver, I shall have to lay the matter before Genl. Vicks and I dare give my consent to the plan though it looks feasible -

You will want the boys (so as to gain time) to make up some excuse (send only one, keep the other in doors) and try to make another appointment at Sykes with reference to getting Williamson to see them also, for I presume it is he Sykes has reference to seeing "if not already gone" - If an appointment is made to see this man it will be necessary to lay plans well know exact places & time, then with a part of your squad arrest the whole stating you thought or suspected something was up and was watching them - I will see General Vicks immediately and let you know result by middle of afternoon -

Respectfully
C. R.

Capt G Reynolds
Camp Bluckeye Va

Great Bridge Pickens South Va
Febry 16th 1863

Capt: In accordance with instructions recd from you yesterday, the 5th I last evening sent two men (Hopkins & Happle) to the house of Mr Sykes for the purpose of spying any suspicious movements or actions in or near his residence. They found the house (3 miles from Great Bridge) and was all around it, but learned nothing.

This morning I sent the same men to ^{his} house, to act as persons wishing to desert, for by thus doing I supposed information could be gleaned that otherwise could not be obtained. My suppositions proved correct, they went to the house, and by political conversation and other modes convinced Sykes of their determination to desert and go to Richmond. He promised them all the help they desired — that if in no other way could they be put upon the track he would hitch his horse and cart and draw them to Dallyhack (within 12 miles from South Mills and 18 miles from here) where a man named Willoughby Lynch lives who would give them all necessary information and put them "on the track". But in the event that a man who was going into the Confederate lines had ^{not} already started, he would place them (Hopkins & Happle) in his (this man's) charge who would take them through. To-morrow at noon a definite answer was to be given Hopkins & Happle (over)

2 1/2 october morning I have just returned
from searching for the Joshua Williamson
he put up at a house some 17 miles
from here but ~~was~~ was not to be
found, but a negro woman told me
that this Williamson had yesterday
gone to Norfolk and had crossed
the canal 2 or 3 miles from Great
Bridge, and I am positive that
the man Sykes knows the movements
of Williamson, here enclosed you
will also find Sykes hand writing
and a small plan that he drew
I will do my best to get Williamson
but he is a cunning job, further I
would ~~ask~~ ^{ask} your command ~~and~~ ^{to} ar-
rest Sykes and send him to you
Please send a man as early as
possible ~~and~~ ^{to} let me know how
to act

Respectfully Yours
L. J. Rudhomme
Command'r Pickett's B. Co.

24. 55 - (80) Q. 1863

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Head Qrs. E. District, Ky.
July 23. 1863

White Sulphur
Brig. Genl. Comdg.

Sends with these two men just
from Richmond, Va, who give
information of sufficient importance
in his judgment to justify their
being provided with transportation
& subsistence to Cincinnati.

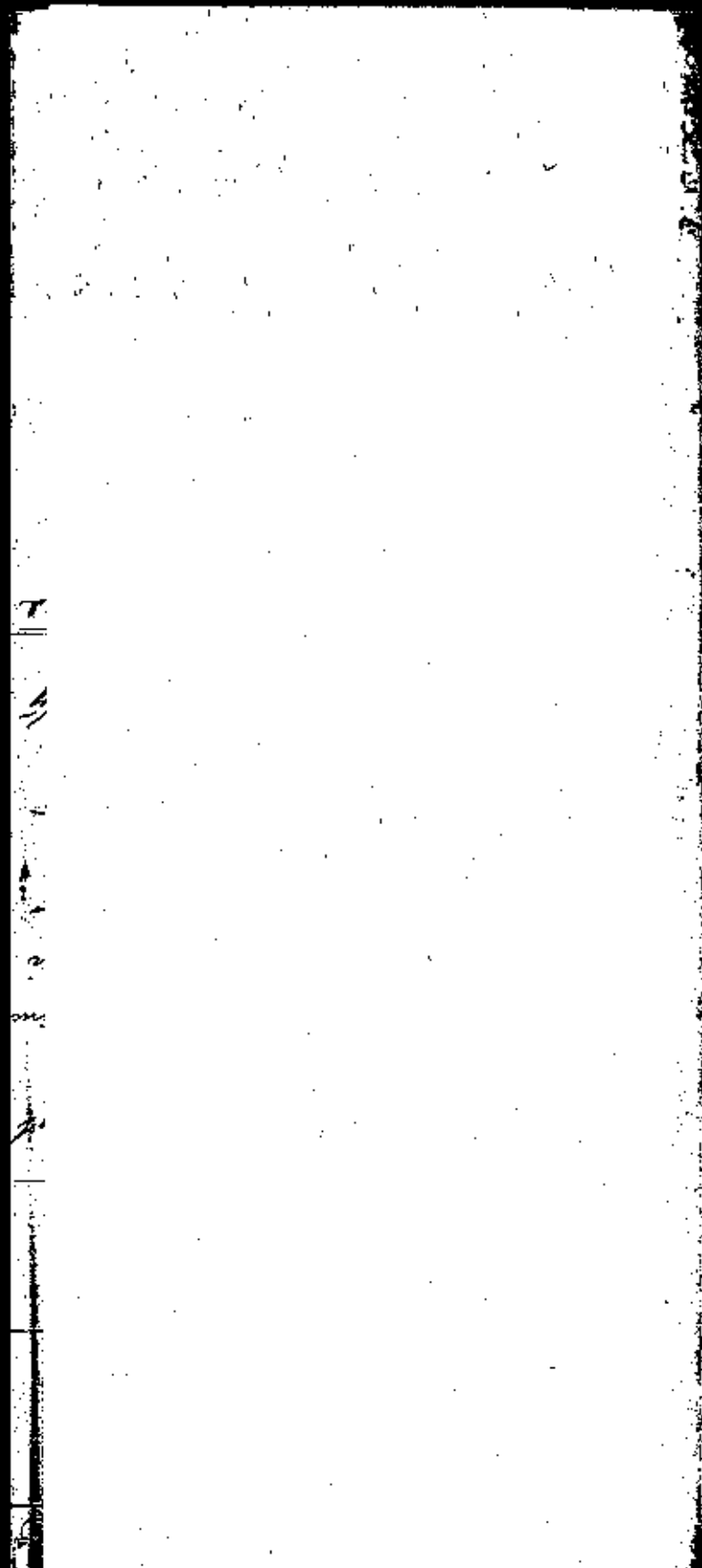
They are on their way to
Canada.

Is convinced of their integrity

Note. Copy of letter & enclosure forwarded
to Head Qrs. of the Army.

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Recd. Head Qrs. D. O. Genl. July 25/63.



11th W. Dist. of E. Kentucky
Louisa, Ky. Feb. 23rd 1863

Major

I have the honor to send
with this, two men, just from Richmond,
Va. who give information of sufficient
importance, in my judgment, to justify
their being provided with transportation
& subsistence to Cin.; which I have ac-
cordingly given them, as prisoners.

They are not under guard, being
perfectly willing to be forwarded thus far
on their way to Canada, their destination.

From my own knowledge of men
& circumstances, where they represent them-
selves to have come from, I am convinced
of their integrity.

Wm. Reeb

Young 6th Regt

Julius White

Brig Genl. Camp.

Major W. S. McLean

A. A. G. & Chief of Staff

Dept. of the Ohio.

Cincinnati, Ohio,

1863.

Wm. Graves, Francis Wearer, Natives of Canada, employed in Mills on Chickahominy river when the war commenced, worked there till 14th June. Arrested on the 14th June, and placed in Libby Prison Richmond - removed to Castle Thunder on 24th Dec. ~~removed~~ On the 10th Jan, were offered their liberty on taking oath of allegiance to C. S., which they did together with 90 out of 100 prisoners - Went to Marion Smyth Co, and worked in a foundry, doing cast work, remained two weeks. Left there on the 12th for Abingdon and ~~from thence to Louisa~~ crossed the Mountains ~~at~~ at Osborne Gap, Marshals troops at Moccasin Gap. Route known how many. Tried to go thro Louisa Gap, but discovered French to be there with 300 conscripts - Started for the head of Sandy river, discovered three hundred troops at Pikelock, & Restonburg - Found nearly all the people along the river Union, who gave them information, Heard at Abingdon that Floyd was going with his command to join Bragg. Then at Bristol Tenn. said to have but few troops and guarding the state line - Struck our troops at Beach Orchard - From thence were forced thro to Cinc - Thinks that all of Lee's army remain on the Appahannock. No movements of troops from Richmond to other points - Thirty five thousand

under Wise at Fort Daring - Great Scarcity
of provisions in the C. S. thinks they will starve
out in six months - Would like to go to
their homes in Canada -

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Office U. S. Asst. S. Mar.
W. Richmond Ray to M.
Feb. 6th 1863.

Henry J. N. Lieut &
Capt. Prov. Marshal

Furnishes a list of
names of persons
whose property is
liable to Confiscation

W

Recd W. G. S. to G. P.
Feb. 10th 1863.

Office of U. S. Marshal, Mount Marshall,
 Richmond, Way County, Mo. Feb. 1863.
 Col. P. G. HARRAR
 St. Louis Missouri.

I herewith transmit to you a list
 of all persons within my jurisdiction or knowledge,
 who, by their acts or deeds have laid themselves liable
 to the enforcement of the confiscation act passed by
 Congress July 3rd 1863.

Names.	Names.	Names.
Wm C. Parker	Wm Stanley	Henry McQueen
Stephen Hrazier	J. W. Stanley	Isaac Allen
James Brown	Geo. W. Mitchell	John Moore
Riley Creason	Geo. W. Figg	Joel Odell
John H. Hrazier	Willis L. Greenlee	Wm W. Hill
Wm J. Hrazier	Geo. W. Allen	Jas. Cleverger
Jeremiah Hrazier	Jas. Blain, Junr	Isaac Millsaps
James Spencer	John Blain	Wm Camden
Samuel Vance	Fielding Mc Coy	Arch. S. Camden
Thomas Wall	Geo. Porter	Thomas Creason
Wm R. Fletcher	Henry Jarwater	Franklin Baber
John, Jr. Taylor	Hiram Harriner	Wm Baber
Joseph Welles	Robert Vaughn	Sam. M. Baber
Elias S. Graham	Joseph Coil	John L. Harrison
Reuben, Jr. Good	Jas. Burnes	Samuel Henderson
John H. Good	Jackson Masters	Thos. C. Henderson
Joel S. Latham	John Masters	Sampson Lewis
James Blain, Junr	Allman McQueen	Henry H. Mitealy
Thomas Blain	John Reery	Wm Jones
Louis Vandever Junr	Hugh L. Blain	Jas. Stewart

Isaac Rogers
Franklin Weston
Jefferson Weston
Wm. G. Gist
John G. Gist
Wiley Kincaid
Franklin Creason
Joseph Creason
Wm. Creason
Wm. Herriman
David Craven
Douglas Wallace
John Hodge
Thos. M. Glatton
Olijah Russell
Jas. C. Hollis
Obadiah Taylor
Aaron H. Corrow
John Ziesenberg
Wm. Rings
John Kenley
Jasper Akers
John Warrenstaff
John Asbury, son
Greenbery Ball
Reuben Buzsch
Arthur B. Elliott
Jackson Jacobs
John Doedje
John Asbury, Jun
Allen G. Yell
Geo. W. Bates
John Bellis

Jacob Bellis
John C. Ashley
Rott. J. Williams
Edward D. Carter
Jesse G. Carter
Jesse Webb
Samuel Ashley
Henry Boone
Ab. Murchhead
John Lacy
Edward Lacy
Thompson Sears
John Jackson, Jun
Jas. R. Offitt
Wm. L. Bridger
Jas. Harp
Henry Mcbrinn
John Graham
Geo. G. Rothrock
Wilson Shreve
Wm. Shreve
Joseph Shreve
Jas. Pointer
Geo. Blain
Jas. Furness
John Moore
Wm. Moore
Merry Creason
Geo. W. Creason
John M. Creason
Jas. W. Foster
Jas. S. McCorkle
Charles Davis

Bartlett Sisk
Louis K. Bleninger
Joseph Mestey
Daniel W. Hill
Alex. H. Hill
Jacob Nelson
Jas. C. Dickey
Jesse N. Bleninger
Thomas R. Gant
Cyrus D. Gant
Thomas W. Hurst
Edward L. Porter
Robert Smedgar
Dr. Berry Wright
Samuel Gustine
Wm. Flournoy
Charles Snowden
Jeremiah Gilley
Asbury Powell
Louis C. Bohannon
Oscar Phillips
Joseph Crosslow
Dr. Marshall Allen
Wiley Kincaid
Olijah Kincaid
Russell Kincaid
Samuel Phillips
Wm. Barrow
Cyrus Barrow
Martin Older
Jas. L. Harris
Henry Kempro
Wyatt Murgins

Robert Wiles
John Graham
Aly A. McChristian
Henry George
Wm Elliott
Franklin Maupin
Joseph Duval
Lipton Manser
Wm Nichols
Alfred Nichols
Milo Nichols
Winton Belcher
Jas. Mc. Blotkin
Seth Jones
Wesley Boyd
Jas. Spencer
Jas. R. McDowell
Wm White
Dr. Jas. L. Roberts
Octavius Hall
Edward Smith
Caleb Witches
Gabriel McChristian
Gwin McChristian
John M. Conway
Wm H. McMiller
Henry McConr
Lindwell McDonald
Felix G. Bradford
Wm Donaldson
Wm Donaldson
Mullony Henry

Thom. J. Walker
Ginn Hubble
Rich. M. Hubble
Wm Bernard

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Report of

W. C. Foose

Asst. Pro. Marshal
for Buchanan County

Feb. 15th 1863

Office of Asst. Provost Marshal
for Buchanan County
Saint Joseph Feb. 15th 1863.

Major J. M. Bassett.

Provost Marshal 7th

Military District Missouri,

I have the honor to report to you the following, as the business transacted in this office from Feb. 1st to Feb. 15th 1863,

1863

Feb. 5th

Persons Required to give Bond
Jacob Cogdill \$ 1000.

" 10

Thomas Casey 500.

" 10

Samuel Casey 500.

Feb. 6

Persons who have taken the oath
J. M. Slade

" 10

Samuel Casey

Bonds filed and filed in this office
Jefferson Gabbert \$ 500.

Security on same, J. G. Murphy
George Murphy

Jacob Cogdill \$ 1000.

Bond Considered good and no security required

1863

Feb. 5th

Arms reported to this Office and turned over to Quartermaster Davenport, one Revolver taken from Gen. W. Boyde

Saint Joseph Feb. 4th 1863

John D. Peiper, Claimant of a Bayblack horse stolen by someone, and now in the possession of Lieut. Larkin of the E.M.M.

The property ordered to be given up to the said Peiper.

Feb. 6th 1863

In Case of a Gray Horse taken by Capt. Hunter from Elijah Meadows for the use of the E.M.M. and afterwards turned over to Major Chew as Contraband.

There being no evidence that the horse is Contraband it is ordered to be given up to David Alderman, who has an Order for it from said Meadows.

United States

vs

Richard Wright Smith

Feb. 10th 1863

In Case of a dark Brown horse, taken from the defendant, on the charge that it had been used by him in the Rebel Service, horse ordered to be given up to the owner.

United States }
vs } Feb. 15th 1863
Thomas Brinton }

In Case of a Wagon
taken from the defendant on the Charge
that he had used it in the Rebel Service.
Property ordered to be given
up to the owner.

United States }
vs } Feb. 11th 1863
James W. Ewing }

In Case of a Pony horse
taken from the defendant on the Charge
that he had used it in the Rebel Service.
Property ordered to be given up to the
owner. This Case was tried once
before and decided to be Contraband
property, but by direction of the Provost
Marshal of the District, it was reopened and
new evidence admitted and decided as
above.

United States }
vs } Feb. 10th 1863
David Alderman }

In Case of a dark bay
horse taken from defendant, on the Charge
that he had used it in the Rebel Service.

Property Ordered to be given up to the
Owner.

United States }
Vs } Feb. 13th 1863
Lewis L. Williams }

In Case of a wagon
taken from defendant on the charge
that he had used it in the Rebel Service

Property Ordered to be given
up to the owner.

W. V. Goble
Capt. Provost Marshal
for Buchanan County, Mo.

Head Quarters -
3678 Feb 19th 1869.

Wm D. Whipple,
A. A. S.

Says time has been
and perhaps is now
stopping at the Mountain
Hotel Cos. Phil Spies.

C. G.

Feb 20th 1869.

Head Quarters, Middle Department,

8th Army Corps,

Baltimore, Feb 19 1863.

My dear Sir,

It is reported that there
has been one party for a new
steamer, of the name
H. H.
to be
to
... ..
... ..
... ..

Very respectfully

Wm. L.

...

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1863 Nov 25

679 Robert Nugent 63

Am. G. Cheney and

W. J. Grossmann

63

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U. S. Military Telegraph.

Nov 25-th 1863

By Telegraph from New York 25th 1863

To Maj Gen Schepherd

William G. Cheney alias
Jm. T. G. Sherman has
been arrested this day -
will be forwarded with an
officer at once from this
office to St Louis Mo

Robt August
Oct 6th Regt

26 of 222 Pdg

In Richmond the remainder of the day
 saw very few troops. They were all
 gone except what were doing
 Garrison duty. The majority having
 gone to North Carolina. Some 25 or
 30,000 at Fredricksburgh - on the
 trip from Culpeper there was accom-
 panied by 2 Rebel Spies they put
 up at the Mountain House Hotel.
 They call themselves Michael Kelly
Kennedy the number of their room
 was 37 believing they were there
 yet.

Recd 8th A. Corps Feb 20th 1863

Respectfully referred to General
 Schenck for his information, to
 be returned.

Feb 13th 63

(Signed) H. A. Halleck

Genl. in Chief

Head Qrs Middle Dept. & 5th Army
 Corps Ball's Mtch. Feb 21st 1863

Respectfully referred to the
 Provost Marshall for his informa-
 tion, this paper to be returned.

By Command
 Wm D Whipple
 Capt. Gen'l

Recd U. S. A. Feb 16th 1863

Washington D.C.

Feb. 15 1863

A. J. G. Hobbys Army - 1863

G. A. L.

1863

Chatham H.
of Genl. Banks Scout Service

Submits in accordance with orders
from Genl Banks, information
regarding the movements of the
Enemy. His wife left Mr Jackson
here 3 weeks since arrived last
Wednesday, went from Mr Jackson
to New Market where Genl. Jones
commanded in, consisting of part
of Thur. Regt Infy, 2 Battalions of
artillery, 1 Batt cavalry, at
Mr Jackson there was but a guard
to regulate the Hospitals, Imboden
has command of the cavalry at
Newmarket, when Genl. Milroy Genl.
visited Hobstock, he could have cap-
tured Stanton without any resis-
tance, there were 300 sick at Mr
Jackson.

On the journey she met a num-
ber of Jews, and others who had been
with Goods. Thinks the merchants in
Baltimore supply them, they cross at
Harpers Ferry, and Marlinsburg, and bet
Be. C., and Bolesville & at Sheppardston
the inhabitants and soldiers everywhere
expect peace shortly. find in Penna
a great number of thieves, as well
as a great quantity of Genl. Property
such as clothes &c taken by these
thieves -

near Stanton there is almost

300 men.

Intentional Sink to
No. 10, that these Spies, the
the City on the 10th & 13th inst.
one for N. Y. City & the other for
Harrisburg.

Feb. 24th 1863,

C. C. C.

Feb. 24th / 63.

Washington February 15th 1862

Major Genl H. H. Halleck
Comider in Chief U.S. A.
Washington
Sir.

I have the honor to submit to you in accordance with orders from Major Genl Banks when he left me here to report to you any information I might from time to time come in possession of regarding the movements of the enemy. My wife Catherine Graham who left Mr Jackson Shenandoah Co Va. some three weeks since having arrived here on Wednesday gives me the following account of their strength &c in the region of country which she has passed through. She went from Mt Jackson to New Market where Genl Jones comd is consisting part of three Regts of Infy two Battalions of Artillery, and a Battalion of Cavalry, when she left Mt Jackson there was not a guard to regulate the hospitals, Imboden has command of the Cavalry at Harrisonburg. There is not more than thirty men. When Genl Milroy's Cavalry went up to Goodstocks they removed the deposits of Banks, in Rockingham & Stanton to Lynchburg, at that time a Regt of Cavalry could have captured Stanton without meeting any resistance.

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There was eight hundred sick in Hospitals at Mt Jackson
there being sixteen cases of Small pox among them
Majr Baker has charge of the Hospitals he is a relative
of Ashby.

At the time of the said Jones com, had march-
ing orders they taking in charge all the moveable property
of the inhabitants along the line of the expected advance
At New Market they buried a piece of heavy artillery
that was got at Harpers Ferry in Col Miles Surrender they
not having any means of transporting them as their
horses are getting very scarce, any kind of a horse being
worth from three & five hundred dollars. She came
through the following Posts in her passage which from
the time she remained in them she availed herself
of all the privileges of a pass which she got through
the influence of a clergyman with whom she was ac-
quainted New Market Jones and Amboden say at 1500 Men
Harrisonburgh about thirty men, Mt Crofford, none Stanton
about 300, under comd of Col Michael Harman Hains-
borough about twenty-five, Charlottesville a very few. There
is a great many fine Hospitals, some fifteen, Gordonsville
& Culpeper fifteen hundred. Mechanicsburgh there is
none, Richmond she remained four days during which
time she saw very few, were told they were gone, unless

what was doing garrison duty around in the works they had and were erecting. The main force having gone to North Carolina, South and some twenty-five or thirty thousand at Fredericksburgh she intended to come by Forts Monroe, but would not be allowed to come that way. So she had to go by way of Gordonsville, Culpeper, Woodsville, Sperryville, Little Washington, there is no troops at either last named places or no pickets but a few guards there to Piedmont thence to New Berlin, or Balt's Ohio R.R. arriving in Baltimore on her trip from Culpeper she was accompanied by two Rebel Spies as she thinks from their actions, conversations &c. they came across and took the cars with her and put up at the Fountain House in Baltimore they called themselves Mrs Kelly & Kennedy the former being from Culpeper the latter from Staunton. Their rooms were 27 I believe they are there yet they registered as from Leesburg & Huntury they told my wife to address a letter for them to Armstrong & Carter Baltimore, she also met on her journey a large number of Jews and others that had been over here, after goods and information, they being considered the shrewdest in getting information as they are in league with some of the same class in Baltimore if not all of them they divided the property which is

immense as you see from a list of the necessities of
life that I mention. Quinine \$100 per ounce. Thread
seventy-five cents, a spool, of silk twenty five per skein
twenty-five dollars for a pair of womans Gaiters, while
others are engaged in buying up Treasury notes, getting
them exchanged for Gold in Baltimore. Some of them
cross at Rockville, and Berlin, others at Harper's Ferry
and Martinsburg, and Sheppards Town while others
cross or go upon the cars and get out at New
Crest, and other places they have their places of
meeting on the other side. They get caught occasion-
ally but always get off by bribing the guard, they
report to Major Richardson at Gordonsville, others get
from Grafton and Stanton there is a great number
of teams make their way that way to Staunton
The people everywhere and soldiers expect peace
shortly for they say various reasons, some say from
Resolutions amongst Parties, others again, others again
other thoughts, but they have to keep them up in
spirits, others that Secy Seward will be turned out
of the cabinet, and that would be better than a
hundred thousand men killed, I find in my travels
through Pennsylvania that there a great number
of deserters, all through the whole State, as well as

an immense lot of Government property
Carried home by these deserters. Suttles & others
almost every man in the country has a rifle,
saddle, or something else belonging to the gov-
ernment.

I have the honor to remain,

Your most Obedt Servant

(signed)

Michael Graham,

of Genl Banks. Scout Service.

P.S.

If you would grant me an interview I
would like it much, as I could inform you a
great many things I cannot write about.

Head Quarters,
8th Army Corps

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W^m B. Ketchum
Major & A. D. C.

Serge Chap the Major's unit
Cochran ^{of} has again been
questioned by Mrs Thompson
for permission to stay within
our lines. Her direct demands
she be sent out immediately
with a strict examination
of her baggage &c.

Approved

Feb 23^d 1863.

Head Quarters, Middle Department,

5th Army Corps,

Baltimore, Feb 23^d 1863.

W. S. Fick

Major & Provost Marshal

Major, The Major General Commanding
having again been pestered
by an application for permission
for Miss Thompson to stay
within the lines demands

that you will at once carry
out his order respecting Mrs
Furness & Miss Thompson & see
that they are at once sent back
whence they came & with strict
examination of baggage &c

By order My Genl Schenck

W. White

Major & A. D. C.

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Office Prov. Mar. Gen. of Va.
Head-Quarters, ~~Mountain Department~~

Wheeling, July 20th 1863

Comdr. Officer,
Blacksburg, Va.,

Sir— I send you the names of released prisoners who were paroled to give bond within a certain time. As they have not complied with that obligation I wish you to notify them to do so at once, or give a very satisfactory explanation why they have failed.

If they do neither please arrest them and notify me.

Very Respectfully,

Your Obedt. Servt.,

Jos. Warrick
Maj + Col

John Hardisty,
Asa D. Martin,
J^m Lambick,
E. G. Conway,

All of Harrison County.

J. B. West,
John McLean,
J. S. Bryce,
J. Richardson

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D. Wheeler

to

My Dear Sir

(Copied)

October 21

Ed. H. [unclear]

(copy)
St George Va Feb 16th 1873

Hon Major Dard

Dear Sir
I deem it my duty to ask
you a line this morning by way of
explanation.

A few days ago there
was a petition presented to me for
the release of D. Myers. I also certified
to the loyalty of the subscribers.

I asked some why they
signed the petition the reply was that
his mate Lawrence Phillipie was released.
I think there has been an imposition
practiced if Phillipie got out by petition
I do not know where the paper
came from.

Phillipie & Myers are both
House Thieves & Indicted in our County
Court since Phillipie is released
Myers ought to be also as Phillipie
was the leader.

I think it is wrong to
make fish of one's flesh of another
Pardon me for troubling you with
this letter anything you may do
in the case will meet the appro-
bation of yours &c

Very Respt
(Signed) T. Wheeler

Putnam L. H., ³⁶⁵⁴ No. 3

John Bowyer

to

Major Derr, Jr

City and

May 20th 1862

Provt Marshal Genl

Whiting Va

Pulaski Co Va Feb. 3^d 1863

Dr
Sir

Enclosed you have Bonds taken by myself & the Clerk
The released Prisoners informed us that the Bonds must be returned
to you some taken by me before the Camp Chase Prisoners came
I filed with the clerk of the Federal Court at Charleston Kentucky
Inform me further on the subject some of the Prisoners said they
were required to forward you one dollar each but none had money
but promised as soon as they could to do so but have not as yet
done so & several thought they ought not to pay it

I hear of several discharged from Camp Chase or through you
have not come forward & given Bonds as they were required

Thomas Paul (the worst) Jacob Grop Adam McLain & others as yet
have failed to give Bonds Please inform me as to my duty as I have
not been furnished with the laws or orders necessary

I have written to my son Jerome Bowyer clk in the Fed^l Court office
to furnish me but as yet he has not done so

we have many many troublesome Rebels in this County South
of the Courthouse (Citizens) B P Morris Deputy Sheriff was captured
last Friday together with his horse & papers & taken South

Several Hostages have been taken & I think are now here in custody
& more will be taken of the most prominent when weather is better

Very Respectfully

Maj. Dava Probert }
Marshal Genl }

Yours

John Bowyer

Head Quarters, 8th Army Corps
Baltimore Md. *Feb 5/63*

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Max Woodhull
Capt. & A.D.C.

The Genl Comdg directing
the parole be taken from
Mrs Forest & Miss Thompson
and that they demean them
selves properly while they
remain in the City.

W. J.

Feb 5th 1863

Head Quarters, Middle Department,

8th Army Corps,

Baltimore, Feb 5th 1862

Major Wm L. Fish

Provost Marshal

Dear Sir

The Genl Cong. wishes you to take a parole from Mrs. Forest, and Miss Thompson, sister of Mrs. Hull not to leave the city of Baltimore, without permission from the Head Quarters. And while here to demean and themselves as good and faithful citizens should,

giving no aid to the so
called Confederate States
or those in rebellion against
the United States.

Very Respectfully
Yours or Ser

Max. Woodhull

Capt & Co

James W. Hamilton

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Statte Co.

Wm. Fowler City
Released.

Ex. F. W. 23
18 - M.H.

Ed. G. 18
Hotel New York

Wm. G. 18
Hotel New York

Class
to be expected
from Altan's

May 22
Release on
of the
much to be
Dept. & allow

Old Record 450

August 29th 1861

Evidence in
case of
H. Smith
Lulu

United States

vs

James H. Sumner &
William Lawler

William C. Moore

being sworn upon his oath states
I live in the county of Buchanan
State of Missouri I know James
H. Sumner. He lives within
about forty miles of me. I have
heard him say he was a constitu-
tional man. I have never known
of my own knowledge ~~to~~
to take any part, or do anything
against the government. He told
me about four weeks ago that
he was going to go to enroll him-
self in the State Militia. I never
knew of Sumner's being con-
nected with the "Backhatchers".
I claim to be a loyal citizen of
the United States. Sumner might
have aided and abetted those who
are in rebellion but if he has I do
not know it. I cannot say whether
Sumner is a loyal citizen or
not, but I know that he claims to
be a constitutional man.

William C. Moore

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Subscribed and sworn to before
me this 5th day of Sep 1862
J. C. Parker Spt. Pro. Sec.

James H. Hamilton being
duly sworn states upon oath
I live in the county of Platte
about five miles west of New
Market. I have always been
a loyal citizen of the United States
I live about ten miles from
Arnoldsville. I was about four
or five miles from Arnoldsville
when I was arrested. I do not know
where the Rebel camp near Arnolds-
ville was. I was arrested two
weeks ago last Wednesday.
I was arrested about 11 O'clock
A.M. I was told that there
had been a skirmish that
morning. I was arrested
I did not tell Capt. Russell or
any one else that I was going
to the Rebel camp or that I had
been down to the camp. I had
no blanket with me at the time
I was arrested. I was riding my
own horse at the time I was
arrested. I told the Captain of the
company who arrested me that
I had started to Boone county to
see some relatives.

I never told anyone that I was going down to Camp Lawler, started with me from my father's house. Lawler was going down to Boone county with me. Lawler had a blanket with him when arrested. I think Lawler had a rope in his hand. I do not remember of hearing Lawler saying anything at any time in reference to going to Camp. I know nothing of a horse being found in the Rebel camp belonging to Lawler. ~~Lawler had~~ I had had that men were required to enroll themselves in the State Militia. The reason I did not enroll myself down was because I was told I might not have it to do. I did go to Platt City twice to enroll. I am willing to enroll myself as a disloyal citizen. I am unwilling to enroll myself as a loyal citizen.

James W. Hamilton

Sub & sworn to before me this 5th day of Aug 1862

J. Parker

U.S. Marshal

William Lollar being from
your his path states.

I live about four miles above
Weston. I was arrested on
last Wednesday, two weeks ago
I was going to Boone county
when I was arrested. I was going
to Boone county to see some
appointments and as company
for Mr G. O. Miller I have
never been in the Rebel Army.
The blanket and cap I had
with me when arrested were
articles that I used when riding
the new to ride on the other to
the the Park. I was not going to
the rebel camp when I was arrested.
I saw the order requiring citizens
to enrol themselves in the State
Militia. The reason why I have
not enrolled myself is because
they held a meeting in our
township and none who were
at that meeting enrolled themselves
I thought I would not.
I am unwilling to enrol my-
self in the Missouri State
Militia as a loyal citizen but
am willing to enrol as a disloyal

citizen. I have never looked
upon myself as being a legal
citizen. I would myself be
a disloyal citizen & exempt
myself from military duty.

William Soller.
Subscribed and sworn to before
me this 5th day of Sep 1862
J. P. Parker
Dpt. Co. Marshal.

~~Evidence & Charges
Procedural
Warranting &
Subs.~~

United States
to
Gen. W. Hamilton
William Laval

Office Pro Mas Gen. W. H.
Gen. W. Hamilton Sept 21st
1862.

From the testimony of Capt. Paul
Hall, it is evident that the
military authorities to provide
for the health of the Government
of the Army will claim to
be the property they will be sent to
to the in prison during the
period of the State of Michigan
Gen. W. Hamilton
W. H. Hamilton
Gen. W. Hamilton

Aug

1862

in Returning from A Bushwalking Expedition
on the 20th August 1862 near the Union Mill
or one mile North of Old Jim Rufe's
we the Arnoldsville Co of State Militia
Captured two men & took them prisoners, on
our Road home at the house of one Mickey
Moppon's, two of our men were in advance
about 1/4 mile & took those two men, Mr F. W.
Hammiton & William Lollas, & questioned them
in regard to where they where going, they couldnot
give A Definite Answer, but afterwards Saged
they were going to Boon Co Mo, (our men)
James Hear & William Arthur asked them if
they were not going to this Camp down here
in the Brush & they said they were,
After bringing said prisoners to Town or St Co,
I ascertained from men belonging to Capt
Davis Company Stationed at Bloomington
that the horse that I captured in the fight
near the mill on above date,

was the horse that belonged to the said
prisoner James W Hamilton, & that
Davises man also stated that William Lallas
was a notorious Rascal

Yours Capt William Randall

for Lieut B.F. Larkin

P.S. Those prisoners were prepared with
Blankets & over coats for a Camp Life
But no Arms found ~~on~~ or about them

William Randall

Capt Commanding

Sworn to before me
this 29th Aug / 62
Wm Bap. M.
Notary Public

Alton Pris. April 25. 1863

Hamilton J. P. W.

James D. Ed. released
on Parole on oath of
allegiance.

J. P. W.

Warrant in Hamilton
case ?

P. M. G. April 28

Military Prison Alton
April 25th 1863.

Respectfully referred
to Gen. Col. Dick, Provost
Marshal Genl. Point
Louis Mo. Nothing
on file relative to this
case.

J. Hendrickson
Major 3^d Infy
Comd'g. Prison

Atton Prison April 26th 63

My Friend Kern

Dear Sir

I send you the following
statement of my case with the hope of being
released on parole or Oath of allegiance
I was a soldier belonging to Col. Hughes
Command Gen. Sherman's Army was
taken prisoner on the 15th of August 1862
by Capt. Ruddle of the 11th State Minn
Near New Market Page County Va
I arrived at St. Joseph under guard the 19th
of August & remained in prison there
five weeks, when I was sent to McDowell
College where I remained till October when
I was sent to this prison. Last March I
was sent to St. Louis for trial before
Military Commission. I was tried & found
back as a Confederate soldier subject to
execution.

Hoping you will give the above statement
your attention

Respectfully
James W. Hamilton

Jas. W. Hamilton ^{Examination of}
of Platte County,

Missouri.

Taken the 20th day of
~~July~~ ^{Aug} 1862

Confined at *Pratt*

Street Prison.

Taken by A. Fleming
L. S. Brown

A Citizen - Claiming
to be loyal -
was taken while
endeavoring to avoid
enrollment -
was leaving his
County for that
purpose -

He was arrested
He was taken out
willing to take
oath & enroll -

Statement of *James W. Hamilton* a Prisoner at the *Matth St* Prison, St. Louis, made the *27th* day of *July* 1863.

My age is *25* years. *James Hunt*
I live in *Platte* County, Missouri.
I was born in *Scott* County, *Kentucky*
I was captured in *Platte* County *Mo*
on or about the *18th* day of *August* 1862
by *Capt. Randall of Militia*

The cause of my *arrest* was *I had not enrolled*
in Militia - & not staying in my
own County - I had started to
Boone County on a visit to my
Uncles

I was in arms against the United States, and was a [rank]
never
in *Company*

I was *never* sworn into the Rebel service about the
day of *186* by
in *County, Missouri, for* *years*

When captured, I was first taken to *St. Joseph* and remained
there *about 6 weeks* and was
examined there by *Pro-Mar* and was sent to *Matth St.*
Prison about the *last* day of *Sept.* 1862
I have been in Altou something
over four months

I *never* took the oath of allegiance to the United States, about the
day of *186*

James W. Hamilton

Subscribed by the Prisoner, the day
first named, in my presence.

Attest
John J. [Signature]

The Prisoner makes additional statements as follows, in answer to questions:

1. How many times have you been in arms during the rebellion?

None

2. What commanders have you served under?

3. What battles or skirmishes have you been in?

4. Did you have arms, or were you out on picket, or what part did you take in the action?

5. Have you ever furnished arms, or ammunition, horse, provisions, or any kind of supplies to any rebels? State when, where and how often.

Nothing

6. Was there any rebel camp near you, that you did not give notice of to the U. S. troops?

*Jones Camp - near Platte City -
about 12 or 14 miles from where I
live - I did not know of it
till since I was arrested*

7. Have you ever been with any one taking or pressing horses, arms or other property?

No, Sir,

8. Are you enrolled in the E. M. M.--loyal or disloyal?

*No, Sir, - I did not
want to fight - wanted to keep out of it
if I could*

9. Are you a southern sympathiser?

No, Sir.

10. Do you sincerely desire to have the southern people put down in this war, and the authority of the U. S. Government over them restored?

Yes, Sir, I do

11. How many slaves have you? *None*

12. Have you a wife—how many children.

None

13. What is your occupation? - *Farming*

14. What relatives have you in the rebellion?

*I did have a brother - but he
has come home & taken the oath*

15. Have you ever been in any Rebel camp? If so, whose—when—where—and how long?

What did you do? Did you leave it, or were you captured in it?

Never in any

*I left home the morning I was arrested
with the intention of going to Boone County
in order to escape enrollment in Militia
& stop with my Uncle Josephell Keese
I live West of Platte City - I started on
the New Market road - expect to go through
Liberty - Carrington & Glasgow - I was arrested
about 9 or 10 o'clock of the day - about 6
miles from home - before we got to Platte City
W. Lollar, one my neighbors was with me
He was going for same purpose, I was to avoid
enrollment - We had our own horses & our
Coats & Lollar had a blanket - We
expect to stay in Boone Co. till the excitement
about enrollment was over - Then we expected
to return - I never told Capt. Randall or
any of his men that I was going down to a
rebel - or any thing like this - & did not
hear Lollar says so - I do not know any
body by name of Pope in New Market -
We stopped at a store in New Market as we
passed through that - But had no conver-
sation with any one as to where we were going
or what we were intending to do
willing to take the oath, enroll in
Militia & give bond if necessary*

James W. Hamilton

What impression does the prisoner make—

~~Truthful or not truthful.~~

~~Candid or not candid.~~

Mild.

Firm.

~~Severe or ill looking.~~

Vigorous.

Healthy.

~~Weak.~~

~~Sick.~~

not but
generally

I recommend

that he be allowed to
enroll in fine bond

A. Williams - Clerk
of the Court
has taken while
releasing to avoid
enrollment
has been his
bond for that
purpose
Name is
Name back with
nothing to do
with enrollment

Missouri.

of P. L. Mc
County,
Determination of
Jas. B. Steamster

Taken the 20th day of

Sept 1862

Confined at
Street Prison.

Street Prison.

Taken by A. Williams

4488 Brown

Alton Prison.

Feb. 12. 1863.

Hamilton, O. W.

I am willing to take the
oath, join the E. M. U.
or do any thing else to
get out of prison

Howe

P. M. G. Feb. 14. 63

Alton Paris Feb 12 1863

To General Sherman at Camp Dreyer
I have been in Texas some six months
and I am willing to make the water and
give the 8 M M or any other terms to get
out of this dirty place and I will do every thing
in my power to put down this rebellion to help
me get I had station in West & I will please
act on your own judgment for we are strangers
but you have my word and money
J W Hamilton

P. 70. - -

Weston, Mo. Nov. 11/62

Dorriphaw, John Col.
p. & e. m.

In behalf of
James W. Hamilton,
a prisoner.
Gives testimony ^{as} to his
peaceable character.

One Enclosure

Head Quarters Dept of the Missouri
St Louis Nov 17th 1862

Respectfully referred to
Lt Col J. A. Dick Provost Marshal
General Department of the
Missouri

A. P. Chipman

Col. and Chief of Staff.

Rec'd St. L. Dep. Mo.

Nov. 15. 1862

Nov 18/62
in June

Wilton Mo Nov 11 1862

Maj Genl S. R. Curtis

~~Dear Sir~~ I write at
the request of the friends of
James W. Hamilton now confined
at Alton on what charges I do
not know, but I have known
him for some ten years, he has
been a peaceable & quiet boy &
has on several occasions advised
with me as to his volunteering in
the United States Service & I recommended
him to do so & for some time supposed
he had done so, Always to me he
has expressed loyal sentiments & if
he has been guilty of any failure to
enroll in the Militia it has been
from influences from persons
wider than himself.

Truly & Respectfully yours
Geo. Doniphan
Lt Col Reg S. C. B. M.

James N. Hamilton

Chgo.

Guerrilla Warfare

Office of the Provost Marshal General,
DISTRICT OF MISSOURI AND IOWA.

St. Louis, Oct 17th 1862.

James W. Hamilton, Platte Co. Ass 22.

I was arrested about 5 miles from
Dawn, 9 miles ago, - don't know
for what,
unless for not surrendering my name
in militia, - can't think of anything
else. Never been in arms - never aided
the enemy. Never took the oath - no ob-
jections to it - am willing to go into
the militia when I get home.

I remain

Yours

W. H.

James W. Hamilton

Communication of
Natherson Reep of Gratiot
Street Prison in regard
to James W. Hamilton
of Platte Co. Mo being
sent to Alton March 10. 1869

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Office Grate of St. Prison
Saint Louis June 4 1863

Lt. Col F. A. Dietz

Dear Sir

James W. Hamilton
of Platte County was transferred from
this Prison to Alton Mar 10th last

Respectfully Yours

W. J. Masterson Keeper
St. Louis Prison

Enclosure,

Weston, Platte County,

Nov. 11, 1862

Hood, G. W.
and other citizens.

Petition for the release
of James W. Hammett
prisoner in Alton prison.

Rec'd N. 2d Dept Mo
Nov. 15. 1862

Report

Newton Platte County Mo.

Nov 11th 1862

Maj. Gen. V. R. Curtis

Sir

We the undersigned citizens of Platte County and Union men are acquainted with James W Hamilton now in Alton military prison and we pray and petition his release as we believe there cannot be truly any serious charges against him.

Moses Norris

Geo. H. Holt

Geo. H. Belt

S. B. Ring

A. J. Pennington

W. J. Bonnell

J. W. Woods

W. H. Harris

J. G. Mitchell

S. W. Curtis

Chas. S. Rutherford
Dest. no. 3687 in reply
to the Loyalty of Dr. &
Mrs. Huntington.

Feb. 18th 1863.

A. S. L.

Geo. W. Parker

Feb. 19, 1863

Leucasa Severing

W. L.

Office of the Provost Marshal General
DISTRICT OF MISSOURI AND IOWA.

OFFICIAL BUSINESS.

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Examination of Thos. S.
Rutherford, Feb. 18th 1863.

How long have you
name, Age, & Place } Thos. S. Rutherford. I was
of Birth. } Born in Scotland. I am
49 years past.

How long have you
reside in St. Louis } I came here in 1837. I
& what is your business } have been in Drygood business
(am not in any business now.

What families & persons
have you most intimate
associates, name them } I know Col. Santwell
Mr. Dasser, & I know Mr.
& Mr. Hutchinson, as intimate
as any one. I have but a
few intimate friends who call
at my house.

What do you know of
Dr. Hutchinson's Family } He has three sons, ⁽¹⁾ ~~two~~
Daughters - two ^{up} sons' grand

Do you know where the
two grown up sons ^{of Dr. Hutchinson} are,
from letters, hearsay, or per- } The three sons are now
sonal knowledge? } in Northern Mississippi
in the Confederate Army!

How did you hear this? } ^{As far as I hear they are}
^{on the ground do not know that they are}
^{sons' names mentioned as being}
in Northern Mississippi -

From whom? } I heard it through my wife, &
I also heard it on the street
from Mrs. Dr. Hutchinson.

How long have the }
Dr. Sons been in the Rebel Army }
Randolph, went down some
time after ^{the} taking of Camp Jackson,
Cary, left about the time ^{of} the
Ev. of the M. M. - I understand
they were ~~at~~ ^{at} Camp Jackson.

What do you know }
of the Loyalty or dis }
Loyalty of Dr. & Mrs. Hutch- }
inson }
About the beginning of
this Rebel - I met Dr. Hutchin-
son on Olive Street, near my house, &
told him how wicked I thought
the Rebellion was; & said, Dr., I
wished you would give me your
hand that you are a good Union
man. He gave me his hand, &
shook mine warmly. I have not
allowed myself to think of him except as
a Union man, ^{since} though, having three
sons in the Rebel Army, & by ^{little} con-
versations in which he did not regret
the Federal Reverse, I think ^{he} is
a Southern Sympathiser.

At the Commencement of this Rebellion
Mrs. Hutchinson was a strong Southern
woman, & in favor of the Rebellion & I
believe she still is.

Have they ever received }
letters from their sons in the }
Rebel Army. }
I think I have heard that they
received letters - I am not confident,
though I think they have.

How were these letters sent to the Dr? } I have no idea!

Has Mrs. Hutchinson ever been through the Yellow Lines, to see her sons? } I understand she has. ~~to~~ from what she has said in my Family, I have seen her so far.

When did she go to the them? & when return? } I say the knowledge as above, same time this last fall. she was gone fully three weeks, I do not know the exact time.

Has she been more than once to see them? } Not to my knowledge?

Did the Dr. Hutchinson know that she had gone or was going south? } I do not know but I presume he did.

Do you know whether Mrs. Hutchinson is giving any aid to Rebels, now that is don you hear so... } I have not heard, & do not know that she is.

How knows Dr. Hutchinson most intimately? } W. M. Price; The Tobaccoist

Let

Amos Patten, Russell, rest, Thos. H. Skinner, Lorison, Levesing

2nd set
Old Mr. Allen - Butcher - Lin

What did Mrs. Hutchinson say about having a pass? } I think through my family I heard she got a pass to Memphis -

Have you heard of)
others beside Mrs. H-)
going through our lines)

Ans.

I have heard of several
going south - not
through our lines.

I think I heard where
Mrs. Longborough had
a boat let - came up from
the Rebel Army, through
our lines.

Signed in
presence of)
A. S. Dean
Capt & A. M. C.

J. J. Rutherford

Examination of Louisiana Leveeing,
Feb. 20th 1863 -

Ques. - What is your age & occupation
& how long have you resided in St. Louis?

Ans. I am, fifty three years old -
a Commission Merchant & have
resided in St. Louis about 20 years.

Ques. - Please name three or four
of the families you are most intimate
with.

Ans. - I know Col. Dick, Col. O'Hallen
& Dr. Hutchinson & Family & S. R.
Raislet quite intimately.

Ques. - What do you know, about the
Loyalty or Disloyalty of Col. Dick
& Dr. Hutchinson & Mrs. Hutchinson.

Ans. I believe the Dr. is loyal. He was
sworn after the taking of Camp Jackson
& know, if his own words are to be
taken as evidence.

Mrs. Hutchinson is right the
reverse. She identifies herself with
the South - I certainly think her disloyal.

Ques. - Have you ever heard that Mrs. Hutch-
inson has been South since the Rebellion
commenced? If so, by whom? & when did she go,
& what was her business?

Ans. She tells me she has been South, & that she
has been to see her son, in the Rebel Army.

Ans - She was absent at Christmas
I think within two months; absent
three or four weeks, ^{I think} - from where
she went to see her sick son in the
Rebel Army.

Ques. Have they received letters from their
son or sons, in the Rebel Army?

Ans. I hear, but have not as yet recollect, that
they do receive letters.

Ques. Did Dr. Hutchinson know that
Mrs. Hutchinson was going to see her
son, & did he advise her going?

Ans. I have no doubt, he did know it,
I do not know that he advised her
in going.

Ques. Have you heard of any persons
going with her, ^{South,} or at other times.

Ans. No Sir.

Ques. Do you not think that, leaving
sons in the Rebel Army, & from other
facts, Mr & Mrs. Hutchinson are
in sympathy with the South,

Ans. I do not think the Dr. is, but
she no doubt is.

Ques. Who knows Mrs. & Mr. Hutchinson
the most intimately, & confidentially.

Ans. Mrs. & Mr. Simmons where the Dr. books,
in presence of } Learning
A. S. Dear }

Examination of
Feb 23^d 1868

Ques. What is your name Age & occupation?

Ans. Zachariah Taylor Simmons. Was
38 last July. Have no occupation.

Ques. How long have you lived in
Saint Louis? & whom do you know
most intimately?

16 years. - Chas. Leveing & family
Mr Bennett & family, Mr & Mrs Hutchinson

Ques. How long have you known
Dr. & Mrs. Hutchinson?

Almost 16 years. Since that time
his & my family have been intimate all the time.

Ques. Do they board with you? If so how
long have they been in your family?

Ans. Yes? About four months.

Ques. Have they ^{been} at home every week
for the last three months?

No Sir; For a time Mrs. Hutchinson
was absent & her Daughter also.

Ques. Where was Mrs. Hutchinson during
the absence you mention?

Ans I do not know where? I heard she
was going to see her sons in the Rebel Army.
I heard it in the family.
~~It is probable Mrs. Hutchinson ^{Belmont} ~~was~~~~

Ques. Did Dr. Hutchinson know that she
was going to see her sons in the
Rebel Army?

Ans. I do not know. Probably he
knew it; they are very intimate.

Ques. Did he furnish her money or
did you? to go with?

I have no idea? I did not.

Ques.

Ques. What did she take with her,
for her sons, & other friends
in the Army?

I do not know what she
took any thing.

Ques. Have you or Mrs. ~~Hutchinson~~ had any
private & confidential conversation
since the first of last November?
with Mrs. Hutchinson.

I have not & do not know
what she has.

Ques. What did she say about her
journey when she returned?

She said she had seen her sons &
that they were well - My memory is very
poor.

Ques. What did she tell you or your
wife about Dr. Hutcheson's de-
siring her to go, or being willing
that she should go?

I remember indistinctly, ^{to have heard} that
Dr. was unwilling she should go & that
he & my husband so.

Ques. - Is Mrs. Hutcheson ~~is~~ disloyal?

I think she is loyal from
what I have heard her say.

Ques. Is Dr. Hutcheson loyal?

I think he is. You would
have thought so had you heard
his sermon yesterday.

Will you keep the facts of this
examination from all persons
until you are permitted, by Col. Dick
to make it known?

Yes, Sir ~~very~~

Are you a loyal man?
Yours, Sir,

Is Mrs. Simmons a loyal
woman?

As far as I know this.
Y. V. Simmons

Taken before
me this 23rd Day
of Feb. 1863;

J. A. Dean
A. S. C.

Examination of Geo. M. Parker

Feb. 19th 1863

Ques - What is your name, Age & Profession,

Ans. My name is Geo. M. Parker,
nearly 35 years old. I am a Merchant.

Ques - How long have you lived in
St. Louis?

Ans. Over fourteen years -

Ques - Name some of the prominent
persons, & families, you know the
most intimately, in St. Louis,

Ans. Rev. Dr. Hutcheson & family,
Hon. M. Price & family, T. S. Ketchum,
W. L. Katherwood, Albert Peerie,
& R. B. Whittmore.

Ques - How many children has Dr.
Hutcheson & what is their age,

Ans. To the best of my knowledge, he
has three sons & a Daughter, the sons
grown, youngest about 16 - Da abt. 15 -

Ques - These are the Sons of Dr.
Hutcheson's.

Ans. I do not know of my own knowledge
Hearsay, says two of them are in the
Rebel Army & perhaps the three -

Ques. Did you ever hear Mrs. ^{inson} Hutcheson
say where they were,

Ans. I heard Dr. Hutcheson say that Judge
Hamon called on him to express the thanks of the
Committee of Enquiry for writing a strong letter to his

to his son in the Rebel Army, to induce
him to come home, about one year & a half ago.

Ques. - ~~What~~ do you know of the Loyalty
of Dr. or Mrs. Hutchinson.

Ans. - She has always talked to me strongly
in favor of the Union. -

Mrs. Hutchinson talked to me like a
Southern Sympathizer. - For instance
she says, "your Union men have
whipped us again" - your victories
do not seem to me much so. I have
no doubt that she is for the South.

Ques. - Has Mrs. Hutchinson ever
been beyond our lines to see her
son's?

Ans. - Not that I know of. I have heard
so - I did not know that she had
gone. ^{until the} ~~been~~ ^{absent} ~~ten~~ ^{days}, ~~there~~, ^{she} ~~had~~
gone for that purpose -

Ques. - Who told her she had gone
to see her son's?

Ans. - Mr. Hatherwood first told me -
I have heard no others that I know of.
Mr. or Mrs. Hutchinson have never
mentioned it to me. - Still I have
no doubt but what she went there.

Ques. - ~~Who~~ Who knows Dr. Hutchinson
& family most intimately?

& family must intimately?

Ans - Mr. Levering must know him
intimately & Mr. ^{Chap} Derby.

Ques - Have you ever heard of others
beside Mrs. Henshinson going through
our lines.

Ans. I have not that I now think
of. -

Ques. Are you a loyal man to the
U.S. Govt?

Ans. I am in every sense of
the term.

Signed in my
presence this 19th
day of February 1863
A. S. Dean

Geo. W. Parker

Capt. & A. S. C.
U. S. A.

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[Handwritten signature]

Killed Feb 2, 1863

The following are the names of
persons reported as suspicious sym-
ptoms in the case of G. B. Hume
against Rebels

Plum Linn

Andrew Mitchell

Wm Mitchell

Samuel Ashworth

James Cleft

A. F. Arnold

Arnold Kitchin

— Cummins

Wm Christopher

James Christopher

Wm Ashworth

as reported in the

Record

Mike Asher

Burtt Ever

W. G. Eaves

James Eves

H. S. Curtis

Wm Clarke

Alex. Dudder

James Lindell

Paul Welford

Patrick Sharp

Geald Young

C. P. Miller

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Provost Marshal Office
St Louis Feb 23^d 1863.

Thomas Thomas 1st Lieut
& Prov Marshal Waynesville

ditto

Complains of disposition
made of prisoners delivered
to Capt Geo. W. Clark, Prov
Marshal Rolla.

J. J.

Recd Hd Qrs. Rolla Dist. Feb 24th 1863
Recorded Letter Book page 118.

Head Quarters, Department of the Missouri,

OFFICE OF THE PROVOST MARSHAL GENERAL,

Colonel Σ St. Louis, Mo., Feby 23. 1863.

About the 12th day of Feby 1863. I forwarded from Waynesville to Rolla the prisoners Tho^s Hood, and James Ezzell of Pulaski County. Mo. They were charged with violation of oath and the charges were forwarded to Pro mar Clark at Rolla with the prisoners. A few days after they were released by order of Capt Clark and are now in Pulaski County.

I have heard of many other prisoners sent from ~~to~~ Waynesville before I was appointed Pro. mar. who were released by Capt Clark

Thos Thomas 1st Lieut &
Prov Marshal, Waynesville
Pulaski County

J. C. Dick
Pro. mar. Genl
St. Louis

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No 35
Warrenton Mo

John S. Williams Esq.
and (2) others of King

Asks Genl McKee to
send a force of men
sufficient to clear out
a band of desperadoes
infesting Warrenton Mo

St. Louis Feb 9. 1863

Two papers were sent
to this office - and Genl
McNeil being absent,
it is respectfully
forwarded to Brig
Genl. M. Kearney,
Comd. 5th Dist. Mich.

T. A. Dick
St. Louis Mo
man. sent

Recd. P.M. 9 Feb. 9/63

To Brig. Genl. John M. Pope
Warrenton Ind
Being well informed of the condition
of this County, and desiring that the
desperadoes, who are still at large
within its borders, as well as those
cities, who afford them subsistence,
and protection, should be brought
to justice, and further, being fully
convinced of the necessity of
the militia of this County, for the
very demanding their attention;
we, the undersigned most earnestly
pray, that you send a force of
sufficient strength to clean out
the parties, and to sustain the element
adverse to the interests of our common
Government;

Genl John S. Williams Co. A. Cal. E. M. M.
Edw. Duncan
George H. Duran
Joseph R. Griggs
Joseph W. Duncan
Wm. E. Bughouse

Hiram Cornell Capt. Co. B. E. M. M.
Wm. J. Remmiff 1st Lt. Co. B. E. M. M.
Joseph D. Duff
Eugene Woodrow
H. L. Lawther
H. Clay Anderson
H. J. Perrier

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Roll of Political
Prisoners from
Camp Chase, Ohio
sent to the
Old Cap. Pris
Feb 20 63 to be
held for exchange.

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B. W. Cracker

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W. C. Cancy

Porter's guard to the
H. C. Cancy. Capt. C. C. C. with
the regular army in the
month with the army several
times to the C. C. C. C. C. C. C.
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Postmaster's Office
New York
July 22nd, 1863

James W. Forsyth
Capt and Provost

As a reward to persons
P. McEachern and
G. J. [unclear] to be sent
to the [unclear] of Washington.

Post Feb 23rd 1863

Respectfully referred to
the Provost Marshal, who
will send them from
New York to Philadelphia, and
then turn them over to the
Provost Marshal of that
City. By General [unclear]
Richard M. D. [unclear] 23rd, 1863

Pro. Mar. Office.

Hyria Creek Va.

February 22^d 1863

G
General.

I am directed by the Pro. Mar. General
Army of the Potomac, to request that the two prisoners,
viz:

B. M'bracken

H. Carey

forwarded in charge of funds, be sent far enough
north to render it impracticable for them to re-
turn to this Army.

I am General,

Very Respected Sir,

Your Most Obedt. Servt.

James H. Street

Capt & Asst. Surg.

To

Brig Genl. Martin Dole

Mil. Govt

District of Columbia

Case of No. 1329 - F

Michael Buckley 3693

Timothy Buckley

John W. Smith

John Ford

E. Fitzgerald

} British
Subjects
from

} Richmond
Va.

Are willing to take the oath.

and give a qualification by

Wm. Tucker. Sub. 17th Decr.

Sent to C. 4. M. 27th 1863.

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Headquarters Prov. Mar. General,
Defences South of Potomac,

Alexandria, Va., Feb 27 1863.

Capt Todd
Prov. Mar. Washington

Capt:

I send you the following persons (refugees) together with passes and papers found upon them. They claim to be subjects of foreign governments, but the most of them express a willingness to take the oath of allegiance.

1. ~~Solomon Levy, wife and three children German Rich~~

2. ~~W. Selig Danick~~ Augusta Ga.

3. Michael Buckley & Son British Richmond Va.

4. John L. Smith " "

5. John Ford " "

6. E. Fitzgerald " "

I am, Captain,
Very Respectfully
Yours Ob. Servt
Joseph Meindell
Capt Va. A. S.

Case of Wm. P. P. P.

James J. James et al.

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Refugees sent from London to New York
would have arrived. Lately on
"Hartwell" is a distinct sub-
ject & would not be so and take
the oath.

Also the following released on sta-
tion at the office of the office
James Black & Wife

Joseph W. Henderson

James B. Snyder

the latter a good person in an
work with regard to his character
statements "relating to" secret in
the county of Gloucester, Va.

Feb. 26/63.

Wm. P. P.

Potomac Flotilla.

Navy Yard, Washington,

COMMANDANT'S OFFICE,

February 26th 1863

Captain,

I send you the following refugees
received lately on board the U. S. Steamer
"Jacob Bell"

James Clark and wife

James F. Russell

Joseph W. Hudson

and Wm. G. Snyder.

The two last on the list are boatmen who
conveyed the others across the Potomac under
flag of truce.

I am informed by Lieut. Commander
McCrea that Mr. Snyder has valuable in-
formation to impart.

I enclose seven letters, written in Ger-
man, which the refugees had with them.

Very respectfully

Your Obedt Servt

Geo W. Hawwood

Captain,

Commodore Comd'g
Potomac Flotilla.

Henry B. Todd.

Paymaster Marshal

Military District

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Cases of No 156 - G.

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William J. Armadts

R. B. Storm

Carrying contraband goods
and mail into rebel lines
is the charge against Storm
Armadts is a refugee but
could have been suspicious for

Both sent to O. C. P. Feb 28th 1863

and copy communication
from Lafayette Armadts
enclosed herewith.

Feb 28th 1863

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Charge and Specification preferred against W^o Storm
a Confederate Agent

Charge Carrying Confederate Mail and other Contrabands of
War within the Rebel line

(Specifications) On this that he the said W^o Storm did
endeavor to carry Confederate mail, and other
contraband of war within the Rebel line, for the
aid and benefit of the enemy, all this at
Leonard town W^o Va, or about the 20th of February
1863.

Fred^o Carlisle
Provost Detective
8th Army Corps

Galberry Farm Near
Centerville Apr 22nd 1863

President Lincoln,

Dear Sir I was advised
to write to you and said you was
a feeling man, and I trust in God
you will hear what I have to say
to you for I am in great distress
I can assure you I wish to know what
charge you have against my husband James
Thays he was taken on march the 29 he had no
charge that could have been against him for
he was innocent of any charge that could
have been brought against him for there is
no man or woman that can say that he
ever left home night or day or interpaired
any way on either side nor never intends
to interfair if he can help his self for
he was taken away sick and is not a
healthy man no way he is allways sick
he all ways voted the democratic ticket
always he was born and raised in this
neighbourhood and wishes to remain ~~there~~
here the rest of his days he is a poor
man he owns no land nor negroes he has
wife and three small children and an old mother
70 years old and we must certainly suffer

if my dear husband is not sent home soon
and I think it very hard for the innocent to
be taken and have to suffer for the guilty
the last words he said to me that he would
take the oath and come home to his dear little
children as soon as he could get back he does not
want to go to richmond he does not want to
join the army he wishes to be made at home
but that my dear husband is willing to take
the oath that he never has interfaired nor never
wishes to I have not heard from him since
he was taken he has not stayed a night from
his home for nearly two years and I ^{shall} thus
appear a life time to him I trust in the Lord
that you will hear to my few words and release
my dear husband and send him home to his
suffering family for I am willing to take
oath that he never done your soldiers any
harm will you please answer me soon
and if you please release my husband and
give him a pass etc come home for pittry
sake and the sake of his family nothing
more but ever your well wisher and
friend and may God bless you forever

Mrs Mary J. Key

P.S. please say to my
husband I am well
and the children is very unwell

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Old Capital Prison

Washington May 8th 1863

Wm. O'Connell

Received as no. of his (1863)
prisoner's name asked to
be released or paroled
etc.

Recd Wm. O'Connell May 8th 1863

Augustine Sitt
May 4th 1863.

Respectfully referred
to Capt. Parker's Act,
for mitigation of the
truth of this man's repre-
sentations. From that, & a
former communication, it
would seem that, in equity,
in fairness, to be included
in the number sent North
for release.

By order of
B. Genl. Martindale
Theodore L. Coman
and

Wm. L. Garrison
No. 10. 7/11/43

Dear Mother

Our cause for freedom
in Prison I am suffering from the
wonder from in my health caused by being
confined in Prison & so I am not to be hindered
I would ask for a friend

Our this beautiful is our
in accordance with the spirit of the American
Principle from every protection to those that
would return to their allegiance to the United
States I am here in the "Prison" confined in
Prison in what cause I know not certain as they
said taken into the hands of the Government
We would like to see me sent back and again
Our of them sent back to the same place

Let now I was treated here the person that
sent me back the cause for and also the
to cause of the "Prison" I was sent to
by the "Prison" at Washington

It will be published in the
to that the "Prison" at Washington will
read it when I am sent to York
with these state the "Prison" agents for
Exchange that I do not want to be
again

I am Accuseded to ... as from
... right of the Empire of
... the name of ...
... the words of ...
... the protection of
... and ...
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... I have not ...
... some ...
... before the ...
... in whose ...
... and in a
... people

Your Obedt
J. M.
Admiral

K. 204. (V.S.) 1863

Salsberry Farm Va

April 22^d / 63

Mrs. Mary J. Keys

Emy. relative to the arrest
of her husband James
Keys.

K. 140 April 20 1863

Asst. Genl.

(897.)
(V. 4.)

Adj. Office.

April 27. 1863

Respectfully referred to the
Provost Marshal, Washington
D.C. This man appears to
be a civilian. — Thos. H. Drs.

By order of Secy of War, ^{Wm. D. D.}

Thos. H. Drs.

Adj. Adjt. General
Rec^d. (A.G.O.) Apr. 27, 1863.

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Edgemoor Mill. Mich.

May 4th 1863

Respectfully referred to
Provoost Marshal for
report of such facts
as may be in his pos-
session.

By order

Theodore H. Thomas
actg.

Respectfully returned -
James Keyes was ar-
rested by Miss. Edmund
Stahel, on charge of dis-
loyalty, and forwarded
to these manufacturers on
the 9th of April.

Jerry W. Todd
Capt. & Pro. Marshal

Recd. May 7. 1863

Recd. Mrs. May 7th 1863
Recd. Mrs. May 6th 1863
Recd. Mrs. Apr. 20th 1863

Weymouth Dist
May 8th 1863.

Respectfully referred
to Capt Parker
A. A. for investiga-
tion & report.

By order of
Bliss Washburne
The Wm. L. Linnard
A. A.

Potomac Flotilla.

Navy Yard, Washington,

COMMANDANT'S OFFICE,

February 28 1863

Captain,

I forwards to you a person by the name of Mr. P. Demandt a refugee from Richmond who states he left the Confederate army and says he wishes to enter that of the United States.

Professions, and oaths of allegiance are thought so little of in these days that I would suggest that caution should be observed, in crediting the accounts persons give of themselves who cross the river as refugees. I have no faith in this man.

I send also, a person named Skorn who was delivered to the Naval authorities by the Cavalry stationed at Great Mills Mr. I enclose the paper transferred with him.

In an interview I had the other day with Captain Edw. G. Parker Aft adjt Genl etc, he informed me that

he had not received some information which was important to him in the execution of his duties. I informed him that I had been very particular to forward in each case all the information in my possession to Col. Foster but had never received any replies to my communications. May I request that such information as may be required by the Military authorities may receive the proper direction at your office, which it appears to me the proper one to address.

one enclosure.

Very respectfully
Your Obedtⁿ Servant
And^l Tharwood

Commodore Comd^r
Polomac Station.

Captain,

Henry B. Tadd U.S.A
Provost Marshal

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Cases of No 1182 - F =

Capt. C. Raymond **3696**

A. Raymond

R. Gordon

W. H. H. H.

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W. H. H. H.

On examination of the "Seth Kato"
in which were found goods
not entered on manifest
Captured by U. S. Marine
sent in prisoner to the
Bureau

Capt A. C. (S. D.) Feb 23 1863

Set

Copy.

W. J. Schradolph Hugel
Guard vessel off Alexandria
February 21st 1863.

Sir,

By examining the cargo of Scho
Kato in obedience to orders I found
goods on board not entered on her
Manifest and deliver the vessel and
cargo and crew at the foot of 6th Street.

Capt. C. Raymond.

N. Raymond.

R. Gordon.

J. Jarvis.

James Levy.

C. Sheavo.

A. S. News.

J. L. Oldfield.

J. Cook.

Arthur C. Keefer

Most respectfully

Your Obed^t Serv^t

Signed, James Van Bostirke.

Actg Master Comm^d

And A. Harwood

Commodore Comm^d

Potomac Flotilla.

Alexandria Ferry Feb. 28th 1863

Capt Todd Prov M.

I have delivered the 10
prisoners as per order to Officer of Guard at Old
Capital Prison, & left guard on board of two
vessels found in charge of 2 marine officers.
Shall we relieve the Naval Officers?

Very Respectfully &c

Lt W.D. Smith, in Charge
of Land Alex. Ferry

Answered -

See page 257 - Copy Book

Office of District Attorney
Washington D.C. 20535
To Prison Marshal
Wash D.C.

Sir:

The persons named in the accompanying paper are prisoners in Ward No. 2 of the "Katie" wing for violating the Prison Laws. There is no reason for holding them for examination by the Prize Commission. The District Attorney has no control over the intake or release in Ward.

Very
Respectfully
Yours
Wm. H. H. H.
W. H. H.

Case of No. 116

Robert Griffith

3697

William Jones

Went to court at 11 AM, Sat. for
carrying on a contribution
from Court to the ...

Released on Court Sat 5th
183.

Done

1863
Maj Gen Military Dist
Washington D.C.
Jan 30 1863

Was. E. Wood, formerly
Asst Adj Genl

Relative to a Contract
to carry logs (Alexandria)
across the river to Troy
by which persons
crossed would be at
pleasure

To Gen. Curtis District
Washington Jan. 30 1863

Respectfully refer to the
Provost Marshal, who
will take measures to
prevent this Contract
from being made.

By Command of
John P. Sherman
Adj Genl

Recd at Wash. D.C. Jan. 30 1863
Recd at Wash. D.C. Jan. 30 1863

At Quarters M. P. Guard
Philadelphia 7th 1863

Lieut. Col. W. C. Croston
Provost-Marshal,
Do

I respectfully report
that Lieut. Bennett investigated the southern
case, yesterday, he reported that the Perry
consisted of a small boat, -rowed by two men
who carried over any Passengers that presented
themselves - Today Lieut. Gibson went
there and arrested the two men who pulled
the boat and brought also the owner of it
and took them to your Quarters -

Your Obedt Servant

W. W. Richardson

M. P. Guard M. P. G.

W. C. Croston's Office
Wash. July 2, 1863

Respectfully returned with the in-
formation that the owner, as well
as the two employees, have been
committed to the Old Capitol Prison.

W. Croston

W. C. Croston

Hoffman to Mr. P. G. Jones
January 27th 1863

Dear Mr. Jones

Received

Sir

I regret to inform you that the
Hoffman has since been informed
by Bennett who reported that the "boy" can do
a small boat which is powered by
himself, when a good deal of
said Bennett is so informed that he
could be taken care of. The Hoffman
is back. The Hoffman appeared to the
county people. I am sure. The terms
of the Hoffman at the Hoffman, the Hoffman
Hoffman and Hoffman Hoffman Hoffman
Hoffman

Yours truly
Hoffman

M

Headquarters Military District of Washington,

Washington, D. C., Aug. 30 1863.

Major J. P. Shubert.

A. A. G.

Major,

I desire to call your attention to the fact that there is a regularly established ferry from Alexandria across the river to Fox's farm over which persons are in the habit of passing and returning at pleasure.

Also that those referred papers here for obvious reasons, go down at once to this point and are taken across.

I would recommend that a guard be stationed on this side at once with instructions to stop this contraband from passing. Very Respectfully
your obedient servant
Jas. E. Montgomery

Cases of Apr. 25 - 1863

James Macomber 36913

John Dougherty

Patrick Donohue

Thos. B. No. 100

John R. No. 100

Patrick Power

James Ryan

Received James Ryan of Green Mountain
at Richmond. He fears through
his own mind, & wishes to be British
subject & refuse to take the Oath.

Sent to O. C. P. No. 100 Feb 20th

Feb. 163

Out

Headquarters 3rd Brigade

Camp Dir. 22nd Army Corps

February 19 1863.

W.F.

1863

Most Respectfully forwarded to the
Major-General Commanding Department

The within named persons (British subjects)
have been turned over to the Provost-
Marshal of Alexandria. Va.

By Order of General Alexander Hays.

Commanding Brigade

R. C. Shirk

Captain 39th M.V. a. a. a. g.

Received W.F. 1863

Head Quarters Dept.
of Washington

Feb 21st 1863

Respectfully referred to
the Provost Marshal of
Washington.

The persons named
in the endorsement of Genl
Hays will be turned over
to you by Genl Slocum

By command of
Maj. Genl. Heintzelman

G. A. Sackm

Lt Col. & Asst. Insp. Genl

1000 C. H. 507 14. 893

Approved

M. C. Butler

Chas. F. P. P.

HEAD QUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF HENRICO,

RICHMOND, VA. *10th Feb* 1863.

When Children
Mr. Edmund Fitzgerald a citizen of *Ireland*

having taken the oath of ~~allegiance~~ *allegiance* to the Confederate States and being pledged not to reveal, either directly or indirectly, any information that may benefit the enemy, is hereby permitted to pass beyond the limits of the Confederate States; subject, however, to such delay and restrictions as may be imposed by the military authorities. *Not to pass through Genl. Lee's*

Army Near South of James River
By command of the Secretary of War.

Grady
130pm

Chapman & Co. 1/11/11

McCulloch
C. & P. 1/11/11

HEAD QUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF HENRICO,

RICHMOND, VA. *July 10th* 1863.

Pro Dougherty

a citizen of *Ireland*

having taken the oath of allegiance to the Confederate States; and being pledged not to reveal, either directly or indirectly, any information that may benefit the enemy, is hereby permitted to pass beyond the limits of the Confederate States; subject, however, to such delay and restrictions as may be imposed by the military authorities.

*Not to go through the
Rus line or South of James River*

By command of the Secretary of War.

*J. M. Warden
Brig Genl*

Ad paper

July 14 1880

A. J. [unclear]

W. C. [unclear]

[unclear]

HEAD QUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF HENRICO,

RICHMOND, VA. *Feb 10* 1863

wife rebels
James McConmy, a citizen of *Ireland*

having taken the oath of allegiance to the Confederate States, and being pledged not to reveal, either directly or indirectly, any information that may benefit the enemy, is hereby permitted to pass beyond the limits of the Confederate States; subject, however, to such delay and restrictions as may be imposed by the military authorities.

*Not to go through line
our lines or South of James River*
By command of the Secretary of War.

John H. ...
Ruglene

Col. J. C. 14.

July 14, 1863

Approved

M. C. Butler

Col. & Bro. Mas

HEAD QUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF HENRICO,

RICHMOND, VA. ^{11th} July 1863

Andget Burns a citizen of *Great Britain*

having taken the oath of allegiance to the Confederate States, and being pledged not to reveal, either directly or indirectly, any information that may benefit the enemy, is hereby permitted to pass beyond the limits of the Confederate States; subject, however, to such delay and restrictions as may be imposed by the military authorities.

Not to pass this seal into Army nor south of James River - And if found otherwise from these instructions must be arrested & returned to Richmond

By command of the Secretary of War.

J. H. Underhill

Co. paper P. H. Feb 14, 1893

Approved

M. C. Sullivan

Col. H. B. Me...

DOCUMENT

HEAD QUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF HENRICO,

RICHMOND, VA. *11th Feb* 1863

James Ryan

a citizen of

Great Britain

having taken the oath of allegiance to the Confederate States and being pledged not to reveal, either directly or indirectly, any information that may benefit the enemy, is hereby permitted to pass beyond the limits of the Confederate States; subject, however, to such delay and restrictions as may be imposed by the military authorities.

*Not to pass this Genl Lee's Army
Near Smith of James Ryan and if found deserting from their instructions
must be arrested & returned to Richmond*

By command of the Secretary of War.

*J. M. Winder
D. S. M.*

1/2000 July 14. 1857

At home

CCC 10 1/2

Put for Man

HEAD QUARTERS, DEPARTMENT OF HENRICO,

RICHMOND, VA. *Apr 15 1864* 1864

Mr. [illegible] citizen

having taken the oath of allegiance to the Confederate States and being pledged not to reveal, either directly or indirectly, any information that may benefit the enemy, is hereby permitted to pass beyond the limits of the Confederate States; subject, however, to such delay and restrictions as may be imposed by the military authorities.

By command of the Secretary of War
[Signature]

Approved by H. C. May 14, 1863

Approved

McCallister

Capt & Prov. Mar.

Gen. Thomas M. G. Smith

of the 1st Cavalry

of the Army

Capt & Prov. Mar.

Approved by

May 14, 1863

HEAD QUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF HENRICO,

RICHMOND, VA. *Feb 10* 1863.

Thos. L. M. Garby & wife a citizen of *Great Britain*

having taken the oath of allegiance to the Confederate States and being pledged not to reveal, either directly or indirectly, any information that may benefit the enemy, is hereby permitted to pass beyond the limits of the Confederate States; subject, however, to such delay and restrictions as may be imposed by the military authorities.

Not to pass thru Genl Davis Army Nor South of the James River - and if found disobeying from these instructions By command of the Secretary of War.

must be arrested & returned to Richmond
Wm A. H. ...

Quid ab ...
...
...

In Part ...
Capt ...
Cal ...
July 1863

HEAD QUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF HENRICO,

RICHMOND, VA. 12 July 1863

Pat. Doherty & Wife a citizen of *Great Britain*

having taken the oath of allegiance to the Confederate States and being pledged not to reveal, either directly or indirectly, any information that may benefit the enemy, is hereby permitted to pass beyond the limits of the Confederate States; subject, however, to such delay and restrictions as may be imposed by the military authorities.

Not to pass thro' Genl Lee's Army New South of James River - and if found deserting from these instructions must be arrested & returned to Richmond.

By command of the Secretary of War.

J. A. Winder

HEAD QUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF HENRICO,

RICHMOND, VA. 12th Feb 1863

Geo. M. Moran

a citizen of

Great Britain

having taken the oath of allegiance to the Confederate States, and being pledged not to reveal, either directly or indirectly, any information that may benefit the enemy, is hereby permitted to pass beyond the limits of the Confederate States; subject, however, to such delay and restrictions as may be imposed by the military authorities.

Not to be shown to the Genl. Lee's Army nor South of James River - and if found contrary from this information must be arrested & returned to Richmond

By command of the Secretary of War.

J. M. Winckler

Headquarters Provost Marshal General,
DEFENCES SOUTH OF POTOMAC.

Alexandria, Va., Feb 19 1863

Capt Todd,
Prov. Mar. Washington.

Capt

I send you the following prisoners from Richmond arrested in coming through the lines. They claim to be British Subjects and desire to remain. They all decline to take the oath of allegiance.

- 1. Thos. L. M^c Gauby & wife wife released
- 2. Patrick Dougherty & wife wife released
- 3. Mrs. Catharine Fitzgerald & three children relieved
- 4. Geo. M. Moran
- 5. John Dougherty
- 6. Jas Daconney wife & child wife & child released
- 7. Patrick Powers
- 8. Jas Ryan
- 9. Biddy Burns released
- 10. Frederick Raudnitzky a refugee from Sav. Co. wants to go to New York. lose the oath.

Very Respectfully
Yours Obedt Servt
W. E. Morgan
Lieut & A. D. C.

Frederick Raudnitzky, took oath released
Mrs. Fitzgerald and children released.

Head Quarters Provost Marshal's Office,

Washington, 1863.

Thos. J. McCauley, & wife

Have resided in Richmond, Va., about twelve before she was broke out. Have not been in the army. Left Richmond last Friday. Got a pass from Gen. Winder. He knew I was coming North. Have been naturalized - have protection papers from the British Consul at Richmond. Do not want to take oath, think I shall not stay long in the country.

Patrick Dougherty & wife

In Richmond about three years. Have in army. Left Richmond last Saturday. Got pass from Gen. Winder. Have naturalized. Has British papers. Do not want to take oath.

Mrs. Catherine Fitzgerald - 3 children

Has been in Richmond about three years. Husband John Fitzgerald, working in Washington, on Exchanges. He left Rich'd about six months ago. Does not want to take oath.

Geo. M. Moran.

In Richmond about 8 years. Never in army. Left Rich'd Saturday evening. Pass from Gen. Winder. Never naturalized. Has papers, but not with him. Does not want to take the oath until Richmond is taken. Has property in Richmond, and left them because they were going to naturalize him because he owned property, and make him. Is a Union man.

John Dougherty,

In Richmond about 3 years. Have in ~~army~~

any. Left Rich'd on Friday. Never naturalized.
Has no British papers. Don't know whether or not
he will take oath.

James Dacourney, wife and child

In Rich'd about four years. Left Friday morning.
Pass from Briden. Never in rebel army. Never naturalized.
Has British papers. Don't know about oath - says
he is Union.

Dutchess Powers.

In Rich'd about two years. Left Friday morning.
Never in rebel army. Never naturalized. Has British
papers. Don't know about oath.

Las. Ryan.

In Rich'd about two years. Left Friday morning. Never
in rebel army. Never naturalized. Has no papers
or lost them or the way. Wants to take the
oath of allegiance.

Biddy Burns.

South about 8 years - 2 years in Richmond. -
Has relatives in Baltimore. Worked at Confederate
storehouse in Richmond, sewing. Left there Friday morning.
Don't know about taking oath.

Frederick Renditzky

Been in Savannah, Georgia, two years. Fugitive.
Left Savannah about 3 months since. Had
been naturalized, and is willing to take oath. Wants
to go to New York, where he has a wife and two
children.

City of Richmond. To wit.

This day Fred. Staunton personally appeared before me W. Taylor a Justice of the peace of the aforesaid City and made Oath that he was born in Wurtemberg Germany and has been living in the late U. States about three years, that he has never voted at any Election in the U. or C. States, neither has he been a Tefider of seithon.

Given under my hand this

20th day of December 1862

W. Taylor J.P.

Wm. A. Blair
S. & C. Officer
for City of Richmond
Dec 22/62

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W. C. ...

... + ...

... July 14, 1863.

HEAD QUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF HENRICO,

RICHMOND, VA. *10th Feb* 1863

a
Fredrick B. Ruckelshaus

a citizen of *Germany*

having taken the oath of allegiance to the Confederate States and being pledged not to reveal, either directly or indirectly, any information that may benefit the enemy, is hereby permitted to pass beyond the limits of the Confederate States; subject, however, to such delay and restrictions as may be imposed by the military authorities.

*Not to pass the Great Lee's Army
Nor South of James River. And if found disloyal from these instructions
must be arrested and returned to Richmond.*

By command of the Secretary of War.

*M. A. Vender
Corporal*

OUTS

- Phillips Thomas
- Morgan Daniel
- Chandler Thomas
- David Raymond
- Jackson Abraham
- Franklin Stephen
- Winnifred B. G.
- Hecht Coleman
- Lambert John
- Leggett James
- Gardner David
- George Thomas
- Conrad Benjamin
- Davis Walter
- Shorts Wm
- Simpson Wm
- Lansford Wm

Arrested for violation of
 the blockade sent to O.C.
 P. Setry 7th 1863

Head Quarters Provost Marshal's Office,

Washington, Feby 19 1863.

We, do hereby give our Pardons of Honor that
we will each and every one of us report at
the Provost Marshals Office at 7 o'clock P.M.
February 20th 1863.

~~John~~
Geo M Moran

J L Mc Gawley

James Downey

John Doherty

James Ryan

Thomas ^{dit} Towers

J. X. Doherty
_{maur}

Witness

Charles A. Eckhardt

Office of District Attorney
Washington D.C. Feb. 7 1863

Sir:

The persons named in the accompanying Schedules A & B have been examined by the Ship Commissioners and an order is now made at the District Jail.

I am informed by Com. Harwood of Potomac Flotilla that the charges against the parties named have already been furnished to you.

Very respectfully
Wm. D. Smith
State-At-Large
Asst. Dist. Atty. for D.C.

Col. Smith

Provost Marshal.

(Copy)

U.S. Ste Satellite
Station S. Potomac Flotilla
February 4th 1863

Sir

The following articles of prize goods
with two prisoners. I send up by Steamer
"Lulu" They were captured near Leonard
town MD by Company A 4th regular
Cavalry and delivered on board Steamer
"Cocur de Lion" from which vessel I
received them, the goods were in bad
condition when received, and some of them
almost worthless. The prisoners names
are Daniel S Morgan + W^m J Chandler

- 5 lbs Sugar broken
- 3 " Whiskey neither full
- 2 Sacks Coffee
- 1 Keg Powder
- 1 pair Boots
- 1 Box patent medicine, part full

Very respectfully
Yours Obedt Servt
J C Van Deventer
In Mat Command
Guard Ship pro Com

To

Commodore A A Harwood
Command S. Potomac Flotilla
and Navy Yard
Washington DC

Navy Yard, Washington,

COMMANDANT'S OFFICE,

Feb 7th 1862

Colonel,

The U. S. Steam Tug
Leslie has brought to the yard
some prisoners and goods seized
by a detachment of the 2^d M. I.
Cavalry.

I place the prisoners at your
disposal and request to know to
whom the goods (which are in bad
condition, according to account) are
to be delivered.

Very respectfully
Your obt. Servt.

Amos W. Harwood

Commodore

Command. Navy Yard & Arsenal ^{Ala}

Lieut. Col

W. E. Foster

Provost Marshal

Military District

Washington.

(One enclosure)

A

E. C. Carrington Esq
United States
District Attorney
District of Columbia

To the United States

District Attorney for the
District of Columbia

Sir

We would
inform you that we have enclosed
the examination of Thos. Phillips, Mas-
ter of the Schooner "Pride" recently
captured as Prize, and have no
further use for him. —

Respectfully
Prize Commissioners

(Wm. A. Lloyd)

24 February 1863.

United States Jail

Washington, Feb 7, '63

Col. Foster, &c.

Sir: I am unable to comply with your order to release or decline to signant Burrows, the 17 persons, &c. until it be made more definite. The commitments do not say by whom they were arrested, and there is no gang of 17 persons here. I presume that you want the remainder of the 23 of whom Penty and Maj. Littlepage of the "Solitary Confederacy" made a part. Three of this gang, W. Walker, W. S. Littlepage, and John Penty, have been released, leaving 20 still on hand. Please change your order if there be desired, or state which of the 20 you desire, and oblige
Yours &c.

Wm. L. Miller
A. J. Jail.

Case of 3701 No 137 - F -

James O'Neil	}	claims to be
John Flaherty		British
Peter Flaherty		Subject but
James Barry		one of them
Peter Coates		Merch owned to
Raphael Ronaldi		have voted one
Walter Bonaventura		in Richmond

These and other names who comes through our lines from Richmond in last three hours have never been naturalized do not wish to take the oath but desire to remain

Asst. Secy by Craft Manned in a. S. of Richmond

Sent to O. G. 15th Feb 20 1863

Craft

"Copy"

1
U.S. Scho "Daw Smith".

Station F. Blaku Creek.

Feb 7th 1863.

Sir,

I would most respectfully report that I ordered Actg Masters Mate R. R. Sommer last evening to reconnoitre, he left the vessel at 6 P.M. at 10 P.M. returned reported having captured a Boat with six men as they were landing from the Virginia shore and that he brought the Boat and prisoners on board also learnt that Lords Hartington and Col. Leslie has landed and was on their way to Washington. Enclosed I send the several statements made to me on examination, and also the amount of money found in their possession. I have ordered Actg Masters Mate R. R. Sommer to take charge of the prisoner and proceed to Washington and report to you for further orders.

Sir, I remain very respectfully

Your Obedt Servt

Signed, Benjn C. Deane

Actg Master Comms

To

Commodore,

A. A. Harwood

Comms F. Blaku

"Copy"

"U. S. Schur Dan Smith"

Station F Blake Creek.

Potomac River Feb 7, 1863

Statement of the within named persons.

Maurice Clagett a citizen of Richmond formerly of Washington D. C. has been in Richmond for the past 18 months, nine months in the Rebel Army volunteered in Richmond has no private Documents except a Memorandum of articles to be purchased for a friend in Richmond amt in money \$2. 50/100 Dollars in Gold & \$205 Dollars in Confederate scrip, left Virginia shore at 5.30 P.M. signed Mo. Clagett.

Wm Bayly of Richmond was in the Rebel Army Eight months he says he intended going to Baltimore, but intended to return to Richmond as soon as possible amt. in money \$2660 Dollars on Southern Banks \$110 Dollars in Confederate scrip and \$24 in Cash

Signed, William Bayly

John A. Hill of California he crossed over to Virginia on the 24th of Jan'y 1863 to visit his Brothers in the State of Mississippi but found them both in the Rebel Army he

He intended going to New York and returning to Richmond again, depending on circumstances, Amt. in money \$49 ~~85~~ 100 Dollars in confederate scrip \$51 in Southern Bills \$160 Dols. in Gold, one carpet Bag with a few articles of wearing apparel.

Signed J. A. Mill.

Tom Ashton a native of England is not a naturalized citizen Nineteen years a resident of Charleston S.C. left Charleston on the 21st of Jan'y 1863, with the intention of proceeding to Europe and returning to Charleston as soon as possible Amt. in money 700 100 Dollars in Confederate scrip \$1384 Dollars in Southern Bills and \$144 ~~85~~ 100 Dollars in Gold.

Signed. William Ashton.

Elect. Peirce of Accomack Virginia, freeman employed by Jeremiah Thrift of Virginia by the year was ordered by him to bring five men across the River, in the Boat that was captured as we were landing on the Maryland shore left Virginia at 6. P.M.

Mr Thrift assured me that the gentleman all had the proper pass, and that there would not be any difficulty in relation thereto.

Mr Thrift has been for some time engaged
in the Contraband trade, carrying goods
and passengers from one shore to the
other.

Signed ^{his} Fleet L Pierce
Marko

Clayton & 2
Wainy - }

No Capt Pooker
or Spudgy heaving.

Executive Mansion,

Washington, Sept. 9th, 1863.

Col. Duster

Dear Sir,

I take the liberty of
introducing my friend H. D.

Davis Esq. of Banking House
of L. Johnson & Co. of this City.

I assure you that he is loyal,
and a gentleman worthy of
due attention. Begging pardon
for this freedom.

Yours Obedt Servt
W. Stoddard

Baily came up
to get married.
Roms overcomes
mars. & finally
takes Vulcan.
(note. vide Lemprisme).

WED.

My dear

Permit me to mention
to you my young friend Mr
Charles Bayly who seeks an
interview on to him a matter
of exceeding great interest
& concern him & the object
of his mission & ask your
kind offices in his behalf

Respectfully
Richard McClure
July 9th 1863.

Dear Sir,

I take, Col., great pleasure
in enclosing the Mayor's request; and
earnestly hope Mr Bayly (the business) may be
parolled. His father was one of our best citizens.
J. H. Brown

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA,

County of Washington,

I, *Mary Ann Kelly*, of *Westmoreland Co. Va.*

do solemnly swear on the Holy Evangelist of Almighty God, without any mental reservation, that I will at any and all times hereafter, and under all circumstances, yield a hearty and willing support to the Constitution of the United States and to the Government thereof; that I will not, either directly or indirectly, take up arms against said Government, nor aid those now in arms against it; that I will not pass without the Lines now established by the Army of the United States, or hereafter from time to time to be established by said Army, nor hold any correspondence whatsoever with any person or persons beyond said Lines so established by said Army of the United States, during the present rebellion, without permission from the Secretary of War; also, that I will do no act hostile or injurious to the union of the States; that I will give no aid, comfort, or assistance to the enemies of the Government, either domestic or foreign; that I will defend the flag of the United States, and the armies fighting under it, from insult and injury, if in my power so to do; and that I will in all things deport myself as a good and loyal citizen.

Mary A Kelly

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *9* day of *February 1863*

W. Baker

L. Capt. I. Marshall

Headquarters Military District of Washington,

Washington, D. C. Feb. 11th 1863.

St. Charles Deane -

Provost Marshal -

The case of the Rev. Dr. Wilmer has been laid before the Secretary of War, and the Secretary of State. The extraordinary circumstances of the case when contrasted with the explanations furnished by Dr. Wilmer will render further necessary further consideration of the report to be made from these Headquarters of the Dept. of State. In the mean time Dr. Wilmer will be held in custody. - with the charges following -

1. For attempting to run the blockade being intercepted in the act. -
2. For being the bearer of correspondence between rebels in the ~~Confederate~~ ^{exiled} States & Citizens of the ~~Confederate~~ ^{exiled} States. -
3. - For ^{as being} ~~as being~~ ^{an ecclesiastical Secretary} ~~and Editor~~ ^{and Editor} ~~of the Episcopal Church of the Confederate States~~ ^{of the Episcopal Church of the Confederate States} ~~not~~ ^{not} ~~accession~~ ^{accession} ~~as made~~ ^{as made} by the President of the Confederate States to England and others with the view to communicate and receive intelligence in testimony to the demands both from and on the Confederate States which might tend to the said appreciation of each by the other & to their

Christian Fellowship & Communication"

Very Respectfully,
F

390
Navy Yard, Washington,

COMMANDANT'S OFFICE,

February 9th 1863

Colonel,

I place in your cus-
tody the following persons arrested
in the act of landing from the Virginia
Shore by a party from the "U.S.
Schooner "Dan Smith"

The Hon. J. P. B. Wilmer, formerly
a Chaplain in the U.S. Navy.

Maurice Clagett, of Richmond Va
Wm Bayley (8 months in the rebel army)
John A Hill (California.

William Ashton subject of England
(has a consular protection) late of Charleston S.C.
Fleet Pierce of Yoconico Va. who has
been employed as ferryman.

I also send Mrs Mary A Kelly
and child, refugees

I enclose you copies of the report
of Acting Master Dean and the
statements of the prisoners in relation
to their motives in crossing the river.

I have this day transmitted, with

my report to the Navy Department
certain papers in relation to the
Rev^d W^m Wilmer which I thought
should be referred to the Secretary
of the Navy.

Very respectfully
Your obedt Servt
Andrew Harwood
Commodore Comd^g
Potomac Flotilla

Sent Col.

W. E. Foster
Provost Marshal
Military District.

(3 enclosures)

1. ady Master Beans letter
2. Statement of prisoners
3. " " of D^r Wilmer

Case of 3701 No 137 - I -

James O'Neil	}	claim to be
John Flaherty		British
Peter Flaherty		Subjects but
James Barry		one of them
Peter Cooney		which owned to
Raphael Kinaldi		have noted one
Wm. L. ...		in Richmond

I have and I am sure who came through our lines from Richmond the last three have never been materialized do not wish to take the call but desire to ...

Sent him by Capt. M... at 4:30 of ...

Sent to O. G. P. ...

W. L.

Headquarters Provost Marshal General,
DEFENCES SOUTH OF POTOMAC.

Alexandria, Va. Feb 20 1863

Capt Todd
Prov. Mar. Washington

Capt I send you
under guard four prisoners, arrested in coming
through the lines from Richmond. They claim
to be British subjects, but one of them, Jas O'Neil
states that he voted in Richmond at a local
election.

Their names are as follows:

1. Jas O'Neil
 2. John Flaherty
 3. Peter Flaherty
 4. Jas. Garby
- P.S.
5. Peter Coreo
 6. Raphael Rinaldi
 7. Marco Comiski

I am, Capt,
Very Respectfully
Yours
Joseph M. Dell
Capt & aca, Gen.

the three last are foreigners, who
have never been naturalized, do
not wish to take the oath, but
desire to remain. I. M. Jr capt & aca Gen.

Letter from
Peter Erwin &
others

March 7 1863

Old Capitol Prison,
Room 16, Washington, March 13, 1863

Capt. Parker, A. A. S.

Dear Sir:

We would earnestly, but most respectfully call your attention to our case. We have been confined 15 days without having had an examination. We feel satisfied if you would only grant us a hearing that you would be able to dispose of our case with but little trouble. We are citizens of Italy, and have been in the United States about three years, a portion of which time has been spent in the South. Wishing to return to our own country, we went to the proper authorities in Richmond and obtained passes to go beyond the Confederate lines. We were instructed to deliver ourselves to the first Federal soldiers we met. We did so, and were ordered to report to the Provost-Marshal at Alexandria; by him we were ordered to report to Provost-Marshal at Washington who sent us to this place. We are willing to take the oath as soon as possible, as we wish to proceed on our journey, and the detention is not only inconvenient, but may also result in considerable pecuniary loss to us.

Respectfully yours,

Peter Coreo
Marco Comastri
Raffaello Rinaldi

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List of men in Boone County Mo who have enrolled Disloyal & Southern Sympathizers taken from the Enrolling books Feb 14 1863.

Columbian Township

No	Names	Age	REMARKS
1	Adair John	26	
2	Atkins J. B.	20	
3	Anthony John N.	27	
4	Bullow W. J.	25	
6	Bush G. W.	27	
7	Blackly John C.	26	
8	Bransham W. H.	26	Oath & Bond of \$1000 March 10, 1862
9	Burkton John R.	29	
10	Bedford R. H.	20	
11	Burns D. W.	23	Oath June 24, 1862
12	Brown Henry C.	27	
13	Berry George	35	
14	Buchnell C. R.	35	Oath
15	Benson J. W.	24	
16	Beattin W.	28	
17	Battiston E. W.	39	In prison in Saint Louis
18	Booth R.	26	
19	Conley S. J.	21	
20	Campbell C. J.	20	
21	Carrs Thomas	21	
22	Carrs James B.	24	
23	Clark James G.	25	
24	Cassidy J. H.	19	
25	Chandler J. S.	24	

25	Crosby J. W.	29	
26	Chandler James	25	Died June 3 1862
27	Cromwell W. H.	25	Died April 8 th 1863
28	Croft Sarel W.	32	
29	Douglas John A.	30	
30	Douglas E. H.	30	
31	Dunneville A. H.	41	
32	Dusen Perry E.	28	Summited Capt's Band 1860
33	Dissonville J. M.	23	
34	Davis W. B.	19	
35	Dunson A. W.	24	
36	Duckard Charles	31	Died July 3 1862
37	English James H.	21	
38	Edwards Isaac C.	30	Died March 14 1862
39	De Haven Wm A.		Died
40	Forsley Eugene	33	
41	Gage W. H.	21	
42	Gilman John R.	31	
43	Gerrison W. H.	25	
44	Gillespie J. J.	24	
45	Grant John S.	43	In prison in Saint Louis
46	George D.	28	
47	Gooden R. B.	20	in company "A" 61 st Regt
48	Gony John R.	24	
49	Grath James M.	18	
50	Grant Columbus	20	in company "E" 61 st Regt Died
51	Gless Robert	38	
52	Grath Thomas A.	33	
53	Grath Henry H.	21	

54	Gault J R	24
55	Hudsons W W	39
56	Harris Woodson	25
57	Henry Robert	37
58	Helen B H	38
59	Helen Williams	3 1/2
60	Harris J W	26
61	Hanna J B	20
62	Hanchard W	25
63	Harrison J W	27
64	Huyler George R	18
65	Johnson Robert J	33
66	James J B	36
67	Johnson Leslie	18
68	Johnson J W	28
69	Johnson Wm Wm	18
70	Jacob Charles A	24
71	Johnson W	21
72	Judy Phelps	32
73	Johnson J B	18
74	Keenan C B	20
75	Karres John	24
76	Keenan Coleman	26
78	Keane John W	20
79	Keane John	23
80	Keane R L Jr	32
81	Keith George B	30
82	Lane Benjamin	22
83	Loyd J W	24
84	Lynch J W	24

in prison in St Louis

Outfit

Outfit Bond of \$1000 Nov 19th 1868

85	Larney B Y	29	
86	Laforce W W	19	
87	Larney W M	21	
88	Londsdale H B	30	Oath & Bond of \$1000 March 24, 1862
89	Lewis Slater E	28	
90	Lusk Wm Y	36	
91	Lee Joseph H	19	in prison at Saint Louis
92	Murphy W B	25	
93	Mr Brice Nathan	41	
94	Majors J H	36	
95	Moseley John	29	
96	Matthews J B	21	Dead
97	McDox D E	22	in company "A" 51 st E 7 th
98	McDox R B	24	in company "A" 61 st E 9 th
99	Mr Brice W R	29	
100	Mansfield Wm S	22	Oath & Bond of \$1000 May 31, 1862
101	Murray J D	44	
102	Morse J H	19	
103	McClenny J E	20	
104	Millholier Peter	48	
105	Murphy John B	34	
106	Mansfield W Y	24	
107	Meyer Lewis	34	
108	Newman C C	20	Oath
109	Nolan Sherman	18	
110	Nathans B S	20	
111	Nathans George	28	Purse & Bond of \$2000 Dec 16 th 1862
112	Orear Jesse A	25	Oath & Bond of \$1000
113	Orear W Y junior	20	

114	Oscar D. H.	34	
115	Ober Georsill R.	18	
116	Palmer Perry P.	26	
117	Pope De A B	64	Outfit + Board of \$1000 March 11, 1862
118	Prather C H	32	Outfit + Board of \$5000
119	Pennington James W.	31	Outfit + Board of \$1000 March 11, 1862
120	Prather Thomas D.	38	Outfit + Board of \$1000 March 8, 1862
121	Prather S H	38	
122	Prather J C	25	
123	Prather Philip	27	
124	Pigg S W.	28	Outfit + Board of \$500 Sept 16, 1863
125	Pulviner Dallas P.	18	
126	Pulman Holly	35	
127	Potts J S	38	
128	Payne J W.	25	
129	Pucko Jasper	26	
130	Pucker Geo.	31	
131	Phillips J B	36	
132	Pemberton J H.	18	Outfit + Board of \$1000 Sept 19, 1862
133	Pucko Bertram	20	
134	Pole Hamilton	21	
135	Poirer Daniel	30	
136	Presbury M.	39	
137	Presbury W. P.	26	
138	Presbury J. H.	18	
139	Roggers James	43	
140	Romger J S	31	
141	Russell Thomas A.	28	
142	Reynolds C L	19	
143	Stewart Joseph	21	

144	Shuck James W	25	
145	Smith S W.	24	
147	Smith Thomas J	24	Cath
148	Shuck W J	28	
149	Spence J H	30	Cath & Board of \$10,000 June 1, 1862
150	Spence J A	32	Cath & Board of \$10,000 Jan 1, 1862
151	Smith A J	32	Cath & Board of \$5,000
152	Spence S B	48	
153	Stevens J A	25	
154	Sturmon R D	19	
155	Shuck D W	21	
156	Stevens A G	35	
157	Shuck R L	19	
158	Buttice Alexander	24	
159	Stevens Thomas	30	
160	Shuck Solomon	32	
161	Shuck G W	19	
162	Turner Bureley	45	Cath Feb. 14, 1862
163	Turner Thomas D	44	
164	Turner L S	19	
165	Todd John N	24	
166	Tinsdale Geo W	23	
167	Thomas Yount	25	Cath Jan 3 1863
168	Toulson Joseph	23	
169	Toulson A J	32	Cath & Board of \$1000 March 9, 1863
170	Toulson William	22	Cath & Board of \$1000 March 13 1863
171	Williams William	39	
172	Wesson James	28	
173	Willis W B	26	Cath & Board of 1000 May 8 1862

174	Wheeler H	20
175	Wright J H	22
176	Wheeler J H	25
177	Watson J H	43
178	Wiggins R L	22
179	Wilcox George	27
180	Wright Thomas	45
181	Wiggins W H	21
182	Oliver J L	26
183	Woolery Samuel	18
184	Wright Andrew	38
185	Whittingham J H	27

Perche Township

186	Ashman Geo H	25
187	Ashman J B	21
188	Brown Wesley	40
189	Burratt H G	26
190	Butterton W B	18
191	Croston Robt Co	24
192	Crosby A H	24
193	Elliot Morgan	38
194	Fenton Joshua	35
195	Fenton W H H	27
196	Fenton A J	33
197	Fenton James	44
198	Fenton J C	33
199	Furbus Green	27
200	James Joseph	36
201	Hagan G. M.	38

Cath & Board of \$1000 Sept 25, 1862

Cath & Board of 1000

Cath & Board of 1000

202	Wason J W	26	
203	Long John W	18	
204	Long Thomas	23	Sent to St Louis Nov 15, 1862
206	Long Cassell	31	Sent to St Louis Nov 15, 1862
206	Little J W	38	
207	McPaine J S	25	
208	McKenzie J S	23	
209	Murray Alfred	41	
200	Mulliken Wm	40	
211	Mulliken Wm	44	
212	Mr Guitty A J	33	
213	Melvin R J	18	
214	Melvin W J	20	
215	March Arch W	19	enrolled Loyall
216	March Abolom	44	enrolled Loyall
217	Morris George W	29	Sent to St Louis Nov 15, 1862
218	Owens W	19	
219	Pearce J A	35	Out to Jan 31 1862
220	Rumcraft J S	18	Out to Jan 24 1862
221	Stivers F S	35	Out to Board of \$1,000 June 20, 1862
222	Dexton Charles C	44	Out to Jan 31, 1862
223	Shaw J W	38	
224	Smith F W	22	
225	Stone W W	33	
226	Shaw S C	30	
227	Stivers Allen	24	
228	Smith R C	32	Sent to St Louis Nov 8 th 1862
229	Smith W L J	35	
230	Taylor J W	23	

231	Thurston John W	33	
232	Turner B B	43	
233	Van Landingham James	38	Call's Jan'y 24 1862
234	Wingo William	40	
235	Wilkins Scott	40	
236	Vico M B	22	
237	Wilkins Masco	37	
238	Redmond Wm L	25	
239	Jones Isaac	24	Call's & Board of \$1,000 Nov 15, 1862

Rocky Fork Journals

240	Angel Wm P	38	
241	Asberry John H	28	
242	Ardrean W W	24	
243	Allbright William	30	
244	Bartlett J G	25	
245	Barnes S G	27	Dist to St Louis Nov 15, 1862
246	Barnes Joseph	41	Call's & Board of 2000
247	Barnes W Y	30	
248	Bayson A J	25	
249	Bush C C	28	
250	Bush R H	21	
251	Burton A R	19	
252	Boyd Wendell	23	
253	Burston David	34	
254	Baker Martin D	24	
255	Blanton Robert W	33	
256	Boyd Samuel	24	
257	Beery Samuel W	37	
258	Beery Lewis G	42	Call's & Board of 1000

259	Sullivan B H	19
260	Sullivan P B	21
261	Ware A L	28
262	Sullivan Rich C	23
263	Davis Joseph	28
264	Dunham David M	32
265	Dunbar Thomas	42
266	Davis W C	34
267	Dunbar W L	25
268	Davis B. H	29
269	Davis C.	40
270	Dunham W A	28
271	Ellis Tandy	24
272	Ellis W M	28
273	Frayer Robert B	32
274	Frost R W	25
275	Fowler J D	36
276	Gandy C H	33
277	Gandy Joseph B	41
278	Green L D	26
279	Green James	34
280	Green Squire	19
281	Hulen Thomas	33
282	Hardin Matthew	33
283	Hardin Sanford	19
284	Hulen James	36
285	Hulen C B	28
286	Hulen A W	35
287	Hull Joseph	27

Out of Bond of \$1000 March 11, 1863

292	Heaven W W	32
293	Harris William	24
294	Haggard E E	24
295	Hollaway J S	22
296	Hoffman J S	22
297	Hollaway J S	26
298	Hulce J Jr	30
299	James John	36
300	Keane T H	27
301	Kelly W C	26
302	Little W C	25
303	McBride W W	25
304	March J M	26
305	McMinn R G	35
306	McGhee James E	21
307	McKeeby Isaac	31
308	Phillips Henry G	30
309	Pollard James D	33
310	Porter J W	28
311	Pink Jesse	32
312	Pigg William	39
313	Peringer J R	30
314	Quinberry S C	41
315	Quinberry C L	29
316	Quinberry J W	38
317	Robinson W P	23
318	Riggs J S	18
319	Richardson S S	18
320	Rouse D A	40
321	Rowland William	30

Burnished Dec 14. 1862

322	Roberts Dylunton	23
323	Roberts R R	33
324	Rouse S P	34
325	Robbard W H	22
326	Robinson R M	38
327	Robbard James	25
328	Robbards Wm	31
329	Reams D M	30
330	Robbards John C	23
331	Robbards Abram	20
332	Robbards Academy	26
333	Robbards Absolute	39
334	Robbards Dr P J	35
335	Robbards Nathan	31
336	Robbards Theo J Jr	31
337	Shroyer H	35
338	Spencer Henry W	54
339	Sutherland Lewis	42
340	Smith Hamilton	23
341	Sussex J H	22
342	Silvers George W	41
343	Stone T H	33
344	Suggs W M	40
345	Shippo Phelan	38
346	Stephens W H	23
347	Smith J W	23
348	Smith Wm B	42
349	Tucker J M	29
350	Tucker J C	26

Order of Board since enrollment

Order + Board of \$2000 Feb 9th 1863

351	Toulson John	46
352	Wolf Michael	25
353	Ward John W	26
354	White James M	40
355	Ward William G	30
356	Wier A W	27
357	Wade J W	19
358	Wier J W	19
359	Wier W W	29
360	Wier James	35
361	Wier Jonathan	27
362	Wier Jackson	30
363	Wigginton J B	21
364	Weldon John W	28
365	Williams John D	33

Overland Township

366	Austin Benjamin	33
367	Alexander J	20
368	Alexander J Y	18
369	Angell Thomas J	30
370	Angell Willie W	35
371	Angell R M	30
372	Angell Robert	22
373	Bush John M	30
374	Ball Jas W W	37
375	Bush N B	38
376	Buttner Geo W	48
377	Buttner W W	29
378	Bedford D A	29

Death & Bond of \$1000 Sept 24, 1862

Death & Bond of \$5000 Feb 26, 1862

Death & Bond of \$1000 April 11, 1862

379	Baker A M	36
380	Barton W J	23
381	Barton J	22
382	Buchler John L	39
383	Bishop David	20
384	Burdley J A	30
385	Baird Hyles Jr	21
386	Baird John W	40
387	Burby P	25
388	Breedlove William	21
389	Baker Moses	34
390	Baker D	27
391	Burnes B C	18
392	Burnett William	27
393	Burney Wm R	29
394	Burnett W H	24
395	Burnes John S	34
396	Burnes Wm R	18
397	Burnes Joseph	27
398	Burnes R A	33
399	Buok J L	35
400	Burnes D H	41
401	Burton Alvan	36
402	Burdwell J P	33
403	Burdwell Joseph	48
404	Burpee A J	19
405	Burpee Thomas	24
406	Burpenter W H	26
407	Burr J A	21

Oath & Board of \$1000 April 14. 1862

408	Brown William	28
409	Clark J G	23
410	Cross R L L	32
411	Blackson John W.	46
412	Caldwell J W	23
413	Caldwell L B	21
414	Chestnut J G	37
415	Dyson J C	26
416	Dozier James B	41
417	Daniel John H	22
418	Dunham W L	41
419	Dunwiddie Wm	39
420	Dunbar John	33
421	Evans Equire	39
422	Fountain H C	31
423	Fountain R W	20
424	Fountain Joseph	42
425	Greene R D	31
426	Gorven James G	32
427	Gardner Wilson M	20
428	Graves J H	26
429	Gibson Samuel	30
430	Gibson M	32
431	Greaves J S	30
432	Green John	35
433	Goin W H	23
434	Green Equire	32
435	Gibson David H	19
436	Hadge R M	29
437	Hulett William	32

Oath & Bond of \$1000, March 3, 1862

Oath & Bond of \$1000 Feb 24, 1862

Sent to St Louis Jan 10, 1863

Oath of Bond of 1000

438	Worsner John P	42
439	Widdover John W	44
440	Werryton Thomas	19
441	Will E J	47
442	Harwood Richard	45
443	Hankins C B	30
444	Willet B P	21
445	Hennrichman J B	19
446	Houchens J H	18
447	Houchens W Y	20
448	Hull Daniel	46
449	Houchens Jesse C	37
450	Hall W H	30
451	Jackson H W	39
452	Jennings M D	25
453	Jones Thomas	38
454	Jenkins John W	30
455	Jessie M M	35
456	Jackson Wm H	28
457	Jenkins B P	29
458	Jennings Thomas S	35
459	Jacks J B	47
460	Hunt D W B	22
461	Hancock S W	21
462	King William	31
463	King Charles	34
464	Ketchum George	30
465	Keyser L D	54
466	Loyly J H	30

Order v Bond of \$1000. Dec 12. 1863

467	Lyon James B	30
468	Mellon L B	19
469	Major Durr	35
470	Moody R J	25
471	Mr Bride David M	31
472	Mr Blair Joseph	31
473	Mundy L E	37
474	Muthus W G	30
475	Martin W C	31
476	Matthews H B	45
477	Nick A H	47
478	McC James R	26
479	Neal Wm H	37
480	McC A H	21
481	McC A J	22
482	Maylor J P	39
483	Owers C	26
484	Omeal O F	19
485	Putterson T H	35
486	Pollard Robert	25
487	Pollard John	35
488	Pollard Jackson B	22
489	Quater Joseph C	32
490	Petty Joseph	30
491	P. William Albert	22
492	Quater John W	22
493	Quinberry William	19
494	Rogers G W	21
495	Rogers J C	25
496	Roberts J D	29

Cash Feb 28 1862

Cash + Bond of \$3000 March 28 1862

Cash + Bond of \$1000 May 12 1862

Debt to St Louis Nov 16 1862

497	Russell Reuben	32	
498	Roseland John D	57	
499	Robinson Family	64	
500	Robinsons Wm	40	
501	Roberts Eugene C	29	
502	Robinsons Wm H	22	
503	Roberts David	29	
504	Roberts Shelton	30	
505	Roseland John B	29	
506	Roseland Sumner B	18	
507	Roberts Elisha	38	
508	Robinson Joseph W	25	
509	Riley D	39	
510	Singleton M B	42	
511	Summers Wm F	33	
512	Shaggs John W	26	Sent to Saint Louis Dec 15, 1862
513	Shaggs Mrs M	30	Sent to Saint Louis Nov 15, 1862
514	Siems J W	29	
515	Stice Peter	33	
516	Street Charles	21	
517	Street W B	47	
518	Street John H	19	
519	Smith O P	27	
520	Sexton John T	30	
521	Sambidge B T	45	
522	Sexton Thomas	44	
523	Stice M B	20	Out Jan 21, 1862
524	Stimpson J	40	Out & Bond of \$1000 Sept 21, 1862
525	Sweeney T B	22	

526	Dimeo Rudolph	50	
527	Schroeder J D	35	
528	Sexton Joseph B	34	
529	Sexton Thomas	30	
530	Sexton Turner	25	
531	Stone W D	52	
532	Dimeo R B	35	Oath + Bond of \$2,000 April 3, 1862
533	Dimeo Matthias Jr	40	
534	Stone W W	22	
535	Dimeo W W	32	
535	Sturtevant J B	21	
536	Silvers W W	18	
537	Sims W J	34	
538	Dimeo Joseph	18	
539	Dimeo W J	32	
540	Seymour R B	34	
541	Stivers J H	23	
542	Wayne A H	45	
543	Tomphins W B	36	
544	Welch W W	21	Oath + Bond of \$1,000. April 8, 1862
545	White John W	34	
546	Winn E G	41	
547	Welch J C	19	
548	Taylor Thomas H	25	
549	Tomphins W D	23	
550	Wayne William	33	
551	Via B W	38	Oath
552	Woods A J	32	Oath
553	Patte John	26	
554	Wade Abram Jr	25	

555	Waincoat Ambrose	20
556	White Thomas	45
557	White Joel	44
558	Williams Scott	28
559	Wade W J	28
560	Woods Orestes	32
561	Wallace M F	45
562	Wayne Anthony	18
563	Williams Milton	25
564	Winn W H	26
565	Tedford Thos J	25

Oath of Bond of 2000

Missouri Townships

566	Austin L J	36
567	Anderson W M	26
568	Allen William	29
569	Allen William	34
570	Bailey David L	27
571	Beauford James	20
572	Beauford Wm A	27
573	Bush Blanked	19
574	Bowman G W	44
575	Bovman John A	19
576	Blesser Stephen	19
577	Burned Thomas C	43
578	Bovking R L	40
579	Bushwell John	39
580	Bushwood Richard	42
581	Belcher Robert	20

Dead

582	Barnes Geo E	32
583	Bayne J A	30
584	Burke P J	44
585	Benton E T	34
586	Book M D	44
587	Book Henry L	21
588	Coleman R B	32
589	Book Johnson	27
590	Colvin Doyle	39
591	Creevy William	22
592	Cummins J	26
593	Campbell B	34
594	Clemens G W	30
595	Cummins Thomas	34
596	Curtis Henry	24
597	Chittendon Owen K	30
598	Chittendon Albert	19
599	Copher James	56
600	Book Ephraim	55
601	Crowe G W	24
602	Covered Joseph H	21
603	Coleman John W	20
604	Douglas J R	24
605	Douglas Robert H	20
606	Douglas Wm S	27
607	Dennis William	22
608	Davis Anthony	67
609	Dyott Samuel	32
610	Douglas James A	28
611	Duggo Albert	32

in conspiracy "E" 61st & M.

Date July 24, 1852

in conspiracy "E" 61st & M.

612	Dixon C C	20	
613	Conrad Wm F	21	Out of Bond of 1000 Oct 30, 1862
614	Franklin B H	30	in company "C" 61 st & M
615	Grant Francis M	27	
616	Gullaspie James C	21	
617	Gregory Geo W	36	Out of Bond of 1000
618	Hall W G	38	
619	Hall Wm F	42	
620	Hall A J	31	Sent to Saint Louis Nov 25, 1862
621	Henderson Wm D	44	Out of Bond of 1000
622	Hudson T C	37	
623	Husley J C	18	
624	Hopper L L	20	in company "C" 61 st & M.
625	Hutton J W	45	
626	Hughes B F	28	
627	Hughes James	26	
628	Humphreys James C	26	
629	Hess James W	23	
630	Holloway Henry B	25	
631	Hopper Clifton	42	
632	Harris George H	26	
633	Harris James	20	Out of Bond of 1000
634	Hopper H G	34	
635	Hull George W	28	
636	Harris Thos C	19	Out of Sept 24, 1863
637	Johnson J C	25	
638	King James	28	Out of Bond of 1000
639	Loring W F	27	in person in Saint Louis ^{includes Out of}
640	Loring B H	30	

641	Lyon B D	53	
642	Layne A D	24	Cash & Bond of 1000
643	Leamy W P	45	Cash & Bond of 3000
644	Larome Harvey	60	
645	Lowny James H	33	Cash & Bond of \$2000.
646	Lindall James	40	
647	Lumpkins Jas S	43	
648	Lewis Thomas A	21	
649	Morell Henry	50	
650	McQueen L	22	
651	Meredith John W	18	Cash & Bond of \$1000 Nov 15 1862
652	McQueen Lycurgus	22	
653	McQuitty B F	28	
654	Mitchell W B Jr	30	
655	McQuitty Daniel	55	
656	McQuitty George	57	
657	Maxwell Johna	59	
658	Maxwell James O	32	
659	McQuitty James H	32	
660	Miller J C	19	
661	Miller Richard S	40	
662	Nichols B	30	
663	Nichols C J	40	
664	Nichols James	36	
665	Norman Lemuel	21	
666	Norris Wm W	36	
667	Orear Jas B	44	Cash & Bond of \$1000 Jan 26 th 1863
668	Osborne James	31	
669	Payne James R	24	
670	Potts J S	35	

671	Payne Dennis	37	
672	Pullen James H	28	
673	Potts Wm H	19	
674	Potts John L	22	
675	Rice G W	22	Out
676	Riverscraft M W	45	
677	Rice Thomas	26	
678	Rice J M	27	
679	Lurinberry C	44	
680	Rutherford J D	36	
681	Robinson William	18	
682	Robinson James W	32	
683	Roberts Wash	32	
684	Swick Jackson	46	
685	Robinson James M	27	
686	Smith T M	35	
687	Stephens William Jr	27	Out & Bond of \$500
688	Switt Thomas J	26	Out
689	Stephens J H	33	
690	Stevens David	26	
691	Stevens L	19	
692	Sullivan A G	28	
693	Sullivan J C Jr	20	
694	Searcy Wiley S	41	
695	Settle Dudley	36	
696	Settle John	30	
697	Stephens John	29	Out & Bond of \$1000 Dec 11, 1862
698	Switt John C	31	
699	Shindler John	41	

400	Watson H	40	
401	Dunlandingham B D	30	
402	Dunlandingham W M	26	Outto June 24 1862
403	Dunlandingham J A	22	
404	West Sinclair	30	Outto June 24 1862
405	Dunlandingham J H	36	
406	White J E	25	
407	West Perry	26	Outto June 24 1862
408	West George	21	Outto Mar 24 1862
409	Dunlandingham W A	22	
410	Wiley J P	25	
411	Burdiner L H	32	
412	Ferrill John A	23	
413	Wilhite Berry	33	
414	Tuttle S M	36	Outto Feb 7 1862
415	Genger Jacob	19	
416	Wallace John A	37	
417	Taylor Charles M	44	
418	Williamson Jno M	26	
419	Williamson Benj S	29	
420	Wood John M	35	in company "C" 61 st E M
421	West John	18	
422	Wilhite S L	37	
423	Thomas S W	24	
424	Wood John P	54	
425	Thornton Ed M	35	
426	Wilhite John S	43	
427	Williamson Wm H	34	

Cedar Township

428	Aston Geo	21	
429	Ashins John B	36	
430	Ashins Joseph C	35	
431	Barnes Paul W	36	
432	Barnes Thomas	35	
433	Barnes Elias	21	
434	Bass J L	25	
435	Beauford F W	24	Oath & Bond of \$1000 May 30, 1863
436	Brown John W	37	
437	Bullard John W	18	Oath Feb 28 1862
438	Brooks John H	19	
439	Bledsoe John	23	
440	Bennegar David	60	
441	Bullard W W	26	
442	Bryson William	32	Oath April 8 1863
443	Burnett John H	21	
444	Burnett John G	19	
445	Beal Elijah	19	
446	Black David D	22	
447	Blythe George	19	
448	Bass Edwin	35	Oath & Bond of \$1000 March 17, 1862
449	Burnett James W	29	
450	Bevoshes Robert	44	
451	Bullinger F W	19	
452	Bryson Solomon	18	Oath April 1 1863
453	Bennett Thomas	30	
454	Burns H W	22	
455	Crews Walker	31	

456	Bowley B F	22
457	Cumplee John H	20
458	Cornelius William	24
459	Colvin William	26
460	Cumpp Joseph	31
461	Custer Charles M	25
462	Cumpp Elijah	23
463	Colvin John M	24
464	Cumpp Andrew	25
465	Cuse James C	24
466	Cumpp Patrick	31
467	Cumppingham Geo J	25
468	Cumpp Josiah	45
469	Claypole Joseph	23
470	Cuto John G	29
471	Cumpp Ashby	23
472	Cuto W C B	32
473	Cumplee John D	23
474	Cumplee William	23
475	Cumplee Thomas J	20
476	Colvin Garlin G	19
477	Cuto James	35
478	Cumppingham Minnie	18
479	Claypole Jesse	15
480	Christians James M	25
481	Deering R B	18
482	Daley Milton	31
483	Dill J W	26
484	Davis Wm G	30
485	Dunn John	26

Sent to Board Louis Nov 8. 1862

Outly Board of 1000 Feb 2. 1863

In the 9th M B M

Outly 31 March 1863

Outly Board of 1000

786	Dozier William	24	
787	Edwards James L	36	
788	Edwards John L	19	
789	Cooley Moses	23	
790	Edwards W B	35	
791	Edwards Theoley L	23	
792	Cutler John	38	
793	Handy Pinkney	22	
794	Ferguson C D	22	
795	Foster Wayne	31	
796	Fourney Martin	45	
797	Forbis J G	21	
798	Fotner A Jr	33	
799	Fossee James	31	
800	Fossee John	41	
801	Field Thomas W	25	
802	Gilmore Wm Jr	24	
803	Goodstuff Solomon	22	
804	Grant Wm T	36	
805	Griffin James	25	Death & Burial of \$1,000 Oct 2, 1862
806	Gleason Caswell	35	Death & Burial \$1,000. Sept. 29, 1863
807	Griffin James H	37	
808	Griffin Patrick	36	
809	Griffin Thomas P	22	Death & Burial of \$1,000 Sept. 23, 1863
810	Griffin Napoleon H	21	Death & Burial of \$1,000 Oct 2, 1862
811	Haggard Charles	30	
812	Hammond E J	35	
813	Hopper C	20	Death Jan 11 1862
814	Hecheron David	23	

815	Hanna J P	27
816	Hart Augustus	15
817	Wadsworth Eli	22
818	Harrison B R	36
819	Howard J F	35
820	Hester Charles	21
821	Harris O E	23
822	Hamilton W D	47
823	Hazard John S	28
824	Hester Robert F	24
825	Hall D H	31
826	Hamilton John W	23
827	Herr M J	37
828	Hugues R J	34
829	Hugues James P	30
830	Hester J W	25
831	Hamilton Preston	20
832	Hugues Silas C	38
833	Hugues Comptrell	44
834	Hart Alonzo B	44
835	Hugues L S	28
836	Hugues Thomas S	18
837	Jackson William H	25
838	Jones M H	33
839	Jones J M	23
840	Jones F M	30
841	Jones Edmund B	24
842	Jackson Moses F	31
843	Hemmett Wm J	28
844	King B M	34

in company "C" 61st E M

Cash & Bond of 1000 Sept 29 1862

845	Hepnell A J	34	
846	Little W	21	
847	Lewis George S	29	
848	Lindsey James M	19	
849	Marsh John	18	In the 9 th M. S. M.
850	Melloway Geo W	22	
851	Melloway Thomas	21	
852	Matthews Edward R	27	
853	Mossely W C	23	Out of Jury 24. 1862
854	Mustin J A	39	
855	Merryfield Andrew	22	
856	Muddot J W	26	
858	Martin Foster	31	
859	McClure John	26	
860	Mudrooz James	21	
861	Morris Joseph C	24	
862	Morris Wm D	18	
863	Martin M S	33	
864	Murphey W G	22	
865	Mr Neal Adams W	21	
866	Mahony John	37	
867	Melloway Joseph	24	
868	Mr Baine Hezekiah	54	Out of Jury 24. 1862
869	Melloway Robert	18	
870	Nealy Andrew	20	
871	Nichols Asa	44	
872	Nichols Samuel	36	
873	Nichols W	35	
874	Nichols James	44	

875	Nichols William	28	
876	Newens James	23	Oath Oct 2, 1862
877	Nichols Lincoln	32	
878	Novel John B	18	
879	Nichols Aaron P	26	Oath & Bond of 1000 Mar 25 1862
880	Maupion Clarence	18	
881	Osteed George	18	
882	Osteed Joseph	45	
883	Osteed Francis	20	
884	Pitts Robert B	33	
885	Pitts Henry T	31	
886	Payne Charles C	21	Oath & Bond of 25,000 Feb 10, 1862
887	Palmer Brewster	31	
888	Paul Sylvester	24	
889	Prater James H	42	
890	Parker John	61	
891	Parker John M	21	in prison in Saint Louis
892	Powers Byron	22	
893	Pelcher James	20	
894	Parkins F M	22	
895	Parkins James W	22	
896	Pace R R	66	
897	Rice J J	26	
898	Rice H H	31	
899	Rogers John	24	
900	Robinson Lewis	32	
901	Rushison John	21	
902	Singletor James W	34	in prison ^{in prison Lewis} has taken the Oath
903	Sutman W L	28	
904	Summel John	22	

905	Salmon John D	25
906	Smith D D	30
907	Salmon Penkey S	32
908	Smith Milton	27
909	Sappington D D	23
910	Sloan Wm R	22
911	Stephens C C	50
912	Stol James	26
913	Swan Robert	27
914	Swanther George	25
915	Stark M P	21
916	Stark J H	35
917	Swanson A J	25
918	Sappington Wm	31
919	Smith John D	24
920	Stover Jacob	18
921	Swenbar John	28
922	Supp Jas W	24
923	Smith James	18
924	Swenbar Wm	28
925	Supp Christopher	21
926	Supp Joseph C	27
927	Supp Burman W	23
928	Supp Wm T	36
929	Swenbar Edw	23
930	Swenbar Elias	20
931	Swenbar Wm	24
932	Supp A W	23
933	Supp R G	23

Outto.

Outto + Board of \$1000 Nov 15 1862

934	Senior David	22	
935	Sapfo John	19	
936	Sapfo Wm H	22	
937	Sapfo James H	25	
938	Tinsley S B	26	
939	Tombinson Wm	69	
940	Tombinson Thos	21	Outto + Bond of \$1,000 Sept 22, 1862
941	Taylor James	21	Outto + Bond of 1000
942	Taylor John T	25	
943	Tuck Carey	23	
944	Taylor Wootley	32	
945	Umsdall C J	19	
946	Wood James H	20	Outto + Bond of \$1,000 Feb 25, 1862
947	Wiseman Jas	40	
948	Umsdall W C	20	
949	Wright John	35	
950	Whitfield S H	22	Outto + Bond of 2000 Oct 8, 1862
951	Tuttle Thomas	31	in prison in Saint Louis
952	Willerson Richd	33	
953	Woodruff D L	31	Outto + Bond of \$1,000 Sept 29, 1862
954	Turner J W	33	
955	Garney Dr Co	32	
956	Wheeler Benj	55	
957	Wilson John H	46	

Delinquent List

958	Jones Isaac	24	Outh + Bond of \$1000 Nov 13, 1862
959	Redmond W T	25	
960	Hutton Fleming	26	
961	Campbell John	25	
962	Baldwin Benck	38	
963	Hart R Co	30	
964	Richards W Co	33	Outh & Bond of 1000
965	Dane George P	29	
966	Dane David Co	25	
967	Sweeinger C W	33	
968	Patten James A	35	
969	White Wm H	31	Outh.
970	Whitlock Madison S	44	
971	Dandaman Lovel	41	
972	Patterson Thomas S	33	
973	Tucker H Co	20	
974	Quinberry Wm H	23	
975	Huggard H W	37	
976	Nye Jacob W.	32	
977	Mc Waller W H	29	
978	Elliott J B	38	
979	Tomlyn Stephen	25	
980	Tepton Elias	36	
981	Patterson John H	29	
982	Cochran Wm P	27	
983	Migham Joseph	29	
984	Powell William	26	
985	Powell Rufus	23	

986	Fordale G W	21	
987	Bush J S	29	Oath & Bond of 1000
988	Ernest Hanson	30	
989	Fordale Marcus B	28	
990	Bush Pleasant	39	
991	Elliott Lelia	24	
992	Elliott Wess	24	
993	Watson J H	22	Oath & Bond of 1000
994	Cross John H	21	
995	Strom Joseph H	25	
996	Theriot Leo	23	
997	Richardson Willis C	20	Oath
998	Murphy John C	33	
999	Wayne S B	26	
1000	Yeager James S	26	
1001	Dexter W A	36	
1002	Levin A	34	
1003	Hulen J J	28	
1004	Asberry Geo C	24	Oath & Bond of \$1000 March 20 1862
1005	Alexander J	35	
1006	Gustin Theo H	25	
1007	Asberry John W	21	
1008	Baldwin Amos	25	
1009	Phillips J M	28	
1010	Robinson J B	22	
1011	Robinson Henry T	21	
1012	Watson Geo H	27	
1013	Murray Horace	36	
1014	Wines J H	28	
1015	Theriot James	22	

1016	Bradley H Co	34	
1017	Goshier W T	27	
1018	Chadwick Wm	43	
1019	W Keyzie Allen	44	
1020	Cowden Harrison	30	Out
1021	Bush Wm T	19	
1022	Jennings S W	32	Out & Board of 1000 Mar 11, 1862
1023	Cook James	28	
1024	Jennings James	28	
1025	Stone Jas M	18	
1026	Turcey S D	26	
1027	Boone Peter T	20	
1028	George Benj	37	
1029	Asbury J S	25	
1030	Farnett Franklin	32	
1031	Newman James	39	
1032	Hullett A Jr	32	
1033	Hudson Robert S	31	
1034	Crocker Alfred	22	
1035	Springer R M	37	
1036	Toulson R H	36	
1037	Yeager A	21	
1038	Patterson Green	30	
1039	Toulson Geo	25	
1040	Elliot Stephen	29	
1041	Powell Moses	22	
1042	Hudson Geo T	20	
1043	Watson Thomas S	20	
1044	Watson Hezekiah	34	

1045	Phillips Daniel	27
1046	Pryor Geo W	25
1047	Quinn Benj	30
1048	Reynolds John	38
1049	Russell John D	28
1050	Smith Thos	29
1051	Harvey Elijah	29 ⁰³
1052	Angell Henry	19
1053	Simms Alfred	29
1054	Simms Josiah	25
1055	Spencer J H	32
1056	Newman Thomas	27
1057	Duncan James H	25
1058	Nichols Alex	28
1059	Kelly S J	31
1060	Adams N J	28
1061	Steele M E	19
1062	Wheat Benj	27
1063	Wheat David	19
1064	Wheat N	21
1065	Burnes Wm	28
1066	Patterson H Co	33
1067	Patterson Saml	30
1068	Angell James	29
1069	Hutton John W	22
1070	Hutton Charles	19
1071	Nichols C W	21
1072	Nichols Geo	19
1073	Franklin Saml	26
1074	Newman W	38

Order of Board of 600 Sept 18, 1862

1045	Hill Barry	39
1046	Booth R E	26
1047	Lumpkin W H H	26
1048	Riggs Jas R	35
1049	Kearns Robert	26
1050	Pullan James W	19
1051	Pulliam George	29
1052	Toulson F J	19
1053	Wyant Alfred	31
1054	Pulliam F B	18
1055	Crowder Mont	30
1056	Wells M R	23
1057	Jennan E	23
1058	Swanson R W	19
1059	Long Jesse G	33
1060	Bowley B M	20
1061	Luford Geo P	22
1062	Wright James	30
1063	Wiggin Milton M	26
1064	Crockett David H	22
1065	Dwelle Hudson	34
1066	Huntman John W	25
1067	Gusler Benj P	36
1068	Coveless Jas H	30
1069	Wright Henry W	32
1070	Exton Wm J	26
1071	Exton Geo L	22
1072	Brown C C	25
1073	Annans Wm H	29

Outly Bond of \$2000 Dec 3. 1862

in prison in Saint Louis

Outly Bond

1104	Wesley Alee	32	
1105	Cumplere J D	29	
1106	Hunter E A	18	
1107	Wright L E	22	Oath & Bond of \$1000 Dec 5. 1862
1108	Johnson Benson M	22	
1109	Bailey W H	22	Oath & Bond of \$1000. Dec 8 th 1862
1110	Fisplett Frank	18	
1111	Davis L B	22	
1112	Westcott Lockwood	18	
1113	Jennings James J	21	
1114	Winscott L A	22	
1115	Roberts Wm A	21	
1116	Roberts John A	18	
1117	McChristy J B	21	
1118	Bourse Isaac J	18	
1119	Garrett O W	18	
1120	Chandler Carter	22	from St Louis on Oath & Bond of \$2000 Dec 17/62
1121	Tipton James H	39	
1122	Adams W H A	20	
1123	Ritter S S	30	
1124	Roberts Wm S	19	
1125	Wilcox Thos H	32	
1126	Byggs Owen W	23	
1127	Robinson Richard H	21	
1128	Davidson James W	24	
1129	Wojan Wm W	32	
1130	Wynn Levi	35	
1131	Crosman J A	27	
1132	Bennett John	35	Oath & Bond of \$1000 July 8 1863
1133	Harnes Harvey	30	

1134	Santo Elijah	25	
1135	Berry Christian	28	
1136	Lanston James	32	
1137	Herald Geo W	31	has taken the Oath in Tennessee
1138	Griffin Henry G	24	
1139	Hill Warren	29	
1140	Holls Henry	24	
1141	Barren Elliott A	24	
1142	Baker Elias R	24	
1143	Turner G W	24	under Oath + Bond
1144	Palmer Joseph	21	
1145	Gullaway John	25	
1146	Miller Samuel	33	has taken the Oath in the South West
1147	W. Thompson B. H.	23	
1148	W. Thompson B. H.	19	
1149	Whinn B. J.	19	Oath & Bond of 1000 Feb 21 1863
1150	Rugg Leonard H	40	
1151	Gilson John A	34	
1152	Rouse Thomas J	24	
1153	Walker Thomas B.	28	
1154	Stupler Thos	24	
1155	Huller James G	36	
1156	Anderson William P	26	

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Feb 1863

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City

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Office of Great St Prison

St James Feb 7th 1863.

Edward Spahr Esq

Order Clerk.

Office of Provost Marshal General

Sir.

I send you herewith in the charge of
Officer Green U.S.P. the following named prisoners
for release viz:

- x Henry Rogers of Saelede Co Mo. 04131000
Henry Rogers of Saelede Co Mo. 04131000
- James Jones is at Small Pox Hospital. 04131000
- x H. M. Sydick of Marion Co Mo. 04131000
H. M. Sydick of Marion Co Mo. 04131000
- 7 Pettis G. Booth of Livingston Co. Mo.
Pettis G. Booth of Livingston Co. Mo. 04131000
- 4 James Johnson of Livingston Co. Mo.
James Johnson of Livingston Co. Mo. 04131000
- x Alexander C. Ware of Livingston Co. Mo.
- 4 J. B. Kelso of Callaway Co. Mo.

I am Sir

Very Respectfully,

Your Obedt Servt

W. M. Masterson

Com Prison

W. M. Masterson
Clerk

Cases of N. 155-F

3704

J. W. Holbrook

Formerly Capt in 5th Mass Regt

J. P. Richardson

date of his 20th 17th of ^{discharged} ^{within the}
John H. Baker, British subject
Richmond Va.

J. S. Farnell says he would
be in rebel Army now if not for his
wounds says it is the duty of every
Virginian to fight against the
military despotism of Lincoln

3rd of 4
Please look at communication
for enclosed from Capt Muddell

Sent to O. C. U. 1st 28th 1863

All very suspicious persons

As

Apr 2nd

J. H. Holbrook

Is sick & wants a hearing

Respectfully forwarded
to Major Gen. Mortimere
Quilley for
the Com of the States
of the Victoria Pass &
submitted to Gen
Mortimere March
19, 1863. & held for
advisement, - It is
returned & by
76. of packet.

C. B. Buel

Col

The Prisoner will
procure the Surgeons
Certificate & transmit
the same to me

C. B. Buel

Col

Room No 10 O. Prison
April 2nd 1863

Col^l Quill

Dear Sir,

I take the liberty
of addressing you again, and requesting an
interview, more especially as I am sick and
suffering very much. I have been to see
the hospital surgeon, and he says that
my lungs are seriously affected. I wish
to see you to learn something towards my
release on some condition, as I fear my
health will be endangered by continued
confinement.

Your early attention will
place under lasting obligations

Yours Respectfully
J. W. Colbrook

Headquarters Provost Marshal General,
DEFENCES SOUTH OF POTOMAC.

Alexandria, Va., July 28 1863

Capt Jodd

Gov. Max. Washington:

Capt

I send you
under guard the following prisoners, viz.

1. J. W. Holbrook, a Marylander - formerly a Capt
in the 1st Maryland (Confed^d) Regt.
Resigned soon after the Bull Run fight
Has lived since, near Warrenton Va.
2. G. H. Richardson Culpepper Co. Va. Wants
to go to Washington D.C. A private of
Co "D" 17th Va (Confed^d) Regt. Discharged
in December 1861
3. John Kecker Richmond Va. British Subject.
4. G. S. Jansill Centerville Va. The report of
the officer who arrested him, in substance
is as follows: That he had harbored rebel
soldiers - by his own admission, had
been in the Confederate Army, and ^{would}
be there now, but for his wound: that
the duty of every Virginian was to fight
to the death against the military
despotism of the Lincoln Gov^t &c
Also asked the name, the Co. & Regt.,
of the officer arresting him (Lieut Barto,
Co "A" 12th N.Y.) stating that he would
"have his case attended to"

(over)

The four prisoners mentioned, are considered
very suspicious persons by the Prov. Mgr. of
Union Mills, who forwards them to these
Head Quarters. I turn them ^{over} to you for
final action.

I am, Capt.,
Very Respectfully
Your Obedt Servt
Joseph W. M. M. M.
Capt. W. A. A. G. J.

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Steamer Nebraska

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Office Ruler

Feb 27 63

Ch. - I have no data
upon which to go in
making the examination

I know of no military
order prohibiting the
shipment of cotton and
cannot understand how
it can be made a
military offense - If
it has been shipped
without permits from Revenue
officer, it is a case
under the laws of Customs
& belongs to the District
Atty - Please let me
know what the military
offense is, upon
which you want to
rely to her

W E L

Witnesses

Henry J. J. J. - Carpenter

S. D. Bennett - S.V. Car. 12th
+ Monroe

J. P. Simon - Bus Keeper
Bennett

Mr. Wolf - 115th on 15th St.
S.V. Car above Frank. Ave.

1 Mate of The Boat

2 " " " "

Bennett put it at the
15th on 20 miles above Memphis

~~Witnesses~~ ~~Structure~~

3708

Feb 13

Cal

War Department

Washington City

Feb: 4 1863

To G. P. Wood,

Supt. old Cap. Prison.

You will receive
from Col. Baker Provost
Marshal of the War Dep-
tment ~~the names of~~ ~~Charles James~~,
+ R. J. Maddox, ~~Charles James~~,
+ C. N. Holden, + John Stone
+ Cap. Geo. H. Shornberger, +
+ Charles Thompson and
+ Charles Ingraham, all
charged with forging of soldier
papers & discharges
True
By order of the Secretary of
War
J. H. Patterson
Asst. Sec. War

File # 3707

6/15

War Department

Washington City D.C.

Feb 12th 1862

To

Lt. Baker

Prov Marshal of War Dept

You will commit
to the old Capital Prison
Joseph Stairman and Francis
J. Brooke to be held in
close ~~custody~~ ^{custody} until
the further order of their superiors

By order of the Secy

P. A. Watson
an Acton

Headquarters
3708
Islands of Key West Fla
Feb 24 '13

Testimony of
A. Patterson (Mayor)
as to the loyalty of
W. L. Maloney. A. J. Moreno
Benj Archer. Geo. H. Watson
Jno A Rose Dr Whitehurst
W. N. Watson, Jerk Weatherford
Wm Asow, Hyman Demerit
Thos Bennett

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Head Quarters Island of Key, West Fla
U.S. Barracks July 24 1863

A Patterson, major. being duly sworn deposes
and says as follows

are you acquainted with W.C. Maloney.
yes sir. How long? about 18 yrs - Have
you at any time in the last 2 yrs ever
seen or heard of any disloyal act or word
to the Federal Govt - No sir - Did you
ever hear Mr Maloney say he had a son in
the Rebel army. yes sir. Did you ever hear
Mr Maloney say ^{that} his son was ~~or was~~
~~not~~ an officer in the Rebel Army and
he was proud of it? yes sir. ~~but said~~
~~the impression~~ he alluded to his capabilities.
but was not proud of his being in Rebel
Army -

do you know F.J. Moore? I do -
Within the last 18 Mos, did you ever know
him to do a disloyal act? Have not -
Did you ever know him to exult over the
receipt of a Federal ~~defeat~~ defeat. No sir -

do you know Perry Archer? Yes Sir.
what do you know of his loyalty - Has always
been represented as a noted secessionist

But know nothing personally -

Do you know Geo G Watson? Yes Sir. Do you know anything of his loyalty? Yes Sir, he is considered by all as a Rebel. Believe him to be a Rebel Sympathizer -

Do you know Geo A Rose? ~~By sight, Do you know anything~~ - Know him slightly - What is your impression of his loyalty - Cannot say.

Do you know Dr Whitehurst - Yes Sir - Have you ever ^{heard or} seen within the last 18 mos in word or deed, that would lead you to believe him a secessionist? Never heard him express himself - Impression is that he is strongly secessh, his wife is, have heard her express herself.

Do you know Wm N Watson? Yes did you ever hear him in the last 18 mos express himself disloyal? ~~Don't know~~ Have not -

Do you know Jerk Weatherford? Slightly - Should believe him to be a Secessionist -

Do you know Wm A Love - Yes Sir, believe him to be one of the rankest Rebels on the Island -

Henry & Wm Dement - Believe them to be in
favor of secession -

Know that Bennett associates with men
who I take for secessionists -

Do you ^{know} of any individuals other than I
have spoken of, who have committed acts
of Disloyalty - in the last 2 yrs, now re-
siding on the Island? Have seen men
congregate together upon the news of a Confederate
victory and judge they were pleased with
the news -

What is your impression of the loyalty of
the people generally on the Island?
My impression is, that ~~the~~ the majority
of the people are Rebel Sympathizers, but
have not seen much of their disloyalty since
taking the oath of allegiance - Believe if
the Southern Confederacy should establish
their power on the Island, they would
go with them - Believe it would be a benefit to ^{the Community}
to send a few of the ^{poor} families off the Island -
A. Patterson

Sworn to and subscribed before me
this 24th day of July 1863.

J. C. Torrey
Cec. G. W. [unclear]
Community Post [unclear]

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Out

H'd Q'ty. 9th Army Corps
Feb'y 3rd 1863

Major

By direction of Maj. Crosby I herewith
send you the following named citizens, recruited
within the lines of this corps without the proper
papers

D. Endershot }
~~A. [unclear]~~ } Citizens
A. Watkins. }

Very Respectfully
your Obedt Servt
Wm H Benson
Capt Comdg Bn 9th A.C.

P
J. C. Mallow }
Maj. J. P. Marshall }
R. S. D. }

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Feb 2, 63

Cats.

Head Quarters 9th A. C.
Deby 2^d 1863

Major

By direction of Maj Crosby I
send you under guard the following
named citizens, arrested within the limit
of this Corps without proper passes

John Gaffney
John Fallon
John Mulligan
Michael Chushing
Thos Kearney
John Brawley

Very Respectfully
Yours Obedt
Wm H Benson

At
Maj. J. C. Mallon Capt & cmdg Prov Guards
Prov Marshal
R. S. D.
9th A. C.

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No. 11.

Office Asst. Surg. Major Andrew
 Co-Mexico Mo Feb. 19th 1868.

T. B. U. A. Feb 21st

Gardner, W. A. C. 1863
 Asst. Provost Marshal

Writes Col. B. I. Farrar that
 he could not find the Bonds of
 Abel Crawford & Jacob Cartwell
 on records of that office. thinks
 that they are on the record of
 Mountgomerie Co as they were taken
 at Wellesville. The principals of
 said Bonds live in that County.
 Both parties were sent to Prison
 last Sept where Crawford died.
 there is sufficient evidence in
 Cartwells case to forfeit his Bonds
 but in Crawford's it is not as
 conclusive. As their property
 was being conveyed away, he
 seized it, it and awaits
 his orders as to disposal of
 same. Wishes to know if he
 should seize property belonging
 to parties in the Rebel Service.
 Should complete the evidence of
 some forfeited Bonds and forward
 him soon. Wishes to be furnished
 with a full list of Bonds taken
 in that Co. has comparatively
 few on hand. The Printing Press
 at Columbia had been shipped
 to the Q. M. Dept at St Louis

Wishes to know if testimony
of Rebel in Prison would be
valid in deciding forfeiture
of Bonds

Recd. W. G. S. Land Co. J.
February 21st 1863.

Mexico, Mo., July 17th 1863.

Col B. G. Larrar

Sir, The bonds of Abel Crawford and Jacob Castner are not to be found on the records of this office. I presume you will find them on the records for Montgomery County as the bonds were given at Waverille, but the parties live in this county.

Both parties were sent to prison last Sept and Crawford died there.

In Castner's case there is enough evidence to forfeit bond but in Crawford's case it is not quite so clear. The property and better place is fast "going away" and to hold it for the future action of your office I today send out and seize everything and hold it subject to your orders.

There is considerable property belonging to parties in the rebel service, which is being disposed of and "spirited away". Ought I not seize all such property and hold it for action?

We shall complete some cases of forgotten Bonds this week and send you.

The small list of bonds you gave me is about all the list of Bonds I have and not half the names are on that. Can you supply me with a full list?

~~As to the case of that Printing~~
ment at Columbia, I went after it but found that it had been shipped to St. Louis last summer by J. M. of Merrill's Horse and was in the I. M. Dept in St. Louis.

Affairs are promising now if we are not cut off from collecting these Bonds as we was in collecting the specimens. It will make the rebels and S. Unionists squeal but if the President don't compromise with them again why we will let them squeal.

Are we to be confined to strict legal testimony or will testimony of the rebels in prison corroborated by other statements be taken?

Very Respy O. A. A. Gardner
Asst. Prov. Mar

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Office of the Asst Prov. Mar.
Richmond Va Va Co
February 23. 1863.

Henry J. A. Sient ^{for files}
Asst Provost Marshal

Writes Col B. J. Farrar
that his of Feb. 14. 1863 is
received. Recommends
Blair L. Goddard ^{and}
Leonard Babcock, to be
appointed as Members of
the Military Commission.
Wishes full instructions sent
him regarding their
duties &c. Requests that
25 U. S. Soldiers be sent
to him. Col J. H. Black
commanding 50 Men
of the 51st Regt Co. Me. Co.
had refused to let any of
them assist him in enforcing
Genl Orders No. 35 [&] 23
issued by Prov. Mar. Genl
F. A. Dick. Thinks if he
had men at his command
that he could in a short
time collect together several
thousand dollars worth of
Conf. [&] South. property

As matters are now, he
won't allowed a man to
notify witnesses. Think
if Capt D. J. Whitmer was
in command of the 50 men
of the E. M. M. that he
would ^{have} no difficulty in
obtaining plenty assistance
in carrying out his duties
&c. &c. Wishes to hear from
him soon.

Wm. A. G. S. Co. Co. 31
Keama 1st 1863

Office of U. S. Atty, Provost Marshal
Richmond Ray County Mo. Feb. 23/63.

Col. R. G. Garrar
Col & Gen. S. G. & C. B.
Dept of the Mo.
St. Louis Mo.

for:
I herewith acknowledge the receipt
of yours of date Feb. 16th 1863, which was received
last evening. In answer I recommend to you
for appointment the names of Oliver C. Goddard
Esq. and Leonard Babcock to act with
me on the commission you refer to, they
are both unconditional Union men
and have been such from the commence-
ment of our difficulties. They endorse the
policy of the administration throughout,
in short they are my kind of Union
men and have no sympathy for rebels.

Col. I want you to send me full and
explicit instructions in regard to our duties
in said commission. I also want you
to send me about 25 U. S. Soldiers as Lt
Col. J. W. Black commanding 10 of the 1st Mt.
Regt C. M. M. has refused me the use of those
men under him to enforce Gen. Grant's No.
35 & 23 from the Pro. Mar Gen. G. A. Sick

St. Louis Mo. (Gen. (Lt. Col. Black) considers those orders a usurpation and hence should not be enforced.

I also want you to send to ~~send~~ me paper, Blank books, steel pens, Ink Powders, Vouchers, requisitions, blanks, Officers pay-Rolls and envelopes &c. &c.

Col. V. I had the Soldiers here that would execute my orders I think that I could gather up several thousand dollars worth of Contraband and confiscated property that properly belong to the Government, but as the matter now stands I cannot command a man to my aid not even a man allowed me to notify witnesses. I have written to the District Pro. Mar. Maj. J. M. Basset of St. Joseph, to Gen. Gustav, and to Lt. Col. W. A. Beck at St. Louis Mo. but as yet I have received no answer from them on the subject. Please lay the matter before Gen. Curtis.

Col. I want to see the orders enforced until repealed and not before I consider the orders right and would

Give me more pleasure than
to enforce them here. If Capt.
J. P. Whitmer who commands the
company of 50 men of the E.M., or
instead of Lt. Col. J. W. Black we
would have no trouble in enforcing
Genl's Orders 35 & 23 in this County
and really I cannot see the pro-
prietty of having a Lt. Col. to com-
mand 50 men and one Capt. and
the same the Capt. more competent
to command than the Lt. Col. —

Let me hear from you soon.

Your Obedt. Servt.

Lt. J. N. Henry

M. V. Atty. Pro. Ind.
Way County Mo.

Co.
B. G. Garrison
Col. & Genl. S. G. & C. P.
Dept. of the W.
St. Louis Mo.

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Brunswick No. Feb 27. 48/3

Hancock Robt W.
Troost Marshal.

Writes Col B. G. Farrar
concerning the Slaves
claimed by E. D. Brewster.
Thinks it would be very absurd
to free them where they are
as they would immediately
be kidnapped. He would
procure homes for them in
Union families where they
would receive reasonable
compensation. States that
a certain Negro Girl owned
by a notorious Rebel ran
away last Spring went to
the camp of Maj. Moulens
and informed him that her
Master had Arms and
Ammunition concealed
on his premises. Maj. Moulens
immediately took measures
to secure the Arms &c. but
restored the Girl to her
Master a short time
since. She again ran
away and came to him
for protection. She had
been cruelly treated

since Msgr. Moullens
restored her to her Master
Wishes to know what to
do in such a case.
Should be in St. Louis in
a few days.

Recd. C. G. S. Co. Co. Co. Co.
March 3rd 1863.

Brunswick, Feb. 27, 1863

Col. D. S. Haman - your letter was duly received. I was gratified that I had not involved myself in trouble in regard to slaves claimed by L. D. Brummell. I ^{will} promptly rectify the matter and stand against the security for the balance. In a few days I will leave the negroes to Brunswick, where I can see that they are properly treated. It would be perfectly absurd to see them where they are as they would be kidnaped in less than twenty-four hours. I will procure them good homes among Union families, and overlook them and see that they receive a reasonable compensation for their services - which will allow them to live comfortably. I wish you to advise me in one particular case - Last spring while Major A. W. Mullins of the M. S. militia was in command at this post, a negro girl owned by a noted rebel ran to Mullins' camp and informed him that her master had arms and ammunition to a small amount concealed about his premises. The Major took immediate steps to secure the arms and ammunition, but

Delivered the girl to the custody of her
master again. A short time since the
girl ran away from her master and came
to me and demanded protection, not know-
ing exactly what to do in the premises
I told her to go to some good home until
I could refer the case to you. I learn that
the girl is badly treated, and has been ever
since she informed on her master. If
there is any way to relieve her, I can and
will do the work - Please inform me by
return mail. I think Major Mullins
done wrong, inasmuch as the girl gave val-
uable information, to return her to her
rebel masters as it certainly will subject
her to cruel treatment. I confess that
my military knowledge is very limited, but
I do not think there is any authority for
returning a rebel his slave, especially
under the circumstances in the
above case. I will be in St. Louis
next Thursday or Friday night, prepared
to admit all matters, & hold in a satis-
factory manner.

Yours very truly
Wm. C. Hancock S.M.

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Troost Marshal Office
Brunswick Mo.

February 18th 1863

Hancock P. C. Troost 2
Marshal of Chariton Co. Mo.

Writes Col. B. J. Farrar that his letter in regard to property subject to sale for payment of forfeited Bonds he thinks he has committed an error by not receiving it in time. Had recd. a letter from him, written as he supposed by May Foster.

He misconstrued the meaning in regard to the case of Samuel Bousnell - could find nothing except a small tract of land with a cabin. Hearing that he claimed a family of Slaves, he immediately seized upon his interest in the whole and sold all. afterwards learned that they belonged to his wife, he having no interest in them.

Wishes to be informed how to make proper atonement for such an error. Has hired the Negroes out to Union men. The whole affair has caused a great deal of hard feelings toward him. Should not release

them until he received orders
from the proper officer. They
had all been employed in the
Rebellion, except one family
whose Master is now in
the Rebel Army. Thinks
there is a great deal of Southern
property concealed in that lo-
hope to hear from him as soon
as convenient.

Recd. W. G. S. Land. Co. P.
February 21st 1863.

Prover Marshal's Office

Brunswick, Feb. 18, 1863

Col. B. G. Jassar - your letter in regard to what property was subject to sale for ~~confiscated~~ forfeited bond has been received - I hasten to inform you that I committed a great error, by not receiving your letter in time. I received a letter from you, which I now suppose was written by your friend Mr. Foster, which I am satisfied I misapprehended. In the case of Lemuel Brumwell I could find nothing but a small tract of land with a cabin on it - and a few loose stock and hearing that he had claimed a family of slaves I seized upon his interest in the whole and sold all - the property was I think hid in for his wife. I was informed by Judge M. C. Hunt that Brumwell had no interest in the slaves whatever, they belonging to his wife. I fear, by a misconception of the law I have done wrong by selling his interest in the slave of his wife. If so how can I correct it. I notice in the papers that other Prov. Marshals have been ordered to make wrong acts, will you tell me how to rectify the matter. If you had answered my letter in time the thing would not have occurred. I am satisfied that it is the only error I have committed of any magnitude.

since I have been acting as Prov. Marshal
that amounts to anything. In regard to
reports I will bring them with me when
I come down. I think there is a good deal
of concealed contraband property in this
county which it will take labor and time
to reveal. I still hold the negroes taken
by me as contraband, I have hired them
to Union men and am exercising a kind
of guardianship over them. It has brought
down on me a great deal of denunciation
but I never will give them up unless
compelled by a superior officer to do so.
I have been quite sick since I saw you
and have not done as much work as I
could under more favorable circumstances.
The negroes I have charge of have been
used in the rebellion with the exception of
one family and their reputed owner is
an officer in Squires army. - Forward this
letter as soon as you possibly can -

Yours very truly

Robert C. Hancock, Sr.

Chautau Co. - Mo

Trois Moar Office
Brunswick Mo.

Feb. 16th 1863.

Hancock Re. Co.

Writes Col. B. S. Farrar
that he had received a
confidential letter from one
Thomas Allen a member
of the lower House.

Thinks there is an effort
being made to remove him
from his position as Trois Moar
he is indifferent as to the
result, he was recommended
for appointment by the Union
men of that Co. Admits
of having made some
mistakes if they had
been intentional and of a
very serious nature thinks
the Union men would have
denounced him. Wishes to be
informed where he could
meet him in Saint Louis.

Wm. D. G. S. Co. & Co. T.

February 19th 1863

Gen. Marshall's Office

Dunsmuir Feb 10, 1863

Col. To-day I received a confidential letter from Hon. Mas. Allen of Lafayette, who is at present a member of the Lower House that there was an effort on foot to have me removed from the office of Provost Marshal. You must be aware that I do not court the office, and if complaint has been lodged against me that might as well be in your mind, I would not hold the office one day - while I am free to confess to you that I have committed several blunders, I am glad that no one has been injured by my awkwardness - and those mistakes can all be easily corrected. I was recommended for appointment by the true Union men of my camp and they are standing by me, and if they were to see evil designs in me I know they would be prompt in denouncing me - I learn that there is to be an anti-Emancipation meeting in Kettlesville very soon, I expect to be heard from when I see their programme - Please write to me and let me know when I can meet you in St. Louis.

Very truly

D. C. Hancock

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CENTRAL DIVISION OF M^O.

List of Prisoners at Post of

Seculaw Mo

July 16

1862

I hereby certify that the within is a correct
Report of all Prisoners in my charge during the
ten days ending

1862.

Alex M. Woolfolk

Provost Marshal.

W. T. Jones

SEMI-MONTHLY REPORT OF PRISONERS CONFINED AT POST OF *Saline*

CENTRAL DIVISION OF MISSOURI, FOR THE ¹⁵ DAYS ENDING *February* 1863

A. M. Woolfolk Lt. Col. Comd'g Post

A. M. Woolfolk Post Marshal

No.	NAME.	CHARGES.	ARRESTED AT.	ARRESTED BY.	DATE OF ARREST.	RANK.	WHERE CHARGES FILED.	BIRTH-PLACE.	RESIDENCE.	WITNESSES.	WITNESSES' RESIDENCE.
	<i>H. S. Scott</i>										
	<i>Columbus Robertson</i>	<i>Being a bushwhacker</i>	<i>Pitts Co Mo</i>	<i>E. M. Militia</i>	<i>Jan 27 1863</i>				<i>Pitts Co Mo</i>		
	<i>James M. Johnson</i>	<i>Bushwhacking & Marauding was in confederate army short time took oath, then went to the bank was seen to be shot by the E. M. M. at George town Mo was pardoned by Governor</i>	<i>Saline Co Mo</i>	<i>Capt Ramsey</i>	<i>Jan 27 1863</i>		<i>Saline Mo</i>	<i>Johnson Co Mo</i>	<i>Pitts Co Mo</i>		
	<i>Chesterfield Marquis</i>	<i>Horse stealing and bigamy</i>	<i>Shut Noster</i>	<i>E. M. M.</i>	<i>July 30th 1863</i>		" "			<i>Mr Mosley Johnson Co Mo, Mrs Brown his wife California Mo Recorder Missouri Co Mo</i>	
	<i>Stephen Dudley</i>	<i>Suspicion of being a bushwhacker</i>	<i>Jackson Co Mo</i>	<i>Capt Duncan E. M. M.</i>	<i>July 11th "</i>						
	<i>W. S. Haddley</i>	<i>Suspicion of belonging to Decatur's gang lives at Hickox Hills. Had quarters for bushwhackers been in confederate service and deserted</i>	<i>Jackson Co Mo</i>	<i>Capt Duncan E. M. M.</i>	<i>July " "</i>						
	<i>D. W. Blair</i>	<i>No charge preferred, believed to be Bushwhacker</i>		<i>E. M. M.</i>	<i>" " "</i>						
	<i>Shiboney</i>	<i>No charge preferred - Suspicion of being bushwhacker</i>		<i>E. M. Militia</i>	<i>" " "</i>						

By order of
A. M. Woolfolk Lt Col Comd'g

Thomas Lane
Post Marshal

Camp Hunt **3716** Huntville

February 29, 1863

Austin H. P. Men
for Randolph County.

Letter of the 26th Recd,
and will proceed immedi-
ately to collect testimony
against the Rev. Bartlett
Anderson.

Has caused Charley Hame
(or Henno) to be arrested &
will send him, in company
with others down tomorrow.

Y. H.

P. H. M. 2. 63

Camp Hunt Huntress Feb 27/86

Pro Marshal of the
Lt Col F A Dick Pro Marshal Gen

Sir yours of the 26th inst is put at
hand. I will proceed immediately
to collect the Testimony relative to
the Disloyalty of the Rev Bartlett
Anderson, the Roads are almost impassable
in this section of Country which will
take perhaps a few days longer
when I entered upon the duties of Pro
Marshal in Sept last Anderson was
then in Prison how no trial was had
in his case for the reason that I understood
Gen S Merrill understood the nature of
his case I wanted him sent to his
head qrs to be examined, you say
you have written before to have the Exam
sent this is the first communication I
have heard on the subject I have
caused Charley Hume to be arrested & he
is now in Prison here will send
him down on to Morrow on

Camp Hill 3716

February 29, 1863

Austin H. Co. Men
for Randolph County

Letter of the 2nd Recd,
and will proceed immedi-
ately to collect testimony
against the Rev. Bartlett
Apderson.

Has caused Charley Hame
(or Haines) to be arrested &
will send him, in company
with other 10 or 12 men.

Col. H.
J. H.

P. S. Inc. 2. B

Company with some other if I get
transportation as I have sent to Gen
Bertholomeus quarter Master to furnish
transportation for Forest Penning
if it does not reach here in time
will send them down on Monday
next I remain very Respectfully
Your Obedient Servant

A. Austin
Prov Marshal
for Randolph County

Home

file

W. W. H.

446. 3717863

Headquarters, Mid. Dept.
Baltimore, Feb. 9 '63

W. McCrebrough
adly.

Special Order No. 3917,
ordering Maj. Hyman to
proceed along the line of
the N. C. RR to Relay Anne
Cockeysville &c to engineer into
& report upon the alleged damage
done by the U.S. troops ^{to} property in the
vicinity of their places. Enclosed,
his report & Bills of damage
to the amt. of \$ 3397 ⁵²/₁₀₀

21 Enclosures

Cts

filed with M. 129

file

Feb 2nd by Mr

Head-Quarters, Middle Department,

8th Army Corps,

Baltimore, Md., Feby, 9th 1863.

Special Orders. }

No. 39 }

To Maj H. G. Hayner, A.D.C. USA.
will proceed along the line of the Northern Central
Railroad to Relay House, Cockeysville and Park-
ton to enquire into and report upon the alleged
damages done by the United States troops to prop-
erty in the vicinity of their place. Maj. Hayner
having completed this duty will report to these Hdqrs.

Official
H. G. Hayner

By command of Major General Schenck,

W. H. Chesbrough

Assistant Adjutant General.

Head Quarters Middle Department
8th Army Corps
Baltimore, Md. Oct. 28th 1862

Lt. Col. Wm. H. Chessbrough,
a. a. General.

Having had in charge the execution of Special Order No. 39 paragraph 7. a copy whereof is hereto annexed and having in part executed the same, as will appear by my report bearing date 11th April 1862. I now by way of additional or supplementary report have the honor to state: That all the parties of whom I have any knowledge have reported to me bills of their respective damages alleged to have been done by the U. S. Troops while guarding the Northern Central Rail Road at various localities between the Relay House and Foulkney Station. That the Schedule hereto annexed marked A. contains a list of all the names of all the persons making such claim with the amount of each so claimed set opposite to their respective names.

That the sum total being \$3397¹⁸/₁₀₀ (Dollars) although not very large in the aggregate is in my opinion much above the actual damage done, or loss incurred by the claimants. While a portion have probably not to a great extent transcended the limits of actuality yet none I think have failed to make their estimates reach the

full measure of their damages while many by estimating and re-estimating I have no doubt have magnified their losses and injuries in their own imagining to double and even quintuple the amount of their actual damages and so rendered them. Thus Samuel Miller at first rendering a bill of \$31²⁰/₁₀₀ Dollars and Francis Robinson a bill of \$81²⁰/₁₀₀ and on requiring them to verify the same they presented respectively - the former a verified bill of 119²²/₁₀₀ Dollars - the latter a verified bill of 137⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Dollars - Most of the bills consist also of round sums and general estimates without particulars, as for instance the bill of Wm. Jessup for injury done to 60 acres of meadow land \$500. - and that of Am. O. Price for the "destruction of house, stabling, corn house and buildings" \$400.

These characteristics in a measure belong to most of the bills rendered - many of the amounts fall short of the requisites directed - in not being verified by the parties claimants - nor in the statement of particulars.

I shall be therefore to be discharged from the further execution of said Special Order unless the same be deemed of sufficient importance to empower me to proceed to the personal examination on oath of the parties together with such competent witnesses having knowledge of the matters in question as well as fully as practicable possess me of the necessary testimony to move nearly

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approximate the real damages incurred by the claimants than their estimates furnish or than I have gathered from any personal view or inspection. I have been enabled to bestow upon any of the respective cases. But to devote any further time to arrive at more correct estimates I deem a work entirely supererogatory as none that I may make will be final - nor perhaps exercise any influence in determining their finality - under the rules adopted by the Government in such cases. On this account although I might perhaps from the knowledge already in my possession arrive at very near a just estimate in some of the cases. Under consideration I think it useless to attempt to submit my opinion as to any of them. From a late conversation with the General Commanding, this accords with his opinion in the matter.

Herewith I send all the bills rendered by the claimants as a part of my report and respectfully ask to be relieved from the further execution of said orders.

All of which is most Respectively Submitted

Wm. J. Haynes
Major & A. D. C.

Schedule A" referred to in the foregoing report

1	Sarah Turner	479	00
2	Thomas, E. Enson	60	00
3	William Jessup	500	00
4	George Little	241	00
5	Susan Barnes	331	00
6	John Barnes	34	00
7	Phillip A. Kroh	26	85
8	John Wise	17	60
9	Samuel Miller	119	22
10	Rev. Andrew Croft	327	15
11	Mary Morris	40	50
12	Walter Armstrong	48	00
13	James H. Miller	204	50
14	Francis Robinson	137	00
15	William Rowe	130	00
16	Stephen Ireland	33	75
17	John O. Price	400	00
18	S. A. Comer	10	00
19	O. S. Kelly	258	00
Total Amount		3397	18

correct \$ 3397.57

M. G. Hayner
Maj & A. D. C.

No. 124. 1863

The 2nd Army Corps
Balt. April 11, 1863

N. Z. Waynes.
Major and c.

Reports result of
compliance with
Special order No
39 from 1st 2nd
1st Army Corps.

Re: 1st 2nd Army Corps April 11, 1863

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filed with

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Head-Quarters, 8th Army Corps,

Baltimore, Md. ^{the} 11 April 1863

Maj. Gen. Robt. C. Schenck
Commanding

I have the honor to Report:

That having been charged with the duty of performing the services referred to in the special orders of which the following is a copy viz.

"Special Orders" Head Quarters Middle Department
No. 37 S. 8th Army Corps Baltimore ^{the} February 9, 1863

7. Major W. G. Ayres Aide de Camp
U. S. A. will proceed along the line of the Northern
Central Rail Road to Relay House Cockeysville
and Pottow to enquire into and report upon the
alleged damages done by the United States troops
to property in the vicinity of these places. Major
Ayres having completed this duty will return to
these Head Quarters By command of

Maj. Kaymer Z

Maj. Genl. Schenck

Wm. A. Chesebrough

Assistant Adjutant General

in pursuance of the requirements of said special
Orders on the morning of the 9 April instant
I proceeded up the N. C. R. R. to a place
called Freeland's Station where I left the car.

Thence on my return I first came to the premises
of the Rev. A. T. P. Cross who pointed out to
me so far as he seemed to be able the
injuries he ^{had} sustained by the Depreciations
and trespasses committed by the U. S. soldiers
But having no bill of items made out and
I being unacquainted with all persons
in the vicinity it was not in my power
to look up reliable witnesses to prove the
damages of which he complained I came
to the conclusion at once that my proper

course was to pass along the whole route & view the premises of the parties complaining and take notes from observation of such injuries as might or could be ascertained from a view And then direct the parties to make out their respective bills of damages in items and have their value estimated by some respectable intelligent disinterested persons and have such bills duly ^{or verified} verified both by the complainants and such disinterested persons respectively and then have those bills of damages thus verified transmitted to me

I accordingly went along the way and examined and as carefully viewed as I could Eleven different cases from Ireland's Station to the Relay House a distance of about 27 miles

a considerable part of the distance on foot
In a very few cases did I find any estimates made even by the parties themselves of the damages alleged to have been sustained. I accordingly gave them all directions to have ~~the~~ verified bills made out as above stated and sent to me at their earliest opportunity.

I shall not therefore make up my own estimates of the damages until I shall have received such verified bills. So soon as I shall have received them then I will make a supplementary report containing such estimates of my own.

Most Respectfully Submitted
J. G. Haynes
Maj. U.S.A.

Feb 23

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Head Quarters 9th Army Corps
Feb 2^d 1863

Major - By direction of Maj. Coarby
I send you under guard the following
named persons arrested within the lines
of this Corps without papers -

Viz -

J. Muntagh }
P. Horney } Citizens
R. Anderson }

Very Respectfully
Yours Obedt Servt

Wm H. Benson

To
Maj. J. C. Malton } Capt Comdg Prov Guards
Prov Marshal } 9th A. C.
R. S. D. }

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New York Post Buffalo N.Y.
February 1st 1865

Burns James J.

Capt. commanding Troop

Sends lists of Persons within
the vicinity of, and near the
Post of Buffalo N.Y.

etc

Cy J. M. B. W. N. Y. Feb 1st 1865

Mr. C. L. S. S. S. S. S.
Upper R. Mar.
Springfield July 27th

I have referred to
Capt. J. R. Foster
and Mr. B. Mar. 1st
and I feel that it is
highly decided to
make collections from
all the within named
dealers.

J. B. B. B. B.

Dr. Col. 4th P. M. M.

Genl. D. T. M.

City

Buffalo Mo Feb 1st 1865

In compliance with a circular received at this
Post ^{dated} Jan 26th 1865 from Head Quarters Dist So W Mo
office Post Marshal Springfield Mo. I herewith send
the following names of persons who are
engaged in selling Spirituous Liquor at or
near this Post to wit. Viz. Joseph Eldredg
and William Bennett who is both engaged
in retailing Spirituous Liquors also Richard
Wilson who has a dry goods store
~~tells~~ ~~has~~ ~~the~~ Bitters put up in bottles
for sale. that is all that I have a
knowley of selling ~~spirituous~~ Spirituous Liquors at or
near this Post

Very Respectively your
Obedient Servant

Lt Col J. H. Boutoche
Post Marshal
Dist S W Mo

James W. Burns Capt
Commanding Post Buffalo
Mo

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Feb 21, 1913

Out

Head Quarters 9th Army Corps
Feb 2^d 1863

Maj. J. C. Mallon
Pvt Marshal R. G. D. }
2

I send you under guard the
following named citizens, arrested near these
Head Qrs without a proper pass.

William Wagh - }
Daniel Blizard }
3

Very Respectfully
Yours Obedt Serv

Wm H. Benson.

To
Maj. J. C. Mallon
Pvt

Capt Comdg Prov Guards
9th A. C.

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Office Asst. Marshal.

February 18, 1863.

to
Lieutenant Geo. S. May, & Partner.

Asks for the oaths of
John P. Boogher and of
Jesse C. Boogher, taken
in the spring of 1862.
Wants to prepare charges.

Office P. M. Genl.

St. Louis Mo July - 18/63

Respectfully returned, with the infor-
mation that application will have
to be made to Col. Farnum as all the
Oaths & Bonds have been turned over
to him -

J. H. Dick

Adj. P. M. General

P. M. G. Feb. 18, 1863

Officer R. M.
Feb. 18th 63

Col

Will you be kind enough to send me
the notes of Mrs P. Bogher and Jesse L. Bogher
on file in your office

They were taken in the Spring of 1862
before Col Farrar.

I want them to prepare charges

Very truly

A. S. C. Lightin
Major R. M.

Gen. Farrar

Charges against
W. C. Huntington
James Taylor

Feb 63

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W. C. Huntington

Accounting

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May; Spurrett
Protest
Balloting

Head Quarters 129th Ill. Regt,
South Ferrisell, Gen
Feb. 9th 1863,

Maj: On account of my illness, when
the last lot of prisoners were sent
to you, no charge accompanied them,
I therefore send the following.

Andy Mc Blotkin, secreted Capt. Peddicord
and his men a whole day in
his house, in sight of the Richland
Stockade, thus enabling him to capture
two of my men. Of this I have posi-
-tive proof.

Taylor was present with Peddicord
when my men were captured, and
when Peddicord was secreted at McBeath's

lines, and did not inform us, notwithstanding he had taken the oath of allegiance. Taylor also attempted to bribe one of my men to run a negro man out of the lines that he might kidnap him. Should you need witnesses, apply to me.

Respectfully,
Wm. B. Smith

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Maj. Scarlett,
Provost,
Ballating.

Wm. B. Smith
Commanding,

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Feb 1-63

James W. [unclear]
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Charles Stewart

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Gentles Feb 16th
1863

Capt
David Ford, Capt
Coo Marshal
Capt Rower, P.M. at
Waspens Ferry.

List of Jews who were
caught smuggling &c

Febr. 16th 1863.

Berlin Prd
July 16th 1863

Capt Bouzer Prov Marshall

Dear Sir - I send to you

custody - prisoner Benjamin by order of Schley

Isaac Weil
David Hess
Abraham Weidenburg
Herman Weil
May Stern
Charles Palmer.

} Jews who have crossed
our lines from Goldsboro - & Rich-
mond

"Supposed deserter" from
Blank Reg found on his person and his
contradictory statements

"Isaac Weil" has a certificate of Oath of Allegiance
to C. S. and a pass from Gen ^{Richmond} Winder of July 10th
to pass our lines - Showing ^{suspected of being an "spy"} quick despatch - He is
David Hess was in Company with ~~Blank~~ ^{Weidenburg} and his
statements conflict with Weidenburg

Abraham Weidenburg - Has a Certificate of Exemption from
Service in the Rebel Army and a Pass from Gen Bragg
at Murphersboro Tenn

Herman Weil - Was in Co. with "Isaac Weil"

May Stern Was in Company with "Weil"

These men have come from within the enemy's lines and I
think should be examined carefully - I send the papers found
on their persons - Also a large pocket bk containing money taken
from "Isaac Weil" - A package containing bonds & money to amount
of \$3000 - more or less taken from "David Hess" and a package
containing Bonds, Notes and Bills receivable amounting to near
\$19,000 - taken from Abraham Weidenburg

Respy yours

Saml Ford Capt + Prov
man

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Provost Marshalls Office
Nashville Tenn. Feby 18. 1863.

Martin
Col. & Prov. Marshal.

Announcing arrest of Wm. H.
Calhoun & G. W. Donnegan &c.

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G. R.

Rec'd H. A. [unclear]
for U. S. Forces
Feby 18. 1863.

Provost Marshal's Office,

Nashville, Tenn.,

Feb. 18th, 1863.

Captain:-

I have the honor to report that in accordance with Special Order No. 46, Hd Quarters U. S. Forces, I have arrested and confined in the Penitentiary, William H. Salhoim and G. W. Donagan, rebel citizens of this city, to be held as hostages for the safe delivery of Mrs. A. Holt and Y. V. G. Gabb within the Federal lines.

Very Respectfully

Your uw. Servt. etc.,

Wm. H. Carter,
Col. & Provost Marshal

Capt. Geo. Pratt,
A. A. G.

July 26-63

List of Prisoners sent to
 Ballinore, by Capt. Schley,
 Commanding at Point of Rocks
 These were smugglers &c.
 For the disposition made
 of each case see within.
 the writing in Red ink.

Wm

Prison Marshal

July 26th 1863,

List of prisoners sent to the Military Provost Marshal Baltimore Md, by Col Wm Louis Schley, Comdg at Point of Rocks

Name	Date of Arrest	Place of Arrest	By whom Arrested	Charge	Disposition	Remarks
Meredith Gilmer of Balt Co, Md	Feb 24/63	Pt of Rocks	Col Schley	Attempting to crop the River	Sent to Baltimore to Prov Marshal	Stated to one of the Guard (Ino (Wpdy) Co I) that he was a Rebel and wished to know how he could crop the river, said he would not take the oath of Allegiance, Had been in the Confederate army fourteen months
R. W. McBeigh	Feb 24/63	Pt of Rocks	Col Schley	Attempting to run the blockade for purpose of smuggling goods to the enemy	"	Had concealed about his person, some eighteen hundred Dollars, mostly Confederate Money
Jas Campbell	Feb 24/63	Point of Rocks	Col Schley	Implicated with McBeigh	"	Had concealed about his person some six hundred dollars, mostly Confederate Money
Marcus Bear	Feb 24/63	Point of Rocks	Col Schley	Came across the River with our lines	"	Had in his possession, Confederate Money and Bank notes of different kinds, amounting to about \$1900.
Isaac Tottenham	Feb 24/63	Point of Rocks	Col Schley	Having (contraband) money & supposed smuggler	"	Had concealed about his person: 7 Confederate State Bonds of \$250 each - \$1750 2 Confederate State Bonds of \$1000 each - \$2000 and Money amounting to about \$900 \$4650
Francis Harman	Feb 24/63	Point of Rocks	Capt Ford	Attempting to smuggle goods across the River	"	Goods concealed of watches and jewelry & valuables of Capt Ford.
Henry Goggenhausen	Feb 24/63	Point of Rocks	Col Schley	Having (contraband) money & supposed smuggler	"	Had concealed about his person Bank notes of different kinds amounting to about \$500, also sixty dollars in gold \$60 \$560

Herman Healy	Feb 24/63	Pat. of Rocks Col Schley Paroled 1872	Having Contraband Money & supposed smuggler	Sent to Baltimore & Prov Marshal	Had concealed on his person notes of different kinds amounting to — \$447. also specie amounting to — \$135.
David Hutzler	Feb 24/63	Pat. of Rocks Col Schley Paroled 1872	Having Contraband Money & supposed smuggler	"	Had concealed on his person about \$1500.
Julius Long	Feb 24/63	Pat. of Rocks Col Schley Paroled 1872	Having Contraband Money & supposed smuggler	"	Had concealed on his person, on U.S. Notes \$48, also in Southern Notes of different kinds \$212.
Mrs Mullony & three children					Lady & children sent for by Col. Fish, by telegraph - report of much pity.

Sent to Washington

1863 / Feb 26-63
 List of prisoners sent to
 Baltimore, by Col. Schley.
 Commanding 2d Corps of Rocks
 These were smugglers &c.
 For the disposition made
 of each case see within.
 the writing in Red ink.

Prov. Marshal

Feb 26-1863

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Statement of W. H. Moore
in regard to
Peele and Gleaves

Feb. 2/03

W. H. Moore

On the 5th day of the month I was
employed on the line of the Louisville
& Nashville Rail Road about one
mile & a half South of Mitchell's
Crossing in getting wood for the
Rail Road when I saw some seventy
or eighty armed men approach the
Road at that distance from where
I was. They were under the command
of Major Steel and represented themselves
as belonging to the Southern Army.
They shortly came to where I was
and arrested me - Orville Huddle
& William Gleaves also in company
with them. Huddle was dressed in
Citizens clothes and was unarmed.
He told me that hearing that
the company he was with were coming
to the neighborhood he came with
them in order that he might get
back safely. That he did not belong
to the Army but desired only to get
back home and stay there and
was desirous to see some friend
who could procure him permission
to do so that he was willing to
comply with any order of the
authorities upon that subject. Mr.
Gleaves made the same statement
and I promised them that I would
see and ascertain if they could be
permitted to come home and remain
and that I would continue to let
them know - neither of them took
part in what was done to the Road.

The officer in command spoke of
convincing me of setting them to leave
both Freedman & Gleaves, entered
and through their suit eventually
I was released. On the next day
I went to see Robert McLeod and
told him what Freed & Gleaves had
said to me and what they wanted
to do and he promised that he
would aid me in the matter.
Freed and Gleaves both expressed
great anxiety to be permitted to
remain at home and to effect
that was their sole object in coming
in to the neighborhood both of
them leaving in that neighborhood
I said nothing to any officer upon
the subject from the fact that Mr
McLeod told me that he was going
to Nashville the next morning and
would attend to it I did not
see Mr McLeod again until after
I heard that they were arrested
when he informed me that he
had been prevented from going
to Nashville by being that called
himself to ~~Baltimore~~ Louisville
Mr McLeod and myself were both well
known in the neighborhood to be Union
men.

Subscribed and sworn before me
this 24 day of Feb'y 1863

Wm. H. Moore

H. Wallcut Clerk
Provost Marshal

C. I. S.

Office Provost Marshal
8th Army Corps
Baltimore Feb 9th 1863

Respectfully returned to
Major Wm. S. Fisher, Provost
Marshal 8th Army Corps
with information that the
papers in the case of Campbell
cannot be obtained until the
return of Gov Bradford.

I am Resp^t
Yours obed^t Serv^t
E. F. Parker

Capt Provost Marshal
8th Army Corps

Office Provost Marshal
Middle Dep 8th Army Corps
Ball's Bluff

Respectfully refer to Major
Gen Schenck for his information

W. S. Fisher
Major Provost
Marshal

Feb 9th 1863.

State of Maryland

vs

In Criminal Court of Baltimore
January Term 1863.

William P. Rhodes

Jan'y 17th 1863 Bench Warrant ord of
issued Treason by ord of States Atty. Same day with Robert
L. Seth \$1000. for appearance at Washington Co Court. Feb'y 3rd
1863 Recog. & Transcript of docket entries with the testimony
taken before the Military authorities transmitted to Washington
Geo. Court

Test

Thos H. Gardner
Clk.

Adm. The above bail was taken in the Clerks Office by order of State
Attorney on application of Robert Fowler Esq, State Treasurer,
and F. Dorey Herbert Esq. union member of the Legislature,
from Washington Co, and without the knowledge of Judge Pond.
Thos H. Gardner Clk.

Hayestown february the 8

a letter sneek i take the opportunity of ^{writing} to you to know if
you could not do something for the release of my husband george
Campbell as he has been in the central police station for the last
four weeks and i do not know what the charges are that is against
him he had just got into work at home when he was arrested
again i wish if you please to try and release him if you please
i am here a lone woman with my little children and he was
my only suport and now i have nothing to depend on ^{and} the
of the citizens here are rejoicing at him being in punishment
they are the ones that put him where he is and their persons
would not give me or my little children a piece of bread to keep
us from starving i have been very ill since he has been away
and am hardly able to go about and have no dependings and
everything is so very high and i am not able to earn anything
myself i tell you it is very hard try if you please and do
something for him if you can i am very much in need at
this time i have not one cent in the house and none to expect
now would you be so kind as to write to me and let
me know if there is any prospects of him getting out or what
the charges are that is against him ~~now~~ and you will
oblidge me very much

yours respectfully

Susan Campbell

Baltimore Feb 9th 1863

Major Gen Schenck

Dear Sir

Judge Bond informs me
that you had a conversation
with him about the case of
W^m P Rhoades charged
with acting with the rebel
army in their endeavor of this
State. The Judge was not
aware of any action having
been taken in this Court. Tho
I think I mentioned the case
to him. In the great multiplicity
of matters this is not remarkable.
The matter was brought to
my notice on a day when the
Court was greatly occupied.
The General having sent
me the papers and stating
that the case had been
turned over to the civil
authorities. I examined the
papers and became
satisfied that the civil

jurisdiction was in the
Court of Washington. &
Soon after I was called
into the Clerk's office
and met there three
gentlemen from Washington
to Mr. Fowler the State
Treasurer and Mr. Herbert
a member of the Legislature
and also Mr. Stiles of
Washington. They asked
me to take bail for the party's
appearance and as the
offence under our Law is
not capital and is bailable
and the pecuniary responsibility
of the bail was unquestioned
I thought I might safely comply
The Court being enquired
and the gentleman wishing
to leave I ordered the

don't waste the time
according to the practice
in our Court. and I send
the paper to Washington
6? they have been
80 cent. Subsequently
Sant Parker called on
me with a verbal
message from Jim and
asked me about the case
I wrote a statement addressed
to you since gave it to him
He informed me that the
transfer was not intended
to be absolute but only so far
as to allow the party to be
tried if he could be here.
I wish in that letter that I
express here that I am
very sorry that any misunderstanding
should have arisen

and that if there was any
doubt about the matter, I
thought you might properly
re-arrest the party. The
Court in Hapgood's case also
has the power to arrest him
there on the papers here
sent. I have no idea that
the man has or will come
away. If you decide to
retain him, you have
certainly a right to take
him again and if the Court
says to return him, he can
only be tried in another trial.
I should be very sorry if any
of our distinguished rebels
should escape any responsibility
for this profane conduct.

Very truly yours
A. Lincoln
State atty

P. 24. 3727/13

Office Provost Marshal
8th Army Corps Balt Feb 2/1863

French Lt G. W.
Asst Provost Marshal

Enclosed Communication by Lt
J. H. Coops 8th M. Y. Arty, stating
the arrest of two parties named
James League & John S. League
who were attempting to carry
Whiskey across the bay bridge -
since that the amount cut this

Ends
Office Provost Marshal
Middle Dept 8th Army Corps
Balt Md

Col. Fish Feb 2 1863
Respectfully refer to Maj
Gen Schuchert for his
information
W. S. Fish
Major & Provost
Marshal

Lt A. Lins 8th Army Corps
Respectfully returned to
Major Fish, Provost Marshal
for his files
By order of Maj Gen Schuchert
May 12 1863
Capt R. P. C.

Head Quarters, Middle Department,
Office Provost Marshal, 8th Army Corps,

Baltimore, Md Feb 24 1863.

To

Major W. S. Fish
Prov Marshal

Major

The two prisoners brought here yesterday by Sgt & Co Cooper namely James League and John S. League were examined by me. The old man expressed strong sympathy with the Secessionists and said "he would do any thing in his power against the Government." He denied being engaged in Contraband trade but said the reason was because he had not sufficient means to carry it on.

Very Respectfully
your Obedt Servant
Sgt E. W. French
Asst Prov Mar

Head Quarters, Middle Department,
Office Provost Marshal, 8th Army Corps,

Baltimore, February 1, 1868.

Major Fish

Military Provost Marshal.

James League and John
G League were arrested by me to-day while crossing Long
Bridge, in a covered wagon and black horse. They had a trunk
aboard the wagon which they said contained tin for roofing,
and that they were taking it to Annapolis. Upon examina-
tion of the trunk, it was found to contain a square tin box
full of whiskey. They told conflicting stories about its des-
tination, after I discovered what it contained, so I arrested
them and detained them over to your guard.

J R Cooper

8th A. B. Artillery

Gt. Commanding

Pa. R. No. 3728

Feb 22nd 1863,

Wm H Irving
Asst Prov Marshal

Act

Concerning persons
who have been detained
while coming through
our line from the
South, in accordance
with orders received from
Genl W. Q. S. he sends two
ladies who are thought
to be disloyal.

Feb 24th 1863,

Head Quarters 5th Regt Medical
Point of Rocks
Feb 22^d 1863

Maj W M Estep
W. D. C.

Maj. I have the honor to
acknowledge the receipt of your note, (handed to
me by Mr. Hornes,) in reference to some
parties who have ^{been} detained here on the ground
of their having come through the Rebel lines,
I will here state that from the conversation that
I have had with Miss A. B. Hornes - and from
information that I have received in regard
to her, I have every reason to believe that she
is disloyal - and she has no good intention toward
the government of the United States - but according
to orders I have sent her on to Baltimore - I
thought, however, that it would not be prudent
to send her without a Guard - as I desired that
she should report to you - Mr. Warr will accompany
~~Miss~~ Hornes to Baltimore - all I can say in her
case is, that she has been very calm - but I believe her
sympathy is with the South

I am Sir,

Very Respectfully,
Your obt. Servt. J. H. Swinney ad. P. M.

Office Provost Marshal Genl
State of Maryland, 3729
Feb 20th 1863,

J. W. McThail,
Genl Schenck Company.

Has just arrested John B
Farris who escaped from
Fort McHenry yesterday,
also O Younkin who was
paroled on the 16th. He was
found in company with Farris
and it is supposed he was
aiding him to escape.

Feb 24th 1863,

Head Quarters Middle Dept
8th Army Corps

Bato, Feb 24th, 1863

Respectfully referred
to Major W. S. Fisk
Provost-Marshal.

By order Maj Genl Sherman

W. W. Esté

Maj & A. D. C.

Office of Provost Marshal Genl.

Baltimore, ^{20th} February 1863

Major Genl.

R. L. Shepley,

Commanding 8th Army Corp.

Sir I have just arrested John B Harris, who escaped from Fort Mc Henry yesterday, also John G. C. Loughlin, who was paroled on the 16th Inst. by your order, who was found in company with Harris, and from appearance was aiding him to escape, I have held them subject to your order.

Respectfully

Yours &c.
J. M. Hail

Provost Marshal Genl.

State of Maryland

P.S. I have enclosed the oath of Allegiance of Harris, and the parole of C. Loughlin.

Point of Rocks
3780 Feb 27^m 1863,

W^m L. Dehler,
Col &c, etc,

~~Get~~
Sends parties of Jews
a Minister & a lady,
who were passing through
our lines without proper
permits.

The Jews were paroled
and let go, the Minister
and lady sent back,

Feb 28^m 1863,

Jews paroles + let go - eliminate
sent back. Roman dicto

Hd Iss. 5th Maryland Wes.
Point of Rocks. Md.
Feb. 28. 1863.

M. Col. Fass, Pas. Marshall.

Wes. Md.
Return you, Mr. J. Federline & Joel Levi
two Jews, with the money found on their
persons, endeavouring to pass my sine.
The money was concealed on their person,
& I am sure they are a batch of that
class, who do the Smuggling -
Federline has in notes \$688

	Gold.	\$300-	\$988.00.
Levi	"	in notes.	\$159.
"	"	in Gold.	73.
			<hr/> 232.00.
			\$1220.00.

These parties are no doubt trying to get
back, for purposes of "Smuggling" and
Return them & their money for such
disposal as you think proper - I
also send Mr. Lawrence per your
order through Judge Mason - I

would not let her pass & made
her return back - the Rev. Mr.
Roane, I have written you specially.
& you can make up your judgement
as you will see how he came through
I will make you a Report in the other cases at once.

With H. Respects,
Yours &c. &c.

Wm. Law, Schley.

Col. 3rd Ind. Wes.
Army.

Feb. 11 1869

Papers in the Cases
ofSamuel Devault
and
William Rice.

Dean

E. C. 10

Recd. P. M. G. Feb. 11. 1869

Office of the Provost Marshal General,
DEPARTMENT OF THE MISSOURI,

Saint Louis, Mo., July 5, 1863

Capt. G. W. Clark
Provost Marshal
at Rolla

Sir,

Will you send
me the evidence that
was sent you from Gas-
conade County against
Saml. Davault, George
Sorel & Price.

Your obt. Servt.,
F. A. Dick
Lt. Col. Prov. Mass
Genl

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July 2 1863

Boston

List of Prisoners Ordered from
Myrtle Street Prison

J Sabine
A N Stratton
S A. Witter
Dacl Prater
C A Montgomery
J M Dockins
Geo. Stoker
J M. Glidwell
Robert B. Ervine
Bellus Busby
Jm Cato
Jm Keivell
Julius Mitchell

J Ratcliff
S Hoofetter
G W Huffmann
J Wilburn
J M Simpson
Jacob M Schultz
Washington Magazine
Chas. S. Goy
Alon Chucks
E W Robins
John Burr
G H Wells
James Hamscott

Sir, These are all the
Names I have on my Duplicates
Dunning

2nd Feb 79

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Berlin. Feb 27th 1863,

Abigail Adams,

Ask permission to come
through our lines to their
home in Baltimore,

Answered with instructions
to Capt Ford, Cns. Mar,
which are copied in the
Letter Book, page 220,

C. F.

Feb 28th 1863,

Berlin Feb. 27th. 1863.

Supt. Col. W. S. Fish
~~Major Gen. Schenck~~

Sir

I write to you to ask permission to go from here to Baltimore. My sister & myself are citizens of Balto. but have been in Virginia for nearly two years. Our parents are in Balto. now. My sister has been teaching in Caroline Co. & I have been visiting my relations in Orange Co. We are both daughters of Rev. George L. Adams, an old citizen of Baltimore & one who is well known. We have been strictly searched here but nothing objectionable has been found with us. We will be greatly obliged to you if you will send us permission to continue our journey to Baltimore immediately.

Respectfully

P. M. Adams

E. L. Adams

Berlin Md Feb 29th 1863

These Partys I have sent over
the News a gain having first taken
over three hundred dollars in gold & Silver
from them I believe their father is a
Chaplin of the Rebel army and at
this time a Prisoner in Baltimore
they wish to get to that city as their
fathers Residence

Lieut Geo W Benjamin

has Saml Ward

Capt & Prov Marshal

Office J. M. Peabody
Book No. 3734
Peby 29th
64

Semi Monthly
Report of birds
preserved on hand

Recorded
Bond
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Feb 29, 60

Citizen

on hand
ROLL OF PRISONERS RECEIVED AT

Pilot Knob, Mo. Feb. 29, 1864.

NO.	NAMES.	RANK.	REGIMENT.	CO.	WHEN CAPTURED.	WHERE CAPTURED.	MONTH.	DATE.	REMARKS.
1	Adams Geo. W.	Captain			Jan'y 29, 1864	Iron Co. Mo.			Awaiting Charge.
2	Bennett Nathl.	"			Nov. 13, 1863	Wayne Co. Mo.			Tried by Mil. Com.
3	Conroy Michael	"			Jan. 29, 1864	Iron Co. Mo.			Awaiting Charge
4	Dalton Elisha S.	"			Dec. 25, 1863	Repley Co. Mo.			Tried by Mil. Com.
5	Epps Cordol.	"			Dec. 25, 1863	Repley Co. Mo.			Conf. at Altin during war Tried by Mil. Com.
6	Epps Joshua	"			Dec. 25, 1863	Repley Co. Mo.			Tried by Mil. Com.
7	Guffis Wm G.	"			Dec. 25, 1863	Repley Co. Mo.			Tried by Mil. Com.
8	Grady Robert	"			Feb. 16, 1864	St. Francois Co.			Conf. at Altin during war Awaiting Charge.
9	Paridge Jacob.	"			Oct. 27, 1863	Iron Co. Mo.			Awaiting Charge
10	Holcomb Jephtha	"			Feb. 8, 1864	Madison Co. Mo.			Awaiting Charge
11	Middleton John	"			Jan. 20, 1864	Drew Co. Mo.			Tried by Mil. Com.
12	Nichols Elisha	"			Feb. 28, 1864	Oregon Co. Mo.			Awaiting Charge
13	Robertson Wm	"			Nov. 13, 1863	Wayne Co. Mo.			Awaiting Charge
14	Sandlin Lawrence	"			Dec. 25, 1863	Repley Co. Mo.			Awaiting Charge
15	Sipe Henry W.	"			Nov. 13, 1863	Oregon Co. Mo.			Tried by Mil. Com.
16	Stinker Marion	"			Feb. 28, 1864	Carter Co. Mo.			Awaiting Charge

I certify that the above Roll is correct.
 Wm. H. McClellan
 1st Lt. 3rd Cav. 118th
 West R. M. 1st Sub Dist of St. Louis

Edward Dredger

St Louis Co
No 3735

Mrs J. Gill

Oct

10.27.23

[Faint signature]

Mrs. J. Polk

E. L. Bridell

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Get papers made

Wend paper

Done

St Louis, Mo
July 27-1863.

Mrs. Elizabeth W. Polk.

I reside in St Louis,
at the corner of 44th St and
Lucas Place. I have resided
some six years there

Mr. Frederick Polk is
my husband. I do not
know where he is at the
present time.

Q. Where was he when you
last heard from him?

Ans. He was in Chicago
when I heard from
him last. about the middle
or latter part of last Jan-
uary. - 1863.

Q. Does Mr. Frederick Polk
have any office or rank in
the Confederate Army?
Ans. Not that I am
aware of.

The letter now shown
me (marked "A") is my
writing. It was written
about its date July 8-
1863.

Q. Who wrote the letter en-
closed in the same envelope
signed "F." (letter marked
"B")

Ans. I do not know that

I am bound to answer that question. It was written at my request. I would prefer not to answer the question. I decline to answer the question.

The letter marked "C" now shown me was written by me to my daughter and like letter marked "A" was directed to Gen Price Head Quarters. I have occasionally addressed letters to my husband at "Gen Price Head Quarters". I do not know know that Mr. Webb has any position on Gen Price staff. He has friends on that staff is on good terms with them and I take it for granted that they would forward any letters to him that I might send them.

Q. To whom did you give these letters addressed to Gen Price Head Quarters to be delivered? I refer to the two letters marked "A" and "C".
Ans. I do not know his name. I did not ask it.

Q. Did you pay the person of whom you speak anything

for taking these letters?

Ans. I shant answer that question. He came to my house. He came as a friend and stated that there was an opportunity for me to write South. He was sent to me I suppose by other parties.

Q. Do you know what other parties sent him?

Ans. I have my suspicions, but I do not care to tell.

Q. Do you know who wrote the letter now shown you marked "D"?

Ans. I do not. I do not recollect any of my acquaintances of the initials "Mary C. D."

Q. You speak of having sent other letters to Mr. Holt lately. By whom did you send them?

Ans. I have frequently sent letters to my husband and daughter in the South, within the last six months, but in few instances have I known the name or address of the person or persons by whom

I gave them to be sent.

Q. Do you know the name of any person to whom you have given letters to be sent south within the last six months.

Ans. I gave letters to my daughter when she went south, in December last. I decline to answer as to other persons.

Q. Have you within the last six months received letters from your husband?

Ans. I have. I received two, I think in January, some in December last, I think I might have received some in November.

Q. Do you know by whom these letters were delivered to you?

Ans. In some instances I do, not in all. I am not willing to tell in those cases in which I know.

Q. Do you know in what business your husband was engaged in the South?

Ans. I do not. He has

always written to me in a guarded manner and I have done ^{the same}. I hardly think he is prisoner in the South. He is among friends down there. I suppose he is a friend of the Confederate Government.

Q. Do you know Mr. Edward Bredell of St. Louis?

Ans. I do. Since my husband went South Mr. Bredell had attended to business matters for me ^{sometimes}. I think he has acted as trustee ~~for~~ under deed of trust executed by Mr. Causey upon a sale of property to the latter by my husband. I do not know that he has collected rents of that property. Mr. Causey has an authorized agent here who collects the rents. Messrs. Porter & Wood real estate agents, are Mr. Causey's agents. I can't say whether they have paid money over to Mr. Bredell.

Q. Has Mr. Bredell lately paid you any money?

Ans. He has not. I borrowed some not long since from him but merely as a loan. I don't remember when he paid me the last amount.

Mr. Holt met South in No-
vember 1861, and for a
time Mr. Bredeell assisted
me in the management of
my affairs. He collected
some rents of my husband's prop-
erty for me after my husband
went away, I suppose he
continued to do so up to
the time of the conveyance to
Judge Causey. I do not
know whether Mr. Bredeell col-
lected any rents after the property
was conveyed to Judge
Causey. I think not,
though I am not certain.

Q. Do you know whether Mr.
Bredeell, within the last two
months, has corresponded with
your husband? ~~in any way?~~
Mrs. I don't know. I have
never heard whether he did,
from my husband. I have
not heard so from Mr. Bre-
deell. Neither has ever spoken
or written to me of having
corresponded with or written
to the other.

Q. Does Mr. Bredeell take any
part in watching over the
property interests of your
husband here?

Mrs. I have no doubt he

Does, He would watch over
anything affecting me, like
a brother.

Q. I ask again by whom was
the letter marked "B" written

Ans. I decline to say. It was
written by my request.

Q. Why did you request
the writer to write

Ans. I also decline to answer
that

Q. Do you know of Mr. Fredell
having corresponded with his
son in the Southern army

Ans. I decline to answer that

I do not know of Mrs
Robert P. Harris having done
so. I never gave any letters
to Mrs. Jere to be sent
South. I never heard of
Mrs. Jere helping to forward
letters to the Southern army

Elizabeth S. Polk

Sworn before
me July 27 1863
W. W. Howe
at Capt. M. J.


Mrs. Truett Polk

Year	Month	Description	Amount	Year	Month	Description	Amount
1861	Dec	Recd. of St. Louis Gas Light Co.	267 50	Dec		Mrs Polk	267 50
1862	Jan	Johnson & Sawyer	250	1862		box for share of protest	5 00
"	"	W. Mallett	150	March	4	Mrs Polk cash	250 00
"	"	Quincy Gas Co.	46 07	May	9	" " "	200 00
"	"	Warr & Bennett	31 50	"	17	Pa Mrs S Polk	162 00
"	"	E N Leeds for	150 00	July	5	Jim Dr. Heat	100 00
"	"	Chas R Hall	300 00	July	23	Taxes 3 rd Ward (City)	18 35
"	"	B M Runyon	2000 00	"	"	" 3 rd " "	43 28
Feb	25	E N Leeds	75 00	"	"	" 4 th " "	63 82
March		" " "	75 00	"	"	" 1 st " "	40 20
April	5	Johnson & Sawyer	200 00	"	29	" 6 th " "	288 48
"	16	B M Runyon	1000 00	"	30	" 5 th " "	96 77
"	23	W. Mallett	150 00	"	30	" 7 th " "	213 82
"	25	Warr & Bennett	31 50	Aug	20	" " " "	30 01
"	25	Charles R Hall	300 00	"	"	State and County taxes for	
June	12	P Insurance Co	60 00	"	"	the year 1861	902 63
July	5	John & Sawyer	200 00	29		S. Garrison	30 72
"	20	Check on East	300 00	Nov	10	S. Bausy	200 00
"	29	From Mrs Polk	250 00	"	26	Mrs S Polk	51 00
"		E N Leeds	100 00			from Mrs Daly	10 00
"		W. Mallett	150 00	Feb	2 nd		
"		Chas R Hall	300 00	1863		Cash handed Mrs P	50 00
Aug	20	Taxcom on State L	33 00				
"	22	E N Leeds	85 00				
Oct		St. Louis Gas Divi	267 50				
"		Quincy Gas works	30 00				
23		E N Leeds	20 00				
Nov	10	W. Tangle	41 32				

I certify that I have copied the above account from the account book of Edward Prudell and that it is a true and correct copy.

St. Louis, March 23/63. William S Burns
 Capt. 2nd Mo Cav
 and Cash Trs. Mrs. Gayle

I hereby certify that the within Account is a just true and correct Transcript of the Account kept by me on page No 44 of my Book of Accounts. Witness my hand and seal this twentyfifth day of March A. D. 1863

Edward Budell 

State of Missouri }
County of St Louis } Be it remembered, that on this twentyfifth day of March A. D. 1863 personally appeared before the undersigned a Notary Public in and for the County of St Louis Edward Budell who is personally known to me to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing certificate, who being duly sworn by me acknowledged the same as his signature for the purposes therein mentioned and further made Oath that the same was a just true and correct Copy of the Original as copied from page No 44 of his Book

Sworn to and subscribed before me this twentyfifth day of March A. D. 1863
D. W. Greene
Notary of the Public in and for St Louis County
State of Missouri

St Louis Mo
Feb'y 28th 1863

Samuel D. Porter

I reside in St Louis, 122
Oliver Street. I am in the
Real Estate business, office
in Washington Avenue, No 93
corner of Porter & Wolcott. I
have been in that business since
about 1857.

I know Mr Trusten Polk.
I have known him about 20
years. I do not know where
he is at the present. I hear
he is down South somewhere. I
have not heard from him since
he left St Louis, directly, My
firm has not received any com-
munication from him since he
left St Louis.

My firm acted as agents for
Mr Polk, prior to his departure
from St Louis, in the collection
of rents, having the collection of
all the rentable property: it
consisted of lot on 3^d & Market;
another (ground rent) on north
side of Market between Second
and Third: another North-End
cor 2^d & Locust: another on
Broadway, store occupied by
Mallett: another (ground rent)
on Broadway, rent paid by
Mr Lee, I think; another on

west side of Broadway viewing
through to South - also ground
rent, / Judd Leeds, lease of
another on 6th between Morgan
and Franklin Avenue, of
which Mr. John G. Lane is
lessee - of this I collect the
rents of the building for Mr
Lane & pay for him the
taxes and ground rent; another
on 6th Street between Green &
Morgan dwelling occupied by
Mrs Brady; - another on the
east side of 4th Street between
Green and Morgan ~~and~~ (ground
rent) Mr. Murphy, lessee &
of this we also collect rents
of buildings & pay from these
ground rent and taxes; another
on Christy Avenue ~~at~~ & 21
Street, ~~lease of~~
~~fee~~

There is also a small shanty
which rents for 4 dollars a
month on 21st, between Christy
& Morgan, west side, ~~was~~ ^{it was}
under a lease of 10 years, but
the lessee gave it up.

My firm still continues
to collect the rents of the
premises above named. Our
custom since Mr. Polk went
away has been to pay the
rents over to Mrs. Polk, and
to take her receipts for them.

Another on Christy Avenue
at 7th & 8th Leased
for and by Mr. Beckwith

After Mr Polk went away we
paid some of the rents we col-
lected to Mr Medell acting as
Mr Polks agent. I do not
know the exact amount, but
our receipts will show. After-
wards we received a power of
attorney from Mr Peter J.
Caussey of Delaware ~~who~~ who
claimed to have purchased the
property, authorizing ~~you~~ us
to continue to collect the
rents, ~~and to pay~~ The power
of attorney will show for itself
its terms. We have paid
the rents under this power of
attorney to Mr Caussey. Some
have been ^{paid} by us to Mr Caussey's
son. Some may have been
drawn by Mr Medell, though
Mr Caussey. The receipts will
show what persons ~~to~~ re-
ceived the money in behalf
of Caussey. We have con-
tinued to receive the rents
under this power of attorney
from Caussey up to the
present time. I have
never heard that Mr
Caussey had conveyed the
property to any one else
since he gave us this power
of attorney. ~~It~~ never heard
that Mr Caussey had conveyed
the entire property to Mr

Bredell, Mr Bredell never
so informed me; or ever in-
formed my firm to my
knowledge. I will give
you copies of all the receipts,
and of the power of attorney.

S. J. Porter

Marked B.

Lieut. Edward Bedell
Gen. Bowers 1st Regiment
Army of the West

Per

Master ^{Tr.}

Saint Edward Brdell

Gen Brown's Headquarters

Army of the West.

34 Nov 25 J.
has gone to see him at Columbus.

I think he had better have remained
where he was. He & his ~~3000~~ called the
other evening. They are very pleased
she called to see if I would give some
thing to a poor minister, from Beaville
and who is banished to Maine.
they wished me to give their love to you
when I write. Fannie Dunklin & Emma
Blain were just here Fannie is very quiet.
Emma says Fullerton looked so funny when
he came back from up the country. I wrote to you
about his joining the Hall's Guards, and going
up the country to Lexington & January 1862 -
wrote home to his father about the soldiers burning
the tobacco warehouses, & destroying property up
^{he says it was too bad}
there. Fullerton joined as private and was pro-
moted to Sergeant while absent. Jack drills
every day. He says he fears that when his
mother is away. ~~concerns~~ Humphreys, Chasley & that
they know more about what the secretaries
were doing than they were aware of.
We miss him very much. everything is pac-
ked up. Saturday 30th I miss you very much
over

bring my letter to a close. one of our friends
 is troubled about the recent order. it is reported
 their house is to be taken, and they are to be
 banished from the Fed. & lines. is'nt it too
 bad. the negroes are receiving their free papers
 all the time. Jeff Black has gone to Canada
 and his negro woman went to the Provost-Marshal
 that and said he had joined the rebel army
 so she receives free papers for herself and children
 Mrs P. says she expects her's here this by this
 time also. It might trouble her husband if he
 find out you have been not mentioned there.
 I expect nothing else but ones will get theirs
 too. on account of your being in the Rebel army
 as there is excuse enough for them here.
 The news last evening would lead us to think
 those rebels in Virginia are pushing on to
 Washington. are going to drive the Federals out
 of Virginia. Pittman & Allan Pender are
 ordered to go with winter passes. but they have
 disappointed. Eugene Pender is engaged
 at the business I heard. he has to winter from
 morning till night. The stores and places of
 business have all to be closed at 4 O'clock.

The United States

vs

Edward Berdell

Charge

Holding Correspondence with the
Enemy - 57th art of war

Adj. Qu. Dept. of the Mo.
St. Louis Mo. March 24 1863

Ordered to be tried by the
Court Martial composed
at St. Louis, Mo. pursuant to
Special Orders No. 40 from these
Head Quarters of Feb. 18th 1863
and of which Brig. Genl.
Fitz Henry Warren is president.

By command of Major
General Curtis.

H. J. Curtis
Sergeant Adjutant General.

April 8th 1863

Withdrawn & ordered
tried by the Court of
which Brig. Genl. J.
McNeil U.S.V. is Presi-
dent.

By order of Maj. Genl. Curtis.

H. J. Curtis
adj

Charge & Specification against Edward Bredell,
a citizen of the city & County of St Louis, State of Missouri.

Charge

Violating correspondence with the enemy. (57th Art of War)

Specification 1st

In this, that he, Edward Bredell, a citizen of the
City & County of St Louis, Mo. did receive a letter, or
letters from one Edward Bredell, an enemy in
arms against the United States; and thereafter, to wit,
on or about the 16th day of December 1862, did write
& send to the said Edward Bredell, an enemy in arms
against the United States, a letter, ^{partly in cipher} contrary to the
provisions of the 57th Article of War, in such cases
made & provided.

This at the City of St Louis Mo in the month of
December 1862

Specification 2nd

In this, that he, Edward Bredell, a citizen of the City
& County of St Louis Mo. did receive a letter, or letters, from
one Edward Bredell, an enemy in arms against the United
States, and thereafter to wit, on or about the 2nd day of Febru-
ary 1863, did write & send to the said Edward Bredell, an
enemy in arms against the United States, a letter, ^{partly in cipher} contrary
to the provisions of the 57th article of war in such cases
made & provided.

This at the City of St Louis Mo on or about the months of
January & February 1863.

W. W. H. H. H.

St Louis Mo
Sept of the 1863

Witnesses
Letters & statement
of Edward B. Kendall

The United States

Edwards Bennett

Charge

Holding Correspondence
deser. mail the
Enclosure - 37th art of prov.

W. J. Curtis
W. J. Curtis

Ordered to be tried by the
Civil Court. Wanted commo
at St. Louis. Mr. Bennett to
Special Orders No 40 from West
Head Quarters of July 16th 1863
and 1 enclosed Phy. Cont
Extra Duty March is present.
By command of Major
General Curtis

W. J. Curtis
Adjutant General

April 8th 1863

At the same time and
tried by the Court of
which Brig. Gen. J.
W. Peck was in Presi-
dent.

By order of Maj. Gen. Curtis
W. J. Curtis
Adj

Charge and Specifications
against
Edward Bredell

Charge and Specifications against Edward Bridell

Charge

~~Violation of the 5th Article of War~~
Holding Correspondence with the Enemy

Specification 1st

In this, that he, Edward Bridell of St Louis County, Missouri, did, on or about the 16th day of December 1862, in said County, write and send, a letter, written partly in cipher, to Edward Bridell, an enemy in arms against the United States, contrary to the provisions of said 5th Article of War, in such case made and provided —

Specification 2nd

In this, that he, Edward Bridell of St Louis County, Missouri, did, on or about the 2nd day of February 1863, in said County, write and send, a letter, written partly in cipher, to Edward Bridell, an enemy in arms against the United States, contrary to the provisions of said 5th Article of War, in such case made and provided —

A. D. Randall

1st Lt 15th Infy. Mo. Vol.

Witness

Capt A. S. Dean

a. a. s. c.

Charges and Specifications
preferred against Edward Bredell, a
citizen of the County of St. Louis and State
of Missouri. —

Charge First.

Violation of the Oath of Allegiance to the
Government of the United States.

Specification First. In this that he
Edward Bredell did, in or about the month
day of November A. D. 1862 in the County of
St. Louis and the State of Missouri, take the
Oath of Allegiance to the Government of the
United States; by the terms of which oath, he,
Edward Bredell bound himself to support
protect and defend the Constitution and
Government of the United States and bear
true faith, allegiance and loyalty to the same.

And that afterwards, on or about the
16th day of December A. D. 1862 in the said ~~city~~
~~—~~ County of St. Louis he Edward Bredell
did violate the said oath of Allegiance, by
writing a letter to one Edward Bredell
Junior, a rebel in arms against the Govern-
ment of the United States, the said letter being
written partly in cipher, and by attempting
to send the letter through the lines of the
United States, to the said Edward Bredell

Junior. —

Specification Second. In this that he Edward Boedell did on or about the month ~~day~~ of November A.D. 1862. in the County of St. Louis and State of Missouri take the Oath of Allegiance to the Government of the United States, by the terms of which oath, he, Edward Boedell, bound himself to support, protect and defend the Constitution and Government of the United States and bear true faith, and Allegiance, ^{of Loyalty,} to the same.

And that afterwards and on or about the 2^d day of February A.D. 1863, he Edward Boedell, did violate the said oath of Allegiance by writing a letter, partly in cipher, to Edward Boedell, a rebel in arms against the United States, and to the mother of the said Edward Boedell, Junior, also a rebel, — and by attempting to send said letter to said Edward Boedell, Junior, through the lines of the military forces of the United States.

This in the County of St. Louis and State of Missouri on or about the 2^d day of February A.D. 1863.

Charge Second.

Corresponding with the Enemies of the United States in Violation of the Laws of War. —

Specification First. In this that he Edward Procell, did, while resident within the military lines of the United States forces write a letter, partly in cipher, to one Edward Procell Junior a rebel in arms against the United States, and did thereafter attempt to send the letter through the said lines to the said Edward Procell Junior in violation of the laws of war. This in the County of St. Louis and State of Missouri and on or about the 16th day of December A.D. 1862

Specification Second. In this that he, Edward Procell, did, while resident within the military lines of the United States forces, write a letter, partly in cipher, to one Edward Procell Junior, a Rebel in arms against the United States, and to the mother of the said Edward Procell Junior, also a rebel; and did thereafter attempt to send the said letter through the said lines to said Edward Procell, Junior, in violation of the laws of War.

This in the County of St. Louis and State of Missouri and on or about the 2^d day of February A.D. 1863.

Charge Third.

Encouraging Rebellion against the

Government of the United States while
enjoying its Protection

Specification First. In this that he
Edward Preedell, while a resident and citizen
of the said County of St. Louis and State of
Missouri and of the United States, and while
enjoying the protection of the Government
of the United States and owing allegiance
thereto, did write a letter partly in cipher,
to one Edward Preedell Junior, a rebel in
arms against the United States and thereafter
attempted to send said letter through the
military lines of the United States forces
to the said Edward Preedell Junior -

This in the County of St. Louis and
State of Missouri and on or about the 16th
day of December A. D. 1862.

Specification Second. In this that he,
Edward Preedell, while a resident and
Citizen of the said County of St. Louis and
State of Missouri and of the United States,
and while enjoying the protection of the
Government of the United States and owing
allegiance thereto, did write a letter partly
in cipher, to one Edward Preedell, Junior,
a rebel in arms against the United States,
and to the mother of said Edward Preedell

also a rebel and thereafter attempted to send said letter to
said Edward ^{Driggle} ~~Driggle~~ Junior through the lines of the military forces
of the United States.

This in the County of St. Louis and
State of Missouri on or about the 2^d
day of February A.D. 1863.

Specification Third. In this that,
whereas, one Truiston Polk, a rebel against
the Government of the United States, formerly
resident in the County of St. Louis and State of
Missouri, did on or about the month of November
A.D. 1861 voluntarily leave his said place
of residence and go southward beyond the
military lines of the United States, and has
ever since remained without and beyond
said lines, conspiring and confederating with,
and assisting, rebels there in arms against the
Government of the United States in their armed
rebellion;— he, Edward Driggle while a
resident of the County of St. Louis and State
of Missouri, and while enjoying the protection
of the Government of the United States and
~~and~~ owing allegiance thereto, and while
well knowing the character and purposes
of said Polk did encourage and abet
the said Polk in his said rebellious purposes
by attempting to cover up and conceal the
property (real and personal) of the said Polk,
so left by said Polk within the military
lines of the United States and to shield

the same from due and just confiscation under
the laws of the United States and to preserve
the same for the use of the said Polk and
his family.

This in the county of St. Louis &
state of Missouri at various times
from the month of November, 1861
to the month of March a. d. 1862

N. P. Chipman
Col & Chief of Staff

List of witnesses for the accused

United States

Edward Powell

Charles Gibson

Timothy B. Edgar

Dr. Benjamin F. Edwards

Frank W. Clark

James Wallace

H. Dietzka

Mr. Sarah A. Collier

Head Quarters, Department of the Missouri,

OFFICE OF THE PROVOST MARSHAL GENERAL,

St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 25th 1863.

What is your name age occupation
& where were you born?

Alfred Chaunier; 34 in May.
Deerfield Mo.

Have you any friends, acquaintances
or relations in the Rebel Army
If so, name them? & how you know
that they are in the Rebel Army.

Ans. I have heard that Geo. Breddell Jr
was in the Rebel Army. Mr. Breddell said ~~to me~~
~~that~~ that he was in the South beyond
our lines. He ~~told~~ me that his wife had
gone South to see her Son.

Mr. Breddell showed me a letter without
name or date, two or three months ago,
which I inferred was written by some
one within the Rebel lines. He did not
even tell me from whom he supposed
the letter was.

Mr. Breddell ~~has~~ said to me occasionally
before Mrs. B. left Memphis that he had

heard from the old woman, & that
she was well -

Alfred Chadwick -

Larkin Cup
me this 26th day
of Feb. 1863

Ques: Are you Loyal or Disloyal ...

I consider myself Loyal.

Alfred Chadwick

Charges and Specifications
preferred against Edward Bredell a citizen
of the County of St. Louis and State of Missouri.

Charge First

Violation of the Oath of Allegiance to the
Government of the United States.

Specification First. In this that he Edward
Bredell did on or about the month of November
A.D. 1862 in the County of St. Louis and the State
of Missouri, take the Oath of Allegiance to the
Government of the United States, by the terms of
which oath, he Edward Bredell bound himself
to support, protect and defend the Constitution
and Government of the United States and bear
true faith, allegiance and loyalty to the same.

And that afterwards on or about the 16th day
of December A.D. 1862 in the said County of St.
Louis he Edward Bredell did violate the said
oath of Allegiance, by writing a letter to one
Edward Bredell Junior, a rebel in arms against
the Government of the United States, the said
letter being written partly in Cipher, and by
attempting to send the letter through the lines
of the United States ^{military forces} to the said Edward Bredell
Junior.

Specification Second. In this that he
Edward Bredell did on or about the months

~~of~~ of November A. D. 1862, in the County of St. Louis and State of Missouri take the oath of Allegiance to the Government of the United States, by the terms of which oath, he, Edward Bredell, bound himself to support, protect and defend the Constitution and Government of the United States and bear true faith and allegiance & loyalty to the same.

And that afterwards and on or about the 2^d day of February A. D. 1863, he Edward Bredell did violate the said oath of allegiance by writing a letter, partly in Cipher, to Edward Bredell Junior, a rebel in arms against the United States, and to the mother of the said Edward Bredell Junior, also a rebel, - and by attempting to send said letter to said Edward Bredell Junior, through the lines of the military forces of the United States.

This in the County of St. Louis and State of Missouri, on or about the 2^d day of February A. D. 1863.

Charge Second

Corresponding with the Enemies of the United States in Violation of the Laws of War

Specification First: In this that he Edward Bredell, did, while resident within

the military lines of the United States forces write a letter, partly in cipher, to one Edward Boedell Junior a rebel in arms against the United States, and did thereafter attempt to send the letter through the said lines, to the said Edward Boedell Junior, in violation of the laws of War. This in the County of St. Louis and State of Missouri and on or about the 16th day of December A.D. 1862.

Specification Second. In this that he Edward Boedell, did, while resident within the military lines of the United States forces, write a letter, partly in cipher, to one Edward Boedell Junior, a Rebel in arms against the United States, and to the mother of the said Edward Boedell Junior, also a rebel, and did thereafter attempt to send the said letter through the said lines to said Edward Boedell Junior, in violation of the Laws of War.

This in the County of St. Louis and State of Missouri and on or about the 2^d day of February A.D. 1863.

Charge Third

Encouraging Rebellion against the Government of the United States while enjoying its protection.

Specification First: In this that he, Edward Boedell, while a resident and citizen of the county of St. Louis and State of Missouri and of the United States and while enjoying the protection of the Government of the United States and owing allegiance thereto, did write a letter partly in cipher, to one Edward Boedell Junior, a rebel in arms against the United States and thereafter attempted to send said letter through the military lines of the United States forces to the said Edward Boedell Junior. -

This in the County of St. Louis and State of Missouri and on or about the 16th day of December A.D. 1862. -

Specification Second. In this that he, Edward Boedell, while a resident and citizen of the said county of St. Louis State of Missouri and of the United States, and while enjoying the protection of the Government of the United States and owing allegiance thereto, did write a letter, partly in cipher, to one Edward Boedell Junior, a rebel in arms against the United States and to the mother of said Edward Boedell Junior, also a rebel and thereafter attempted to send said letter to said Edward Boedell Junior through the lines of the military forces of the United States. -

This in the County of St. Louis and State of Missouri on or about the 2^d day of February A. D. 1863.

Specification Third: In this that, whereas, one Touster Polk, a rebel against the Government of the United States, formerly resident in the County of St. Louis and State of Missouri, did on or about the month of November A. D. 1861 voluntarily leave his said place of residence and go southward beyond the military lines of the United States, and has ever since remained without and beyond said lines, conspiring and confederating with, and assisting rebels there in arms against the Government of the United States in their armed rebellion, - he, Edward Boedell while a resident of the County of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and while enjoying the protection of the Government of the United States and owing allegiance thereto, and while well knowing the character and purposes of said Polk did encourage and abet the said Polk in his said rebellious purposes by attempting to cover and conceal the property (real and personal) of the said Polk so left by said Polk within the military lines of the United States and to shield the same from due and just confiscation under the laws of the United States and to preserve the same for the use of the said Polk.

and his family. -

This in the County of St. Louis and
State of Missouri at various times from the
month of November a D 1861 to the month
of March a D 1863. -

Important. The circular "F"
proposes to go into partnership
with W. H. Jackson.

Marked H.

"A & B" Mr. S. Polk

San Francisco headquarters.

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Mar. 28, 1863
W. J. Baker
100 N. 3rd St.
St. Louis, Mo.

Baroness, who was easily, leaves her
address. By writing to your old friend
and Mr. Keating & Boston, Massachusetts
I am sure you would be glad to
hear from you, especially because you
had been requested you to visit, we
were very interested at school and
for your sake we would do you
any thing and I am sure in her power
let her by all write her myself.
I have a sure proof of doing
so I think I have old friends much
times and I have so few others.
I have a message from them.
I received a long letter from Mrs
and her mother and which she said
she would like very much to have
you write her, giving her step-son
the name of the Professor, because he
was with the Archers and killed both
her son and killed in the battle of
the ... as were also King
of ... she, you will
be interested in at school, the even
the your father's little brother was
and you was a particular friend
of ... - Lord de Bonnaville

is governed by the Government and
Miss Leggie still describes her old
faded handwriting as a perfect evidence of
love on that day. I give you
the same bits of paper showing you
how much interested in the
charities as does your humble ser-
vant. Cornelia B. has been stand-
ing several days with her mind
occupied with an affair very agree-
able and profitable and she has
been troubled about her "assault"
your wife undoubtedly is going
but to spend two or three days at
Mrs. B.'s and will take with her
Belle C. who will enjoy the visit
of course. Mrs. B. always wishes to
take a trip with you for fear
you will be lonely, but we never
do. Holiday was observed five weeks
ago at Cemetery and after the cer-
emony received was appropriate
family and the ladies relatives
at the Five Street House where
we spent an most delightful eve-
ning. Mrs. and Miss, Cornelia
and Mrs. Park Field officiated as

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Markell E.

February 2^d 1863

To my absent ones

I have not heard from you by letter since the 4th of Jan'y - and 4th of the last day of the old year, your friend T A however read me a letter she received of as late a date as 23^d Jan'y which stated you were well -

To morrow LITTLE goes to Circumate
L performs his regular services -

to day I dined with old Uncle Jo his wife, begged to be kindly remembered to you and is anxious to write you. The old gentleman also wishes to be kindly remembered - he is as strong as ever for the government as he calls it - he don't appear to be ported in the march of events -

When I hear from you I call and let your Aunt know she seems always so anxious and delighted to know you are well.

a nother year of war and Newspaper
reading will demoralize me I believe
I dont know that I am much better than
a 2^d rate cooper - when spring comes
I will have to shed off and do better
The scrub here and quite a number
of the Union folks are beginning to think
Grants Shermans & McClemonds
armies, are not getting on as well
as they ought - I hear of dissatisfaction
and fault finding - and I presume
much exappation - matters are quiet
here - not much sickness among the
citizens - the mortality among the
hospitals & Prisons is large - last
week I noticed it footed up 159
and I hear it is much greater
on the boats - bringing the wounded
& prisoners - it is clear to my mind
that humanity calls strongly for peace
and that this inhuman sacrifice
of life should cease, may God
in his infinite mercy soon bring

It to a close. I forwarded
W's stray letter to his cousins, —
say to him I hope he will not needlessly
expose himself, to take cold as
he is now somewhat enured to
camp life, if he is carefull in that
respect he may get on well, more
care in that respect is necessary
in the Spring - than even the winter, —
I send you an obituary & marriage notice
to let you know how we do up things
in this latitude - in this age of progress,
your friends enquire anxiously for you
and you have their sympathies - I think
they are all disposed to make full
allowance - for your peculiar situation
I have heard of no unkind remark
in consequence of your absence, and
anxiety about your child - so you
may rest easy on that score, - Mrs G P
wishes to enclose a note in my envelope
in fact she is to forward this note,

I can not give you directions about
your return home - you must exercise
your own good judgement as to your
movements - I should say if I had to
express an opinion - the present time
is inauspicious - in several ~~ways~~ respects
The season of the year - The roads -
The very uncomfortable and crowded
condition of the boats - over loaded
with sick and dying - Then there
are reasons that surround you these of
which you can better judge than
I can - so that I decline counsel
and leave matters in relation to return
to your own discretion - all your
in love to you & E. Miss Southwick who
I believe, is an acquaintance of his
married a Mr Plant - a widower - in
some way connected with the Garrison's -
Mrs P had a letter from her son & the other
day he is well and said he was going
to Texas to spend the balance of the
winter - I suppose he has tired of soldiering
and going there to rest and take his ease

"A"

Newstead Pt.

St. Thomas Feb. 8th. 1863

My dear Father

I write you a few days since & desire
-ted it, according to instructions contained in your
letter of 23^d of Jan. I have nothing special to say,
and your cousin F. is writing also, but as I cannot
knowingly neglect any opportunity I will write a
few lines, by a person who has kindly volunteered
to take it. I have received your letter of the
12th Jan. finished on the 24th, which, with that
of the 23^d. mentioned your having at last heard
of the long expected break. I trust no accident
will prevent your receiving it, as though late
in the season, there are many things in it
which will be very useful to you for the jour-
-ney which you have in prospect. Like your-
self I fear that your change of situation may
prevent our hearing from each other as frequently
as we have been privileged to do lately.

It seems singular, that your letters should reach
us so promptly, as they have done the last few months,
while you seem to get so few from us. I think it
quite likely that many of my letters written last
summer were failed to reach you for the reason that
I did not direct them to Glad Bost. & having
addressed to Mr. S. in changing hands, the second
or third person, might forget who was intended.

We all regret exceedingly that you are obliged to change your location on C's account, as well as your own. I fear that her coming has, instead of giving you the pleasure we hoped, been the means of great anxiety at the prospect of being compelled to leave her at last. I trust however as we both acted as we hoped & believed for the best, that all will yet prove so & I will not allow myself to be troubled unnecessarily. The young lady I doubt not will find friends, and will I trust be contented.

I hope your nephew has quite recovered and will be a source of comfort and pleasure to you. Yesterday I received a letter from his mother for him, & Anna has enclosed it in one she had written to you, to send by another messenger. I trust they will not fail to reach you. Anna feels that she has been rather unfortunate with her letters to you, since you have never mentioned the receipt of one from her. She & F have doubtless anxiety for your return, as that event might they hope permit them to be married. You will not I am sure accuse them of selfishness for indulging such expectations, and I think they behave with a great deal of propriety. They are neither of them too young now, and certainly have had sufficient time to be

well acquainted.

Our old friend Mr. B. has his wife absent quite philosophically, but he says he is becoming dreadfully demoralized.

An old friend of yours called to see me a few days ago (Mr. Benson G.) He used to live you know near Capt. Shreve's place, but is now on a farm near St. Charles. He tells me his two eldest-sons are he says - just with Gen. Paix, and recommends them to your friendly regard. He desires to be specially remembered to you. Our friend A. K. and his excellent wife are very kind and attentive, as well as our friends generally. They all express desire to be remembered to you and express the hope & belief that the time is not far distant when "several friends shall meet-again".

This helps bring me up, and the late events which have transpired at Charles ton & Gabres ton show that as old Abe would say "some things can be done as well as others". Your backs have depreciated so fast that every thing has gone to fearful prices, and how long the people can stand it is now the question.

Do not be uneasy about us or your affairs, for I think every thing is as orderly as you could expect. I wrote you some time ago that your ^{D.} notes had been placed in bank for collection. Our friend Mr. B. advised me to get them renewed for two years with our additional endorsement if he could not pray now, as by that time the currency of the

country would be in a more settled state.

Mr. D. was however unwilling to renew them for a longer period than, one year & the other twelve months with the same endow, and ~~paid~~ as that was the best we could do, by the advice of your legal friends the notes have been fixed accordingly. The interest is paid in advance as heretofore and at the same rate ten per cent. I have heretofore written you that the note belonging to your friend in the East was renewed last Aug. for twelve months on the same terms.

I was glad to hear that our good Bro. M. was in good health. We have not heard lately from his family, but they were well when last advised. I have heard that Merrill's gang had taken a large quantity of goods from her & fear that it is so.

My sister L. & her family continue well, and I am glad to say have not been seriously molested. Your little L. grows fast, and is trying to improve in writing sufficiently to be able to write you in long. With love from all, I am as ever yours most truly

"B"

Massachusetts.

Feb 7th 1862

My dear friend,

I have written three or four letters since my return from M. & hope we trust that they have reached you. My mind is relieved by your last letters to Cassin & of the dates of Jan (2 & 19) & 23 Jan ult. The letter of 23rd was about a week since, the 12th yesterday. I don't think you have received all the letters I wrote while in M. for in three or four of them, I gave information as to the trunk & described the same as well as I could. About a month since I wrote to M. & stated to some friends there about the miscarriage of the trunk & requested them to institute inquiries. Mrs B. (whom I left M.) remarked that as her hands were full, it would be best for me to send the trunk by some reliable person should the same prove himself. I did so; of course I should have been glad to have left the articles in the keeping of Mrs B. I regret that she did not so explain to you. Old Mr. Birstrom (Stage Driver) was highly recommended & I could not do better than entrust him with the safe

keeping & ultimate direction so that they
might reach the person for whom they
were intended. I wrote some severe letters
to friends in N. H. when I learn
that you are really in possession of
the trunk I will write again affirming
the portions of the fact. So if the old
man was faithful it were wrong to
let him rest under the imputation
that was about to be cast upon him.

Mr. Potter (mutual friend of Mrs B & myself)
sent the coat by Mr. Halligan to Capt
B, so if that is lost I don't want to
be blamed for it. Mr. P. requested me
to name the party to Mrs B & if she was
willing, then he (P) would send by H.

But enough of this, for all the letters since
December 1st have been about the trunk.

We are all hopeful as to the times
the North have at last a good reason
(upon their own record) for ending this
unnatural conflict. They declared that
when "this war for the Union & Constitution"
was prevented to other & wicked ends, then
it should cease. The mask is thrown
off & no one should longer doubt its
real object. In another envelope I send
you the Minor's Legislature ^{Resolutions} ~~Committee~~

resolutions have passed other Legislative
Bodies. They all express devotion to the
Union, but I believe very few of the lead-
ing Democratic politicians honestly believe
that the Union can be restored or even
partially so. One of the Richmond papers
will say that "The Golly of the South (if she
agreed to ~~reconstruction~~), would be only equalled
by the villainy of the North. Loyalty to the
Keller is treason to our dead, to our heroes and
to humanity." "Defeat, some depressing
disaster to the Federal arms has brought
out the latent Conservatism. The lan-
guage of the "Fathers" is at last becoming
authority & law to them viz. that the States
cannot be held together by force".

I will mention a circumstance as indica-^{tion}
of the depravity of those under whom we tem-
porarily live (I hope). The Brave Emmet Mc-
Donald & gallant John M. Wimer fell in
the battle of New Market Mo about three
weeks since. Their remains were brought
to this City for final interment. ~~For~~ au-
thorities permitted ~~Mc~~'s brother to bring
the bodies here, but have denied the
friends the privilege of paying the last
tribute of respect to the dead heroes. They
are not allowed a family burial, but

The government undertakes, will convey
the remains in the government wagon
to their final resting place - "the Federal
Potter's field". The "little dog stick" has so
ordered. I will leave further comments
to yourself. It is swotting on the extreme.

We all miss ~~her~~ very much, ~~and~~
but think she has made the right move
if you can place her in a good school
and out of reach of the Catholics. She has
certainly experienced a very tedious trip
in reaching you. I wrote a long letter
by her & explained about business matters
in reply to your inquiries in letters
to Cousin L. I recently got Mr. L. to re-
new the notes held by Miss A. one for
nine months, the other for twelve at
10 per cent which was paid in advance.
He was unable to pay the money &
negotiated a renewal. Mr. J. (lawyer)
advised with us in the matter.

~~The~~ ~~Bank~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~vs~~ ~~Partnership~~ ~~between~~
L. Co. was continued at the last term &
we hope to get it continued again. Some-
one called on me not long since to
get one of the papers filed with the case
to wit, the Partnership agreement.

and desired me to write him stating
the contents which I did upon finding
the same in the case (in the basement)

I propose in a short time to enter into
Partnership with W. H. Lockland - brother
of Judge. Business is slack at pres-
ent & may continue so for some time

The "Peculiar Partnership" will be
postponed until your return, which I
hope sincerely with Miss - will not
be long.

The friends in Ill & Md are very well
at present. My father was quite seriously
indisposed about 1st of Aug. He had a partial
paralysis of the tongue for two days and
consulted Mr. Newson of Phila soon after.
He is much better. I sent a choice
Saddle of Venison recently which I hope
he will appreciate.

My health is very fine & much better
than it has been for a long time.
I still drink a glass of cold water
before breakfast. It is a gentle aperient.

I hope this will reach you & in due
season. I believe Cousin L. intends to add
something to inclose with this, so good
bye until another opportunity is offered
Yours very truly
J. C.

Memorandum

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C B E V

J. B.

F.

N.

S. W.

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Plan

The accused, pleading to the charge and specifications
having exhibited against him, says:

As to the 1st specification:

- That he admits the truth thereof, except in this, namely:
- That the letter of 15th December 1802 therein mentioned was not in fact written to the said Edward Bowdell, but to Angelina C. Bowdell, wife of the accused, - and was sent to the said Edward solely that it might reach her the said Angelina:
 - That the writing and sending of said letter as aforesaid was not contrary to the 57th Article of War

As to the 2^d specification:

That he admits having received a letter from the said Edward Bowdell in the month of January 1803: and that on the 2^d February 1803 he did write and send to said Edward Bowdell a letter, addressed therein "to my absent one", but which letter was in fact written to and intended for the said Angelina C. Bowdell, wife of the accused: and further that the same was not contrary to the 57th Article of War:

In the charge

Not Guilty -

(1015)
Edward Prebell

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Will Capt. Dwight
examine the papers,
and order what
may be proper
to have the cap-
tured property
restored to the
owner.

Dec 13,
P. A. D.

Mr. Packard - please
send me the papers in
this case. D.

Col J. A. Dick

Dear Sir

After some trouble I prevailed on Farrar to leave, he got off this morning and will report from Chicago - as directed -

In regard to the captured I spoke of yesterday - Mayor Gayton showed me this morning his report of Nov 1st ~~the papers are~~ The parties are Durbin & Cooper, the papers were turned over to Col Gantt November, Col Farrar has not received them, Mayor Forester says the papers are in your office, if they can be forwarded to ~~that~~ him, he will at once attend to it, I have the ~~travels~~ in to day ~~and~~ and you will greatly oblige if you will have them sent down

Yrs Edward Braddell

At Home Aug. 29th 1862.

A

Marked I

My dearest darling,

I sent you two long letters last week, by way of Memphis, and a short note on Monday last I wrote it after coming home from Church with a very bad headache. I expect if you receive it, it will be almost unintelligible, but never mind you will see that I came but an opportunity pass, without sending you a line. If you receive my last two letters, sent last week, you will find quite a bouquet of news, as some of your young lady friends were to visit me and they gave me all the news to write you in a social point of view. Lou is writing to you to day, so I suppose she will give you all the news. Mrs Chiles was buried on Monday, and old Mrs Pierre Chouteau yesterday I attended her funeral, saw Mrs Bob Phil, thus she was well, also saw Mrs Scott & Eliza Dean they were all well, saw Mrs Chamberlayne &

over

they were to see me
daughter Lou, they were all well.
all our friends are well I believe.
They are giving free papers to all the
negros that make complaint against
their owners, in this place. Dr W's letter
to his wife was forwarded. to day I hope
she will receive it. Your particular friend
will attend to your request. the first
opportunity. Aug 28th I made a beginning
last night and will add a little until
finished to my letter. Col Simons I
heard is to pass through this place after
he is exchanged I will endeavour to see
him, I hope you will be careful of
your health. It is not safe to bathe
in streams: much during this month
it is very apt to produce chills or fever.
O my darling, no one can tell how
anxious I am about you, who are as
dear to me as the apple of my eye.
If you should get wounded or become
ill let me know and I will come to you
at all hazards. direct your letters on the
out side envelopes as formerly. he has

charge of the business *Marked* A
300, 500, 700, 900, 1000, 1200, 1400, 1600, 1800, 2000, 2200, 2400, 2600, 2800, 3000, 3200, 3400, 3600, 3800, 4000, 4200, 4400, 4600, 4800, 5000, 5200, 5400, 5600, 5800, 6000, 6200, 6400, 6600, 6800, 7000, 7200, 7400, 7600, 7800, 8000, 8200, 8400, 8600, 8800, 9000, 9200, 9400, 9600, 9800, 10000

attention to this
many have fallen into
Head General Price

been any
when the border when the enrollment
of the Militia was ordered he would have
received, from 30 to 50,000 recruits in 30
days. Thousands have gone to
Arkansas, from three to five thousand
from this county - 29th I was very busy
yesterday getting some things ready
to a friend, which I hope they will receive
safely. and of the

I could not get to see any of the young
ladies that would be likely to undertake
any of thing of the kind. after your letter
came. A letter came addressed to me
from Baltimore, it began my dear business friend
and was signed. a friend young man. I
could not imagine who it was from but
over

after reading it. found it was for the
governor. and was from his friend. 72, A
of this place who is now in Baltimore.
things are pretty quiet here at present.
I met Lizzie G. on the street yesterday
she said she had a letter from a friend
in which he mentioned you as being fat
well, & greedy, I suppose that must have
been when you were doing your own cooking.
I made a list for you and find the
The
as I fear you have
more. Make the Bible your study and
your heart, be careful of yourself
do not expose yourself unnecessarily.
Lizzie will return home this afternoon
She L. has been with her a day or two
they both send their love to you
our R. writes me to give his best love to
you. is glad to hear D. N. H. P. is there.
Harry is taken prisoner. his mother has

H. A. Mottley Jr

for the purpose of drilling, all the news
I saw Mrs Otero last evening her husband
is in New Mexico as prisoner. she says his
trial comes off on Monday next - 1st Sept.

I believe my darling I have given
you all the news in my possession.

We know not what we have or may
bring forth. all we can do is to trust in
one who doeth all things well. He is
able and willing to save all that put their
trust in him! All your friends desire
this love sent to you. Lee has written you
a long letter. Mrs Deaman & sister Miss Butler
and the two Samuels (one of them is Mrs Dickin-
son) and young Beck with her husband have
been ordered to leave. the report is that
they are going to drive all the dissenters
and Southern sympathizers out of this
good bye my dearest darling give ^{our} my
love to Chas P. his wife is disappointed in
not receiving letters from him. and is at a
loss to know how to act - sometimes but she
does miraculously well. there is no love here now
except Philately. your dear friend sends
over

his best love to you. he is very nervous
about you. but would rather you were
where you are than here. at the present
Have you seen the Comet. it has been
visible here. for the past week.

I wish I could tell you of a wonderful
dream I had. two or three months since
I will write it down and keep it for you
when we meet again. I think it was quite
prophetic, good bye my darling.

that we may all be spared to meet again
in peace and safety. is my constant
prayer. let me know whether you received
the two long letters I sent last week.
Jim Yeaton and Dave Clarkson, Kenneth &
Allen Pendleton were put into Graham St Prison
yesterday. they let Dave Clarkson out this
morning. the soldiers went out to Jim Yeaton was
yesterday and took them. I don't know
what for but suppose they did not want

Woman Joseph H.

"2"

J. Mearns C. G.

Mont. Austin, Pa.

(D.) Merrell G.

St Louis, Jan 1863

Respects to Dr. Smith,

You must excuse these few lines, they are from one who entertains the highest respect for you as a man of Integrity, Patriotism, and Honesty, or this would not be written. I have a complaint to make to you, and I hope the want of a signature will not prevent you from attending to it; I do not wish to complain alone for myself, but I must do so in justice to one who has faithfully served the cause, and in justice to the cause itself. There is in company G. 1st Missouri Infantry, Bowen's old regiment, one Joseph S. Donovan, son to an old friend of yours in St Louis. He has been with the Regiment since August a year ago or shortly after its organization, he was wounded at the famous Battle of Shiloh, and before

recovery from his wound, visited
St. Louis, where he might have remained,
ed, but would not; As soon as he could
serve he returned to his Regiment
and has been in active service since
and uncomplaining soldier, and even
now he does not express or intimate
to his friends here that he has suffer-
ed any wrong, but in justice to him
and the service I complain to you
that he has been neglected, that in
the reorganization of the Regiment,
(especially in that company) officers
have been unappointed, not according
to their merits, but according to some
factional standard, or clique arrangement
to the great detriment of the service.
There are members of this company
in this city who have left there on
account of this matter, and it must
have a bad effect unless corrected.
Now I do not intimate for a moment
that the party in question can be

influenced in the remotest degree
in his regards for the cause, by any
office whatever, but there is in every
man's breast a laudable desire of
promotion and it is a desire that ~~shall~~
should be encouraged and not crushed
by improper and factious promotions.
I know your old Friend would like
you to give one moment's attention to
this matter if you please, and if pos-
sible to see the young man in person.
He has just turned twenty one years
of age, is stout, active, intelligent,
industrious, strictly moral, and
always temperate. I dislike to trouble
you with this complaint; but justice
requires it. Your family are well, hoping
that you may soon enjoy their society
at your own house. I remain

Yours Respectfully
Mary C. D.

To the Honble. Trustees, Polk.

Did you know that letters were
secretly carried from St. Louis,
through our lines to Rebel in arms,
and did you expect your letters to
go in that way; did you pay any
money towards the expense of
carrying such letters.

Did you inform anyone that you
were sending letters by to your son
If so, when, & where?

Do you know of any other persons
sending such letters in that way
Who - & when - give all the facts.

Who collected the rents and ac-
count of your son Edward?

What was done with such money,
was any of it sent to him, or placed
to his credit at any place, or in
any way put so that he could
get it - when - & how was it
done, & by whom, and how
by whom was he informed how
he could get it.

Do you know how Mr Polk's property
was conveyed to Mr Coursey - was
there any consideration paid by
him for it - or did he make any
deed for ~~the~~ Mrs Polk's benefit
of Mr Polk's property. State
fully all you know about it,
who drew up the deeds.

were the rents paid to you, and
why, & what did you do with them.

Did you collect dividends on any

Stock for Mrs. Polk. how
much - what stocks, when, & what
did you do with the money

whose name did the stocks stand
in?

Did you have any power of atty.
in relation to business of the above
persons: if so state all about them
and are they recorded?

Did you read your letters to your
son openly or secretly? State par-
ticularly.

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Has any money or funds of any
kind been placed so that Mrs
Truster Polk could get it - & by
whom - & when & how much -
State all the facts - & how was
he notified of it?

Did you ever see Mr Causey, who
made the deed of trust to you as
Trustee for Mrs Polk - what con-
versations have you had with him
about the business - who got the rents
of the Polk property - State all
you knew about it. How do you
know that Mr Causey held the property
in trust for Mrs Polk - & what property
was it.

Handwritten signature or name, possibly "C. H. ..."

Mea Mea J.

*Wm C. B. Polk
Care of Gen. Price, Wash. D.C.*

P. W. C.

Washell J.

At - Home Feb. 8th 1863

My dear daughter

I have only a few moments to write to you, but embrace this opportunity for writing you a few lines in order to let you know that we are always mindful of you. Your sister M. wrote you yesterday and I dare say told you all the news there is to be had. I feel very anxious to hear from you, and to learn how you are since your arrival, for your trip was such a tedious and difficult one that I fear you must have all been nearly worn out. I received a letter from Mrs. ^{the gentleman who escorted you from the boat at M.} M. several days since giving me an account of your progress to within about 50 miles of your father, which he had received from a gentleman who had lately come over the same road to Memphis. I enclosed the letter with a few lines of my own to the father in law of Mrs. P. in order to let them be advised, as I had received a letter from him some time previous making enquiry.

I also received a letter from my friend John D. B. in which he tells me he had heard of your arrival within 60 miles of him & that Maj. & his nephews had started by different routes to meet you, but that the roads were so bad that it was impossible to know when you would arrive. I was very sorry to learn that he would be obliged to leave the locality he has been at so long, both on his account and yours. This is however

one of the events that may be looked for in time
of war. He intimates that it may not be practica-
-ble for him to place you where he had intended
but I trust he may be so fortunate as to select
a school that will be agreeable to you both.

I would be glad to write to my friend Mrs. B.
if I had time, but you must remember me to her
and say how glad we shall be to see her at home
again. Mr. B. comes to see us quite often and gets
along as well as could be expected, though he says he
is getting dreadfully demoralized.

The messenger has just called & I must close with love
from all I am most affectionately yours Mother

St Louis
July 24th 1863

Maxim A. Wolff.

I reside in St Louis
no 225 Biddle St between
16th & 17th St. I am of the
firm of Peter Wolff
real estate agents no
93 Washington Ave. I
have been of that firm for
nearly three years.

I know Mr Gusten
Polk for about two years.
I think he left St Louis
about Nov 1861. I do
not know where he is now.
I never heard from him by
letter. I heard of him
about two months ago from
Mrs Polk. I heard that
he was then about 60 miles
from Memphis, Tenn. in
Tennessee. I never addressed
him any business letters since
he went away.

Before Mr Polk went
away we had the manage-
ment of two ^{pieces of} ~~pieces of~~ property
for him. one on Chouteau
Ave, fee owned by Mrs Beck
with, and his old residence
on 6th St, ~~which~~ ^{which} leads to me

Law. After Mr Polk went
away we continued to collect
the rents of the same prop-
erty, but of no other.
We paid these rents to
Mrs Polk, after paying
Taxes and Mrs Beckwith's
ground rent. Sometimes
we paid them to Mrs Polk's
order, brought by a boy
or by Mrs P's daughter.
We never paid any of these
rents to Mr Edward Bee-
dell. I doubt think I
have ever paid Mr Beedell
a dollar. I am in the
office all the time, and
received and pay out 19/100
of all the money received or
paid out at the office.

Q. Did not Mr Beedell at
any time, after Mr Polk's
departure in 1861, receive
from you from any money
on account of rents of Mrs
Polk's estate?

A. He did not. I never
saw Mr Beedell in our office
from the time Mr Polk
went away till we received
authority to collect rents, for
Peter J. Cansery. The firm
of attorneys from Cansery an-

charged us to pay the rents collected - under it to Mr Edward Bredehl. My impression is that he has never received any proceeds from us under that power of Attorney. The rents collected thereunder, have been used in paying taxes and repairs, excepting some five hundred or six hundred dollars, which was paid to Mr J. Cansey, and Mrs Polk. Mr J. is, I think the son of Peter J. He says so. I saw him not more than ten days ago in my office. I believe he resides in St Louis at Mrs Polks. I think he is her nephew. Mr Bredehl authorized us to pay the net rents to Mr J. Cansey and Mrs Polk. He did so verbally. He brought us the power of Attorney and sanctioned our payment of the rents to Mrs Polk and young Cansey. ~~He brought~~
~~under such sanction, from~~
~~time to time, but I would~~
~~look at the books and if~~
~~there was a balance, would~~
~~pay.~~ Mrs Polk or Mr J. Cansey under this sanction would call for the rents

I think there is still in our hands some balance due them.

The power of attorney extended to all property embraced in the deed of Polk to Causey. We received the power of atty; sometime between the 15 of August & the 15 of September, 1862, and have acted under it up to the present time. The power of attorney was brought to us by Mr Medell; I think it was a month or two afterwards, (before we had made any disposition of the funds,) that he sanctioned the payment, under that power, to Mrs Polk & young Causey. Mr Medell when he gave us the power of attorney gave us a schedule of all the property embraced in the conveyance by Polk to Causey, with names of tenants and locations, and amounts that they were to pay. The gross receipts under this power up to the present time are from \$1500 to \$2000. The amount paid to Mrs Polk and young Causey from \$500 to \$600; the balance is our

hands at present from \$150
to \$200.

I believe Mr Peter J.
Caussey still owns the property
conveyed to him ~~by~~
by Mr Polk. I have never
heard that he conveyed it
to any one else. Mr Bre-
dell never informed me or
hinted to me that Caussey
had conveyed it to any one
else.

I do ^{not} think Mr Bredell
has been in our office over
three or four times since
we have had charge of this
property. I have never con-
sulted with him about the
property outside of the office.
When any repairs are required
we ask him if we shall
have them done. We do not
make repairs of any mag-
nitude without his sanction.
We have not consulted him
in regard to tenants. We have
not advised with Bredell in
regard to the sale of any
of the property. We never
consulted with him in regard
to cases of despoisement.

Thomas A. Wolff

Sworn before me
July 2 1883
W. B. Howard
Notary

Evidence against

B. S. Garner,

C. N. Schomover,

Daniel Hart,

L. B. Hart.

Feb 63
Copied
C. S.

~~Confidential~~

(Copy)

Post Head Quarters, Beverly, Va

Feb'y 19, 1863.

Capt L. Markbreit,

A. A. S.,

Buckhannon, Va.,

Sir - I have the honor to report to you four citizen prisoners, to wit:

Bryan S. Gainer - charge, - harboring and aiding Rebel soldiers, Guerrillas, and horse thieves.

Christopher N. Schoonover - charge - Aiding and abetting the Rebels.

Daniel Hart - charge - Giving aid & comfort to the enemy.

Laman B. Hart - charge - Giving aid & comfort to the enemy, and acting as a Spy to notify them of the movements of the Federal troops.

Witness - Capt P. McKally, 2nd Va. Infy.

I am very respectfully

Your obt servt.

(Signed) Geo. R. Latham.

Col. Comd'g

Also Ward Myers and Matthew Myers, belonging to Ambodens Partisan Rangers - captured since above was written, and duly forwarded.

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Monthly Report

Apt. Pro Mus.

J. C. Cunningham

July 28th 1863

edit

Spt Provost marshals Office
Albany N.Y.
Feb 28th 1863

Report of the proceedings of this office
ending the 28th day of Febry 1863

Feb 23rd

John R Patton who was banished from
this State by orders from this office was
arrested on the charge of having returned
to this State without proper Authority on
investigation of his case it was found
that he had received permission of
Col M Cravor of the 31st Regt 6th M^o to
return home and not recognizing
Col Cravor as being the proper
person to give permission to said
Patton to return I have considered
the case myself and have decided
to let said Patton remain at
home by his giving Bond in the
sum of Two Thousand Dollars
for the faithful observance of his
oath of allegiance which he has
executed with proper security
and was discharged.

John W Bagg was arrested on the
same charge as Patton and the
same investigation of his case
was had he was required to give
Bond in the sum of One Thousand
Dollars which he did and was
as charged

J R Cunningham
Capt Prov Marshal.

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Monthly Report

Capt. Prov. Marshal.

J. C. Cunningham

July 28. 1863

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Capt Hubber 3738

to

Major Darr, Jr.

Release of 33 prisoners

Catagans

Feb. 13, 1863.

Head Quarters Commandant of Prisons,

CAMP CHASE, OHIO.

July 18th 1863

Joe Dan Jr
 Pro. War. Genl.

Major

The following names
 are prisoners released and ordered to report to
 you for further orders. Travel is to give suffi-
 cient bond at Wheeling to your approval. viz

~~Chas. Shinn, Hampshire Co.~~

~~Ed. Coon, Boone Co.~~

x	Geo Aiken, Roan Co.	14	Emil Montgomery, Logan
x	Ogden Spencer, Logan Co.	15	Francis Conroy, Wood
x	W. A. Reed, Meigs Co.	16	James Burns, Hardy
x	L. D. Fisher, Fayette Co.	17	Michael Belcher, Boone
x	Marion May, Boone Co.	18	Andrew Culey, Logan
x	Chas. R. Clark, Cabell Co.	19	Jacob Yost, Mingo Co.
x	Nathan Adkins, Mingo Co.	20	Sam. Hunter, Boone
x	Isham Adkins, Boone	21	Geo Miller, Boone
x	Benton Adkins, do	22	Tom Patton, Gibson
x	Harmon Adkins, do	23	Cino Stevens, Wood
x	Walter Krause, Cabell	24	Geo H. Gray, Fayette
x	David H. Booth, Boone	25	Silas Merrill, Harrison
x	Enoch Coon, Boone	26	Geo. H. Yost, Marion

- ~~27~~ Lawrence Boggs, Roan Co.,
~~28~~ Jesse Hickman, Ritchie Co.,
~~29~~ Lewis Hickman, do.
~~30~~ Oliver Meadows, Boone Co.,
~~31~~ William Miller Mason Co.,
~~32~~ Silas Haines, Hampshire Co.,
~~33~~ L. W. Coon, Boone Co.

Very respectfully

Your Obedt servant

E. L. Webber

Capt. Condy Prison

for Wm J. Holmes

2^d Lt & Adj. Gen.

~~Answer to~~
Mr B Nicklin

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1862

Lincoln Co Mo

8/28

Alton Mo. Prison
Ray, Jeremiah and
Others.

Petition for release
of Wm. B. Becklin and David
C. Becklin of Lincoln
County Mo.

By 2nd Regt
Mounted Inf 14th
1862 in Lincoln
Co Mo -

1861 & 1862
Sent to Camp for
Ex. -

Always held
in both cases

P. M. S. Feb 21. 03

Respectfully referred
to Lieut. Col. G. A. Dick
Provost Marshal

St Louis "Mo"

and would recommend
their release on oath and

Hildebrand
Col Compost

To the proper Marshal of
Alton Mo

The undersigned loyal
Citizens of Lincoln County respectfully
ask that Mr Samuel C. Nicken and
William B. Nicken of the aforesaid County
and State arrested last Oct may be removed
from confinement Mr Samuel C. Nicken has
a family dependent upon him for a support
and is now a charge upon friends unable
properly to care for them Mr William B.
Nicken's mother and sisters need his services
at home to provide for them we have not
the least idea that their release will have
any bad influence upon the peace of the
State but believe clemency towards them
would have a happy and tranquilizing effect
upon this community

Samuel B. Boy
Henry Ligger
Casper Collins
Lewis Palmer
John C. Davis
George W. Jenkins
John M. Hammack
W. F. Wats. Sam.
Samuel B. Hornbe
Benjamin J. Hornbe
A. B. Poulions
H. H. Howdeshell
A. J. Sanders
Baxter Howdeshell

Ja. M. Knox
Jas. D. Davis
G. C. Hamilton
S. Richards
John Cannon
James Gladney
Jesse Howdeshell
H. B. Allen
J. L. Howdeshell
Benedict Parker
W. G. Farmer
A. J. Ferriman
Hiram McDonald
George W. Elsbury
John Black
D. J. Smeat
John Cochran
L. R. Downing

29 Feb 3740

Johnson
20th Mar 1840

2 Horses stolen

~~Johnson~~
~~20th Mar 1840~~
~~2 Horses stolen~~

Dec. 16, 1863

Letter from Capt.
Beckwith, 65th Ind.
Commanding at
Woodbury, Ky.
on Barren River

Headquarters U.S. Army
Wadsworth Ky Feb 14 1862

Capt. Vass,
Sir,

There is an
alarm in the vicinity today. There
was two men stopped at a house,
Mr. Johnsons 4 miles from here last
night and stole two horses. Two men
called at Mrs. Menters 3 1/2 miles from
here at midnight last night one of
whom was well known to a servant
and told a Miss Spoll, a rebel
lady, that if she wished to see the rest
of the boys, meaning the boys that
went from here to Morgans command
she should go to a certain place to-
day, which the mulatta did not
understand. Fifteen of them stayed
all night in the mud creek
settlement, last night at one
house. There is something going
on not right. It will be well to
be on the lookout, there may be
another raid on hand and it
would be well to advise the com-
mander at Bowling Green of
what is going on.

The two men that were at Mrs.
Menters Enquired of Miss Spoll
about any boats that were pass-
ing up or down the river.

It would be well to advise
the Detachment of what I
have written.

We will not suffer a
surprise nor a disgraceful sur-
render. I have every man in
town that is able to hold a gun
under arms and at my quar-
ters. At 20 minutes after ten
I sent the messenger.

Respectfully
Wm. B. Drake
Commanding Post
at Woodbury.

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Lucien Eaton
Attorney at Law
St. Louis, Mo.

Wm. L. Dick

Notary Public
St. Louis, Mo.

Notary Public
St. Louis, Mo.

Lucien Eaton

It is not called for within two weeks, return to

LUCIEN EATON,
ATTORNEY AT LAW,

NOTARY PUBLIC,
ST. LOUIS, - - MISSOURI.

Albert Turner

Office of the Probost Marshal General,

DISTRICT OF MISSOURI.

Office of Provost Marshal General,

DISTRICT OF MISSOURI.

BY AUTHORITY OF THE UNITED STATES.

This Certificate of Freedom is given to
Albert Turner

Same " " " " " "

Aged seven years

Color quite dark brown

Size small & delicate build for his age

It having been officially ascertained and decided by me, that Trustee
Palk

owner of said Albert Turner

has been guilty of treason against the United States, and thereby has washed the freedom of said Albert Turner

from his servitude, under the provisions of the act of Congress, to suppress insurrection, to punish treason and rebellion, and to seize and confiscate the property of Rebels, commonly

called the Confiscation and Emancipation Bill, and approved July 1862, by the PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

Delivered and Sealed the 10th day of July 1862.

PROVOST MARSHAL GENERAL.

Albert Turner

Office of the Provost Marshal General,
DISTRICT OF MISSOURI.

The Act of Congress upon which the annexed declaration is based, provides:

Sec 9th 1st, As to persons hereafter engaged in rebellion against the United States.

2d, And as to persons who shall in any way give aid or comfort to the rebellion.

Their slaves shall be deemed captives of war, and shall be forever free of their servitude, and not again held as slaves, under the following circumstances:

1st, Slaves escaping from such persons, and taking refuge within the lines of the Army.

2d, Slaves captured from such persons.

3d, Slaves deserted by such persons and coming under the control of the Government of the United States.

4th, Slaves of such persons, found or being within any place occupied by rebel forces, and afterwards occupied by the forces of the United States.

Provost Marshals of Divisions, will furnish to slaves coming within the above provisions, certificates of freedom, by filling up the blanks in the annexed form.

Provost Marshal General.

Elias Turner.

Office of the Probost Marshal General,

DISTRICT OF MISSOURI.

Office of Provost Marshal General,

DISTRICT OF MISSOURI.

BY AUTHORITY OF THE UNITED STATES.

This Certificate of Freedom is given to
Eliza Turner

Name *Eliza Turner*

Aged *24*

Color *dark brown*

Size *medium* - hair *thick & long*

It having been officially ascertained and decided by me, that *Trusted*
Palk

owner of said *Eliza Turner*

has been guilty of treason against the United
States, and thereby has worked the freedom of said *Eliza Turner*

from his servitude, under the provisions of the act of Congress, to suppress insurrection, to
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Provost Marshal General.

Thomas Woodruff, white, of lawful
age, says he knows the colored girl
Eliza Turner & her boy Albert,
about seven years old, and has
known them for a year and a
half as Trusten Polk's slaves,
living on Luens Place in the city
of St. Louis. He further says it is
reported as a notorious fact & fully
believed in community that Polk
has gone south & is the staff of
Sterling Price Genl in the rebel army,
& he fully believes such to be the
case though he does not, of course,
know the fact himself -

Subscribed & sworn to
before me this 10th
July, 1863
Lucien Eaton
Not. Pub.

Thomas Woodruff


Eliza Turner, colored, in oath
says she harbored herself, as well as
her son Albert, seven years old, have
belonged to Trusten Polk, who bought
her when she was 9 years old, & she
has lived in his family ever since.

She says that last summer Mrs. Polk
had in her house two rebels concealed
in the her house, and who went off

in the night. She also had sick
rebels there. Mrs. Polk told her not
to say anything about these rebels being
in the house.

Eleza says she is about 24
years old

Subscribed &
given before me
this 10th July, 1865

Lucien Colton
Not. Pub.

Eleza Turner
mark

148 / P. Meyer, Co
Memphis. Tenn.

Oct 26 1863

1015 B.
Sewerson J. W.
Brig. Genl. 3000.

Advised that Mrs.
Prudence Polk of family
banished from St Louis
she allowed to return
she is now near Helms
Ark.

order for their return
from camp of Helms

1013 B.

Order for their return to
this Department. Nov. 9/1863
S. O. No. 142. -

Spahr

1014 Oct 31 1863

Memphis Tenn Oct 26th 1863

Col James O Brodhead
Prov Mar Line Mo.
Colonel.

I address you this letter with a view to have you officially see that our Govt shall extend to a most estimable lady and her daughters an act of forbearance and clemency. I intercede for Mrs Truster Polk and her daughters. No citizen of St Louis who really knows Mrs Polk can fail to bear truthful testimony to the many virtues that have characterized her life - a Christian indeed and truth devoted her life to her family - eminently charitable - she was loved and esteemed by all who knew her. For twenty years I have known Mrs Polk. I can bear testimony to her virtues. The Govt has banished her from her home and her friends. I doubt not but this judgment is visited upon her because of the con-

duct of her husband - and perhaps because
as a true wife she has adhered to his fortunes
No one who knows Mrs Polk could censure
her for this. To Honor her husband, to give to him
most implicit confidence, to believe all that
he did was right, was but natural, with such
a woman as Mrs Polk, it was the habit of her
life, to have no judgement at variance with
her husband. That Mrs Polk has done any
act of herself, to cause the Govt to visit His
vengeance upon her and her children I do
not believe - Mrs Polk and her daughters are
near Helena Ark, in a strange land - without
hope for the future - and to be restored to their
friends and associations in St Louis, would
feel most grateful - Cannot this be done -
You know that I would not thus interest
myself for any one - were I not fully con-
vinced that the Govt would suffer no det-
riment and that the persons for whom I
speak were truly worthy of such interferences
Give this your immediate personal atten-
tion and advise me by letter of your
action -

I wish also to have you so interest yourself
as to restore Mrs Josephine Sawyer - daughter of
Messrs Merritt / formerly of the firm of Warner & Merritt
to her children now in St Louis. Unless there is
an imperative reason for the order in her case
I hope the Govt will permit her to return to
her children and her friends - No one who has
not seen for himself, can conceive the misery
entailed upon these people in being separated
from their families and friends - and unless
for superior reasons I hope that the Govt
will permit Mrs S. to return to her father
and children -

Write me to Council Bluffs -

Truly yours

John Stevenson
Brig Genl U.S. A.

Head Quarters
Island of Key West Fla
July 24, 1863

Testimony of
Joseph Stickney
as to the Loyalty of
W. L. Maloney Robt McCook
Benj Archer Geo G. Watson
D. Whitcomb Vincent Archer
Jno Williams W. A. Love
Thos Bennett Jno Boyle

Great Dors Island of Key West Fla
U.S. District Court Feb 24 '63

Jose Stickney, being duly sworn, deposes, &
says as follows

Do you know Walter C. Malony, Yes Sir.
State what you know of his loyalty or disloyalty
towards the U.S. ~~but~~ I have not heard him
say anything in the past 18 Mos against the
President, or the Government of the U.S., but believe
him to be a disloyal man & Rebel Sympathizer.

Rev Robt W. Cook. Know him. Heard him tell
some of his members that they could take
the oath, ^{as ordered to be} administered by May French, &
they could break it, & there would be no
harm in it - Believe him one of the strongest
secessionists, we have amongst us -

Benj Archer - Knows him, and believes
him to be a disloyal man - have not
heard him in the past 18 Mos do a disloyal
act -

Geo W. Watson - Knows him. Have heard him
say ^(N) nothing disloyal, ^{might be proof of the oath of allegiance} but believe him disloyal -

Dr Whitehurst. Knows him, Know him to be
disloyal, ~~to~~ from his association with disloyal
persons -

Vincent Archer - Knows him, & believes him to
be a disloyal man -

Jno Williams - Know him, went away at the
outbreak of the Rebellion, does not think he
has taken the oath -

Wm A Love. Knows him to be Secesh, but has
not heard any disloyal sentiments lately -
did ~~see~~ hoist a Secesh flag and salute
it -

Chas Bennett. Know him & believe him to be
a Secessionist.

Jno Doyle - Knows him to be a strong
Secessionist, generally exults over Confederate
victories -

Do you know of any person other than those
I have spoken, on the Island, that have
committed disloyalty in sentiment or
acts? I do not - - Believe there are
not more than 60 Male adults on the
Island that are truly loyal -

Sworn to and Subscribed before me this 24th day of July 1863

Joseph Strickland
Jos. D. Moore
Chas. W. Ruff
Curtis Pool

Am Adams - Know him - Heard nothing Geological of his
own account - but believe him to be a Geological
man _____

How Reed. Know him - about six weeks ago
in front of Grand Tower, was scribbling with a
pencil, and was uttering Geological Sentiments -

Head Quarters
Island Key West Fla Feb 24 '63

Testimony of
Wm A Russell
as to the loyalty of
W. C. Maloney. D. J. Moreno
Geny Archer Geo G. Watson
Dr Whitburnt Philip Hermance
Geo Pagan Wm A. Lowe
Thos Reed Geo Boyle

Head Quarters Island of Key West Fla

U.S. Remarks - Feb'y 24 '13

Mrs. Russell, being duly sworn deposes & says as follows -

W C Maloney - Know him - Did you in the last 18 mos to your personal knowledge know of any disloyal sentiments on his part? Know nothing of ~~his~~ personally - Have you ever heard of any disloyal acts of his? at the time of organizing the Home Guard, thought he was "shaky" on Loyalty about 18 mos ago. My opinion is from what I've seen for the past year, is, that he is a loyal man -

F J Morris - Know him - Have had no conversation with him for the last two years -

Benj Archer - Know him - Know nothing but by hear say - Never seen anything disloyal -

Geo G. Watson - Know him - Know nothing personally ^{that is} disloyal -

Dr Whitehurst - Know him - Have seen expression of countenance upon the receipt of a Rebel Victory, that indicate a pleasure at such receipt - Believe him to be at heart a Rebel Sympathizer -

Philip Herman - Know him - Think him a
loyal man -

Jim Sagan - Know him - Believe him to be a
loyal man -

~~Wm. Weatherford - Know him.~~

Wm. a. Love - Know him - Heard nothing disloyal of his
own accord, but believe him to be a disloyal
man -

Thos Reed - Know him - about six weeks ago
in front of Guard House, was wrangling with a
soldier, and was uttering disloyal sentiments.

Do you know of any person residing in Key West
other than I have spoken of, that has uttered
a disloyal sentiment or committed a disloyal
act for the past ^{18 mos} ~~two years~~ in year six - Have
^{heard} John Boyle utter disloyal sentiments ^{several} ~~a~~
times, within the past years - Can't remember
any one particular sentence that he used, but
~~believe~~ ^{know} him to be a disloyal man - my
opinion of the loyalty of the people generally on the
Island, as far as I see, is $\frac{3}{4}$ disloyal

Sworn to, and subscribed before me Wm. A. Russell
this 22nd day of July 1863

Geo. S. Morrison
Col ~~90th Regt NY Vol~~
Commanding Post at Key West Fla

Head Quarters
Island of Key West Fla

Feb 24 1863

Testimony of Chas S. Baron
as to the loyalty of
W. C. Maloney, J. Moreno
Benj Archer, Geo G. Watson
Mrs Susan Watson, Dr Whitehurst
W. W. Watson, Hy Fagan
Philip Hernandez, Miss J. P. Baldwin
Vincent Archer, Jno Bartlett

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Head Quarters Island of Key West Fla
U.S. Barracks. Feby 24 1863

Chas S Barron, being duly sworn deposes, and says as follows.

Q. Do you know Walter C Maloney

Ans. Yes Sir

Q. How long have you known him

Ans. 12 or 13 years

Q. Have you any time during the last 18 mos seen any expression of disloyalty on his part?

A. Dont think I have

Q. Do you know of any disloyal act of him in last 18 ^{mos}?

A. I do not.

Q. Did you ever know of any expression of disloyalty ^{by} him?

A. Never heard of it

Q. What is the general impression of the ^{loyal} people as

to Mr Maloney's loyalty?

A. Impossible to say.

Q. What is your impression of his loyalty?

A. I suspect his loyalty

Do you know of F J Moreno, ans. yes Sir.
Have you ever seen or know of any disloyal act on his part during the last 18 mos. Ans. ~~I~~ ^{have} not.
What is your opinion of his loyalty. ans. that he was connected with the Confederacy, did you know him to exhibit any disloyalty when news of a Federal victory arrived - ans. never did.

Do you know Benjamin Archer? ans. I do - for the last 3 or 4 mos - Q - Have you ever seen at any time, or do you know of any disloyalty on his part? ans. I do not - Q. what is your general impression? ans. I've never had an opinion, have a general understanding that he is in favor of Secession -

Do you know Geo J Watson? ans. I do. Do you know anything as touching his loyalty - ans. I do not - Do you believe him to be a loyal man? ans. Cannot say, never saw or heard of him disloyal - general impression is that his sympathies are with the South.

Do you know Mrs Susan Watson? ans. I do. Did you ever see or hear of any disloyal act on her part? ans. I have heard her express herself she was in favor of the Southern ^{cause}, ~~the~~ ~~federal~~ -

Do you know Geo A Rose - ans. Do not think I do -

Do you know Sarah T Moss - ans. I do not - (Moss)

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Do you know Martha Sawyer. ans. do not.

Are you acquainted with Dr Whitehurst -
ans. ~~Do not~~ - Do you know his family -
ans. By sight - Have you ever heard
or seen any disloyal act on his part?
ans. Has not - have seen but little
of him -

Do you know Wm M Watson? ans. know him
very slightly - did you ever see anything
in him that was disloyal? ans. No sir -
Do you believe him to be disloyal - ans
cant say -

Do you know Henry Pagan - ans. know
him slightly - did you ever see or hear
of any disloyalty ^{on his part?} - ans. No sir -

Do you know Philip ~~Henry~~ Hermann? ans. yes -
Do you know of any disloyalty in him? ans
No sir - Impression is that he is a sound
Union Man -

Do you know Geo Pagan? ans. dont ^{know} that
I do -

Do you know Mrs J P Baldwin - ans. yes sir

but never had any intercourse with her

Do you know Vincent Archer, ans. yes or
do you know of any disloyalty - on his part -
ans. I do not - general impression is, his
sympathies are with the South -

Are you acquainted with C. W. Bethel?
Don't think ~~so~~ ^{know} in

Are you acquainted with Jno Williams?
Not by name -

Do you know Mrs C. T. Berry? Does not -

Do you know Jno Bartlan? By sight.

Do you know of anything in word or deed of
his disloyalty - No sir - Knows nothing of ~~him~~

Do you know of any person other than I
have questioned you of, that has ever expressed
in word or deed any disloyalty ^{on the Island within the last 2 years?} Have
heard so many disloyal sentiments ex-
pressed by the people, tis hard to distinguish
one from the other

Charles S. Barron

Sworn to and subscribed before me
this 24th day of July 1863

J. D. Mearns

Clerk of the Court

Christy Post at Key West Fla

J. Head Quarters
Island of Key West Fla
~~1834~~ 1833

Testimony of
Jas P. Lightbourn
as to the Loyalty of
W. C. Maloney F. J. Moreno
Benj Archer Geo H. Watson
Dr. Whitehurst Wm W. Watson
Henry Pagan Jas Pagan
Vincent Archer Wm A. Lowe
Jno Boyle, Mrs Peter Williams
Judge Maroon

Head Quarters Island of Key West Fla
U.S. Barracks Feb 24 '63

Genl. Lighthoun being duly sworn deposes &
says as follows —

Do you know W. C. Maloney? Yes Sir,
Do you know of his having made use
of any disloyal language within the
last 18 Mos? Not in my presence —
Know nothing touching his loyalty that
leads me to question that he has changed
his views since the outbreak, At that
time he ^{we} swore & shook hands upon
that we would stick by the Union.
He was ^{then} opposed greatly to his son going
into Rebel Service — Consider him
to be a loyal man —

J. J. Moreno - Knows him, have never heard
him say anything since he took the oath,
that was disloyal —

Benj Archer - Know him, & believe him to
be a secessionist, have had nothing to
say to him on the subject.

Geo G Watson - Knows him and believe ^{him} to
be a rank secessionist —

Dr Whitehead, Knows him, & ^{know} believe him
to be a violent Rebel, judging so from his
actions, ~~to~~ his wife also —

Wm Watson - Knows him, has not heard
him express himself, but believes him loyal -

Henry Fagan - Knows him, & ~~believes~~ ^{knows} the whole
family, to be rank Rebels -

Geo Fagan - Knows him, have not during the
past 18 mos heard any disloyalty on his part.
but believe him to be a Rebel -

Vincent Archer - Knows him, and believes
him to be a Rebel at heart -

~~Wm Archer~~ Knows him

Wm A Love - Knows him, & believes him to be
a Rebel - Heard his wife say she was
a Secessionist, & if she had money to
lend, ^{she would lend it to} the Southern Confederacy, ~~she would~~
This, after taking the oath -

Geo Doyle - Knows him, & said I should
be hung, at the outbreak of the Rebellion,
for my Union Proclivities - Has said
Some two mos ago, making use of the words
"By God, he ought to have been hung three
yrs ago, & would have been better for
the Community -

Do you know of any person on the Island
during the past 18 mos that has in word
or act committed disloyalty? Yes Sir,

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Mrs Peter Williams has talked Secesh.
In my opinion there are not more than 40 loyal men adults
on the Island

James P. Lightbourne

Was present at a meeting held in the Court
House ^{at the breaking out of the rebellion} & heard Judge Marvin say, that
if the Southern states went out of the
Union, he was with them. He ~~was~~
Judge Marvin, was addressing the meeting,
and was interrupted by one of the audience
and asked if 7 states went out, if he would
go with them, he replied, "is not enough" Then
suppose 10 goes, his reply was ~~to~~ "not
enough," then suppose all go, his reply was
then I am with them -

James P. Lightbourne

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 24th day
of July 1863

J. S. Morgan
Clerk of the Court
Covington, Pa.

Head Quarters 3745

Island of Key West Fla

July 24. 1863

Testimony of
Wm H Von Pfister
as to the loyalty of
W. C. Maloney. F. J. Moreno
Benj Archer Geo G Watson
Dr Whitthurst Wm M Watson
Jno Williams Jno Barthel
& Wm A Love

Head Quarters, Island of Key West Fla,
West Barracks, Feb 24th 1863,

Wm H. Von Fister, being duly sworn, says, as follows,

Question. Do you know W.C. Maloney.

Ans. Yes Sir this 25 years.

Question. Within the last 2 years have you seen any
disloyal act or heard any disloyal word of
Mr Maloney

Ans. Yes Sir while I was carrying out an order of
Major French then in command of the Island, ^{as magistrate} by
dam you, I will blow your brains out, I will put a ball thro you, and
saying that he would make it his particular business
to see that I was punished for my treason to my state,
this took place in Howes Stone,

I heard him say within the last five months at
meeting held at the Russell House, that he had
been a loyal citizen up to the time that he was
stopped by U.S. soldiers from going into a
meeting, but that since that time that he must
confess that his ardour was very much cooled,

Question - Have you read an article published in
the Brooklyn daily Eagle -

Ans - Yes Sir, and considered it at the time
reasonable. Believes him a dangerous

Question - man to the Community, opposed to the
Government, and a leading spirit of the
Disloyal persons on the Island.

(over)

F. J. Mason - Know him. ^{Know} Nothing of him that is disloyal since taking the oath

Benj Archer - Know him. Know nothing of him that is disloyal since taking the oath

Geo. L. Watson, Know him. Know nothing of him that is disloyal - since taking the oath

Jos Whitehurst - Know him - Believe him to be a Rebel - & sympathies all with the Confederacy -

Wm H. Watson - Know him. Know nothing disloyal of him since taking the oath

Vincent Archer - Know him. Believe him to be a Secessionist - ~~since taking the oath~~

Jos Williams - Know him. Know nothing disloyal of him since taking the oath.

Jos Bartlen - Know him - Know nothing disloyal of him since taking the oath

Wm A. Lowe - Know him - Know nothing disloyal of him since taking the oath -
~~Wm A.~~

Question

Do you know of any person, other than I have mentioned, that have in sentiment or deed, during the past 18 mos, committed disloyalty?

Ans -

No Sir - Do not believe there are 40,000 Male adults on the Island that would support the Federal Govt if attacked by the Southern Confederacy

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W. A. von Sester

Sworn to and subscribed
before me this 24th day of July, 1863

J. D. Morgan
Chy. Gov. Rep.
Tenn. Dist.

Head Quarters ³⁷⁴⁶

Island of Key West Fla
Fla Feb/24/63

Testimony of

Wm Solomon

As to the Loyalty of

W. C. Maloney J. Moreno

Benj Archer Geo. S. Watson

D. Whitburnt Wm. Watson

Jos. Williams Wm. Katherjot

Wm. Lowe Geo. Lewis

Thos. Bennett Jas. Boyle

Head Quarters
Island of Key West Fla
July 24 1833

Testimony of
James Pent
as to the Loyalty of
W. C. Maloney, Benj Archer
Dr Whitehurst Vincent Archer
Wm A Lowe Jas Boyle &
Judge Marvinn

Head Quarters Island of Key West Fla
U.S. Barracks July 24 '13

Gas Cent being duly sworn, deposed
and says as follows

Do you know Walter C. Malony. Yes Sir,
Have you had much conversation with him
of late? Nothing of much consequence,
have seen but little of him, have not
to my recollection, heard him for the past
18 mos, say anything disloyal, save at a
public meeting ^{and} that, at the time, I thought was
disloyal;

Rev W. C. ~~Cent~~ - Have seen him ~~in company~~
~~with~~
Benj Archer ^{knowing} - Believe him to be
disloyal man

Dr Whitburnet, knows him & believes him
to be a disloyal man

Vincent Archer - Knows him & believes him ^{to be}
a disloyal man

Jos Butler - Wm a Lowe - Knows him & believes
him to be a strong secessionist

Jno Boyle - Knows him & believes him to be
a Rebel

Do you know of any person now living upon the
Key, that has in the past 18 Mos, uttered
one disloyal sentiment, or done one disloyal
act? Ans - My memory being poor, I
cannot say, as I do not hear Judge
Marvin, at a public meeting held at
the Court house, at the breaking out of
the Rebellion, that when a number of
the states (forget the number) went out
of the Union, he would be with them.
In my opinion, there is not on the Island
more than 100 to 150 that would in case
of a raid by the Rebels, support the Govt.

James Grant

Sworn to and subscribed before me
this 24th day of February 1863

James P. Murray

Col 40th Regt U.S.

Commanding Post of Key West Fla -

Head Quarters
Island of Key West Fla
Feb 24. 63
Testimony of
James Grant
as to the loyalty of
W. E. Maloney, Ring Archer
Dr. Whitcomb Vincent Archer
Wm. A. Lane Jim Boyler's
Judge Williamson

Head Quarters Island of Key West Fla
U.S. Barracks July 24th 1863.

Wm Solomon being duly sworn, deposes and says as follows -

W.C. Maloney. Knows him. Has not heard him express or commit any disloyalty -

F.J. Merens - Knows him, was U.S. Marshall, & on the election of Pres Lincoln, resigned on account of it - Has not conversed with him on the subject.

Benj Archer - Knows him. Never had any conversation with him -

Geo H. Watson - Knows him, heard him say he would never return to Key West until the Confederate Flag waved over the Fort - that was at the beginning of the trouble -

Dr Whitcomb - Knows him, Believe him to be a disloyal person -

Wm H. Watson, never heard him express himself but believe him to be disloyal -

Geo Williams, Knows him, and ^{once} said he could

not fight against the South -

Wm Weatherford, Knows him - He has run
the blockade & piloted a vessel into
Matanzas -

Wm A Lowe - Knows him, & believes him to be
a Secessionist -

Geo Lewis - Knows him, & believes him to be
a Secessionist - Was Barkeeper with Mr
Mulvaney -

Thos Bennett - Knows him - & believes him
to be a Secessionist -

Jno Boyle ^(brother in law) - Knows him, have heard him say
he was Secesh -

Do you know of any person ^{other than I have named} on the Island, that
have in deed or act ~~known of any~~ committed
disloyalty? No Sir - Believes there
are no more than 30 male adults on the
Island, that would take part in defending
the U.S. Government, in case of a raid by
the Rebels, on the Key - Thinks Judge Maroon
is inclined to the Southern Cause -

Sworn to, and subscribed before
me this 24th day of July 1863

W. S. Morgan

290th Regt U.S. Col'dg Post of Key West

William H. Morgan

Head Quarters
Island of Key West Fla
July 24 '63

Testimony of
Wm Saunders Sr
as to the Loyalty of
~~Geo~~ Malony, Benj Archer,
Geo N. Watson, Dr Whitehurst,
Wm Weatherford Jr, Geo Bartlett
Wm A Lowe, Thos Bennett
Geo Boyle

Head Quarters Island of Key West Fla
U S Ordnance July 24 '63

Am Saunders, ^{Sr} being duly sworn be-
-poses & says as follows -

Am acquainted with W C
Maloney - Yes Sir, have not
heard him express any disloyal
sentiments in the past 18 mos -
~~Believe~~ Believes him to be a Secesh

Benj Archer - Knows him - Has seen
nothing disloyal in him for the past
18 mos - but believes him to be
a Secesh -

Geo W Watson - Know him & believes him
to be a Secesh

Dr Whitcomb - Knows him, and always
took him to be one of Secesh
prochivitis - -

~~Vincent~~ Wm Weatherford Jr. Knows him
& was one of the 1st Seceshment of the
Island -

Jos Parthen - Know him, have not seen
any disloyalty ^{on his part} for the past 18 mos -
at the time of taking the oath, discharged

me from the ship yard, on account
of my Ulman proclivities. Told me he would
lose every drop of blood in his body, before Lincoln should rule
Wm Lowe. Know him & believes him ^{this Island}
to be a secesh —

Thos Bennett - Knows him to be a
Secesh —

Jno Boyle - Knows him, & Knows him to
be a Rabid Secessionist —

Believes there are no more ^{than} 25 Male
adults on the Island, that would
support the Government in the
event of an attack on the Key —
of Wm's Calendar Ser

Sworn to, and subscribed before me, this 24th day of Feb, 1863

J. D. Murray

Col 40th Regt NY Vol's Commandg Post of Key West Fla

Head Quarters
Island of Key West Fla
Feb 24 '63
Testimony of
Wm Saunders Sr
as to the Loyalty of
~~Geo~~ Malony, Benj Archer,
Geo. N. Watson, Dr Whitcomb
Wm Weatherford, Jno Bartlow
Wm Lowe, Thos Bennett
Jno Boyle

Head Quarters
Island of Key West Fla
Feby 24 1863

Testimony of
Wm Saunders
as to the Loyalty of
W.C. Malony - Benj Archer
By Deveritt & Judge Marim

Head Quarters Island of Key West, Fla

W. S. Barnes Feb. 24 '63

Mrs. Saunders being duly sworn deposes and says as follows

Question - Do you know Walter C. Maloney?

Ans - Yes Sir.

Question - Within the last 2 years have you heard him make use of any disloyal language, or commit any disloyal act?

Ans - No sir, neither.

Benj Archer - Know him. Have heard him say that he was in favor of the South gaining its independence within the past 18 Mos.

My Desmerit, Know him. From what I have heard him say, I should call him a loyal man.

My opinion, of the people on the Island generally, is, that they are not, really loyal.

Judge Marvin. Know him. Heard him say about 2 yrs ago, in Key West, at a public meeting held for the purpose of choosing delegates for a State Convention which was to be held at Tallahassee, then and there deciding whether Florida should secede or not, that if seven states seceded from the U.S. he, Judge Marvin, would go with them.

(over)

William Saunders Jones

I swore to and subscribed before me
this 27th day of February 1863

Jos. D. Bryner

Col 90th Regt. N.Y.
Commandg Post of Key West Fla

Head-Quarters
Barracks Key West Fla
Feb 27 1863
Testimony of
Wm Saunders
as to the loyalty of
Wm Malony - Recd's order
My Reminits J. D. Bryner

Head Quarters
Island of Key West Fla
Feb'y 24. 1863

Testimony of
Charles Johnson
as to the Loyalty of
W. C. Maloney - Dr Whitehurst
Hy + Jno Fagan. Wm A Lane.
Jno Boyle

Head Quarters Island of Key West Fla
U.S. Barracks July 24 '13
Chas Johnson being duly sworn deposes & says
as follows

Do you know W.C. Maloney? I do
have not heard him expressing or doing
anything disloyal for the past 18 mos -
but believes him to be a disloyal man -

Dr. Whitcomb, knows him, & judging from
the Society he keeps, should not consider
him ~~a~~ loyal person -

Hy & John Dagan - Believes them from the
Society they keep, to be disloyal persons -

Wm A. Lowe - knows him, has not known him
lately to have expressed any disloyalty, but
believes him to be a secessionist -

Jno Boyle - knows him, said he would hang
him, & every ^{union} man on the Key - Thinks this
was before administering the oath by Maj
French - Has heard him exult over
the reception of news of Southern Victories
since the ~~oath~~ -

~~Do you~~ Know of any person living upon the
Key, that have in word or deed, during the
past 18 mos, committed disloyalty? I do not.

In my opinion, if an opportunity was
offered, 3/4 of the Community would take
up arms against the Federal Govt.

Charles Johnson

Sworn to and subscribed before me
this 24th day of February 1863

John C. Taylor

Col 90th Regt N.Y. Vols

Commanding Post at Key West Fla

Head Quarters
Island of Key West Fla
Feb 24, 1863
Declarations of
Charles Johnson
as to the Loyalty of
W.C. Maloney - Dr. Whitehurst
Myself & others. From a letter
to Geo. B. Taylor

evidence of ³⁷⁴⁷Warren
as to loyalty of certain
parties

Feb. 23. 1863.

Statement of Sam Harris of expressions he has heard made use of by various parties now living upon the Key.

I have heard Mr Moses say he did not like take the oath, but as it was compulsory he would do so, this occurred in the year 1861.

I heard Benjamin Archer say about 5 months since, "that the war would soon be over, as the South ~~would~~ confederacy would gain the victory" his expression was made in an exulting tone of voice

I have heard Azariah Kemp say when in conversation with others concerning the seizure of the Scho "Amelia Ann" "that the sons of bitches will soon be paid for it the war will be over in a few weeks and then we will be able to punish them as they punished us, meaning those who seized the "Amelia Ann"

I have heard Geo G. Watten openly talk "seesick" within the last 4 months, saying "we will soon be able to fly our flags, meaning "seesick" flags

I know W. A. Lorne to be seesick - have heard him say he would fight for the southern confederacy some 5 or 6 months ago -

have heard Azariah Kemp say about 6 or 7 weeks ago, that seesick would gain the day and if he was able he would go ~~fight for~~
over

in the battle field and help them do it, this keeps
brother offered 500\$ to have the water in the
citizens present

sworn to before me this 23rd of February
1863 and subscribed to

W. J. Woolley
notary adpt.

William Harris

order of W. J. Harris
as to lay ally of citizen
present

Feb. 23. 1863.

Head Quarters
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Island of Key West Fla
Feb 24 1863

Testimony of

Henry Albury
as to the loyalty of
W. C. Maloney. A. Moreno
Benj Archer. Geo G Watson
& Whitcomb. Philip Hernandez
Jno Batten. Emma Lowe
Thos Bennett. Hy Serrant
Thos Reed

Henry Albany

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Head Quarters Island of Key West Fla
W. S. Barnacks Feb/ 24 '63

Henry Albany being duly sworn, deposes & says
as follows -

H. C. Maloney - Know him - Do you know
in word or deed for the last 18 mos of any
disloyalty on his part? ~~He~~ ^{Do} not other than
the expression that he ~~made~~ ^{he made} at a public
Meeting held in Key West, within the last
5 Mos. ^{when said} ~~say~~ he had always been true to
the Govt until prevented by soldiers from
entering the Court ^{House} ~~for Election~~ to attend
an election since that, ^{that} his ardor had
cooled, ~~believe~~ saw articles written by him
in the Brooklyn Eagle, which tend to de-
moralize the Army. Believe him to be a Rebel
Sympathizer.

F. J. Mereno - Know him, never heard him ex-
-press a disloyal sentiment - heard him say at
the time he took the oath of Allegiance, ~~and~~
that he done it against his will, but that
he should abide by it, that he should write
to his Rebel relatives & tell them to hold no
further communication with him, & he
did not want to hear people talk Secesh.

Benjamin Archer - Know him - Know nothing
disloyal of him - Believe him to be Secesh -

Geo G Watson - Know him - Previous to taking
the oath of allegiance he talked discess openly.
Believes his sympathies to be with the Rebels.

Dr Whitehurst - Know him - Believes him to be
a disloyal man, and that he would prefer
seeing the flag of secession float at W. Taylor.

Philip Hermann - Know him - Never heard of
anything disloyal on his part.

Geo Bartlam - Know him - Know nothing of his disloyalty
since taking the oath -

Wm A Love - Know him - Believes him to be
a secessionist -

Thos Bennett - Know him - ~~was told~~ Believes
him to be secess -

Hy DeMerritt - Know him - Believe him to be
a loyal man -

Do you know of any person other than I have spoken
of, by word or deed, in the last 2 yrs, ^{that has long} ~~to anything~~
disloyal to the Federal Government? Yes, I have
heard Thos Reed say the day of the negro
parade that he hoped Jeff Davis would
have possession of the Key in less than
3 ~~days~~ mos, and then you fellows will shake in your shoes.

~~Heard~~ My opinion of the loyalty of the people
in general, is, that I do not believe there are
over 60 loyal ^{male adults} ~~men~~ on the Key in

Henry Abney

Sworn to and subscribed before me
this 2^d day of February 1813.

John C. Cuyler

One of the Justices of the Peace
County of Polk at
Key West Fla

Head Quarters
Island of Key West Fla
Feb 24 1863

Testimony of
John White
as to the Loyalty of
W. L. Maloney, F. J. Moreno
Geny Archer, Geo. G. Watson
R. W. M. Cook, Dr. Whitehead
Mrs. J. P. Baldwin, Vincent Archer
Wm. Weatherford, Jno. Bartlem
Wm. A. Lowe, Jno. Boyle

Head Quarters Island of Key West Fla
US Barracks Feb 24 63
I do White being duly sworn, deposes and
says as follows

Do you know Walter C Maloney. Yes Sir,
State what you know of him, as a loyal or
disloyal citizen, ^{at the first stages,} I thought
Mr Maloney was anxious the Union should
be sustained. At a conversation I had
with him about the time the delegates
went from here, he seemed anxious to
make it appear in as favorable a
light as he could. What made me
suspect his loyalty most, was his continued
association with such men as Chas &
Wm Dift, and his trying to screen them
~~from the just~~ all he could in their acts
and their property while acting as their
Bookkeeper & Legal adviser. ~~His~~
Judging from his general acts & sentiments,
both before and after administering the
oath of Allegiance, has lead me to believe
his sympathies are in unison with
those opposed to the Government -

Do you ^{or do you not} believe Mr Maloney to be a dangerous
and disloyal man to the United States?
I think he is, I know Mr Maloney to be
repugnant to the Government ^{and Administration} of the U.S. ~~and~~
and opposed to every effort to put down the Rebellion

and particularly, of late. Have heard
Mr Maloney say he had a son in the Rebel
Army -

Dr Merons - Know him. Have never seen or known
of his Disloyalty. Never had any conversation with
him on the subject -

Benj Archer. Know him. Never had any conversation
with him on the subject, heard him say at the
time of the breaking out of the war that he
was for neither side - Has but little
confidence in his Loyalty -

Geo H. Watson - Knows him - I was familiar
with Mr Watson at the time of the breaking
out of the war, and he professed to be in
favor of the Union, but his continual as-
-sociation with disloyal persons, caused me
to think he was being led into their way -
at the time of taking the oath, he sold out
his stock of goods, & went to the Bahamas.
Came back & took the oath. Told me if we
paid the taxes, we should have to pay them
to the state of Florida in a couple years.

Robt J. Cook. Know him. Had a con-
-versation with him about 18 mos ago, when
he expressed himself pretty freely. He related
to me that the election which had resulted
in the election of Lincoln, or a determined
part of the South, would deprive the South of

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their Rights, and to abolish Slavery in a Constitutional way, that their plan was to bring in all the Territories as free states, ~~and~~ until they got a majority, and that there was no alternative but the south to fight for their rights - He took the ground, that they were ^{perfectly} justified, & ~~that they~~ it was their duty to fight it out, if they could not agree - Believes him to be a very disloyal man -

~~Wm Edward Watson, Knows him.~~

Dr Whitehurst, Knows him. Believes him to be one of the most disloyal men that can be found.

Mrs J P Baldwin - Believes her to be a Secessionist -

Vincent Archer - Knows him - Believes him to be a disloyal man -

Wm Weatherford, Knows him, has ~~had~~ no confidence in his loyalty, has not heard him express himself of late -

John Bartley, Knows him, Believes him to be a Disloyal, but never heard him express himself.

Mr. Love, knows him, I heard him talk loud
and bitter against the U.S. Govt. within the last
18 Mos. Recollect no particular saying, but have
heard him several Times, when rabid against
the Govt —

John Reed, Knows him

Question. Do you know of any person in the past 18 Mos
other than I have named, that has committed
Disloyalty, in word or deed, on the Island?

Ans. No sir, I dont know as I do

John Doyle, Knows him, & believe him to be
a disloyal man. - Have heard him ridicule
the manner ~~the~~ in which the Govt. conducted matters.

Does not believe there are over 40 male adults
on the Island, that are truly loyal to the
Government —

Sworn to and subscribed before
me, this 26th day of July, 1863
John White

~~John White~~
Col 90th Regt NYV,
Commanding Post of Key West Fla

Testimony of 3750
Geo W. Ferguson, as
to the Loyalty of

W.C. Maloney . F.J. Moreno
Benj Archer . Geo G. Watson
Dr Whitehurst . Wm H. Watson
Hy Pagan . Philip Hermance
Jno Pagan . Vincent Archer
C.W. Bethel . Wm Weatherford Jr
Jno Bartlan . Wm Rinehney
Thos Bennett . Thos Reed
Jos B Brown . Winan Bethel
Jno Boyle .

Feb. 24, 1863

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Head Quarters Island of Key West Fla

U.S. Barracks July 24 1863

Gen. W. Ferguson being duly sworn deposes & says as follows—

W. C. Maloney - Know him for several years - For the last 18 mos, have you heard any ~~disloyal~~ sentiments, or seen any ~~disloyal~~ acts on the part of Mr Maloney that you would consider disloyal? No Sir, cannot say I have - Did you ever hear Mr Maloney say he had a son in the Rebel Army & was proud of it? No Sir - Do you believe Mr Maloney a true loyal man? I should not like to say he was disloyal; consider him, a loyal man, leaving the "true" out - Did you read an article, published ^{by him} in the Brooklyn Eagle? Yes Sir, and believe was written in bad tone & temper, that it was no evidence of a loyal man - and if I had not ample evidence of his loyalty, should have thought him a traitor, from that article -

F. J. Moreno - Know him - Believe him a sympathizer with the Rebels, but considers him an honorable Neutral in the war, & worthy of great confidence being placed in him, in what he may promise - Have seen no evidence of exultation from him on the receipt of news of a Rebel Victory -

Benj Archer - Know him - Know that generally he manifests a bad tone towards the Union Cause, and that in soliciting from him, a donation, for the relief of the Vols in the Army, he refused it promptly and stated he was no Abolitionist. Generally, speaking considered, and I have no doubt, is a disloyal man.

Geo G. Watson - Know him - Know nothing disloyal of him for the past 18 Mos - Consider him a man weaned from his error of Rebellion & anxious to redeem himself -

Dr Whitehurst - Know him - Know him to be one of the strongest Rebels on the Island at the breaking out of the War, and has followed it up consistently ever since - ~~Has said~~ ^{heard him say} ~~said~~ just previous to the attack on Ft Sumpter that the people of South Carolina would have that Fort if they had to make a Rampart of their own bodies & walk over into it, ~~and~~ his family are considered disloyal & in favor of Secession -

Wm W. Watson - Know him - Consider him a disloyal man, but know of no circumstances.

Henry Fagan - Know him - Heard him say a few days ago, that he wanted to go to Havana & from there he could get where he wanted to go -

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Philip Hermance - Know him - Know nothing
disloyal of him -

Jno Sagan - Know him - Know nothing dis-
loyal of him, but is not considered a
loyal man

Vincent Archer - Know him - Consider
him a disloyal man -

CW Bethel - Know him - Know nothing
of him disloyal, think him a loyal man -

Jos Williams Weatherford Jr. Know him - Has
been disloyal, but think he is now weaned
from disloyalty - Have seen nothing for the
past 18 mos that was disloyal -

Jno Barton - Know him very well - I
consider him ~~as~~ as once a disloyal
man, but that he now regrets his disloyalty
and is a loyal man -

Wm Pickney - Know him well - Have seen
nothing disloyal for the past 18 mos -

Thos Bennett - Know him - Have seen
nothing directly ~~with~~ ⁱⁿ the past 18 mos, but
considers him a disloyal person

Thos Reed - Know him - Know nothing of his
loyalty or disloyalty - -

Do you know in the past 2 yrs any person
other than I have mentioned, in word or deed,
that have shown themselves disloyal? Yes Sir.

- Know -

Joseph B. Brown - Have heard him argue very
strongly for the ~~capturing~~ destroying of the authority
of the Federal Govt on the Island - and was
a first mover to introduce Judge ^(Mover) ~~W. P. T. T. T.~~
as Judge of the Admiralty Court. He was
a zealous co-operator, and in all plans
favoring Secession, and may be safely
considered a disloyal man - Know his
family & frequently see them and have
seen much evidence of their bad
temper, and a general strong disposition
to favor the Rebel Cause, and consider
their influence bad -

Winan Bethel - Know him - Consider the con-
-duct of ~~the~~ Mr Bethel since he took the
oath, as very good, but that of his
family as bad - His family are known
to be in bad temper, and indulge in frequent
disloyal sentiments, and are generally considered
badly disposed towards the Union Cause.

I consider the tone of Loyalty on the Island
as improving, and believe if deprived of
the influence of certain prominent
secession families, that a very decided
benefit would result, therefrom as
Believe the majority of the male adults
are disloyal men

Ans Boyle - Know him - Have heard him
seen acts of his & consider ^{evidence of} disloyalty.
Have known him to exult on the receipt
of news that were unfavorable to the
Federal Cause - and has been very sharp
in his condemnation of the ~~Extradition~~ Extradition
policy, consider him one of our most
disloyal citizens and exerting a bad
influence

J. W. Ferguson

Sworn to - and subscribed before me
this 24th day of July 1863.

Jed. D. Wynn

Col. Genl. Regt. N. W.

Commanding Post at Key West Fla.

Provoost Meisbode's Office

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of Provoost Meisbode's

Key West Fla

City

Feb 16 1863

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Reports

Arrival of a
Schooner from Havana with
the following passengers
H. W. Miller, H. G. Taylor
Wm Taylor, Thos. Garwill

Also the arrival
of N. S. Gurdock "De Solo"
from Havana

Trobost Marshals Office,

KEY WEST, FLA.

February 14th 1863

Cot J. B. Morgan

Commanding
Sir

I have the honor to report the arrival of the Schooner
Clammell Burrows from Havana having
as passengers the following named persons
Wm Miller a painted prisoner W. Tyler
Wm Tyler, Thomas Garvill of Key West Fla.
Also the arrival of U.S. Gunboat
"De Soto" from Havana

I have the honor to be

Sir most respectfully

Your Obedt Servt

Mapes W. Shannan
Provost Marshal

J. P. Reynes,

Proost Marshall, Office

Feb 14th / 63.

Major N. S. Kaarman,

Proost Marshall,

Henry Linn & Michael

Maloney. desire a pass
to leave the Island.

Probst Marshals Office,

KEY WEST, FLA.

February 14th 1863

Walter T. Woolley,
1st Lt & Acting Adjutant

Sir

The following
named Gentlemen Henry Quinn and
Martin Maloney arrived in this port
from Havana on the 12th inst. - I am
informed their object was to obtain
work and having failed so to do
are now desirous to leave the Island.

I am respectfully
Your obt Servt

Major Nelson Shauerman
Provost Marshal

Capt. ~~Marman~~
 Pro. Marshal Baton Rouge

3753 City

Mary Heer and
 Susan Belger complain
 of bad treatment from
 him -

Also

Letter from Gen. Groves
 about seaman -

OFFICE OF THE ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF THE NAVY,
 DEPARTMENT OF THE GULF,

208 Carondelet Street,
 NEW ORLEANS

R-1-D.M.C. (26) 1863
 A-5 Enclosed

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Baton Rouge
Feb 4 1863

C. Grover

Concerning to the
inquiry of the Provost
Marshal General about
certain mispractices at
Baton Rouge.

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Recd. Feb 8th 1863

Head Quarters. Dept. of
the Gulf. February 9th

Respectfully referred
to Brig. Gen. Brown.

Pro. War. Gen.

By command of
Major Gen. Banks.

Richard F. Brown

S. Col. A. A. G.

Head Quarters General Division
Caton Rouge La. Feby 4th 1863

To

Lieut. Colonel R. B. Irwin

Apt. Adj. General

Department of the Gulf } Sir

In the absence

presumed to be for some days, of Major Gen. Augur.

I have the honor to enclose the within communication to your office, and to state that I have called up Captain Hull of the 174th New York Vol. and have asked him after showing him the communication from the office of the Provost Marshal General, if he knew of any mal-practices at this Post to which he can testify. He denies any knowledge whatever of any such mal-practices, and I shall not therefore order him to report at New Orleans, until further orders. With regard to Captain Seaman, who is the Provost Marshal, of my Division, and the Post.

if there are any accusations against him. I
respectfully claim that they be made in a
tangible form to me.

I am Sir

Very Respectfully

Your Obedt. Servant

(Signed) C. Grover

Brig. General
Candy.

Headquarters Dept. of the Gulf,
New Orleans 9th Feby. 1863.

official copy

Richard W. Swin

Lieut. Colonel A. G.

Capt. Seaman
Pro Marshal
July 4th 1863.

Statement about Mrs
Belger sister -

R. L.
Long
[unclear]
[unclear]

[unclear]
[unclear]

Wm. Linn Baton Rouge
Feb. 1st 63

The enclosed communication
signed by Mary How
and Susan Bailey has been
referred to Capt. Leaman
P. Woodworth and his
statement in the case is
respectfully forwarded. I
can only say in the case,
that I do not believe there
has been any just grounds
of complaint. The ladies
were unquestionably spies,
and one of them, Susan
Bailey, I believe, had about
five pounds of quinine in
her possession. From what
I know of the case I do not
think that the statements of
either of them, especially

subject, is entitled to
relief -

C. Groves
Big Lake
Calif
1863

State need about 7000
Beyr. timber -

Prof. J. D. Dana
Pro Marshal
July 11th 1863.

Statement of Capt Seaman in
regard to the within paper -

The signers of this paper were
sent to me by Genl Grover, Comdg this post, with
orders to confine and search them. This duty was
done as delicately, and with as much consideration
for their feelings as the circumstances of the case
would admit. They were furnished by me with
a servant, and fed, most of the time, from my own
table. and I gave strict orders to the guard to attend
to their comfort and convenience. When returned
to New Orleans, by order of the Genl, I went with them,
taking unusual pains for their comfort on the passage,
and they were conveyed to and from the boat in a
carriage procured for their special use.

All moneys, papers, and property, belonging to
the prisoners remanded to New Orleans, have been
turned over to Col French; theirs being among the rest.

The fiction in regard to Mrs Clark is
utterly false. The lady herself having denied the
report.

I do not distinctly recollect the conversation relating to the Infernal regions. The principle involved in the statement I heartily endorse and always act upon; although the language is a trifle more emphatic than I am accustomed to use in the presence of ladies.

submitted

All of which is respectfully

W. H. Leaman
Capt & Provost Marshal

Head Quarters

Dept. of the Gulf.

5th March 1863.

Capt: Seamen, sh^d be instructed to come at the action of Lt: Murrey. Dept: Provost Marshal at Baton Rouge in the case named. written. No slave is to be returned without consent and no commerce sh^d be had with masters beyond the lines without the knowledge & consent of the Commanding General of the Post. These orders sh^d be strictly enforced.

M. P. Dawes

M. G. C.

Baton Rouge July 27/63.

Surgeon C. A. Robertson
159 Reg. N.Y. Vol.

Says that Lt Muzzy
Captⁿ Seaman
Deputy Pro. Marshal
del^d planter Knoff
a black girl which
he took across the
lines against her will.

R. 1.

Rec^d J. P. M. G. O. Feb 5/63.

Baton Rouge, La., 27th Feb., 1863
N. P. Banks,
Major General Commanding De-
partment of the Gulf,
New Orleans, La.,

Sir,

I take the liberty of addressing you personally on the ground of formerly being acquainted with you. My motive for writing is to state to you some facts that demand attention, as being repugnant to the convictions and sentiments of many officers in your command; and I, also, because of my personal regard for your reputation, desire, that you should be reasonably apprised of doings, whose continuance will unavoidably reflect upon you.

Yesterday, a person free, under the proclamation of the President was enslaved by the act of a representative of Capt. W. H. Seaman, Provost Marshal of this place. Robert Knox, a planter residing some ten miles ^{eastly} from Baton Rouge went to the office of the Provost Marshal and procured a pass to take beyond the

lines, "his servant; Eliza Ann. This girl was at one time assisting the laundress of my hospital, and I had had her provided with a pass about the town. Seeing her sitting in a carriage in front of the provost marshal's, a non-commissioned officer of my regiment, who knew her, accosted her and inquired where she was going. She replied that her master was going to take her home. He inquired if she wanted to go, and she answered that she did not, but that she could not help herself. A sergeant of the provost guard, soon came up, and ordered the man away, and threatened to arrest him for interfering with the provost marshal's affairs! I called to-day at the office of the provost marshal, and saw Lieut. D. P. Muzzy, who seems to be entrusted with a great portion of the duties of this very responsible office; since Capt. Beaman is absent a great part of the time. Lieut. Muzzy admitted that he gave the man Knox, a pass for his servant, as he "supposed" it was all right, and the man called for a pass as they "generally do!" I then told this plastic, credulous young man, that the affair had called out a good many expressions of indignation

that the provost marshal's office should be made a slave trap for the girl ~~should~~ be taken away against her will. He said he would make the man bring her back, if she wanted to come, or he would get no more papers!

I most respectfully submit to you, Sir, if such carelessness, or incompetency, or recklessness is not most outrageously culpable. Shall a volunteer captain, who has not been tested to the satisfaction of many who are engaged in this conflict for principle's sake, or his facile lieutenant, at the stroke of a pen remand into slavery those whose chains the vice proclamation of the President has stripped from them? Is the supposition that all is right, to be sufficient ground on which a careless young man is to act against an absent and helpless girl's liberty? Shall rebel slaveholders, who mock at the President and his proclamation be permitted to "generally" carry beyond these lines their former slaves, now freemen, on the pap of a provost marshal. I do not know Capt. Seamans, and I have personally neither favor nor antipathy for the man, but if such a heinous violation of the President's order, and such flagrant rendering of aid and comfort,

As the enemy is so recklessly perpetrated
in that office, there must be reason to fear
that the rumors which circulate regarding him
are not contradicted for a good reason; I
have repeatedly heard officers say that they
are disheartened and disgusted, when on
picket they see what aid and comfort ^{is information} the
enemy obtains by means of papers from the
Provost-marshal's office.

This same fellow Knox, ^{yesterday} called at
my hospital, furnished with a pass from Lieut.
Muzzy, to see a negro boy, who is staying with
the laundress, and is now ill. This boy is a brother
of the girl, Eliza Ann. As the boy was ill, I did
not permit the excitement of an interview.

I have felt it my duty to write to you,
Sir, and I trust that an order from you will
detain this kidnapper, Knox, as a hostage for the
return of the girl, and that he then receive no more
papers. Pardon me, Sir, for my long letter,
but I have by no means succeeded in giving
you an ^{adequate} idea of the distrust felt universally respect-
ing the Provost Marshal, who should be above suspicion.
Believing that you will give me credit for
the purity of my motives, I am

Very respectfully,

Your obedient Servant,

C. A. Robertson, Surgeon 159th Regt, U.S. A.

Mrs. Belyer & Sister
Jan'y 24th 1863.

Respectfully referred
to Genl. Grant
James P. ...
President
P. M. G.

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Jan'y 31. 63

Respectfully ref'd to
Capt. ...
Marshall

By order of
John
P. M. G.

John
1863

To Col J. S. Clark.

P. M. Dept of the Buff.

Mrs Belger & Sister, Mrs Foster fearing to occupy too much of Col Clark's time, take this form of addressing him to represent the cruel and ungentlemanly conduct which they ^{were} subjected to in Watson Range by officers of General Banks. We left New Orleans on the 3rd of January having a pass signed by Col French and approved by Col Clark. Before reaching the wharf at N. B. Lieut Forman and a squad of soldiers boarded the steamer and arrested and took us before General Grover, who questioned about our destination and turned us over to the Provost Marshal Capt Seamons, and it is of his treatment of ourselves and others that we wish to make you acquainted. Of the arrest we do not complain as we have been honourably acquitted, notwithstanding the malice which was evinced in forwarding information that we carried contraband articles upon our persons such as letters & medicines beyond the lines.

After answering all the inquiries put to us by Capt Seamons he made us give up our money and the keys of our trunks, and said in the most offensive manner that our persons must be examined, we made no objections, provided it was done by a female, whereupon he said that "if he could find one willing to do it, he would get her, if not he would do it himself, that it made no difference to him what we liked or disliked that if he was ordered to search

"Hell he would do it." A female was found, but a sergeant was made to stay in the room whilst our clothes was taken off and our persons exposed, and nothing was found upon us ^{for} in our trunks which we had no permits; our trunks were searched four different times, and yet one were detained in close confinement two weeks and brought back to the city.

Ours, is not the only instance of such treatment inflicted upon females arrested in that place. An old lady (upwards of 50 years) by name Mrs Clark residing a few miles above B.P. on the west side of the river, was arrested and searched by an officer, who refused to submit the old lady to the trial in the presence of the men; and made them leave the room, leaving the door ajar and passed them her garments as she took them off, which they the officer and men put upon their persons and danced around the room with them on.

In giving you this statement, it is to prevent, if possible such indecencies being perpetrated upon other unfortunate women who may be detained.

Respectfully

Mary Keck.

Susan Helger.

N.C. January 24th 1863.

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W.S.

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Head-Quarters Provost Marshal's Office,

Mr Wood Supt.

Washington, February 23rd 1863.

To the Officer of the Guard:-

Old Capital Prison.

You will receive and confine in the prison under your charge, until further orders, the persons of Messrs E. Volant, Messrs L. Dietz, A. L. Reimack, J. Isaac, J. L. Haman, Messrs I. Covisart, M. Hooker, G. H. Johnson & Mrs. E. Sauester.

(refugees.)

By command of
Brig Genl. Martindale

Wm. J. Todd
Capt Provost Marshal.

Adjutant.

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N. O. Dec. 1863

Lucas Policy Co

vs

Red C. & McKen M. Co.

Papers in case of

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No. 76

New Orleans, July 20th 1863

Felix A Ducreux

vs.

C Reed
M. J. McKee

United States of America,
MARSHAL'S OFFICE

In the United States Provisional Court in and for the
State of Louisiana.

To J. McKee

PLEASE TO TAKE NOTICE, that by virtue of a writ of Attachment
issued in the above mentioned Suit, I have Attached and taken into my possession

A. J. Blodgett
Asst Deputy

MARSHAL.



No. 116

New Orleans, Feb 20th 1863

Felix A Ducros

vs.

L Reed
M. J. McKee

United States of America,
MARSHAL'S OFFICE.

In the United States Provisional Court in and for the
State of Louisiana.

To L Reed

PLEASE TO TAKE NOTICE, that by virtue of a writ of Attachment
issued in the above mentioned Suit, I have attached and taken into my possession.

H. J. Blodgett
Asst Deputy

MARSHAL.

No _____

UNITED STATES PROVISIONAL COURT

FOR THE STATE OF LOUISIANA,

VS.

Attorney.

Writ of Attachment.

United States Provisional Court for the State of Louisiana.

TO THE UNITED STATES PROVISIONAL MARSHAL FOR THE STATE OF LOUISIANA, GREETING:

WHEREAS, due proof has been made before the United States Provisional Court for the State of Louisiana, by

Felix A. Ducros

that *E. Reid & M. G. McKee* are justly & truly indebted unto the said *Felix A. Ducros*:

in the sum of *Five thousand dollars with int. at 8% from 19th Dec^r 1862, and in the sum of \$446.40 with interest at 8% from the 25th Jan'y 1863* and that the said *Defendants*

reside permanently out of the State of Louisiana: NOW, THEREFORE, YOU ARE COMMANDED, in the name of the State of Louisiana, and of the United States Provisional Court, to seize and attach according to law, and take into your possession the Goods and Chattels, Lands and Tenements, Rights and Monneys, Effects and Credits of the said

Defendants

if any you find in said Parish, to the amount of what will suffice to discharge the said debt and cost of suit; and that you give notice of this proceeding by leaving a copy thereof at the last place of abode of the said Defendant if in said Parish, and causing a copy thereof to be affixed at the door of the Parish Church of said Parish; and make a return of this Writ, and endorse thereon the manner in which you have executed it, before our Court, on or before the

Monday of *May* in the year of our Lord, 1863.

Clerk's Office, *20th* day of *Feb'y* *Aug. S. Hughes* Clerk. 1863.

February 19 Mrs
Pittsford J. A. Dumas
to Judge Peabody

Felix A. Baras being duly sworn deposes and says that
C Reid, and M. G. McKee, the defendants in this case
are really and truly indebted in solido unto him 1st
in the sum of Five thousand dollars, with interest
at 8 per cent from the 19th of December 1862 till paid
2^d. In a further sum of Four thousand four hundred
and sixty six dollars with interest at the same rate
of 8 per cent from the 25th of January 1863, till paid, it
being the amount of two promissory notes described
in affiant's Petition, and that said notes were issued
for passing funds, for the supplies of defendant's
Plantation in the Parish of St Bernard, with the
understanding that said notes should be paid by
Privilege out of the proceeds of the sugar crop to be
raised on said plantation during the year 1864. That
said crop having been raised and made by the defendant
said C Reid, when in the possession of the proceeds of
the sale of said crop amounting to about Twenty thousand
dollars, instead of paying said notes, attempted to
abscond himself and to leave the state permanently by
crossing the Federal Lines at Bonnet Carré carrying
with him and concealing on his person the proceeds
of said sale, in order to avoid the payment of affiant's
claims, when he was arrested and brought back to this
city, and the funds it is to pay about twenty thousand
dollars found on his person, and that the whole acts
aforesaid were perpetrated without the knowledge of
said affiant

Sworn to before me this
19th day of Feb'y 1863
August B. Hughes
Clerk

Attest
J. O. Sibley
Henry Roscher
1863

Felix A. Baras

No 76

To the Honorable Chas. C. Peabody
Judge of the Provisional Court of the
U.S. for the State of Louisiana.

The Petition of Felix A. Ducros
a loyal citizen of New Orleans, respectfully
represents.

That C. Reid of the Parish of St.
Bernard, Louisiana, and M. J. McKee of
Canton Madison County, Mississippi are
really and truly indebted in solids unto
said Petitioner

In the sum of five thousand
Dollars it being the amount of a certain
promissory note drawn at New Orleans on
the 16th of November 1861 by said C. Reid, and
M. J. McKee to the order of said M. J. McKee
who endorsed the same, said note payable
twelve months after date at the office of
S. M. Burbridge & Co in this city bearing interest
at the rate of eight per cent per annum from
maturity, till paid, as it will more fully
appear by reference to said note hereto annexed
and marked A.

2^d For another sum of four thousand four
hundred and sixty six dollars, it being the
amount of another note, dated New Orleans,
January 22^d 1862, by the same drawers to the
order of said M. J. McKee who endorsed said

note which was payable at the same place than the aforesaid described note and payable twelve months after date, and bearing interest at 8 per cent. from maturity till paid, as it will more fully appear by reference to said note hereto annexed and marked B.

The said notes were issued by the defendants for the purpose of raising funds for taking up the sugar crop of their plantation in the Parish of St. Bernard and belonging to the Defendants, and with the understanding that said notes should be paid out of the proceeds of the sale of the said crop for the year 1852, and said notes or their proceeds, being for supplies Petitioner by Louisiana law, has a privilege on the proceeds of said crop.

That said defendant after having made said crop, have sold it, and received their proceeds, and when in possession of it. They agreed through J. M. Burbridge Esq. of this city, their Commissioner, that said proceeds should be applied to the payment of the aforesaid described notes, and as said C. Reid, had with him and under his control and exclusive management, the proceeds of the sale of said crop amounting to about twenty thousand dollars, he acknowledged that he was bound and willing to pay the aforesaid notes out of said money in his hands.

but instead of doing so. He attempted a few days ago to leave the state permanently by crossing the Federal line at Bonnet-Crewe. Carrying concealed, on his person the proceeds of the sale of said crop in order to avoid the payment of the two described notes, when he was arrested by the troops of the U.S. and brought back to this city, and the funds, about twenty thousand dollars, found on his person deposited with Colonel Dwight Provoost Marshal.

That said C. Reid although he has failed in his attempt has already shown by his doings that he intended to absent himself, and to dispose with the money especially effected to the payment of the petitioner's notes, and therefore said Petitioner on the bond and affidavit filed is entitled to a writ of attachment.

Wherefore petitioner prays that said C. Reid, and J. J. McKee be cited to appear before this Hon. Court, and that after due course of law, that they be condemned in whole to pay petitioner 1st the sum of five thousand dollars, amount of the first described note, with interest at eight per cent from the 19th of December 1862, till paid. 2nd the sum of four thousand four hundred and sixty six dollars, amount

of the second described note, with like interest
of eight per cent from the 25th of January 1863
till paid with the privilege granted by law
to the attaching creditor on the property
attached and costs. and as said C. Reid
was about to leave the state of Louisiana
permanently, carrying away with him, and
concealed on his person the proceeds of the
sugar crop of the plantation, of the Parish
of St. Bernard belonging to defendants, and
especially effected to the payment of the
notes aforesaid, and to deprive petitioner
of his lien and privilege on said proceeds,
and that having failed in his attempt,
and having been arrested by the U. S.
troops, said petitioner prays that it may
please the Honorable Court to issue a writ
of attachment, to the U. S. Marshal, directing
him to attach the money now in the hands of

Dwight Cezr. Provost
Marshal, he notified of this proceedings in
order that he may retain in his hands a
sufficient amount of the money attached
to secure petitioners claim, and that he
may appear before this Honorable Court
to take such steps as this case may require.
for his own interest as well as for the
interest of all parties concerned in it
and petitioner prays for general relief
J. Castera

and petitions praye for general relief
J. Castora

Let a writ of attachment issue
as prayed for upon the Plaintiff
executing a bond in the sum of
fifteen thousand dollars with good and
solvent security.

Aug. De B Hughes
Clerk

- A true copy
July 19, 1863

3756 Feb. 21, 1863
Statement

Concerning ~~600~~
Richard Adler & Hirsch
in regard to goods, which
they brought to this place

Head Qrs Dept of Treas
New Orleans

February 21 '63

Respectfully referred to the
Provost Marshal General
(General Bowen) with the
request that he will take
measures to examine into the
facts, hear the story of Mr.
Richards, and test the truth
of the assertions made by him
and report the same to these
Head Quarters -

A. P. Banks
M. G. C.

Capt^l Goodrich
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the

Respectfully deferred
to

Thibodaux Feb 19th 1863.

P. Reinhart, S. Adler, & Emile Hirsch,
Gentlemen from New Orleans, have
brought goods from New Orleans to this place,
you being asked the value of their goods,
they have appraised them at \$1570.00
the goods are contained in seven boxes, ^(marked S.B.) &
are composed of Dry goods, boots & shoes
and are at present in an Oyster Boat at the
Levee.

These gentlemen say the permit to ship
these goods to this place, was obtained by
Reinhart in New Orleans from a party by
the name of Illig Carrier of Bienville &
Marry by paying him the said Illig \$200.00
for the same, On the permit the goods were
to be shipped or assigned to Bernheimer at Thibodaux
the above named parties have never seen
Bernheimer.

These parties obtained a permit from
Genl. Metzger since their arrival here to
trade in his lines, and then proceeded up.

the Bayou towards Donaldsonville,

One of these parties (Rinehart) obtained a pass from Deputy Provost Marshal of this District, St. Harcourt, under a fictitious name.

These parties state further that the Freight-Agent on the Cars at Algiers wanted to ship these goods half one day and the other half the next day, but on ~~W. Hirsch~~ offering him (\$5.00) Five dollars to ship them all the same day, he accepted the offer and shipped all the goods the same day.

Rinehart is found with the Oath of Allegiance of another man from New Orleans by the name of Simon Bernheimer, the Oath is dated June 21st 1862 & No 35, Signed A. G. Bowles Ad de Camp.

Luther Goodrich
Capt. & P. M. Dist. Lafourcade
per C. E. LeBlanc
Secretary

Office of Provost Marshal General,

DEPARTMENT OF THE GULF,

208 CARONDELET STREET.

New Orleans, 21 February 1863

John K. Richards of 432 Dryades Street
New Orleans being duly sworn doth
depose and say that Reinhart, Adler &
Hirsch named in the annexed paper did
on the 19th February state to deponent the
facts set forth in said paper - deponent
further recalls that he called on Dley
this day in order by enquiring to verify the
statements of Reinhart & his colleagues and
that the said Dley proposed to deponent that
he, Dley, would procure a permit from
the Custom House for about \$3000 worth
of goods, in deponent's name or in a ficti-
tious name without ^{deponent's} making the necessary
oath or having any thing to do with getting
such permits - that for such service he asked

the sum of two hundred dollars.

Deponent further avers that the whole conversation with ~~the~~ ^{him} had in view a fraud on the Government of the United States and that because of said conversation he verily believes that the alleged fraud set forth in the accompanying paper is true

J. C. Richard

Given before me

20 July 1863

James L. B. Bayl

P. M. 5

New Orleans ^{at} February 3rd 1863

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Mrs L. P. Popham

Affidavit against Dr. Ardane

one enclosure Dr. Ardane
denies the charge. - Popham

February 3rd 1863
Admission before me

To L. P. Popham
to informally
property of which
will enable me to
deal with the
me, I request to
with of which I am
were from Dr. Ardane
the interest of
to stated as usually
the lot

Rec'd P. H. C. Feb 4 6/63.

On the first of January 1862
I leased to Dr. Nordane, a residence
on lot of ground lying in the
Parish of Jefferson, on condition
that the rent should be paid
Quarterly in advance. Enclosed
in the lot is an unoccupied
tenement, of which, it was
stipulated in the lease, I should
retain the use for the storage
of my furniture, free of all
charge.

Not having received any rent
for six months for my property
so leased I crossed over the
River on Thursday the 29th
of January with a view of
seeing Dr. Nordane and receiving
if not the whole at least part
of the rent due to me; but, on
arriving near the residence
what was my surprise, at
beholding Dr. Nordane's wife
with her mother and relatives

taking my furniture from the house in which I had stored it and having placed it on a furniture wagon proceed to take it across the river. I stopped the wagon, examined the contents and found all the articles with which it was loaded, were my own individual property.

I summoned a Policeman and also applied to the nearest Justice of the Peace, they both told me they could not interfere in the matter. I returned to the city with the hope of obtaining redress here, having failed to obtain it where the robbery, (for such it is) was committed.

I am told that I cannot obtain justice because I have never taken the oath, but it can scarcely be possible that a woman with no natural protector, being a widow and fatherless, should be permitted to be robbed of her property in

the open day, and to demand all redress, under so frivolous a pretence

Alone and unprotected I would as soon lose my property, as appear personally in the courts of Law. What therefore I solicit is, a power to recover the property of which I have been robbed, to take what may yet remain of mine upon the premises, (if any does remain) and, as Dr Nordane has broken the lease by not complying with its stipulations, that I may again recover possession of my houses and land.

Dr Nordane purchased of me a set of bed-room cottage furniture for \$65 dollars, this he has never paid for. I wish for the power to recover this set of furniture, as well as that before alluded to as being stored in the unoccupied

R. J. Popham Esq. 17th Feb 1863

house on the lot

Having thus stated as concisely as possible, the injuries I have received from D^r Verdane and the truth of which I can easily prove, I request to be furnished with such power, as will enable me to recover the property of which I have been so injuriously deprived.

L. P. Popham

Tuesday February 3rd 1863

Sworn to and subscribed before me
This 1st day of Feb 1863

Geo. A. Hitchcock
Notary Public
The enclosed Dr Verdane
desires the charge.

Witness my hand & seal
this 3rd day of Feb 1863

Geo. J. Popham
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New Orleans 3rd Feb 1863

3758 Feb. 27, 1863.

Letter

Office of Provost Marshal General,

OF LOUISIANA,

New Orleans July 27 1863

General

In the matter of the claim of A. B. Riceble
against some Sarges & Malpas formerly used
by the Segregation Committee. Relieved by
them to R. H. Montgomery I respectfully
Report -

That if any fraudulent misrepres-
entation was made by Montgomery to the Segrega-
tion Committee ~~it~~ it should be ascertained
from the Committee - and if the fraud is
established that the property of R. H. Montgomery
be returned - and a further delivery of
Sarges & Malpas. to him be stopped -
G. B. Sutt

P. A. Becket & P. Haydel

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vs
James & Jose
2 boys belonging to Mrs V.
Crime of St James

Warrant

Feb 21 1863

State of Louisiana
Parish of St. John the Baptist.

Personally appeared before me P. B. Marmillion Deputy
Provost Marshal duly commissioned for the Parish of St.
John the Baptist on the right bank of the Mississippi river.

M^r. Pierre Aimé Beceul & Pierre Haydel who
having been duly sworn deposed & said: That on Saturday
the 21st day of February 1863 about 7 o'clock in the morning
that both were sitting on the levee, when two black boys
was passing by on the levee M^r. Beceul addressing to M^r.
Haydel, said now the negroes do not take of their hats
when they pass by white persons: to which said boys stopped
and replied, that they did not care about those damned sons
of bitches of whites, and if they had guns they would blow
of their heads, and making very shocking signs to M^r. Beceul
& Haydel they went down the road. And that about half
an hour afterwards the same boys returning from below with
big clubs in their hands, stopped in front of M^r. P. A. Beceul
house, and there and there insulted again M^r. Beceul, daring
him to come out on the levee saying that they would break
his head, and showing their asses to the gentlemen and ladies
who were sitting on the house gallery.

These are therefore to command you in the name of the
State of Louisiana forthwith to apprehend said two black boys
and to bring them before me to answer unto said complaint and
to be further dealt with according to law.

Given under my hand officially in the Parish of
St. John the Baptist this 21st day of February 1863

P. B. Marmillion
Deputy Provost Marshal.

J. B. Hayden & A. Grosclair

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Jules & Jose
2 Boys Belonging to M^{rs}
Valentin Aime



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30-1-11

State of Louisiana
Parish of St. John the Baptist

Personally appeared before me, P. W. Armistead, Deputy
Provost Marshal duly commissioned for the Parish of
St. John the Baptist on the right bank of the Mississippi river.

Messrs Jean Baptiste Haydel, A. Grosclair & Felix
Haydel who having been duly sworn deposed & said
that on Saturday the 21st day of February 1863 about 8 o'clock
A. M. they were all sitting on the house gallery when
two black boys named Jules & Jose' belonging to M^r. Valcour
Aime a planter of St. James Parish, passing on the levee
going up with big clubs in their hands, unprovoked stopped
in front of their house, cursing them with the words of
Damned sons of bitches come out in the road we are
ready now for you and we will break your head. M^r. Haydel
& Grosclair marched to the road. The two boys Jules & Jose'
having big clubs in their hands rushed upon M^r. Grosclair
threatening to break his head if he dared to come any closer
to them; upon what M^r. Grosclair marching to them with a
stick in his hands received a blow of one of the boys.

These gentlemen have been insulted first by the two boys
Jules & Jose' without any provocation from them.

There are therefore to command you in the name of the
State of Louisiana forthwith to apprehend the said boys
Jules & Jose' and to bring them before me to answer unto
said complaints and to be further dealt with according to Law.

Given under my hand officially in the Parish of
St. John the Baptist this 21st day of February 1863

P. W. Armistead
Deputy Provost Marshal

Received, New Orleans La. November 23^d 1860
of B. Adams \$ 18.76 cts for prep work
on True Witness & Sentinel up to date

Per the Bookier
J. Guillory

Hold

for Beverly

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Head-Quarters Provost Marshal's Office,

Washington, February 21st 1868

To the Officer of the Guard:

Central Guard House

You will receive and confine in the prison under your charge, until further orders, the persons of Patrick Dolan (citizen-murderer at Fort S. H. for stealing Govt. property) Mrs. Knodover (citizen) for purchasing the stolen property.

By command of

Henry B. Fodder
Capt. & Provost Marshal.

J. H. Coffey
Adjutant.

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Oct 11 1883

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Benton Mo Feb 4th 1863

Post Marshal
St Louis Mo

Sir

One George Baxter, who left this community and is now in the confederate service, wrote to his wife (now here) dated at Granada Miss. and in the letter above referred to Baxter requests his wife to answer and direct on the outside envelope, to George G Gibson St Louis Mo, in care of Theodore Saville, stating that said Gibson ^{would} wait in the City for an answer. said letter is Post marked at Macon City Mo. In the letter on a separate piece of paper is the following, written by another person, to wit: [Answer immediately and direct to Robert Buist, Sane Agent, St Louis Mo]. The letter also states that Saville is on Main Street St Louis.

Sir in my judgement these persons should be arrested, for from the number of persons named it shows a combined purpose to furnish news to the enemy. The letter referred to is very bitter against Union men, I will save it for future testimony. It is at your service when called for.

I am Sir

Very Respectfully Yours
Obedient Servant

R. A. De Bolt

Captain 23 Mo. vols.
Recruiting Officer

R. Wilkinson to them

3762 Feb 18, 1883

H. G. O. Morrison

Geo. A. Nourse

Fredk. A. Louie

Cuts

M. Wilkinson Tooke
Feb. 18. 1863

Washington July 18th 1863

General Daniel Ullman
New York

Sir

The undersigned,
Senators and Representatives of the state of Minnesota,
respectfully and earnestly recommend Hon H. G. C.
Morrison and George A. House Esq of said state for
the position of Field Officers, and Frederick A. Soule
for that of Quartermaster or Commissary, in the Brigade
of colored men, which, we are informed by the President,
you are authorized to raise. Each of the gentlemen
above named, possess, in our opinion, all the necessary
qualifications to enable them to fill, satisfactorily, and
with credit to themselves and to the country, the offices
for which we have respectively recommended them.
Mr. Morrison, by profession a lawyer, was, for several
successive years, an influential member of the state

Legislature of Maine of which state he is a native.
He has also served with credit, in a similar capacity, in
the Minnesota Legislature, and at the present time
fills the office of Assessor for the northern district of
that state under the Internal Revenue Law.

Mr. Morse is one of the oldest residents of Minnesota,
is an excellent lawyer and now fills the office of District
Attorney of the United States for that District.

Mr. Soule is also a lawyer by profession, and for some time
filled the office of Assistant Postmaster of the House of
Representatives of the United States.

Each of the gentlemen, above named, are well
educated and intelligent, and admirably qualified
to fill satisfactorily any office in said Brigade, and
upon the suggestion and at the special request of the
President of the United States we make this recommend-
-ation.

By making the appointments we
ask at your hands, you will thereby confer upon
upon us a great and lasting obligation and

render us a favor that we shall ever appreciate

We have the honor to be

Very Respectfully

Your Obedient Servants

Wm. McKim

James A. Smith


Wm. H. Wood

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Holden
McCarthy
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Feb 21


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Headquarters Forest Guard,
Forest Hall Prison, Georgetown D.C.

Feb. 21st 1863

Officer in Command, Forest Guard Prison

I need under arrest
John Holden, Keeper of Agricultural
Restaurant near Horse Rail Road
Bridge, charged with selling in-
toxicating drinks to soldiers -

Witnesses, Corporal Nepe, Co I.

Priv John D. Dickson "

also Patrick McCarty, Proprietor
of Grocery on 2^d St. Georgetown -
charged with selling liquor to
soldiers - Witnesses -

Privates Riley & Malloy

of Co I, 169. N.Y.V.

also J. W. Richardson, of the
"Lake House" same charge - 2^d
Officer - Witnesses

(This man has escaped)

also Cooper Truck Keeper of No
43 Potomac Street - same
charge -

Witnesses: B. Moore }
John Boyd } 169. N.Y.

also Columbus Pearson, Proprietor
Union Lunch Restaurant near
Aqueduct Bridge - (This place
is filled with drunkards every day -)
same charge as the foregoing -

Witnesses - Corporal Hoop

Witness testifies to I. 169. N.Y.
this is not the House
Reported

I trust an example may be
made of these men as they are
a great nuisance to our Sol-
diers -

Very Respectfully Yours
Alonzo Alden

Maj 169. N.Y.
Camp Georgetown -

Comm. L. Miller
B. F. Child to
J. Dressell.
Henry Bowen.

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Feb 20th 1873.

Office Provost Marshal,

COMMITMENT.

WAR DEPARTMENT,

Washington, D. C., Feb 20 1862

Conveying prisoner Central Jail House
To the ~~Superintendent of Old Capitol Prison:~~

You will receive and detain in your custody until further
ordered, the prisoner, *B. F. Ghiesden* of *Brookline* and
Henry Brown
charged with *Robbery*

By order

G. H. Bunker

Provost Marshal War Department.

British Vice Consulate. Office
3765 Key West. Feb 13th /63.

Request. to give, James Pringer,
William Stone, & James Taylor
a pass to leave the Island

Not able to grant application
These men having been captured
after having successfully run the
Blockade

etc

British Vice Consulate
Pey Hest February 13th 1863

Sir,

The Owners of the, William
Stor, James Minger and James
Taylor (Seamen), being British
Subjects, have to request that
you will be good enough to
to give them the Pass, which
is necessary to enable them to
leave the Island.

Have the honour to be

Capt. J. S. Morgan Sir,

Commandant of Troops

Heu Heu Heu

Pey Hest

Your most obedient
servant

Amey Butterfield
Attn. V. Consul

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British vice Consulate Office
Rajkot, Feb 17th 1862.

Sutherlanda Butta and
Samuel Riley, British
Subjects; requiring a pass
to leave the Island.

C. T.

British Vice Consulate
Pey Hest, July 17th 1863

Sir,

The Bearers of this, such as
Duchist, Samuel Riley being British
subjects & desirous of leaving this
for their home, at Nassau, I have
to request that you will be good
enough to give them the necessary
Pass for that purpose.

They represent to me that they
have been refused this Pass at

Colonel J. S. Morgan

Commandant of Troops

Heu Heu Heu

Yours

your Officer, & been told to get
one from the Captain of the "Sagamore"
but that on their going to the
Captain, he also refused on the
ground that he had nothing
more to do with them.

As they have their discharge
from the Prize Court, which
they have shown me, I cannot
understand for what purpose
this delay is made, in getting
a Pass, which is usually
given

given at your Office, on your
being satisfied ^{that} they are no
longer required to give any
evidence before the ~~Prize~~
Court Commissioners.

I have the honour to be
Sir,

Your most obedient
Humble Servant

Carey S. Kennerly
A. M. Consul

British Vice Consulate Office

3767. Feb 18th / 63.

James Taylor, Wm Stone
& James Pringa, Colored
having been discharged by
District Court. U.S. desire
a pass to leave the Island

they also being British
Subjects.

Wts

Wm Stone

British Vice Consulate

King Dist. July 18th 1863

Sir,

The Names of Mrs, Mistour,
James Knight and James Taylor
being British Subjects, I have
to request that you will be
good enough to give them
the necessary pass to leave
the Island - I enclose a
certificate given them by the
Admiral which I presume

Colonel J. S. Morgan will

Commandant of Troops

Yca Yca Yca

will be sufficient to show
that they are no longer required
here by the Prize Commission.

I have the honor to be
Sir

Yours most obedtly
Humble Servant

Aubrey S. W. W. W.

To the Provost Marshall Key West.

The three (Colored) men Natives of the British
Island of "New Providence", City of "Nassau"
having been discharged as Witnesses by the
District Court. have my permission to
report to the Authorities on Shore for permission
to leave, as I can see no good reason to detain them.
Their Names are - "James Taylor", "Wm. Storr", & "James"
"Mingo" -

Key West Feby. 18th 1863. -

Theodorus Bailey

Actg. Rear Admiral

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U.S. Marshall's Office
February 9th/63.

the Beaver. Mr. Allen & Bontie,
Crews, desire to obtain from
the Comdg Officer permission
to leave the Island,

their parole not having been
executed. it is referred to the
Comdg Officer, viz. by

Jas C. Clapp
 U.S. Marshall.



N. S. Marshall officer

Key West, Fla., Feb 9 1863

Mr

Col J. S. Mazon N. Y. A
Gen.

The bearer
Mr Allen accompanied by Pontia Cavers
desire to obtain permission of you to leave the
Island.

I have not exacted the parole of them as
they are both foreigners.

If you desire that I should admit
the parole to the captured men from the
prizes coming under my charge - I will
do so with pleasure and thus relieve you of one bur-
den. If you will let the matter rest with

I can see you the case arrange on some
plan that will insure in all cases compli-
ance with government regulations.

I am truly yours
James C. Clapp

N. S. Marshall

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Michael Dogan,
Dennis Beglin,
Joe Carpenter,
Thos. Healy,

Discharged from
Government Works

Feb 4, 1963.

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Fort Taylor Key West Fla
Feb 4. 1863

Michael Logan, Dennis DeGlori,
Joseph Carpenter and Thomas Tracy
are hereby discharged from the Government
Works at this place.

James M. Farland
Sergeant

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Papers no capt
Primm's case
et al

Captain

These
Cases are not before
us. Please take charge
of these papers. They may
be important to you

Swade

J. B. Rogers
Pres Mil Com

W. H. H. H.

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Office Ass. Pro. Marshal
Columbia. Mo. Feb. 22. 63.

Adamo. Jas. A. Smith +
+ Ass. Pro Mar. Boone Co. Mo.

Encloses a letter supposed
to have been written by
Geo. L. Sexton a citizen of
Boone Co. + lately a prisoner
in St. Louis -

Allen -
put on case
of the Prisoner

Primrose
Mil. Com.

OAG. Feb. 24. 63

Office Assistant Forest Marshal
Columbia Mo Feb 22. 1863

Col H. A. Dick
Pro Miss Goss

Sir - I have the honor to transmit
herewith enclosed Copy of letter which lately fell into
my hands. The writer I believe to be George L. Sexton
a Citizen of this County and lately your prisoner.

I understand he was arrested in the fall
in Anderson County and sent to St Louis and was
released on Oath & Bond and to report to me once a
month, which he has done punctually.

He is a Preacher by Profession, I heard yesterday
that Capt Pinnose (a prisoner sent from this office) was to
be tried by Court Martial for being a Spy, and he had
written to said Sexton to be a witness for him to come
to St Louis, or have his deposition taken here before a Local
Magistrate and sent to St Louis. He is going to accept the
latter course. This copy which I enclose will show what
intimacy there was between Pinnose & Sexton and
make known to the Court Martial what kind of a
witness Sexton is.

My opinion is Sexton ought to be tried for the
same offense. But I leave it entirely to your own
good judgment

I am Ever Very Respectfully

Yours Obedt Servant

Geo A. Adams

By A. P. M. Burns Co

Col J. L. Beebridge

Dear Sir

In accordance with
your request I write to inform you of the state of Affairs
on this side the river. The order for enrolling the Militia has
driven the majority of Southerners near capable of doing milit-
itary duty into the woods. Some of them in fact the majority
are organized into companies. The men are disappointed
they have made various and repeated efforts to get to the
army and failed and they are afraid to try. Some Southerners
even have enlisted or enrolled as State Militia. There are but
few M B Troops on this side of the river. The State Militia
are the men that are troubling the country. I cannot give
you a proper estimate of their strength now, as they have
not organized the enrolled men into companies, and there
is no way of getting at their strength. Most County Seats
and towns have companies in them. The Militia are im-
becillous & cruel shooting many of those captured by them
You could if here succeed beyond your most sanguine ex-
pectations in getting men, you could command every fine
Reg. in less than two weeks. Arms are scarce. Ammunition
can be obtained. There is not much chance to keep up a
regimental organization on this side of the river.

As the enemy have so many means of transportation they
can overpower so small a force, and the only means of safety
is to disband just when you become effective. So it has
been with all who have undertaken it. The facilities for
crossing the river with a force are extremely poor and the
chances for a successful result are undeniably about in
ratio of 1 to 100. You can get men, all the men you want
they will fight here or they will try to cross the river.

The people are struggling for life and fighting against this
depression that is fastening its tentacles around them, and
needs its precious battle in their faces, and they will do
any thing for relief, more can get men, even that the desperate
and want a chance at you. Many persons, men of
judgment too want you to come on to this side of the river.
You can secret yourself from the Federal if you exercise
care and vigilance but so easily done when one does not travel
about too much. I have been sick since I came on and have
not done much. Three captures have promised you three men
consisting of 200 men. I have two others recruiting who will
do good work. I have not been to Pike or Lincoln have not
seen or heard from my family since I got here. My Mother
received a letter from my wife she stated that Mrs. Bradley
had made her arrival safe in La. Mo. Capt. Pinrose agrees
with me in what I have said. With the representations

given by the beaver and what I have stated you can make
up your mind. I say unless there is a fine crossing in this
direction from the South that this side of the river is no
good locality for you unless the means for crossing the river
are better than I suppose. I could not advise men to go
to you in squads nor would I undertake to lead a company
through so dangerous a country. I have done the best I could
in my present state of health, wish I could have done more
I will close. I will perhaps start in the direction of your
present Head Quarters in 3 weeks unless something should
occur to change my mind

Wishes I remain your friend &c
G. L. S.

Quincy Woods Sept 10th 1862

Attchd a true copy

Geo A Adams Lt & Asst Pk Mgr
Bussell Co

M. C. Well, Wilson

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Conroy & Co. New

Feb. 3/63

etc

Fort Taylor Key West

February 3rd 1863

Arthur McEwell, Gaspar

Wilson, Bernard Finis, Hugh

Ferguson, Peter Conley, Michael

Convery and Andrew Foster

Employes upon the government
works at Key West, are hereby
honorably discharged —

Walter McFarland

1st Lieut Engs.

To New York.

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Received by [illegible]

HEAD QUARTERS ST. LOUIS DISTRICT,
OFFICE OF PROVOST MARSHAL,

Saint Louis, Mo., February 11th. 1863.

SPECIAL ORDERS, }

No. 237

*John Eagan and Michael Moran
charged with selling whiskey to soldiers in Benton Pk.,
contrary to Military orders, are hereby ordered to be
committed to the Military Prison*

*The above correctly
Received Feb 11 4/1863
[Signature]*

By order of Brig. Gen. E. A. Carr, Commanding

[Signature]

Major and Provost Marshal,

St. Louis District.

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Feb. 19, 1863,

Ct.

Manifest of Steamer Lloyd from
Paducah Ky to Mo. Sandy Tenn. Feb 19th/63

Shipper	Articles	Consignee
Joel Bennett	16 Wagon hubs.) 2 sets boxes.	Highland Ky
W. B. Harney	9 boxes, 3 bbls.	Ft Henry
Dr. J. M. Graves	Drugs, nails & goods	Highland Ky
J. J. Stigall	1 Copper still & fixings	Mo Sandy
W. B. Harney	50 plows, 1 cask points	" "
H. Eichar	1 bbl oil, 1 sack, 100 rope	" "
W. Gleason	10 half bbls beer	Ft Henry
P. G. Roach	9 " " "	Ste. Nevada
W. Holland	1 bedstead & safe	Highland
R. B. White	1 bbl whisky	" "
R. B. Stubblefield	Plow, points, groceries &c.	Pine Bluff Ky
J. J. Stigall	1 bbl salt, 2 iron &c.	Mo Sandy
J. W. Tomlinson	1 bbl, 1 kg, 1 doz brooms.	Ft Henry
J. A. Baghee & Co.	1 box books.	Mo Sandy
B. J. Morris	1/2 bbl whisky	" "
J. Wathen	lot of groceries &c.	" "
Isaac Dale	1 kg. chains sieves, & 1 box	" "
J. M. Ellis	Coffee, rope & trunk	Highland Ky
J. B. Matthews	1 box indigo	Highland Ky
W. L. Ross	1 bbl salt & groceries	" "
W. H. Allen	1 bbl whisky	Mo Sandy
" "	lot of groceries	" "
W. L. Mc Kenzie	Nails, coffee &c.	" "
W. Rave	1 bbl whisky, 2 of salt &c.	" "
Mr Brandon	1 bbl whisky, groceries &c.	Highland Ky
" Blayton	Plow, cotton cards &c.	" "
G. A. Ross	1 bbl salt, 3 plows &c.	" "
A. W. Johnston	2 bbls salt, &c.	" "
Levi Williams	2 bbls whisky	Newberg Ky
B. P. Woodward	2 " whisky	Ft Henry
W. R. & M. Pearce	Plows &c.	Mo Sandy
C. Barnett	3 Plows & 1 roll batter	Highland
R. P. Storm	2 pieces marble	Mo Sandy

C. Barnett	3 Cloves & 1 roll Batter	Highland
A. P. Storm	2 pieces marble	Mos Sandy
B. Harding	Groceries &c	Highland Ky
G. Lawrence	3 boxes m dce	H. Henry
J. M. Moore	10 bbls whisky	Birmingham Ky
H. Johnston	2	" "
J. E. Ford	1	" "
Thos. Ford	1	" "
A. A. Nelson	3	" "
J. W. Tomlinson	Butter goods	H. Henry

Surveyor's Office,

Paducah, Ky., Feb. 19th 1863

J. R. C. Smith

Master of Steamboat *Miner Lloyd*

do solemnly swear, to the best of my knowledge and belief, that the above is a true copy of the Manifest of all the Freight on board said Steamer *Lloyd* now about to leave this Port for *Mouth of Sandy* and intermediate points; I also swear that I will not deliver any part of said cargo at any point, except at such points as are designated on the above Manifest.

Sworn to and subscribed before me the date above written.

Warren Chambers
Surveyor of Customs.

United States of America.

PORT OF PADUCAH, KY.

This is to certify that the Steamer *Lloyd* whereof *R. C. Smith* is master, now at this port, with her cargo as above exhibited, on her way to *Mouth of Sandy* and intermediate ports, has taken her clearance according to law.

Given under my hand and seal, this *19th* day of *February* 1863

Warren Chambers
Surveyor of Port of Paducah, Ky.

Per Tomman

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Feb. 1862

Certs

Manifest of Steamer Lloyd from
Paducah Ky to Mo. of Sandy Tenn.

Shipper	Articles	Consignee
J. Boss & others	1 box hats	Mo Sandy
J. W. McCallough	1	" "
J. S. Ross	1 .. provisions & flour	Yt Henry
J. W. Tomlinson	Butter & goods	" "
L. Rushing	Groceries, hardware &c.	Mo Sandy
O. DeSunnerville	15 bbls salt	" "
" "	46 Plows & plow points	" "
" "	Whisky & groceries	" "
J. Cooney Jr.	20 plows & plow pts.	" "
John Anderson	36 & plows	" "
" "	12 bbls plow points	" "
" "	Greenware &c.	" "
E. A. McElya	Iron & 6 boxes	" "
Quartermaster	30 bbls meal & 10 of rye	Yt Henry
" "	20 bags potatoes & 5 boxes	" "
J. Y. Bolinger	25 bbls whisky	Mo Sandy
J. J. Latham	2 bbls whisky & 1/2 keg gin	Birmingham
" "	5 boxes & 1 pr. hand irons	" "
W. H. Powell	Plows & hardware &c.	Mo. of Sandy
W. A. Robins	Hardware, groceries &c	" "
J. Moody	1 box mdse	" "
Isaac Dale	Groceries, &c.	" "
W. Gleason	7/8 kegs mdse	Yt Henry
Levi Williams	2 bags salt	Newberg Ky
J. M. Jamison	Whisky & groceries	Mo of Sandy
J. W. Williams	Whisky, groceries &c.	Mo Sandy
B. S. Enslow	Whisky groceries &c.	" "
G. Lawrence	2 boxes mdse	Yt Henry
J. M. Riggs	1 keg beer	Mo Sandy
J. W. Graham	1 box & 1 bag coffee	" "
Little & Preston	Dry goods & groceries	" "

J. N. Williams	Whisky, groceries	and sundry
B. S. Enslow	Whisky, groceries	" "
G. Lawrence	2 boxes mde	St Henry
J. M. Riggs	1 Keg beer	most sandy
J. N. Graham	1 box & 1 bag coffee	" "
Little & Preston	Dry goods & groceries	" "
Scott Laurie	1 bbl sugar, 1 bag coffee	" "
W. P. Chambers	1 bbl whisky	" "
W. H. Petty	7 boxes mde, 1 coil wire	Highland Ky

Surveyor's Office,

Paducah, Ky., Feb 16 1863

I, R. C. Smith Master of Steamboat *Lloyd* do solemnly swear, to the best of my knowledge and belief, that the above is a true copy of the Manifest of all the Freight on board said Steamer *Lloyd* now about to leave this Port for *Mouth Sandy* and intermediate points; I also swear that I will not deliver any part of said cargo at any point, except at such points as are designated on the above Manifest.

R. C. Smith per B. P. Woodward.
Sworn to and subscribed before me the date above written.
Sam. Thornberry
Surveyor of Customs.

United States of America,

PORT OF PADUCAH,

This is to certify that the Steamer *Lloyd* whereof *R. C. Smith* is master, now at this port, with her cargo as above exhibited, on her way to *St Henry* and intermediate ports, has taken her clearance according to law.
Given under my hand and seal, this *16* day of *Feb* 1863

Sam. Thornberry
Surveyor of Port of Paducah, Ky.

J. W. L.

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21/11/63
Ct.

Manifest of Steamer Lloyd from
Mo. of Sandy Tenn. to Paducah Ky Feb 20th 1863

Shipper	Owner	Articles	Consignees
J. Cooney Jr.	J. A. & W. N. Robins	5 boxes & 1 chest	J. A. & W. N. Robins
" " "	A. Fatman & Co.	12 bales cotton	A. Fatman & Co.

I certify the above manifest
is correct

B. P. Woodward, Clerk.

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S-B # 116 Dept Miss '65

Memphis Feb 5th 1865

Capt. Jacob Sawvel
Chief U.S. Police

Request information in regard to
issuing of passes by Officers of the
day, to go beyond the lines

Send to the Bureau

Thank you very much

Yours
J. J. [unclear]

Recd. Feb 5th, Dep. Miss. Febr. 5. 1865

Office: P. M. G. D. M. S.
Memphis Feb 5/65

Respectfully forwarding
to Capt. W. D. C. A. S.
for the information of
the Major General Command

Yours Truly
E. R. M. S.

Head Quarters Dept of Miss.
Memphis Tenn Feb 9th 1865

Respectfully referred to Col. Van. C.
Youngs, Pro. M. S. sent for his infor-
-mation

By order of Major General Dana

J. H. S. M. S.

A. S. S.

Headquarters U. S. Police,
DEPARTMENT OF MISS.

Memphis, Tenn. Feb 5 1865.

Colonel!

I have the honor to request
information in regard to issuing
passes, ^{by officers of the day} to go beyond our lines

The reason why I enquire
is this! Yesterday Captain W. A. Ryan
7th Ind. Cav., being Officer of the Day
gave a pass to one A. Harrison
Citizen to pass beyond our lines
but was not allowed to ^{do so} by
John Lewis (S. P.)

Respectfully submitted

Just Swain
Chf. N. S. P.

Key West 3rd Feb
February 19th 63

Mr Marwin, desiring
permits to leave the
Island for himself
and Mr Herrick,

C. L.

Key West Feb 19. 1863.

Col Jos S. Morgan
Commanding the

Dr Sir,

After my and the Rev. Mr
Herzick's interview with you yesterday, I
informed you, that I thought it likely, that I
should go to Washington for the purpose
of expressing to the President and Secretary
of war my views touching your proposed
Order No 10, and the policy therein indicated.
After leaving you I saw the quarter Master,
Mr Locke, and obtained leave from him
for myself and Mr Herzick, to take
passage in the "Star of the South", upon
obtaining at head quarters a permit to
leave the island. - Mr Ross kindly offered
to go for the permits for us. - He reported
to me on his return, that he applied

to the adjacent for a permit for us,
and, that he informed him after consulting
with you, that the permit could not
be granted - that no permits to leave
the island should be granted until
after you had got through the business
of carrying out the order referred to -

Will you do myself and
Mr Herick the favor to inform us,
if Mr Herick was refused a permit for
us, and, if there has been any mistake,
made about the matter, correct it, by
sending us the permit desired - The
steamer we desired to go in has now sailed,
but we ~~do~~ desire to go to Washington
and see the President upon the subject
of the order in question, at the earliest
opportunity -

Very Respectfully and truly
your obedient

Wm. Manning

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Feb. 1878

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Manifest of Steamer Lloyd from
No of Sandy Tenn. to Paducah Ky Feb 17th /63

Shipper	Owner.	Articles	Consignees
J. Cooney Jr.	Moore & Perkins	3 bales cotton	Moore & Perkins
"	Wm White	4 bags peas	Wm White
W. Worthen	Worthen.	1 box of feed.	Mr Worthen

I certify the above manifest
is correct

B. P. Woodward

Field 3779

Donnelly

Murphy

Feb 12, 63

City

Office Provost Marshal,

COMMITMENT.

WAR DEPARTMENT,

Washington, D. C., *Febry 12th 1863*

To the Keeper of Central Guard House:

You will receive and detain in your custody until further ordered, the prisoner, *Patrick Connelly & James Murphy* charged with *stealing Govt Property*

By order of

L. C. Baker

Provost Marshal War Department.

A. Lawrence Deputy

Contra 7 Feb 1803

J. H. Loring

A. M. Conner

atres in case

1803

[Signature]

[Signature]

Order of Confine Feb 7 1800
 Capt D. H. Lord
 Sch: A. M. Clinton
 & Antisindus
 1800

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Ed. M. P. P. M. O. D. C.
 Washington D. C.
 Feb 3. 1803.
 Copy of the
 Report of the
 Committee on
 the State of
 the Union
 for the year
 1802
 by order
 of the
 Senate

Forrest Hall Prison,
Georgetown D.C. Feb. 3^d, 1863.

Col.

I send you Capt. Low of the schooner
Almira M. Cloutman of Beverly Mass.
Charged by William Glancy, formerly
Cook on the boat, with furnishing a
deserter from the 40th Mass., with
citizens clothing. Henry Weed and
Joel Powers, hands on the boat, prob-
ably know something of the matter.
I also send you a suit of soldiers clothing
found on the boat hid in a barrel, said
to be that of the deserter. Please
dispose of the case.

Very respectfully

Your obt. servt.

Thos Chamberlain
Mass Comd. Georgetown

Comper 3781

Geo Russell x

Nathan Crockett

July 26th

1863

Wm

No. 37

Head-Quarters Provost Marshal's Office,

Washington, February 23rd 1863

To the Officer of the Guard:

Central Guard House

You will receive and confine in the prison under your charge, until further orders, the person of John Russell and Nathan Crockett - teamsters at Alexandria.

By command of

Henry B. Field
Captain B

Provost Marshal.

W. B. Adams, Jr.

Adjutant.

Rudzewski

Mark

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Davidson

To be held.

Feb 18. 1863

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Office Provost Marshal,

COMMITMENT.

WAR DEPARTMENT,

Washington, D. C., Feb 18th 1862. 3

To the Keeper of Central Guard House:

You will receive and detain in your custody until further ordered, the prisoner, *L. M. Svedyestki - He March & Meade Garrison*, charged with *Smuggling contraband Goods*

By order

H. T. Zuercher

Provost Marshal War Department.

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Word
of men from
L. L. Baker

Feb 19 / 63

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1865
J. W. W.
Recd. Feb 20th

Office, Provost Marshal,

War Department.

Washington City, Feb 19 1863

No.

Commanding Officer
Cavalry, Mexico

You will receive
and detain in custody until further
orders the following persons
prison charges with money
the 1st March

Arge Spear - M Wilkott - Leon
- Bury - Solomon Miller - Mc
- Wolf - Ruben Simon - Jerome
- Buttubone - Charles Greenwood
- Jerome Burmyer

By order

J. C. Burns

Provost Marshal

John B. ...

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John
Jordan
for

Crawley &
Loys

July 17th

1868

Antigua

Office Chief of Marine
Department of the Gulf
New Orleans Feb 17. 1873

Sir
Lieut. G. Heaton
A. A. & Mr.
Sir

Mr Dennison the acting
Collector of this Port informing me
that his brother in law Mr. Jas. Creary
and R. M. Bushnell have 18,000
logs marked T-XIX-C-FITV-
H-V-I-M and Mr. Remon Min
a Spanish Subject 10,000 marked
M and 250 sticks square timber
This timber you will give up to
the owners on their paying the ex-
pense of collecting and they will
be permitted to take them wherever
found without let or hindrance -
This by direction of Major Genl
Banks -

Very Respectfully
A. B. Holabird
C. & G. Men

(Copy)



Bagdad

XIX VC Collins

IV, Nightmatt-

H Nianault- Green

V Collins

III Stewart

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M (Mier)

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Feb. 17th

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John H. Scherer
Westville Feb 18'

Shotwell Feb 18th 1863

Henry C. Citizen Up Rowland
in accordance your Order No 17, I herewith
send you the names that have received the
papers your fire to at the last mail
there was only 2 Copies come to this
Office and the name for J. M. Boston
I think one of the Copies (where for Squire
Fitzgerald) also not mark so on the paper
since 3 or 4 weeks back there were other
that came to this Office but have not
come lately if required to report their
names I can do so if you will let me
know and if there is any for any
other parties that may come here after
I shall report to you

Yours Very

Respectfully

J. H. Schreier
S. M.

F. A. Dick 3786

St Col & Prot Marshal Genl

St Louis February 5/63

John & Phelps released
by preadjudication case
of Jesse Doyget as an ac-
fit, not release on out-
alone. Not aware that
or admit to collect for his
negatives. In regard to
letter of Schlessor all
in agreement.

Duplicate of Special Order
no 149 to the Parole of
or G. H. Waller.

Head Quarters, Department of the Missouri,

OFFICE OF THE PROVOST MARSHAL GENERAL,

St. Louis, Mo., Feb 5th 1863.

To

Henry C. Citgen, Esq

Apt Pro Mar

Washington -

In reply to your communication of the 26th ult I have to say that Rev. John S. Phelps was released by order of my predecessor, Col Grant, Sept 30 1862. He seems to have been discharged upon his written statement that "his views had changed," and that he was "in favor of the Union and the war"; - an admission which would seem to prove that he required a change of heart in order properly to keep the oath which he admitted

he had voluntarily taken
a year before

In the case of Jesse
Doggett you will do as you
see fit: not forgetting that
it is often dangerous to
discharge such men on oath.
The theory of Rev. John S.
Phelps that enforced oaths are
not binding, might be put
in practical operation by
Mr. Jesse Doggett.

I am not aware
that Dr. Smith has called
here to get permission to
recover his negroes. If he
did, he was informed that
no such permissions are
granted by the military au-
thorities.

In regard, ^{to} the case
made by the letter of R.

C. Schlander, I refer you
to the endorsement on the
letter stamp.

I am ever
Very respectfully
Your Obedt

F. A. Dick

St. Louis, Mo. 1862

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[Faint handwritten text, possibly a name or address]

[Handwritten signature or initials]

1843

Jan. 10. Ingle

Dr. Clair Feb. 10th

St. Clair Franklin County
Missouri

February 10th 1863

Mr Henry C. Citizen Town Marshal
Dear Sir

Order No 17 ^{your} dated Feb 7th 1863
is received and I herewith
send you the names of the
Subscribers to the Libris

R M Booth
J A Cruder
W H Cheatum
John W Nichols
James L Murphy
A A Beasley
P R Beasley
Allen Smith
G W Wetford

The Paper I have received and
destroyed under your order
referred to deliver to the subscribers

James M Inge
St Clair Mo. Postmaster

M. 84 3788 63

Head of Separate Brigade
Defenses of Baltimore, Fort
McHenry, February 5th 1863.

Morris W. W. St. Ruffin
U.S.A. Command

Acts as to the disposal
of two men confined at
Fort McHenry, named
James League, & John S
League, for uttering seditious
statements, & being connected
with Unions.

Parent. etc.

W.S.

Head of ^{the} 8th U.S. Corps
Feb 6/63.

SB
Head-Quarters, Defences of Baltimore,

Fort Mcherry, Md., Feb, 5 1863.

Lt Col Chandler
Capt Wm Gussard
Baltimore -
Colonel

Have the honor to state that
on the 2nd inst, two men by the
name of James League and
John H. League, were by order
of Maj. Genl Schuick, order to be
held in confinement at this Post.
The charges agt them are -

1st Uttering disloyal sentiments.
2^d Being concerned in smuggling.

I would respectfully enquire what
are the wishes of Genl Schuick as to
the further disposition of these
prisoners. The charges agt them
are signed by Lieut Genl J. P. Foster

but the name of our visit
is given

W. W. Brown
1311 Michigan Ave. N.W.
Washington D.C.

1853

3789 W. Kruger

Washington July 12/53

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List of the regular
Subscribers of the Crisis.

Saml. Cahill

W. Steel

B. Sappington

Z. C. Ward

R. J. Wilkinson

J. C. Barrett

H. C. Allen

Lewis Shaw

A. M. Clayton
A. M.

1863

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W. R. Kemmer

Bols Feb 9th 1863

W.R.

Bales. Mrs.
Feb 9th 1863

Mr. Henry C. Eitzen
Provoet Marshall
Washington Mo

The following is a list of those
who take the census at Bales Mo

J J North

H C North

W P Leywright

H Hintels

W R Brown

J M Brown

W R Brown

H Duncan } since turned over to } W B Perkins

G Jones

W J Jones

J S Willerson

J L Bagevill

H Parsons

G J Adams

J W Reynolds

W B Smith }

Turn over

There is a paper coming to this office
called the Caucasian, that is worse
than the Crisis. It was formerly the New
York Day Book, which was stopped
at the commencement of the war. It has since
made its appearance under the name of the
Caucasian Published in New York

Yours
W. P. Stinson
J. M.

1879
Office United Marshal
Baltimore Md
February 4th / 1879

J. L. McPhail
Corr. Mar. Genl.

James T. Gilman
Mr. Engman
Charge

James S. Wolf
Genl.

Enclosure

Received by the
Genl. Secy
Feb 11 1879

Provost Marshal's Office,

HEAD-QUARTERS MIDDLE DEPARTMENT.

Baltimore Md., *July 4th* 1863. 3

PRISONER.

James Tilghman

RESIDENCE.

CHARGE.

Burgling Schooner
SEE CASE OF
"Hard Times"

Office Proost Marshal
State of Md
Baltimore Feb 4th 1863

O L. M^o Phail
Pro Marshal Gen for
the State of Maryland

Charge
James Tilghman
W^m Evergan

Burning a Sloop

Recd Feby 5th 1863

Office of Sheriff Marshal
for State of Maryland

Balt^o, Feb 4, 1863

Orig. Encl^s W. W. Morris
Candy Refiner,

Sir

James Tilghman of No,
and Wm^m Evergam placed in your custody
on Sunday last, by order of the War
Department, is charged with participating
in the burning of the sloop "Hornet"
near Centerville Queen Anne's Co, Md,
while in charge of the US Sheriff
Marshal of Kent, Queen Anne & Cecil
Counties

Very Respectfully
J. W. Thail
Sheriff Marshal Balt^o,
for State of Maryland

Office Pro Marshal General
Baltimore Jan 29, 1863

Gen. P. M. Phair
Pro Marshal Gen of Md

Charged
in regard to the following
men being arrested
Sighman, James
Corgan, John
Nelson H
With burning a sloop

Recd Feb 4th 1863.

Office of Provost Marshal General,

FOR THE STATE OF MARYLAND.

Baltimore, January 24, 1863

John W. Goldsborough
Provost Marshal for
Queen Anne's, Kent & Cecil Counties,
Sir

You will proceed to Queen Anne's
Co. Md, and arrest James Tilghman of the
M^{rs} Evergam, Ferdinand Nelson, and
such others as you may be fully
convinced were engaged in the
burning of the sloop, on Friday
night last.

In discharging this duty
you will use discretion & judgment,
The Prisoners when arrested will
be forwarded under Guard to
Fort M^{rs} Henry. By order of Sec
of War.

J. W. Thair

Provost Marshal for Md.

No. 101 P. S. B. 8 a. C.
Defence of Paul's
St. M. Henry May 28

Proposed by return with
the information that
the within used pass-
port has already been
sent to the Provost Marshal's
Office Baltimore
under a Guard —

By command

Thos. James Davis

Commanding

Captain

for Paul Moore's
files

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Head Quarters, Middle Department, 8th Army Corps,

OFFICE PROVOST MARSHAL,

Baltimore, May 28th 1863

Brig. Genl. Morris,
Commandg. Defence Batts.
Fort M. Henry,

General,

Pursuant to instructions received this
morning from the Major Genl. Conde
I have the honor to request that you
will turn over to the Beamer the bodies
of Fighman & Bergam. prisoners now in
your charge, also, all the papers you have
at your "Hd Qrs." concerning them.

~~Very Respectfully~~ May I be
permitted to sign
Yours obedient Servant
F. R. Schenck

Very Truly
Yours
Lieut. Col. & Provost Marshal
8th Army Corps

W. 1792
H. to Def: Upper Stomach
Papers Found, July 19, 1863.

Kelly, B. F. Brig. Gen

States that on the strength of
Evidence furnished by the
papers ~~taken~~ taken from
C. F. Werner at Berlin, who
(with the papers) was sent to
Barto yesterday, he had, ordering
the arrest of J. S. M. Belman,
A. Boyd, and the Members of
Olafinger & Co all Merchants
of Frederick. The papers
show that the goods seized
at time of Werner's arrest
were purchased from these
Merchants, and it was
believed that these parties
were concerned in the attempted
fraud on the Revenue.

They are now under Bonds
for their appearance when
required.

Recd at R. D. G. & a Copy July 21/63

Head Quarters 8th Army Corps
Baltimore Md July 21, 1863.

Respectfully referred to
Lieut Col W. S. Fish
Military Purvt Marshal.

By Command of
Major General Schenck
Wm. Whipple
A. A. G.

Offr Purvt Marshal made
depts 8th Army Corps
Balt 23/63

Respectfully returned by Lt Col
W. S. Fish with the information
that I have notified the sub
attorney of the contents of
the communication & return
it for the depts files

W. S. Fish Lt Col
Purvt Marshal

Head Quarters Defences Upper Potomac
Harper's Ferry Va. Feb. 19th 1863

Colonel:

I have the honor to inform you, that on the strength of the evidence furnished by the papers taken from C. F. Winner at Berlin, who with the papers referred to, was forwarded to you yesterday - I ordered the arrest of J. J. Mc Selman and A. Boyd and the members of Slapinger & Co. all merchants of Frederick. The papers show that the goods seized at the time of Winner's arrest were purchased from these merchants, and it was believed that they were parties to the attempted fraud on the Revenue.

They are now under bonds for their appearance when required: of this fact William Price Esq. District Attorney has been notified.

I am very respectfully
Your Obedt. Servt.

B. F. Kelley
Brig Genl

Lt. Col. Wm. D. Whipple
Capt Adjt Genl
Baltimore
Md

Head Los 2nd Coy Det.

3793 Feb 25th / 63

Special Order
No

Maps
Appointing Bearers
& Season Surveyors
& Carters for 2nd Coy
Division

21 07 1863 -

City

Head Quarters 2nd Cav Div
Feb'y 25th 1865

Special Orders
No.

Extract

James D. Beares, and W. H.
Hesson, are hereby appointed, Surveyors
and Cadets, for the 2nd Cav Div

By Command of
Brig Genl. Powell

Cond'g Div'n
C. F. Newbidge
1st Lt. A. M. Genl.

(213 524 43 93 1863)

3704
St Augustine Fla. Feb 23rd 1863

Boynton St.

West Surg. 7th St. A. Vols

I acknowledge receipt of your av so
given statement of facts in regard
to Mrs. Smith and Mr. Putnam Citizens
of St. Augustine.

2 21 1863

on file

Saint Augustine Florida
Feb^y 23^d 1863.

Capt. E. F. Smith,

Asst Adj^t General,

Dept of the South,

Sir

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of "Special Order No 80", & would respectfully report to the General Com^d that I will endeavor to carry out the instructions of that order with strict justice to all parties, & as promptly as circumstances will permit.

I have been requested by the Commander of this Post, to decide whether Mrs. Judge Smith & Mrs. Judge Putnam of this city were able to be put across our lines at this time & at this place, & I have given a certificate which will be forwarded to the General Com^d Dept of the South.

Mrs. Putnam is suffering with temporary illness & neither of these ladies are able to endure the exposure which would attend their transfer within the enemys lines at this place & time.

However I now see no reason why they
may not both be able to be removed to
Hilton Head by the next boat which shall
visit this place, & from thence transferred
at the most convenient point within
the enemy's lines.

I have the honor to be
Sir,

Respectfully,

Your Obedt Servt

H. Boynton

Asst Surgeon

7th N. H. V.

Mr. Nathan L. ... 3795
... H. B. ...
Claims for Damages of
Capt. ... of Schooner
Sergeant C. Steele & Martha
Moore.

Respectfully forwarded to
Lt. Col. J. J. Elwell Chief
of the ... Statement of
Mr. ... H. Garfield and
Ch. Gaffney for any
further information. We
may have on the subject

(signed) James H. Hall
Col. Vol. Engineers
Provost Marshal ...

A packet by returned to
Lt Col, Miss J. P. ... with
the proceeds, that as the
affidavits do not contradict
my report to the Comd.
General, I have nothing
further to say

Respectfully
Your Obedt Servt
Signed) J. G. Edwell
Lt Col, Chief Q M

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City

Copy

Head Quarters Department of the South
Nelson Head Port Royal S. C. -

Feb 25 1863

Mr Nathaniel Tarr

of "John W. B. Darling

Sir

Your claim for two thousand dollars for damages to the hull of the schooner "Martha Moore" and to the rigging &c. of the schooner "Samartha B. Steele" said damages as charged by you, having been committed by the U.S. Troops on St Helena Island, - has been submitted to the Major General Comd'g and an investigation had thereupon.

Lt Col J. J. Ellwell, Chief Purveyor of Department, reports that the price paid by you for the condemned hull of the "Martha Moore" was one hundred and five dollars (\$105) said schooner having become disabled at sea and nothing been left of her but her hull.

Lt Col Ellwell further reports that you have paid nothing for the rigging &c of the "Samartha B. Steele" showing a total expenditure by you of one hundred and five dollars, for which you now are indirectly seeking to establish a claim against the government for two thousand dollars. On this statement of facts, the Major General commanding cannot but regard you as an improper person to have within the limits of this Department. Your claim being preposterous, exorbitant and without foundation, and he has ordered me to notify you to quit this Department.

forthwith, and to furnish a copy of this letter to the
Provost Marshal General who will cause a thorough
examination of the case to be made with instructions
to revoke any privileges of trade given to any parties
who have been interested in putting forward this
claim, and to send out of the Department all such
papers

I have the honor to be
(Signed) Chas G. Halpin
Adjutant General
10 Army Corps

Official
(Signed) Israel Sealy
1st St 47th N Y Vol
A Assist Adjutant Genl

Japan's relations to the project
for a... ..
the... ..

1863

Private

Office of Court Marshal
Fort Royal St. Jago 21st 1763.

Colonel Charles M'Kee
W. A. Gale
10th Army Corps

Sir,
Colonel please

find my resignation as Lt. Col. 4th Regt. Dr. Gt. Allow me Colonel to add one more to the many favors received at your hands. I humbly request that you will do all that is possible consistent with your duties to relieve me from the very unpleasant position I now occupy. I cannot conscientiously undertake a duty I know nothing of, I therefore ask that for the reasons named during my conversation with you this P.M. as well as the one set forth in my resignation be taken into serious consideration.

It will no doubt consider it some what singular that I should accept the military position I occupy under

the Circumstances, Allow me to briefly
explain In the first place I did it
to advance, and add strength to the
application of others, who applied at
the same time, ^{for other field positions} Secondly, as I
had applied myself more to the
duties of Provost Marshal Department
and pursued myself in bringing it
to a perfect System, more than in
Military matters, thereby hoping to obtain
promotion as Lt. Marshal Genl. of the
Department, I believed it necessary
to obtain said field position to en-
able me to apply for, and to hold
position as Lt. Marshal General.

Allow me Colonel at this time
to extend to you my most hearty
and sincere thanks for the uniform
Courtesy and Indulgences I have
ever received at your hands,
and for the assistance you have
ever been ready to extend to me in
the discharge of my various duties

I am convinced that my sphere
of usefulness in the Dept. is at
end I therefore ask that as
a Brother Mission you will do
all you can consistent with your
duties to bring about the prayer
of my petition.

Hoping a favorable answer

I am Colonel

Firmly yours

W. H. B. Smith
Lt. Col. Army
43 N.Y.S.

P.S. Private & Confidential

but make such use of
it with the Genl. as
you see fit.

For ple. no
action.

A

Wilton Hoar Jr. Co.
January 28th 1863

Sicut. Col. Chas. G. Halpine
Capt. Adjt. Gen.
Dept. of the South

for I take
pleasure in saying that during
the past year I have received
Lee from Mr Daniel Bryant for
the sick in our Regimental Hospital
and that he has relieved it at all
hours of the day and night, I can
also testify that Mr Bryant & wife
have both been very kind to the
sick and wounded, particularly
on our return from Sam's Island,
and that on several occasions they
have furnished articles for the comfort
of the sick, that could not be
obtained elsewhere -

I am, for
Very Respectfully
Yours,
W. S. Hoar
Surgeon & R. S. Artillery

Chief Quartermaster's office
10th Army Corps
Department of the South
Port Royal S.C. July 29, 1863

This is to certify that I B. J. Montgomery was employed by Russell Conant & Co in transferring the lumber from a Brig lying in the Harbor to the shore and thence to the present location where the Ice House is situated and to the best of my knowledge said lumber was framed in Boston and brought from there by said firm and I was employed by said Company to superintend the building until it was finished.

(Signed) Bery J. Montgomery

A true copy

W. E. Stevenson

C "A" 7th Regt P.V.

Provost-Marshal's Clerk

Office Depot I. M.,
Hilton Head S.C., Feb'y 4th 1863

Lieut. Col. Hall
Provost Marshal -

Sir; at the request of D. Bryant, I have the honor to inform you that in return for certain lumber loaned to the I. M. Department by Bryant; he was loaned a quantity of building material which appears by memorandum receipts of Mr Lindsay, Chief Carpenter, to have been duly returned. The above material was loaned Bryant for the purpose of creating a dwelling house for himself while engaged in taking care of the ice house.

Very Respy
Your obt^l Serv^t
(Signed) Charles Gamerton
Capt. & A. I. M.

cc. true copy

W. C. Stevenson

C. C. 7th Regt. P.V.

Provost Marshal's Clerk

Our Ice House on Hutton Head Island
was put up by Messrs Russell, Conant,
and Co. who were recommended to Brigadier
General Sherman by Quartermaster General
Meyer to put up an Ice House, Fresh Ice,
Fresh Meat and Ice. I was furnished with
a copy of this letter and saw Mr Russell,
one of the partners, assisted by a Mr
Montgomery, now in the employ of the
Quartermasters Department at this post.
I float the timber on shore with which
to build that Ice House. I have not
the slightest doubt in my mind
but that the Ice House was put up by
the parties above named, and at their
expense. Afterwards, in the month of May
or June, one of the parties, a Mr Lewis,
said in my office that he had sold
the House and all in it to Daniel
Bryant

(Signed)

W. R. Mangrove
Lieut Col & Co

a true copy
W. C. Stetson
Co. "A" 7th Regt Ill.
Brevet Major
Mushalsky
Clk

Hutton Head Is
February 4th 1863

Officer Robert M. Mendenhall
Lang 23, 1903

Byrd, Lieut.
Fletcher, Det.
A. Private

Evidence in the
"Byrd family" case.

Lieut G. C. Bingham, 2^d M. 47th M. Vols, deposes and says, that -

On or about Friday ~~Jan~~^{July} 3rd 1863 I was standing in the vicinity of Bryant's house and saw Bryant come out on a run his wife in pursuit; she overtook and caught hold of him, in the scuffle he had his coat torn. He retreated into the store and I saw nothing more of it, except that her sister afterwards left the house and also went into the store.

Dr P. C. Sieder, Surgeon 47th M. Vols, deposes and says, -
On or about the 22nd day of July 1863, I saw Miss Smith, the sister-in-law of Daniel Bryant in conversation with some soldiers who were doing fatigue duty on the rear of ground occupied as Provost Guard Quarters, acting in a very boisterous and unlady-like manner, and talking in a loud tone of voice; the conversation was in regard to the horse she was riding, recollect her saying she had the best horse on the Island, and that she could out-run any horse on the Island, believed from her manner and conversation that she was intoxicated. The fight I saw nothing of, but an application was made immediately after for treatment of sister, they then said she had fallen down and cut herself.

Private Wm. Ash, Co "K" 47th M. Vols, deposes and says -
That on or about the 22nd day of July 1863, the sister-in-law of Daniel Bryant was riding at a furious rate on the grounds adjoining the Provost Guard,

That she was very loud and boisterous in her language, I had seen her before and knew she was visiting at Daniel Bryant's, but had never spoken to her, she stopped me and entered into conversation she said she had the best horse on the Island and could beat any damned horse at the place. I believed her to be intoxicated, as she reeled and staggered in her saddle, and from her manner of talking.

Parrot Marshal's Office
6th Feb. 63.

Hell, ~~W. E.~~
Parrot Marshal

Enclosing paper relations
to Lumber in the hands
of Dan Bryant, Lumber.
- Also, private personal
recommendations.

Papers for file.
Assigned of by
Gen. Hunter's order
to Lt. Col. Halle

W.

Provost Marshal's Office
Hutton House No.
6 Feb 1863

Colonel I enclose copies of letter
relating to lumber in the houses said to
belonging to D. Payant - latter
He asks to
leave a person in charge of his
place for 30 days to close up his
lumber -

It appears that the buildings
were put up from lumber & material
brought here at his own expense,
except a small portion which he
borrowed from the I. M. Dept for
which he rendered an equivalent -

I would ~~be~~ respectfully re-
commend that he be not per-
mitted to remove the buildings, that
the ice be retained for Hospital use,

I think that some allowance
should be made for this property
I respectfully recommend

that Mr Bryant be permitted to leave
an agent to close up his business
within twenty days

I am Colonel
Very Resptly Your Obedt Servt

James A. Hall
Col. Engs
Provost Marshal

Lt Col. C. G. Halpine

Med. Director's Office
July 9th 63.

Chas. H. Crane,
Army USA, &
Med Director

Respecting the charges for
Ice, & accommodations
appertaining to Allen Hospital
Enclosing Letter of
Doct. Stuckey

Medical Director's Office
Hilton Head, S.C.
July 28, 1863 -

Colonel,

I have always found
Mr. Goyunt honest & accom-
modating in the business
transactions, I have had with him
His ice house has been a great
convenience to the hospitals
at this place, before the Govt.
ice house was filled.

In my opinion, he has not
made any money by selling
ice at one cent per pound,
as I became aware of the fact
that a Schooner laden with
ice for him, & recently arrived
here, was prevented from
discharging her cargo, for
want of room at the wharf,
& for a number of days,
& that in consequence, the

amount of demurrage
paid was over \$200,
I recommended to Genl
Graman then in Command
that Mr. B. should be
allowed to charge two cts.
a pound for this ice -
Surgeon Sturkey 3rd R. I. Vol
has informed me that Bryant
has always evinced a
desire to accommodate
him at all times by opening
his ice house at any hour
of the night when ice was
required for the Sick in
his Hospital -

Very Respectfully

Your Obedt. Servt;

L. H. Crane

Surgeon U.S.A.

Med. Director

Dept. of the South

L. Col. Halpin

act adjt. Genl

Dept. of the South

Office Provost Marshal
Aug 30/1863.

Gen Grant, No 3,
Provost Marshal.

Additional letters in
relation to the Bryant
Case - extenuating somewhat
his culpability.
[One enclosure.]

1874

Office Provost Marshal
Miller House, Camp 1813

Colonel

I have the honor to transmit enclosed, statements of parties who witnessed the affair between the members of D. Bryant's family.

It appearing from the evidence adduced that the sister is more to blame in this matter than any other party, and it being represented to me by Mr Bryant that he has some \$3000⁰⁰ outstanding, which he cannot collect until the Pay-master arrives, and from the said Bryant having promised good behavior in future, I would respectfully suggest that the order issued in the case, be modified so as to read, that the sister-in-law be directed to proceed north by the first steamer, and that Mr Bryant formally be allowed to remain a reasonable time for the collection of monies due and to dispose of such property as he has on hand.

Very Respectfully
Your Most Obedt Servt
G. M. Smith
St. Col. 47: 1813
Late Provost

St. Col. Chas. G. Halpine
A. A. Geil

3797



Ordinance as Gook & Burkhard
returned by Robt Green
February 7 1863

H W Deussen
Pro Curator

Robt Green
Gook & Burkhard
Missouri

2 or more
Mrs.
Bitson

no.
Gook & Burkhard
Statement



Statement of
Goods & Services
July 23 1863

Statement of Nathaniel Goch aged 46
Residence Charlton County

I resided in
Gwinny County when the war broke out I
left there 2^d day of August came down to Charlton
County left on account of the fact that I was
a Constitution Union Man they accused me of being
a secessionist, the Citizens were enrolling there
when I left I did not enroll, I did not leave
there to keep from enrolling, I left because my
life was threatened as I was told Harroth
told me a Man by the name of Vanderpool
threatened my life I did not bring my family
away with me I sent a Man by the name of
Collins for them I am told a Man Kellum
^{told me} had my name enrolled as a Southern Sym-
pathizer. I avoided the main roads on my way down
I was not with Pondexter never saw him but once
I was arrested by Capt Denny at Harry Patterson said he
would send for me when he wanted me, I know
nothing about Mr Denny's politics I have never
been suggested in war never prepared any guns or shells
was in a little Camp Capt Davis commanding in
Gwinny County there were about 84 men there May
about the first day of August I stayed with him
3 or 4 days left and came off down here, I took
a gun to Camp & gave it to a fellow there I believe Capt Davis
was a Citizen of ^{Dawson} County, The gun was a small square
rifle, I had a brother killed up there by the Rebels
I have not enrolled since I came down here Patterson told
me I had better enroll I told him I would wait till
I was called for I have been living in Gwinny County
about 24 years

I am acquainted with Colo Shaulun thinks him
to be a truthful man, I do not think Mr Huber
is I was in the camp for protection from the other
forces stand there 3 or 4 days Elyah Pursep can
tell you what I am

Wenton Nov Feb 4 1863

Col. Clark H. Green

Glasgow Nov

Colonel,

I herewith hand
you testimony against W^m Drinkard and
Nathan Grover. It will be observed that
Drinkard was under oath and Bond at the
time he commenced the guerrilla business.
It is presumed the testimony herewith will be suf-
ficient.

Respectfully

Your ob^d servant

J. H. Shanklin

Proof against

A. Groves

State of Virginia }
County of Brandy } 55

William E Watts and
John Collins both of Brandy County in the
State of Virginia, being severally duly sworn
upon their oaths state, That some time about the
first day of August 1862, a band of Armed
men from Livingston County Virginia came into
the neighborhood where we ~~live~~ live, professing
to be recruiting ~~for~~ for the Southern Army
Said band was led by ^{one} Dr. Davis - Jo Kirk
was along with said band - Said band captured some
Horses and Arms in our said neighborhood - We
joined or rather went off with said band and remained
with it for several days when we left it - ~~the~~
~~case~~ I, William E Watts delivered myself up
to the military authorities, and was recently re-
leased from Prison as atton. I John Collins was
arrested in Howard County Virginia and
was released at Mason City Virginia - We
are well acquainted with Nathan Booth
of said Brandy County. Said Nathan Booth
joined, and left our said neighborhood with
said band and remained with it as long as we did.

Attest

James Cooper

William E^{Es} Watts

Johnⁱⁿ Collins^{mark}

Subscribed and sworn to before the undersigned
a Notary Public in and for Brandy in the State

of Wagon, this 2nd day of February 1863.

As witness my hand and notarial
seal the date of fore said

J. H. Shanklin
Notary Public

I John H. Shanklin Colonel of the
30th Regiment Ill. M. do hereby certify that
early in August last I, in command of some
of the militia of my County, visited the "Forks
of Grand River" in Grundy County, in search of
a band of lawless men then known as Davis'
Band, afterwards "Kirk's" - This band was generally
understood to be composed of about one hundred
men mostly desperate characters. During our
trip through said Forks of the River we visited the
House of Nathan Groch near which said
band had camped for two or three nights as we
then learned. In the Lots of said Groch we
found that many horses had been fed in his Lots
and around his fences, on both oats and corn.
Upon inquiring Mrs. Groch informed me that said band
had fed three at a time or two, and that her husband
had left with said band.

Given and Certified this 3rd day of
February 1863

J. H. Shanklin Col
30th Regt Ill. M.

John D. Frankland

Mr. Dinkens moved to Charleston 5 or 6 months ago -
came from Gundy Co - was partly raised in this
section - left home about 15 or 16 years ago - owns
some property in Gundy, or used to - reckon I own
it yet. Dont own the land where I live now -
am living with Leese Rodgers, in his employ -
changed my residence because Gundy was not a
good place for a Southern man to live over
no negroes. Never engaged in any war opera-
tions. Am half-brother Judge Abner Dimbandi.
Dont know Joshua Nathan Gook - ~~was living~~
~~when I was a child when I was a boy~~
lived in Gundy - he came down before
I did - left his family up there - his
family followed afterwards, and after I came.
Never knew Mr Gook to be engaged in any
lawless acts. Have a family, wife and 4
children. I am a Southern man - never claimed to
be a Union man - never enrolled - no reason -
left Gundy to keep from enrolling - was not with
Pindexter - never saw my brother after he
left Gundy -

Letter asking
Permission to
ship Whiskey
of
Wm Post & Co

2 1/2 months
ago

Feb. 1863

Office Provost Marshal
Syracuse Feb 5th 1863

John S Minick
Capt and Pro Marshal

Dr Sir

The Bearer of the bonds enclosed
is a loyal citizen - as per Oath & Bond
required, you will please grant him a permit
to ship whiskey, he wishes to ship in the
name of Wm Poth & Co, the Bearer being the
Co. Wm Poth will be at your Office, if necessary
for him to give Bond he can do so before you
as his present residence is in your vicinity,
having an interest in a Store here with
Mr Logan they wish to ship all goods
and Merchandise in the name of the
firm, which is Wm Poth & Co.

Respectfully yours

W A Mills
Capt and Provost Marshal

P. S. Evidence about corn seized
Bond forfeited &c will be forwarded
as soon as full evidence is procured

W A Mills
Pro Mar

Edward Smith &
Louisa Smith

Wm. L. ...
Feb. 1863

~~For this case I do not know~~
quite what actions should
be taken, O'Connell is
no longer a legislator, and
word of warning would be
in order. I have advised
the Missouri House & their
Watershed for the
reason. This is the
best that could be
done.
E.

If not called for within two weeks, return to

LUCIEN EATON,
ATTORNEY AT LAW,

AND
NOTARY PUBLIC,

ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI.

Have omitted to say
how I wish to give
the negro a full
and complete
protection
but such is the
the master's
is not necessary
and loyalty
W. H.

State of Missouri }
County of St. Louis } as. Edward Smith
colored says he &
his wife, Louisa, belong to Robt. Mc
O'Brien, of St. Louis; that their Master
is a rebel and traitor, which he
knows from these facts, that last
summer, when a number of men
were organized ⁱⁿ at Mrs. Barrett's in
this county, to go off & join the
rebel army, O'Brien sent him
out there three times with money
to give Mrs. Barrett. ~~At~~ Edward Smith
all he took \$25, & gave Mrs O'Brien
\$10 more which was to go there. This
money was to feed these men with.
When these men were discovered,
Mrs. Barrett was arrested. —
At Christmas time last, O'Brien told
him to leave with his wife Louisa, &
they did so, but now he says ~~just~~
they must come back, & has put
Louisa in the calaboose — O'Brien
frequently curses Lincoln & wishes he
was in hell, — He gave his wife a red
& white dress, but got frightened one day &
made her take it off, as he said
all his property would be taken

from him
subscribed down
to before me this
10th July, 1863
Luceen Eaton
Not. Pub.

his
Edward J. Smith
Mark

Tus cum vici 3800

Feb 7 - 1863

Account of all
Commodore Prop

By

Capt Brown

Per Man

2nd Mar

1863

Copy

Account of Sales of Contraband Stock sold at Public Auction at Juseumbia Mo
 under the direction of Capt Syles Brown on the 7th Day of Feb 1863.

Course No 1/2	Description	From whom taken	Purchaser	Am't	Remarks
	1 One Brown Horse 14 hands	John Barton	Bonny Woods	27 25	
	2 One Claybank mare 15 "	John Barton John Dotson	John Weitz	26 00	
	3 One Sorrel mare 15 "	James Shelton	Charles C Palmer	49 00	
	4 One Sorrel mare 14 "	Barnabas Reed	John Martin	30 00	
	5 " " " " "	Manon Mcgriff	W. C. Bromley	43 25	
	6 " " " " "	Jas McChelin	" " "	30 25	
	7 One Bk Horse 15 "	John Reed	William d. Pomeroy	23 00	
	8 One Grey Horse 16 "	Jas F Reed	Jas Albert	19 00	
	9 One Bay " " "	John Davidson		35 00	
	10 One Grey mare " "	Mark Jones	Charles C Salmon	28 00	
	11 One Bay Horse 15 "	Jesse Wilson	W. F. Harrison Jas Long	27 25	
	12 One Claybank mare " "	J. G. Hoale	Rufus Roberts	16 75	deduct \$5. for Am't of
				\$354 75	Auctioneer -
			Balance	\$349 75	

C. Coldwell Auctioneer

I certify that the above account of sales is correct & just and that the above enumerated
 Horses were sold at Public Auction as above stated Pursuant to notice and under the
 authority of Capt John S. Minick Provost Mar Genl Jeff City Mo
 Syles Brown - Capt Comd'g Post
 & Asst Provost Mar Genl

Q. #16. Phils. 1863.
Office Ass. P. Marshall
Audrian Co. Mexico Mo. Feb 9/63

3801
Gardner. O. A. A. Ass. P. M.

Encloses statements as re-
quired by letter from these
Hd. Qs. of date the 4th inst.
in relation to John L. Brown.
Thos. H. McDonald. Darius
Tier.

The original evidence as called
for in O. C. #181. is being copied
as fast as possible and will be
ready by the end of the month.

4 Enclosures

Evidence filed in Cases

Recd P. M. G. Feb. 11. 1863

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Mexico, Mo.,

July 1868.

Genl J. H. Dick
 Fort Mena Camp.

Dear Sir

Herewith I send you
 new statement as required by your letter
 of 7th.

The original articles, as also ~~the~~ ~~copies~~
 copies, accompany them.

John W. Brown is a notorious scoundrel -
 has been under arrest a long time, and I
 suppose Genl McKeen thought proper, and the
 recommendation of Judge Hancock Geo. Harris
 to "run him up" for imprisonment. We cannot
 get such cases attended to in the courts here.

~~John W. Brown~~ was in ~~the~~ ~~company~~
 Brown's ~~company~~ left the camp day before View
 left. Statement of Joseph W. Allen about that
McKeen being a member of McKeen's
~~company~~ company is merely a mistake of the
 name - it undoubtedly should be McDonald,
 though it is immaterial for statement of
 View who was in company with him is enough.

Was the ~~case of~~ ~~James~~ ~~Vier~~ - but I was
confident it ~~was~~ enough - other proof
could have been ~~obtained~~ but it was not
deemed necessary - a ~~rebel's~~ confession should
be sufficient ~~usually~~.

Mr. Partidge was in this office and I
showed him the statement in case of John
S. Brown and he thought it filled up properly.

The Original evidence as called for
in Special Order 181 is being copied as fast as
possible and most of it will be sent to you
the last of the present week.

I thought I had the first statements filled
up right. Any inaccuracies I will always endeavor
to correct.

Much of the evidence used to convict these
bushwhackers had been taken months ago and
the parties testifying are now away hence
I could not always have witnesses sign
the Blank Statement.

Very Truly

Your Obedt Servt

O. A. A. Gardner

Apt Pro Mar

Enclosure

748 2^d N. E. Mo. District

Warrenton, Jan 31, 1863

Sir:

By order of Brig Genl McKean, you will make the following disposition of prisoners reported in your list of the 29th inst -

You will send the following named prisoners to St Louis to be confined during the war.

John Lee Brown

Thomas H. McDonald

Darius Fier

Accompanying the prisoners, you will forward in each case, for the For Genl, Dept of the Mo., a printed blank in the form issued from his office properly filled up pursuant to his orders -

You will release Harmon S. Bangs in the usual parole, he having first given Bond in the sum of \$1,000, with the customary conditions and conditioned further that he enter the E. M. M., and serve faithfully -

I am, Sir, very respectfully
George Merrill

To

O. A. A. Gardner

Major Spdy, Adjutant

For Genl. McKean - Mo.

Office Pro. Mar. Lebanon
3803
No. Febr 23. 1863.

Q. 21. P. M. 1863

Gibb. Ind. J. L. and
Pro. Marshab

Gives list of captured property
consisting of horses, saddles &c
in his possession.

P. M. G. Feb. 26. 63

Office Troop Major Genl.
Dept of the West
St Louis, Mich 2 63

Respectfully Referred
to Col B. C. Farrant
for information and
action with the
observation that the
money of G. W. Spangle
has been ordered to
be restored.

J. A. Dick

Lt Colt Promf

Respectfully returned to
Col J. A. Dick with in-
formation that Col Miller
has made an report to
this office of the sale of Con-
federate property and receipts
of money. J. G. Farrant
Colt & Co. & Co.

Officer Prov Marshal
Lebanon Mo Feb 29/63

Col Dick

Provost Marshal Gen

Col in compliance

with yours of the 19th which is before me I

have to say that I have no blanks

And captures were made as follows

1 horse from Geo W Warren Jan 23/63

1 do " Joseph Palmer " "

1 do " Amos Gooden " "

1 mare Burton Gooden " "

1 do " Wesley Russell " "

1 horse James Carson " "

1 mule Wm J Gerrell Jan 8th /63

1 Pony Geo W Spangle " R " "

$\frac{1}{9}$ Mule Henry Progers " R 27 " "

$\frac{3}{12}$ there was 2 horses and one mare

turned over to me by the Post Dr Master

Jan 20/63 there was also 6 saddles

and bridles taken with the above horse

and mules - and all sold at auction

Jan 24th /63 by order of Lt Col Mills

and the sale amounted to four hundred

and five dollars which amount

was delivered with the sale bill

To Lt Col Mills for 29/00 for which
I hold his receipt

There is at this time 3 Contraband
horses bears 1 saddle and bridle
& 2 saddles and bridles belonging to
Majr Hubbards command that was taken
from him at the Prairie Grove fight
and recaptured

I captured 22 gallons of Whiskey from
Geo W Spangle for 22/00 and turned
it over to the Post Surgeon and
hold his receipt for the same

I captured 29 sacks of salt weighing fifty
two hundred lbs from Wm Coffey a
noted Rebel of this County for 12th/03
and by order of Lt Col Mills turned
it over to the Post Qu Master 14th Feb 1863

Wm S Gibbs
St Prov Marshal

21 Feb/63

Hahn George
Citizen

Report of Miss Lerke
who has just returned from
Francisco river - saw Capt
Harris a Curilla 25 miles
below river. 31 miles below
Capt Anderson also Curilla
Crossed at (his landing) 80 miles
below Alligator Bay Capt
Lumbor landed 80 miles below

[Faint, illegible handwritten text]

21 Feb 1863

Major Gen Hulbert

Dear Sir a Miss Serbs from St Francis River
has just arrived she came part of the way in canoe and
part in wagons on yesterday she saw Capt Harris a Guilla
25 miles below here) 31 miles below Capt Anderson
with 35 men Harris 6 men when she left there had
one hundred & 80 mounted men crossed at my land
ing mouth (Allegata Bay) she all so states that one
Capt Dunbar had landed 80 barrels of salt a few
days ago sum 10 or more days to be sold for cotton
the salt was left with one Robert Smith a union man
the Guillias seized it all Miss Serbs states all
most of the Guillias is citizens and they face the
conscript when occasion permits Miss Serbs is a very
truthful and reliable young widow I visit Land with
me in arcansas very Respectfully

George Hahn

Major Gen Hulbert

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P. O. 3804, 863.

Memphis, Tenn.
Feb 17th / 63

Pullock John
Atty Genl

Asking advice as to the
case of George Rayfield who
dispute the civil authority -
(S.B. 32. P. 14)

~~2000~~

Colquhoun



Recd. Feb 16th 1863

Memphis, Feb. 17-1869
Maj. Gen. Humbert

Sir:-

At the present term of the Criminal Court of Memphis, George Rayfields was indicted for the murder of James Foley. The officer who held the habeas for his arrest informs me that on Saturday last when attempting to execute it, Mr. Rayfields disputed his authority and produced a paper, purporting to have been signed by Col. D. C. Anthony Provost Marshal "by authority of Maj. Gen. Humbert" prohibiting his arrest by any civil authority whatever.

Mr. Rayfields is the manager of the Theater in this city, engaged in business pursuits, and so far as I am advised is in no way connected with the military force.

The bearer of this has a habeas for the arrest of Mr. Rayfield, and is the proper officer, according to the laws of Tennessee to arrest Mr. Rayfields. Will you be kind enough to advise me whether the military forces under your command are instructed to oppose the officer in arresting George Rayfield on the said

charge of murder

Respectfully

— John Quincey

Attorney General

Pro. Tem.

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115 W. 226. 1863.

Memphis Tenn.
Feb 14th 1863

J. H. Wetborn
Captain.

The Steamer "Rowena" detained at
Island No 10. by Gun Boat -
New Era - Portion of her
cargo taken on board
New Era by order of comd.
Officers. ordered to pro-
ceed to Memphis discharge
balance of cargo and
return to Cairo. The
Capt. Steward. 1st +
2nd Lieutenants confined
and released
one welcome

I am very
Sincerely
Yours

C. J. ...

Wm

On board Steamer Rowena
Memphis Tenn February 14 1863

To the Commander of the
Post, Memphis Tenn.

Sir:

On the twelfth of
this month the Steamer Rowena was detained
at Island number ten and searched by
the officers of the U. S. Gun boat New Era,
and a portion of the cargo of the Rowena
was removed to the New Era by order of the
officers of the latter boat.

The Rowena was placed in charge
of one Mr. Frederick and the Rowena was
ordered to proceed to Memphis, discharge
her cargo and return to Cairo, reporting
to the Gun boat New Era on her way up.

On the morning of the thirteenth
instant the Captain, Steward, first and
third clerks of the Steamer Rowena were
arrested and placed in close confinement
and are still under guard on board
said boat, and the Guard has refused
to allow the cargo of said boat to be
discharged.

We the Captain and clerk of
said Steamer Rowena feel aggrieved at
the course that has been pursued towards
us and respectfully ask that the matter
be investigated.

J. H. Wellborn Captain
Wm. Brock clerk
J. A. Burdum agt

115. N. 226. 1863.

Rec^d #2 16 Army Corp 14th Feb 1863

U. S. Gun Boat New River
Island No 10 1863

Sir

You will go on board of the Prize
Steamer "Pomona" Bound for Memphis Tenn
in company with Mr Sen Pilot Mr Drough
as Engineer as Prize Officer accompanying
said Steamer to Memphis discharge such
of her cargo as is all right proper to discharge
& bring said Boat with the utmost despatch
back to Cairo. to be given into the hands of Capt
A. W. Ranock Cordeley Station Reporting here
on your return - Make no landings only
at Military Posts

To Mr Friedrich

Act Master

I am Sir
your Obedt Servt
J. W. Glanville
Cordeley

Copy

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L. 100. 390863.

Springfield Ills

Feb 7 21 63

Larley W^m & C.
Citizens

Has a claim of \$371.⁰⁰ on
Misses Pickett formerly Co. for
corn year '61 for which they
refused to pay. - claim and
draft. in hands of W. H.
Fitch Aug Gas Co.

St. No. 104
St. No. 10 Army Corps.
Memphis Tennessee.
2 March 1863.

Respectfully referred to Brig.
Gen. James C. Hatch, com-
manding District of Memphis.

By order of
Maj. Gen. Hubert

Mary Beinnard
d. a. e.

Rec. # 216 Army Corps. 27 Feb 63

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A Complaint
in Writing Stating
the fact, and when
to - will be necessary
before Military Authority
can be used to
Compel Payment

J. M. L. Stated
By Gene

Memphis Tenn^e
March 28. 1863

I have this day settled the
account mentioned within
receiving from Messrs Dickert
Wormley & Co payment as
demanded and have
remitted amount to
Messrs W. L. Lively & Co

Respectfully Your Obedient

Wm. H. Hatch Jr
New J. C. Hatch
Candy - Dickert
Memphis

Head Quarters
Dist. Murphy
March 31 1863

Respectfully
forwarded

Wm. Skates
Bryson

Wm. H. W. & Co.
July 31 1863

Genl Chamberlaine
Memphis Tenn

Dear Sir,

We have a claim of \$371.20/100. for a shipment of Corn Consigned to Messrs Pickett, Wornly & Co. of Memphis in the Spring of 1861. Which they sold & received an amt of sales for, but refused to pay because we of the North would not permit them to do as they please in their wholly rebellion. We have sent the claim & a draft to an old friend Mr. W. Fitch Jr Secy of the Cass Co of Memphis to collect for us. As they obstinately refuse to pay the claim we have taken the liberty to write you hoping that you will render any assistance you may find it convenient to afford Mr Fitch in the collection of the claim.

Very Respectfully yours
Wm. H. W. & Co.

243. V. 2. 3862

Memphis Tenn.
17 Feb 1863.

Watch James C.
Brig Genl.

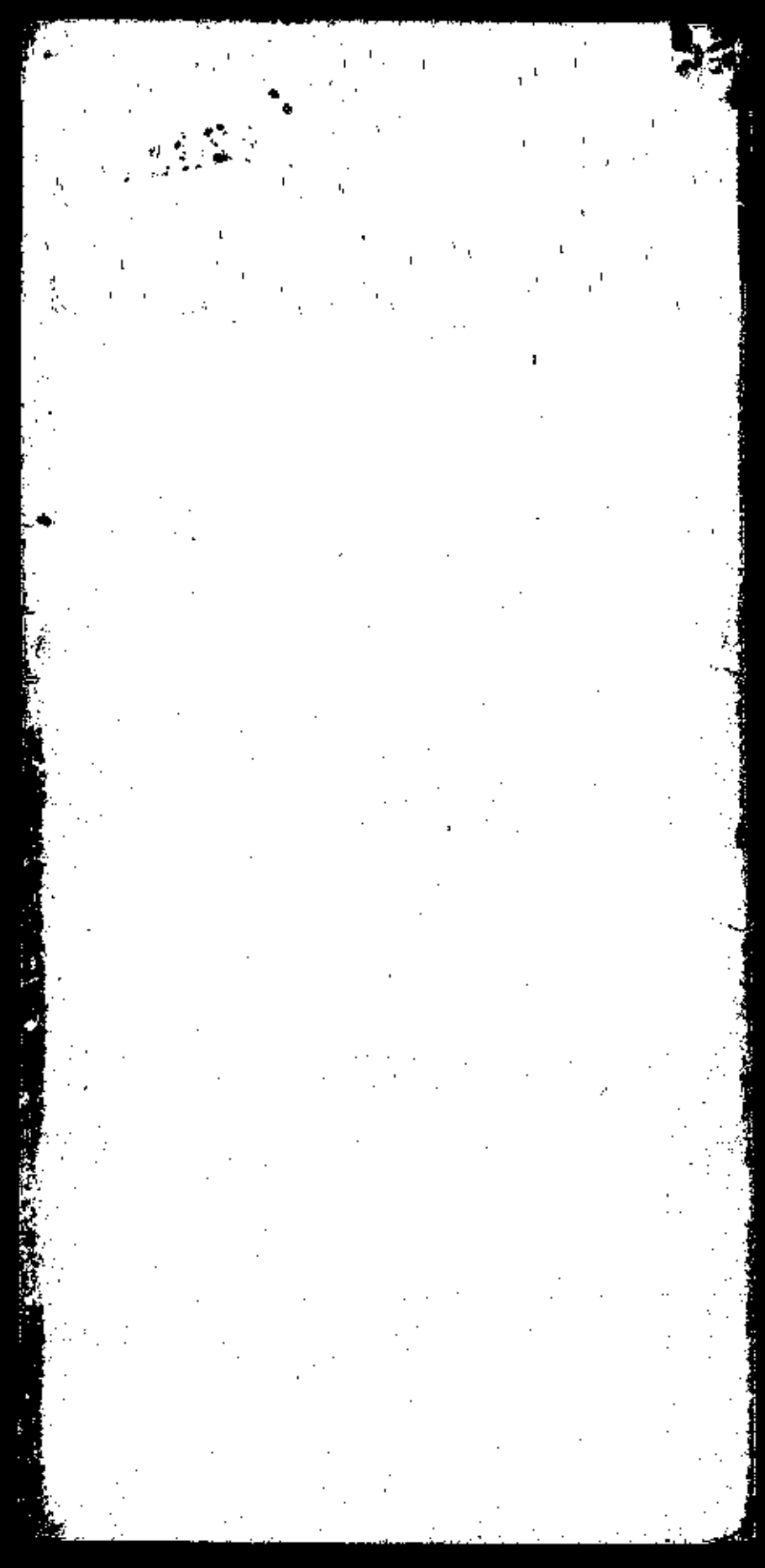
Proceedings of the
Mil Comd. in case of
Brossman, Henderson, Bridg
water, Turner, Sage & Son
Aronson -

Spec ors no 16 #1.
Spec ors no #

~~James C. Watch~~

For enclosure

Rec'd H. L. W. Corp. 18 Feb/63.



Head-quarters Dist of Memphis
Memphis Tenn, Feby 17th 1863.

Capt. H. Bismarck
Asst. Adjt General
1st Army Corps

I send you the proceedings of the Military Commission in the cases of
U. S. vs. Bowman
" " " Henderson
" " " Bridgewater
" " " Turner Page & Sanderson

The Record does not state all the facts required in the cases of Courts Martial - and in this respect may be regarded as defective. But I can find no Order of the War Department nor any article of War or Regulation requiring the same particularity which is demanded of Courts Martial.

Allow me to suggest that as Military Commissions are charged to try such offences as would be punishable by the Civil Law, if it were in operation, it is not necessary that the Record should

state any fact which would not be
required in the judgment and proceedings
of a civil court

Respectfully
James C. Carter
King Geo

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A. I.

1863.

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Memphis Tenn.
13 February 1863.

Anthony D. Co.
Provost Marshal

Reports the arrest of Edw
ward Workman; C. S. Wild
comb & others for violation
of Genl. orders no. 7 H. G. 16
Army Corps.

[Handwritten signature]
C. S. Wildcomb

Feb 13

Recd. H. G. 16 Army Corps 13 Feb 1863

Provost Marshals Office

Memphis Tenn Feb 13 1863

Cap W. H. Thurston

for

I have arrested Edward Norham and the other parties named in your letter of 7th day. I have also seized the property of said Parties and now hold them awaiting your orders.

I have also arrested G. S. W. Sitcomb of the firm of Belock & Co and their head clerk.

I have seized a large number of the Chicago times from the parties arrested and also have possession of their places of business.

Very respectfully

Yours &c

L. C. Anthony

Pro Marshal

By W. S. King

P# 34 in 1863.

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Narrabal No.

February 8th 1863.

Pres. T. W. Ross, Mass.

original sent for York
mch 9, 63.

Geo. Halb & Elijah Rew-
frew are not imprisoned
but are on their Boat, at-
tending to their business.

Gives the circumstances
in this case. & encloses
statements of others to the
same effect

Enclosure

Recd. P. M. G. Feb 10/63

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February 8th 1863.

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Enclosures

Recd. P. M. Feb. 10. 63

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copies
in mail
to you

sent all
yesterday
9/13

Statement of Alex Lighton City Marshall
 Pabnypa Marion County Mo. January 28th 1863.
 On Saturday 17th day of January 1863. One Potter,
 came to me told me there was some runaway
 Negroes at the rail road junction wanted
 me to go with him and arrest them, I told
 him that I would go as soon as could get ready
 I took James Reeves & Buck Kemper to my assist-
 -ance, proceeded towards the railroad, met
 said Potter who had gone by himself and
 arrested said Negroes, coming into town
 with the same I stopped them & asked the
 Negroes if they had any papers, they said they
 had, presented them to said Buck Kemper,
 Kemper handed them to me, I examined them
 and found them to be free papers made out by
 a private martial
 of Macon County Mo stating the said Negroes
 therein mentioned were captives of War taken
 from one Thomas McCormack of Pennsylvania
 rights a citizen of Macon County Mo represented
 by said papers to have been banished from the state
 of Missouri, for his disloyalty I told said Potter
 who arrested said Negroes that Kemper & Reeves who
 I took with me, to let the Negroes go that we had no
 right to arrest them, they refused stating at the
 same time that they would like to see Mr B.
 Phillips Sheriff first, a short time after I met

said Phillips he stated to me that the free papers
the Negroes had were of no account, that they were
military papers, that Military Officers had no
right to give such papers, that we as Civil Officers
had no right to recognise them and said ^{that} we
must take them before a justice of the peace
and have them committed to jail. The Negroes
were taken before Justice Bower he refused to
have anything to do with them, stating that he
had no right to molest them, telling them that
they, they had better let them go. Keeper said
he must see Phillips first, I then left them for
the time being saw nothing more of them for
some two hours afterwards at which time I
saw them again at the office of Matthew ~~Flet~~
cher J. P. Phillips, Yancey Keeper, was at said
Fletcher Office. When I entered the Office they
were discussing the Nigger question. Said Jus-
tice Fletcher like Phillips, Keeper, McCabe
Potter &c refused to recognise the Negroes free
papers, and issued a writ to commit them to jail
by this time it had grew late at night the
Negroes were asleep there was therefore no
further proceedings in the case until the next
morning at which time I went to Lieut Alexander
McLaren Comd of post Palmyra informed him
what was going on he ordered said Negroes to
be released, the said Phillips on the reception of

Said order still persisted by refusing to re-
lease said Negroes, stating at the time
that he could not nor would not recognise
any such papers stating that it was my duty
as a civil Officer to hold the Negroes, that
if I released them my securities would be bound
for them to the owner of them for the same, at
that time I proposed that Phillips and myself
would go and see said Commander Phillips
consented we went, Commander said Mr
Phillips I understand you have ^{got} some Negroes
in your possession, Mr Phillips remarked
no, Mr Lighton has, Commander said they
must be released after this said Keeper
who had the Negroes papers handed them to
me and I handed them, them to said Negroes
the said Potter who arrested said Negroes told
me, that he went to Quincy Illinois to see the
Original owner of said Negroes Thomas
McCormack, who was banished from this state
and that he Potter did see McCormack in
Quincy Ill, and that said McCormack gave
the ferry boat ten dollars to bring him and
McCormack from Quincy to this side of the
river said McCormack also gave Mr Potter
fifteen dollars, and the boat brought us
over to this side, the day that said Potter went
to Quincy to see the said McCormack was on the

Same day the Negroes were arrested, late in the
Evening
Signed Alexander Lightner
Palmyra

(On Thursday the 22nd Jan'y 1863. I had occasion
to visit Quincy Ill, on Business got aboard the car
at the lower Station, after getting in I noticed sev-
-en Negroes all seated who had got in the cars
at the junction, after we were on the way sever-
al Gentlemen amongst whom, were Langer
McKobe, Conductor John Mills, Mrs B. Philips Shiff
Standing at the door right where I sat McKobe
asked Conductor Mills, what he had taken
the negroes on the train for, Mills replied
that he either had to take them on, or go to jail
and he thought that was the best he could
do was to take them and stated that they were
under an escort of seven Soldiers who were going
along to see that the negroes were taken through
to Quincy and that they had orders from Gen-
eral Merrill, or the provost to that effect, when
McKobe replied that them orders were not
worth a damn, that it was in the Violation of
the State Law, got to the Station at West
Quincy was invited to the office till the Post
would come across, Mr McKobe Superinten-
-dent ^{Mills} (Old Man) Conductor Mills and some

Others were in the Office, they called the Sergeant of the Squad and asked to see the orders for the transportation of the Negroes took a copy of them by the clerk at the Station for the purpose as they said of entering a Protest, after going through with Mr. McCabe handed the Papers back to the Sergeant. Mr. Witts his men took the Negroes aboard the Ferry Boat, they all went up and were seated, the Boat remained for about two hours, ^{the} Sergeant and his men standing in front of the entrance, Mr. McCabe called the Sergeant to go to the office to give his name two of his men went with him, two remaining on the plank walk near the rail road track, and two stood on the plank walk opposite the Bridge leading on the Boat. There was a constant talking of a private note between Mills (sup) the Captain of the Boat Mr. Phillips and Mr. McCabe, previous to the time the Sergeant was called to the Office and a good many boys drove and others were collected around the two soldiers that stood on the Plank Walk near the Track, at this juncture of the proceedings I saw the Captain come up in the Cabin and told the negroes to come to the Office, that the Sergeant wanted to have

their names or to have the papers fixed all
right, the Negroes went down and washed
off the Boat, the order was then given by
the Captain to cut that Boat loose the
forward rope was loosed the Captain
standing on the Bank, the two Soldiers near
at the Boat cocked their Pistols and cried
stop that Boat then came the other two
from the Wall near the track and
finally the three from the Office, all
crying stop that Boat with their pistols
cocked, by this time the Bow of the Boat
had swung around out of reach of the Pis-
tols, I could not see who loosed her behind
the men did not fire, We passed over
to Quincy I returned the next afternoon
I asked John Mills, the Conductor what
had become of the negroes, his reply
was had taken them back to Polk
and that if these Soldiers had shot
develop they would all have been kil-
led ^{that} they had Arms and were ready for
them in crossing the river to Quincy one
of the men acting as firemen told me
that they had trouble with their Negroes
the other time that they came from
Polk he said after the Boat had tied
up for the night, that the Master of the

Captain of the
Negroes came to the Boat and gave him
ten dollars and paid half of the Cool
Bill and went across the River to Mo
to capture them and that he offered
a man that would take them back
to Mazon City the negro man for his
trouble but when they crossed the ne-
groes had gone back to Palmyra

David J. Cherry

Palmyra Mo

The undersigned do hereby make a correct
report of the orders furnished me by
Sut Alexander M. Lazen to proceed with
Six men to Quincy Ferry Boat Landing by
way of Palmyra and Quincy Rail Road
to see that a certain party of Negroes hav-
ing their free papers according to orders
from the department at St. Louis and of
the War department at Washington
were not further molested by rebels or
rebel sympathizers as they had been
a few days prior to this time by some
of the citizens of Palmyra their names
are as follows Edward McCabe Wm
Phillips, Matthew Fletcher one Potter one
Reeve and one John Wood and others
Therefore after arriving at ^{most} Quincy Mo.

Mr Mills came out of the Rail Road Office and said they wanted me in the office I went in Langer McCabe called on me for the Negroes free papers I went and got the papers from the negroes and handed them to the owner of the ferry Boat and he said they ^{Papers} of no use for the County Seal was not on them and he did not recognize any such Law and said the Law of this State is above Military power and therefore he could not pass them over on any such papers the Captain ^{of the Boat} ordered the negroes not to come on board, I ordered them on he said he would not take them across for their papers ^{was} of no account just at that time my attention ^{was directed} to Mr Mills and in conversation with him, ^{the} mention the negroes were put off the Boat by the Captain and the Boat ordered from shore, the pilot also said that his Oath Bound him not to take Negroes across without passes from their Masters and do not acknowledge any such Law as you are trying to put in force and the second time the owner of the Boat told me he would not give his consent for the Negroes to cross and if I wanted them

to cross over I would have to take my
Men and take charge of the Boat
and stand guard over his men
and thereby take the Negroes over
Mr Mills said as the Boat was
moving off not to shoot we might
hurt some innocent person also said
he had more shooting boats than
we had and men to use them he
said that he was an Officer of the
Quincy Police and could raise
Eight hundred 500 men, Lawyer
McCabe Superintendent of the Quincy
and Polungra Rail Road protested a-
gainst the Negroes free papers and
said that he did not acknowledge
any such papers, or law as taking another
Property and that the civil law was superior
to the military law and that it was nothing
but stealing he also wrote out some papers
which he called a protest and requested me
to sign them I refused the Boat having been
withdrawn by the Officers of the same the Ne-
groes could not be crossed and there-
fore returned to Polungra from all app-
earance the rebels had their plans laid
and were ready for action, the above
proceedings took place about the 23rd day
of January 1863, Edwin Laney

Hamburg Mo Feb 8th 1863

Col F. F. Dick

Pro Mar General

A Louis Mo Sir Yours of the
6th Inst just recd, Geo Holt and Elijah
Kempson are not imprisoned but are on
the Boat attending to their business as
I saw them both yesterday, I should
have reported the circumstances connected
with their case at an earlier day but
failed to get papers relating to it from Pal-
myra until yesterday, On or about the
20th of January, One Abraham, his wife
and several children (colored) arrived
at Palmyra junction duly certified to by
Col Ebermann Pro Mar, of Macon Co as
"Captives of War," they were enroute for
Iowa via Quincy, Ill, On their arrival at
Palmyra, they were seized by One Potter
(a citizen) and by him handed over
to the civil authorities and he pro-
ceeded at once to Quincy to notify
their former Master One Thomas Mc-
Cormack who was banished some
time ago from Macon Co to the State
of Michigan and is now residing
at the (Rogue Harbor) Quincy, Genl Hef
McLaren (with a few men) is in Palmyra

as Commander of the Post, The negroes
were held as prisoners during one night
and the following morning Lieut W.
Loren, hearing of it, demanded their im-
mediate release, which was complied
with, I think it was the following day
they went on the coast to West Quincy
(having their free papers with them)
When the ferry proprietor refused
to allow them to cross or to recognize
the authority of the Military to issue
such papers, so they returned to Polmy-
ra and the Lieut reported the facts to
me, I was not then aware of the Law
in Illinois forbidding free Negroes
being brought into the state but sup-
posed the ground of the Boat's objection
was, that they might be regarded as Slaves
and they desired some authority to
show ^{as to} why they crossed them I there-
fore addressed a few lines to the pro-
prietor of the ferry Boat stating per-
mission is hereby given such and such
negroes (giving their names and descriptions)
to cross from Missouri to Illinois sign-
ing it as Acty. Pro, Mar, of Marion Co
I also instructed the Lieut to arrest and
send to me any person who should inter-

fers with these Negroes or attempt to restrain
them of their liberties, The next Morn of
the matter the Lieut came down here one
evening with Keble and Ruffrew (Capt
and Pilot of Boat) and the man Pot-
ter under arrest, It appears that when the
Negroes left Palmyra the second time
the Lieut had reason to believe they would
be stopped by rebels or their sympathiz-
ers and he thought proper to send a boat and
a few men along to see them safely on
the Boat, The men on the Boat did not
see fit to think the permit I had mit-
ten sufficient authority and again re-
fused to cross them, the Boat had his or-
ders to see them on the Boat, and had
insisted they should take them but
by strategy the Negroes were put off the Boat
and she crossed without them, They again
went to Palmyra and the Lieut continued
the instructions I had given him as
warranting him in arresting the Capt
and Pilot and he did so, As soon as they
were brought before me, I released them
informing them I should report the case
to you at St Louis and ascertain how
far they were right or wrong in refusing
to cross them, that they might know what

Course to pursue in future cases of like
Character which are likely to arise
and would communicate with
them for reply. They were under guard
from W. Quincy till they arrived here
and were released at once and return-
ed the following morning. Satisfied that
all that was wanted of them was what
is right. While I willingly assumed the
responsibility of the arrest as the Lieut.
considered it warranted by my instre-
-tions and considered himself as faith-
-fully discharging his duties, yet if I
had been present I should have done
differently. It is but natural that parties
in Quincy should attempt to make
political capital out of this. The Quincy
and Palmyra R.R. and the Ferry Boats
are managed by Genl McNeil says by
men of at best doubtful loyalty and
consequently while pretending to aid
the Government loose no good oppor-
-tunity to oppose it. I was told yes-
-terday by the Capt. of the Boat that
on their return to Quincy they found
a very bitter article ready to be pub-
-lished in that treacherous sheet the
Quincy Herald which they would not

①
allow them to publish, it has ^{had} a good
effect, on them, for now that the troops
are so generally gone from here they
had openly defied the abilities of
the government to arrest any of
them, they are more respectful now.
The man Potter who arrested these
Negroes first & discharged because
he did not know what papers they
had till he turned them over to
the civil authorities inasmuch
as the civil Officers promptly turn-
ed them loose when ordered so to do
I have thought it best to do nothing
with them, although they kept them
confined all night when they knew
it was in defiance of military orders.
The negro man returned to Macon
to see Col Ebermann I was told, but
am not aware of what has finally
become of the family.

Yours Obedtly

J. J. Price

Pro Marshal

(Signed)

In view of what I have written I would ask
a reply to the following questions
1st What rights (if any) have negroes who have re-
ceived their free papers from pro Marshals.

In view of what I have written I would
ask a reply to the following questions

1st What rights (if any) have negroes who have
received their free papers from Pro Marshals,
pursuant to your General order N^o 35 to go out
= side of the Dept of the Missouri?

2^d If they have such right, and any par-
ties (the Quincy of ~~Quincy~~ ^{for instance} ~~Quincy~~ ^{Quincy} refuse to
recognize them, ought anything to be done with such
parties, and if yes - what?

3^d If parties who have been by proper
Authority banished to some stated locality
in the free states, fail to go there but remain
at Quincy or other place not meant in the order
Can anything be done with them and if so what?

I remain,

Your Obedt Servant,

T. D. Price

Pro Marshal

I enclose you statements of David L. Cherry. Also under
Leighton and Capt Edwin Lamy sent me by Capt McHaren
having reference to this case.

7. 33 Also 3310
Dist. of Jackson
Jackson Tenn
February 20th 63

French. James W

Taylor. John L
Citizen

Application for permit
to bring goods for family
use, to this Park.

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Head-Quarters Commander of the Post,

16th Army Corps, Department of the Tennessee.

Jackson, Tenn., Feb 20th 1863.

Captain, James H. French and John
L. Taylor, loyal citizens of Madison
County, visited St Louis Mo a short
time since to purchase the within
Bills of Goods for the use of their
own and the farms, of Abram Tay-
lor of said County, & on their return
with the goods, the Surveyor of Co.
Linn Co Ky refused to let them pass
without a permit from the Dist. Mgr
Quincy at Jackson Tenn.

The standing of Mr A Taylor I
trust, will secure the permit.

Very Respectly

W. R. Lawler, Col

Coz

Col J. H. Harris

of A. G. S.

Sub. Section Tenn.

S. 129. D. I. 3811868

Head Quarters of Bethel
Bethel Tennessee July 5, 63

\$77.40.0
Dir. of fact. &c. &c.
Sanford

Col W. W. Conroy's Post,

Ask the approval of the General
Commanding of measures
taken by Col Conroy's Post of Bethel
in regard to the arrest of Willis
Arnold Jr by Rebel Newhams

W. W. Conroy

W. W. Conroy

Head Quarters Post of Bethel
Bethel Tenn Feby 5th 1863.

Capt J. W. Harris a. a. Genl
Head Quarters Dist of Jackson.

Step D. McCullum R.
J. Barham Thos Crook R. F. Hendrix and O. F.
Hendrix parties assessed under special Order No 15
on 14 Dec. 12th for Twenty eight hundred dollars of
the amt ordered to be assessed are absent from home
and were at the time the assessment was made and
have no property out of which the amt can be made
W. O. Brummer who was assessed for \$1630 has had
his assessment upon a review of his case reduced
to \$1000 dollars which will leave the amt ordered
to be collected short those amts. Shall I proceed to
assess and collect this amt from other parties living
in the same vicinity who have not been assessed.

When Capt. Newsham made his raid
back of Henderson station he seized and carried
off Willis Arnold jr. a loyal citizen of the U. S. and
who was one of the commissioners who made the
assessment for the raid on Henderson. Capt Newsham
stated to Arnolds family that he would hold
him Arnold until he gave bonds to return the
amt ordered to be assessed on Rebel Sympathizers.

Upon hearing of this I ordered Dr J. Smith
Newshams father in law J. Crook and G. F. Ruff also
relations of Newsham's to be arrested and held as

hostages for his safe return in six days. They at first declined to get him back but upon notifying them that if he was not in the time specified they would be sent to Alton Military prison they at once sent after him and stated they could get him back but wanted two days longer time, which I gave them they in the mean time remain prisoners in my charge. I hope my action in the matter will meet with the approval of the General Commanding.

I have collected for the use of troops at Corinth under command of Genl Dodge 2500 bushels of corn which is now in cribs awaiting shipment.

Wm W. Sanford
Col 48th Ills
Comdy Post.

Feb 20. 1863.

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~~No 4 AGO~~

Dist. of Jackson.

Robinson

Wishes a pass to bring in Cotton, for
Mr Noyes & Timberlick.

W. H. W.

February 20th 1863.

Captain Harris

Will you
please be kind enough
to goe to Mr. W. &
Lumberick & Pass to
bring down in as I have
purchased a lot of cotton
of them. And there is some
trouble in passing the
Pickettes

Yours
Richd Robinson
Genl Camp Robinson

S. 138.

D. T.

1862.

Head Quarters Post of Jackson
Bethel Tenn July 17, 1863.

888 A. S. O.
Dir. of Jackson
Sanford

Col W. W. Conroy Post.

Respectfully ask instructions
in regard to S. D. Smith
J. J. Ruff J. Carroll Peavers
who are held as hostages
for the safety of Arnold jr.
as loyal Union men, arrested
by Capt Newsham near
Henderson Tennessee.

(One Enclosure)

W. W. Conroy

Head Quarters Post of Bethel
Bethel Tennessee Feby 17. 1863.

Capt T. H. Harris

A. A. Genl Head Quarters Dist of Jackson.

On the 29th of January
Capt. Newsham coming what is said to be a company
of Guerrillas but claimed by him to be regular
cavalry of the so called confederate States seized
and carried off Willis N. Arnold jr a citizen of
Henderson County and a undoubted loyal Union
man. Capt. Newsham left word for his wife and
also sent word to the Comdg Officer at Henderson
that he would hold said Arnold until he gave
a bond with good security for \$20,000 to indemnify
the persons living near Henderson who had
been accused as Rebel sympathizers and disloyal
to the U. S. Government for the damage done by
raid on Henderson in which raid cotton owned
by loyal citizens and Genl. property was destroyed
to a large amount. This agreement was made
by Special Order No 15 from Head Quarters Dist
of Jackson. Arnold owned some of the cotton
destroyed at the time. As soon as notified of the
arrest of Arnold I ordered Major Stephenson Comdg,

at Henderson to arrest and hold as hostages
three prominent Rebel sympathizers living near
Arnold on the 3rd of Feby 1862, he arrested:

J. D. Smith Father in law of Capt Newsham
J. S. Pop and Carroll Pearsons
all of them being prominent in their Rebel prin-
-ciples. They were notified that they would be
held responsible for the safe Return of Arnold and
given ten days to get him back in. This they
stated they thought they could effect in that time
This action on my part I reported to your Head-
Quarters at the time asking for the approval
of the Genl Comdg. On the 5th of Feby Mr John
L Carathan acting as the Agent of the arrested
persons started for the Tenn. River to find Newsham
and effect the release of Arnold, when he found
Captain Newsham Arnold had been sent to
Columbia Tennessee, he then crossed the river
and proceeded to Columbia and had an interview
with Genl Forrest Comdg at Columbia, who refused
to deliver Arnold up, for reasons which he sets
forth in a communication he gave said Carathan
to bring back, which he delivered to the Comdg
Officer at Henderson on the 15th of Feby. A copy
of this communication is now in the possession
of the Genl Comdg Dist of Jackson. In view of

the above facts I respectfully ask from the
Genl Comdy an order to govern my further
action in this case, also as to whether I shall
release the hostages or still keep them as security
for Arnolds safety.

W. W. Sampson

Col 48th Regt

Comdy Post.

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Dist. of Jackson



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D. J.

1863

Brigade Head Quarters
Columbia Tenn Feb 13th 1863

Major W. J. Stephenson
Comd'g US Forces

Wendover Station

Sir

Mr John L. Carther
has been here and done all he could do for the
release of Willie W. Arnold who was arrested and by
my order sent to Genl Parag for trial as a counterfeiter
Mr Arnold was not arrested as a Union man
or a Union sympathiser but as a bad man and a
counterfeiter there was found upon his person \$4940⁰⁰
of counterfeit ^{money}, also Orders from Genl Sulivan
authorizing said Arnold to impress the property
of secessionists and that resistance to said Arnold
would be regarded by Genl Sulivan as resistance
to the Federal Government and it is due from you
in all candor to say to you that a man bearing
Arnold's previous character as a counterfeiter and
found in possession of forty nine hundred and
forty dollars of counterfeit money on his person
secreted in his boots and hid in the waistband
of his pants cannot be released without a trial
again he carried with him the authority to imp
to any extent without limit the property of any person

That he (Arnold) not Genl Sullivan might regard
as Southern Sympathizer in other words a "bad planet"
to rob and plunder when he pleased. therefore he will
be tried as a counterfeiter and an enemy. I am
informed that you have arrested and held in
confinement three citizens of Henderson County
as Hostages for this man Arnold. that they have
been forced to take the oath of Allegiance to your
Government and are to be dealt with nevertheless
and not with standing the oath as our authorities
may do to Arnold. Now justice humanity and
Self respect ought to prevent such a course to wrong
innocent men and while I am ever anxious to
conduct all my operations upon strictly human
just and honorable principles you may rest assured
that in the event of punishment to these men
I shall retaliate and that to full extent. while
in west Tennessee I arrested no man for his principles
or his sentiments and but few at any time in
my military operations for their acts and unless
human or divine can justify punishment of the
innocent citizen for the acts of a violator of law.
Hence I ask their release upon the score of justice
and hope when you fully understand the character
and offences of this man Arnold a bad man in any
country you will at once release them.


Official Copy }
A. J. Mellman }
a Post

Very Respectfully
J. B. Forrest, Brig. Genl.
Comdy Confed. Forces West Tenn

Feb. 15, 1863

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List of Prisoners Confined in the College
Prison on the morning 15th of Feb^y 1863.

List Prisoners in Court House Feb. 15th 1863.

No	Name	No	Name	No	Name
1	Alleberry M. S.	32	Garner Henry	63	Robinson W. J.
2	Baker C. F.	33	Gentry S. J.	64	Sparr J.
3	Branson Wm	34	Green B. W.	65	Sullivan Garrett
4	Byrd A. G.	35	Garroutte W. B.	66	Shelton A. H.
5	Craig C. S.	36	Garrison A. H.	67	Strawhorn E. A.
6	Cox Joseph	37	Hines W. B.	68	Solomon J. S.
7	Cruise Rufus	38	Hogge M. C.	69	Snodgrass A.
8	Caird Leonard	39	Hinkle J. M. ^{W.P.}	70	Stacy E.
9	Carruthers W. W.	40	Jewell B. F.	71	Stamm C. H.
10	Christian W. C.	41	Spwin W. G.	72	Thomas J. B.
11	Chevenger Saml.	42	Spwin R.	73	Thomas Jas. J.
12	Clapp Jas. P.	43	Jackson David	74	Thompson J. B.
13	Chandler W. P.	44	Jacobs W. A.	75	Weir C. G.
14	Davis W. W.	45	Long R. J.	76	Wood Sidney
15	Douglas W. J.	46	Lee W. H. Jr.	77	Wood J. S.
16	Dykes J. P.	47	Lee S. M.	78	White W. C.
17	Depp Thomas	48	Leedy Josiah	79	White W. P.
18	Duff Jas. K.	49	Longacre E. M.	80	West H. C.
19	Dunn S. S.	50	Longacre M. V.	81	Wallace Wm.
20	Edsell W. W.	51	Lynch B. F.	82	Winfrey C. Jr.
21	Engelman S. H.	52	Morris C.	83	Watson J. G.
22	Elliott J. H.	53	Morris A.	84	Broadhurst Jas. A.
23	Fredrick C.	54	Minge J. T. ^{W.P.}	85	Sate John
24	Friswell W. H. ^{Quay}	55	Masterson C. B.		
25	Frazier W. H. ^{Cap}	56	Majors G. P.		
26	Houst J. W.	57	Mann Robt.		
27	Hields W. D.	58	Morgan G. B.		
28	Hurgeson E. C.	59	Porter E.		
29	Hurgeson W. J.	60	Paddy J. M.		
30	Griffin J. B.	61	Pruitt Wm.		
31	Goode W. P.	62	Reese J. J.		

Feb 15th

List Prisoners Confined in Collier's Prison

No.	Name	No.	Name	No.	Name
1	Adams G. S.	33	Louch Wm	64	Gotcher N. P.
2	Adcock Joshua	34	Chapman D. C.	65	Gillmore J. M. P.
3	Adams E. N.	35	Casbolt Robt	66	Gleam L.
4	Adcock J. S.	36	Cox Jas	67	Ghan N. B.
5	Allen Joseph	37	Carter G.	68	Grindstaff Wm
6	Beaver A. D.	38	Clark J. M.	69	Galbraith J. S.
7	Brim W. A. J.	39	Crane S. M.	70	Grindstaff D. J.
8	Branstetter Chas	40	Cover John	71	Garret J. M.
9	Bradley B. S.	41	Coats Henry	72	Harris Silas
10	Blige William	42	Divers J. H.	73	Hedges B. S.
11	Brock J. R.	43	Dennis Isaac P.	74	Harris S. P.
12	Ballou N. P.	44	Dickson S.	75	Hornor J.
14	Belcher John	45	Davis B.	76	Hall Wm
15	Blackwell J. H.	46	Dyer G. W.	77	Heard E. S.
16	Brandon J. H.	47	Dickey William	78	Ham L.
17	Bayless J.	48	Dean John	79	Ham Wm
18	Bell J. P.	49	Dunham S.	80	Hicks W. S.
19	Box Wm	50	Dent Marshal	81	Hall W. H.
20	Chilcutt N. F.	51	Dent J. E.	82	Hall B. C.
21	Calbert S.	52	Donelson Miram	83	Hawkins S. H.
22	Crabtree V.	53	Embry James	84	Hoad Stephen
23	Caldwell Robt E.	54	Egbert Willis	85	Horn W. D.
24	Carter N.	55	Eaton N. W.	86	Hill E. B.
25	Collins G. A.	56	Frances Wm discharge	87	Holloway Wm
26	Cunningham A.	57	Faubion Lundy	88	Hubbard Jas
27	Cole Joshua	58	Farris Wm	89	Howard J. S.
28	Calhoun Tho	59	Folsome Jesse	90	Hays Wm
29	Crews N.	60	Ford John	91	Ham Same
30	Crabtree Walter	61	Goin D. H.	92	Huntington Wm
31	Childress J. G.	62	Glover G. H.	93	Hopper Josh S.
32	Churchwell Calvin	63	Green E. C.	94	Hays C. W.

95	Harris H.	126	Masley J. A.	157	Snyder Jas.
96	Huskey Robt.	127	Norvell D. A.	158	Smith Jerry
97	Jones W. S.	128	Nepps Henry	159	Simms R. A.
98	Jackson Benj. J.	129	Nims Isaac	160	Spoon H.
99	Janson B. J.	130	Newson H. B.	161	Simpson B. A.
100	Joice Saml.	131	Osterloh Fred	162	Stewart Jas. E.
101	Jones H. B.	132	Peters G. W.	163	Stouman J. E.
102	Klepper J. C.	133	Phillips V. A.	164	Son A. J.
103	King Wm.	134	Parish J.	165	Shouse J. W.
104	Kerr John M.	135	Points J.	166	Little J. L. dia
105	Kennedy J.	136	Pigg John	167	Satum L. H.
106	Lloyd G. W.	137	Periton Benj.	168	Saylor R. H.
107	Lewis E. H.	138	Paul S. J.	169	Sadd A. J.
108	Lawson David	139	Price J. C.	170	Salt H.
109	Little A. H.	140	Riley Geo.	171	Traspel John J.
110	Landerdale A. H.	141	Richardson David	172	Loael Tho.
111	Lasley J. W.	142	Rolland James	173	Sindle J. W.
112	Moore J. M.	143	Roberts A.	174	Saylor Elijah
113	Miller Wesley	144	Rowland Eli.	175	Tillman S. A. J.
114	McClannahan A.	145	Reece James	176	Warren W.
115	McPherson J.	146	Richardson Jesse	177	Wilson R. S.
116	Montgomery J. S.	147	Ray M. J.	178	Woolaver H.
117	Miller David	148	Ross Robt. R.	179	Wood G. W.
118	Matthews R.	149	Roberson C. A.	180	Weber Simpson
119	Morgan R.	150	Sappington C.	181	Wickon A. R.
120	McFall J. W.	151	Stephens Tho.	182	Williams C. W.
121	Morris H. M.	152	Sitterly N. J.	183	Williams Saml.
122	McDowell Tho.	153	Smith G.	184	Williams J. J.
123	Kings J. J.	154	Smith John	185	Wilson J.
124	Milton E. V.	155	Stanford A. M.	186	Wilmoth Cooper
125	Marricle G. W.	156	Smith Robt.	187	Williams H. H.

Bond
of
Paschal & others

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Eating House,
" " " "

Feb 23 1843

Know all men by these presents
that we J. W. Paschal, J. A. Thomas,
William Manning, and B. F. C. Smith of the
County of Sumner and State of Tennessee are held
and firmly bound unto the United States in the
penal sum of Five Thousand Dollars to the pay-
ment of which we well and truly be made
and ourselves, our ^{heirs} executors, Administrators and assigns
and each of them, jointly, severally and firmly by
these presents.

Sealed with our Seals and dated this twenty third
day of February A. D. 1863.

The Condition of the above
obligation is such, that whereas the above bounden
J. W. Paschal, J. A. Thomas, William Manning
and B. F. C. Smith are about to set up an eating house
~~at~~ in the town of Gallatin and state of Tennessee and
do business under the name ~~and~~ style and
firm of Paschal & Company and have applied
for a permit to do business as aforesaid,
which permit is about to be granted.

Now if the said
parties shall observe and comply with all rules
and regulations now in force or which may
hereafter be ordered or enacted for the Government of this
Military Post of Gallatin then the above obligation
to be void otherwise to remain in full force

The words "heirs" interlined before signing. 2
x the words and family, being erased before signing 3
A. W. Mellette Provost Marshal 3

J. W. Paschal
Wm Manning
James A. Thomas
B. F. C. Smith

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Report of Contrabands
from
102nd Regt Col. Enty

Feb - 16th 1863

Feb 16 " 1863

Red In 182^d D.V. Gallatin from

Genl Ward.

See the number of Contrabands within our lines, and their age. Employ must 90 is as follows.

George Myers	- aged 22	- Sent to Officer
Henry Clay	" 44	" " "
Franz	" 25	" " "
David	" 19	" " "
Bob Kell	" 19	" " "
Levy	" 28	Employed in Commissary Dept
Bill Thomas	" 20	Sent to Surgeon.
Peter Baker	" 40	} Employed as Teamsters
Wm Wallace	" 33	
Frank Walters	" 18	} Employed as Mess and company cooks by the men.
Melis Letterson	" 17	
Washington	" 22	
Josiah Douglas	" 19	

These persons are all males, and the men say their masters are disloyal, we have no further evidence than their words.

J.A.S.

ad

James M. Brown
Major Comdg

Carroll Co. Md.

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July 17th 1863.

Written for the purpose:

Call

Given information of
our army position
class. -

Call at Camp...
... on the Westminster
Turnpike. All necessary
information will be
given. -

July 20th 1863.

Carroll C. Ho

February 17th 1843

Dr Broth^r Gen^l Chenck -

There are several run away at this place
Finke's Burg Cal Co John W Stetchel under Capt
Gillingham George Williams Robert Sweatman Hoager
Barnes & several other - Call at Drice Bellmiers on
the Westminster turnpike turn poike this side of
Finke's Finke's Burg hea will all infor metion of
the parties they are a nusens here

There is a yong man on the Dover Road the
name of William Heapsley Conwaged 20 or 30 to the
south Sold them per head ought to be a resto
Call at Mr Hoffmans tavern on the Dover road
will tell where the parties live take the fallz
Road to Cockis tavern - all the information will
be given I am a praid to give my name for
fear of enperuy - they are all fasts

I am truly yours
A Union Man
C. H.

Sworn Statement
Of
Mabery S. Plaw
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Of
Ottawa County
Ar 12"

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Filed Feb 9/63

Sworn, Statements, of Making, Slaves, of
Ottaway, County Arkansas.

I am a Farmer and live in Ottaway, County,
Arkansas. I took the Oath of Allegiance, to the
Federal Government, about two weeks ago,
between Batesville, Arkansas and Springfield
Mrs. my Cousin. Mr. Oldham, was with me
and took the Oath at the same time. we were
Sworn but once, on our way from Arkansas, to
this place, we were on our way to Macon City Mo.
We got the Horses, from one Thomas Shelton. we ga-
ve him One Hundred and fifty Dollars apiece, for the
Horses, we paid him in Southern Money, I bought
my Saddle, I gave ten dollars for it to Mr. Shelton,
and he gave us the Bridles, I also paid him Sut-
hern money also, for the Saddle, My Cousin Mr. Oldham
and myself, both lived in Macon County Mo. all last
Summer, I was raised in Macon County Mo. we
left last fall for Arkansas, we went to Arkansas to
see our Uncle, he lived in Ottaway County, Arkansas
I took the Oath of Allegiance to the United States
Government, at Macon City, before I left for
Arkansas, I did not have a Pass. to leave the State
of Mo. from Any Authority. I cant remember who
was in Command at Macon City at the time I took
the Oath of Allegiance, I know, I was Violating my
Oath, but I was only on a visit to my Uncle's, we
stayed at my Uncle's about three months, we did
not do any thing in the way of work, while we

Were in Arkansas.

Witness
Mr. Frank B. Edmunds

Wabery ^{his} & Splawn
mark

Seal

Sworn Statement
Wabery & Splawn
Of
Ottawa County
Ariz.

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Camp Hill Feby 16th 63

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1863

Col E. A. Parrott

Comdys 3rd Brigade

Makes report of foraging
Expedition 16th Inst
under orders Genl Johnson
Comdys 2nd Div 20th Corps

Citizens

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(1 enclosure)

4th Regt 3rd Brig
Camp Hill Feby 16th 1863

Lt Col Goddard

also chf of Staff.
Colonel.

I have the honor to submit the following report of an expedition for forage made this date by my command under orders from Genl R. W. Johnson Comd^g 2nd Div. We left Camp at 8 o'clock AM with 90 wagons in charge of Capt T. J. Lawton Forage Master for 2nd Div. Crossed the picket line near Morrison's house, followed that road to Haliboston then crossed the fields to Stone river fording which we struck the Millersburg road & followed it to Midlow Miller's cross roads said to be ten miles from Murfreesboro. Here the train was divided & sections sent off under escort most of the command being retained at the cross roads. We found forage to fill our wagons & about enough for another such train. Saw no enemy & came to camp at 5 pm.

J. P. Parrott
Col comd^g

Head Qrs 2^d Division 20th Corps
 February 15th 1863

Col Edward A Parrott
 Commanding 3^d Brigade

Col

I have the honor to report to
 you the following supplies taken up by me this day
 for the use of the U S Army, at Camp Bill Sem

From Whom Received	Corn Bushels	Hay Pounds	Fodder Pounds
E W C Norman	150		
W W Burthornan	210		
J H Sumison	15		4500
J D Miller			4500
Clemens	240		
E M McNeil	75		1200
Thos Wood	45	400	
Partis Unknown	270		500
Total	1005	400	10700

Very Resp Yours Obed Servts
 V. J. Lawton
 Capt 1st Regt O V A
 2 Division

Head Quarters
Washington July 12/63

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J. G. Parkhurst
Lieut. Col. 9th Regt. Inf.
P. 446 D.C. 1863

Enclosed list of names of
Officers of the 9th Regt. Inf.
here created and parts
entering into bonds, as the
forfeiture, - now on the table
since,

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Head Quarters
Dept. of the Army
Washington July 12/63

Respectfully referred to the
Lieut. Col. 9th Regt. Inf.

Geo. H. Thomas
Major General

Heard Martin of the Regt Mich I
Murfreesboro. Feby 11. 1863

Major

Sometime in May last when in
Command of the Military Government of Mur-
freesboro I arrested & sent to prison at
Nashville 15 prominent Citizens of Murfrees-
boro who were subsequently released on
parole & upon executing to the Government
their several bonds in the several sum of \$10,000
each, conditioned for the faithful keeping
of their parole

These Citizens were men of wealth and
I am advised that the following named per-
sons who executed such bonds are now in
the service of the rebel Government viz:

James M. Avant

Dr. Wm Baskett now on duty here as a Surgeon

Dr. King

Dr. David Weedell

Wm Ransom

Mr. Crockett

The original Bonds are now in the
possession of Gov. Johnson at Nashville
and as they were now violated their paroles

forfeited their bonds I would respectfully
suggest that the Government proceed to
secure the penalty of these bonds
I remain

Major

Force Obst Surgeon

J. Parkhurst
Stal of the Min. I.

Coventry

Major G. E. Flynt

A. A. G. Chief of Staff

14th Army Corps

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Office of the Pro. Mar.
Haynesville Feb. 26. '63

City
Rev. John S. P. P.

The evidence against
Louden & Huff was sent
with the prisoners to Rolla.
The copies have been made.
Will forward new charges
in a few days.

Perh. Mch 2. '63

Allen

Office of Provost Marshal

11 Myrtle St. New York N.Y.

Chief of Staff
Provost Marshal General

The charges I
enclose against Conder and Hoff were
sent with the prisoners to Walla. The copies
have been retained. I will forward new charges
and testimony in a few days. I was not
in the office here at the time or perhaps I
might make them out from memory.

Respectfully
Joseph M. Reed
Acting P. M.

~~F. A. Donnellon Feb 18 1863~~
~~280~~
Harding Gal A O
Comdy Post : 3822

Changes position for defense - &
reports ^{hinton} "men murdered & taken
prisoners

~~Headquarters~~
In

~~Citizens~~
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~~1/2~~
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~~File~~

Rec'd H. S. (A. C.) Feb 22 1863

Hd Quarters U. S. Forces Fort Rensselaer Albany 18th 1862

General.

Yesterday I moved the troops under my command into a new position.

I submitted to Col St. John, a plan of the new defenses, by whom it was approved; and by ordering the infantry and some colored persons whom I pressed into service, I have almost completed proposed works.

We have now in position two thirty two pounder Siege Guns (which we lost from the original fort) also, Sixty four pounder Mountain howitzer, and three with our field guns, with our position and defenses, gives us confidence that we can continue to hold this Post.

Two respectable citizens, were murdered about fifteen miles from here, at three different dates since September last. They were old Men of Union Sentiments, and were at home, and Non-Combatants. Two others, a Mr. Atchison and Mr. Bell were taken from their homes and are still unheard of, until this morning. A citizen represents that Mr. Bell has been informed that the Rebel Commander will deliver them in Exchange for two Rebel prisoners of War taken here on the 30th inst. I declined any Exchange, except for ~~free~~ citizens. I think a selection of prominent "Secrets" should be made and held as hostages for these two old Union Men.

I am very truly Your obedient Servant
Chas. C. Hardy Col Comd'g
Cloud & Dep't of the Cumberland

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Order of Provost
Marshall, for bringing
witnesses before board
of Commissioners

February 9th 1863

Head Quarters Board of Commissioners
Gallatin June July 9th 1863.

To A. C. Overton 105th U.S. Vol.

You are hereby com-
manded to bring before us forthwith, the bodies of
Russell Barry, Mrs Mal Winchester, Hugh Wiley
Dr. Sweeney, Col. Winn, Henry Harling, Monroe
Angle; and bring them before us to testify and the
truth to speak in a certain matter now pending before
a Board of Commissioners convened by order of Gov.
A. Johnson. herein fail not.

Given under the hand of the undersigned President
of said Board at Gallatin June, this ninth day of
February A. D. 1863.

Henry F. Vallette Lt. Col
105th U.S. Vol's & President of
said Board.

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Feb 23, 1863

Sam'l Gallows

to

Major Carr, Jr.

Chapin

Office Special Commissioner,

CAMP CHASE,

Columbus, Ohio, July 23^d 1863

Major Geo Darr Jr
Comd Marshal Genl
of Virginia

Received

Dear Sir

Your enclosing letter about Myles & Phillips of Tucker Co Va is at hand. Daniel Myles was forwarded to Washington City on the 19th inst for exchange in company with about sixty other Political Prisoners. Samuel Phillips was released on oath on the 16th day of Dec last to report in person to you for further orders. at Wheeling. Enclosed please find letter from Port Martin at Morgan Town Va. J. S. Reppart made his escape from Camp Chase Prison Sept 17th 1862. Since which time he has not before been heard from. Reppart is on our books from Madison Co Ky. I have informed the Pitt at Morgantown the history of the whole affair. A. G. Davis was released - not by any recommendation of Comd Gallunay.

Respectfully Samuel Gallunay

Sworn Statement
Of . 3825

William Oldham

Of
Ollaway County
Ark. U.S.

Filed Feb 9/63

Sworn Statement of William Oldham of
Ottaway County Arkansas.

I am a Farmer, I live in Ottaway County
Arkansas, I took the Oath of Allegiance to
the Federal Government, between Fayetteville
Arkansas. and Springfield Mo. I do not know the
name of the Command who swore me. I was on my
way to Macon County Mo. I got the Horses, which
we had from a Mr Shelton, on Current River. I
paid him, One hundred Dollars for the two, I
paid him in Missouri Money, he gave me the S-
addles and Tridles, they swore us twice, the last time
we were sworn, was about thirty miles, from where
we were first sworn. This is the first time I was
ever in the State of Missouri, I never took up arms
on either side, while we were in Arkansas. my
Cousin Mabery Splawn and myself, we made a crop
of Corn, and split a great many Rails, we worked
very hard, and I did not get anything for it.

Witness
Mr Frank Delmoult

his
William Oldham
mark

Communication
 from A. Arnaud
 A. A. L. M. introdu-
 cing Musca Neumann
S. Palmy.
Debby 19th 1863.

etc

Office Post Quartermaster,

New Orleans, February 1863

Capt Kelburn

Asst Provost Marshal

Dear Sir

Allow me to introduce
to you my friends Mr Hammon
& Palfrey who wish to see you
in relation to the capture of Exchange
of Prisoners. You will favor me
by giving them a hearing as
soon as consistent with your
official duties

Very Respectfully,
Your Obedt Servt
A. Arman
Lt Col, 2nd Regt

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1/3 Wm. J. ...
to the ...
relation ...
Hog ...

Wm

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13 ~~Mr. J. H. K. Miss K. H. K.~~
Communication
to the Board of
Education of the
City of New York

Feb 63

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Feb 28th 1868

Provost Marshal's Office.

New-Orleans, Feby 28. 1863.

General:

Having examined Mr. Allog
who was confined by some days since
by your order. I have the honor to make
the following report. He has purchased
2 Passes from the Custom House
of Miss Philipine Koleska for the
detention sum of 50 and 50 Dollars.
he received for the above Passes from the
parties to whom he sold them the respec-
tive sums of 150 and 200 Dollars he seems
to have been entirely innocent in this
it being a matter of speculation with
him. I have ordered his release also that
of Miss Philipine Koleska.

Yours Truly
J. M. Brown

Very Respy
J. M. K.

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Mmication
Leob Walker
up. Vol. to
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of Louis
or and Tago
trial
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Lignous Anderson & Yango 15

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Order of Arrest
of said Lignous Anderson
from Rob Walker

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Sustained by
Wm H. Adams
Judge, Peace
forrest of Lignous

Feb. 18 - 1863 Anderson and Yango

St. Paul
Pa. Ship Station

Subj. M. 1863

Head Quarters 4th Reg. Mass.

On board Ship Co. Steady

Off. Canton Feb 12 1863

Capt. Brown

Provost Marshal at Canton

Sir - In accordance with

authority from Col. Wright, Provost General

of Louisiana I searched the transcript

of Steady for articles stolen from my

Regt. I find under arrest three men

William Anderson & Peter Lyons sailors

and William Fargo but owner of vessel

ship - I send them to you to be held on

the charge of stealing and will call to day

to see when and where my presence will

be needed in the matter. I remain

Very Respectfully Yours

Henry Walker

Col. Com^d 4th Reg. Mass. Vols.

four Capt Brown
At least Dwight re-
lating to three pris-
oners arrested by
order of Gen Walker
4th Maj Vols for
treason.

Febry 17th 1863

PARISH OF JEFFERSON, LA.,

Carrollton, Pelcy 17th 1863.

Col. I send you three
 Seamen arrested by order Col
 Walker 4th Mass vol, he will
 appear at your office this
 morning with Outrigger I
 suppose the case will have to
 go before Judge Putnam,

I have the honor to be
 Col Wright & Respectfully Yours
 W. D. Garrison
 W. D. Garrison
 W. D. Garrison

City

Lt Col Dodge

Comd'g Officer

Sir

Gen

Head Quarters Fort Lyon C.T.
Feb 7th 1863

1863

I have the honor to - acquaint
that pursuant to Special Order No 15
from this post that I left here on the

City

Head, Quarters Fort Lyon C.T.
Feb 7th 1863

Lt Col Dodd
Comdy Officer

Sir

I have the honor to report that pursuant to Special Order No 15 from this post that I left here on the morning of Jan 18th 1863 with three non commissioned officers and twenty five privates in pursuit of Utah Indians who had stolen stock from Bent's Ranch.

On the second day march I met Mr Robert Bent who gave me certain information that the Utah Indians were the thieves as he had met them at the town of Trinidad on the Purgatoire River. I proceeded on as rapidly as possible and on my arrival at Trinidad called upon several of the inhabitants for information as to the stolen animals and the route taken by the Indians. I could get no information whatever from those people about the animals and was misinformed as to the route taken by the Indians.

I then proceeded on to Maxwell's Ranch New Mexico reaching there the fifth day after leaving this Post.

I there found the

Agent of the Utah & Apache Indians and through him and Mr Maxwell ascertained that the Indians had arrived there the night before with some of the stolen animals I was induced by the representations of the Agent and Mr Maxwell to send for the Chief of the Utah's and the thieves instead of attacking and punishing them as I at first intended.

The Chief assured me that he did not countenance the stealing of stock by his tribe and that they should return all the animals they had. He said further that these animals were stolen by one Juan Antonio and four other young Indians who were very unruly and whom he could not control. That he had driven them out of his village two or three times for the same offence but they had come back and promised better behavior and he also said he would drive them away again.

I remained at Maxwell's three days collecting what stock the Indians had and also learned the names of parties who had traded with them for

animals at Trinidad and vicinity
I left Maxwell's with fourteen horses
and mules obtained from the Indians
and returned to Trinidad and
called on the parties who had
traded for stock there

I found some
of them to be the same persons
who had misled me when first
there and also refused to give me
information about the animals and
when I applied to them a second
time they all expressed ignorance
of the whole matter

Under these
circumstances I arrested six of
the principal men concerned in
the transaction and obtained from
them ten animals seven of them
being the original animals traded
for with the Indians and three
of them animals which they had
got from other parties in exchange
for some others they had traded
off I also obtained \$110, in cash
for which they had sold some of
Col Bent's stock which I paid over
to Mr Bent's son

I also learned
from them that one Abraham Rains
had one of the stolen animals and
had gone to the Surinam for the
purpose of keeping out of my way

I at once ordered four men to proceed to Doyle's Ranch on the Huachuca and take the stolen animal and arrest Rains and bring him to this Post.

The men arrested at Trinidad were released after giving up the stolen property and furnishing me with the information mentioned above.

These men almost without an exception knew that these animals were stolen from Bent's Ranch having been so informed by Mr Robert Bent and I took the responsibility of arresting them and compelling them to give up the property from the fact that they were doing everything in their power to keep it out of my way and I did not deem it safe to leave it with them until the civil authority could be called upon.

From representations made to me by the Indian Agent and Mr Maxwell I did not think it best to arrest any of the Indians but would respectfully recommend that Bill's be made out for the missing stock and presented to the Agency to be taken from their annuities.

Respectfully &c

L D Russell Capt
Co F 2^d Regt Col Vol
Condy Detachment

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Reynolds, Thomas

Wm. L. L.

Wm. L. L.

Rec^d Feb 3rd

Ans^d & disp^d of
March 4th

Wm L

Princeton City
Kansas

Feb 25th 1863

General - there is two Citizens
confined at Ft Riley by order of the US Marshall
(their names are Wm Lane & John Mc Snyder)
They were arrested about three months ago, & have
since been debarred from the privilege of conferring with
any Citizen, not even an Attorney has been permitted
to see them. The butler at that Post (being greatly prej-
udiced against them) has succeeded in prejudicing
the minds of the Officers in whose charge they are now
will you transmit me a copy of all the charges
laid on against them.

Very respectfully

Thomas Reynolds
Atty for
Wm Lane & J Mc Snyder

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Letto

EXECUTIVE OFFICE,

Santa Fe, New Mexico.

Feb 4th 1863

PERMISSION is hereby granted to

A G Guige and James

Story

to go to

Albuquerque

He has taken the Oath of Allegiance, which is on file in this office.

Joseph Cummings
Maj 1st Regt 10th Vols
Provost Marshal

DONE at the Palace, this

day of

1863, as witness my hand and

official Seal hereunto affixed.

GOVERNOR.

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Bond -

Hester & Boyd

[Faint handwritten signature or scribble]

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That we, *Hester & Boyd*

of *Christian* in the County of *Christian* and State of Kentucky, as principal, and *Hester & Boyd* of the County of *Christian*

in the same State, as sureties, hereby acknowledge ourselves to be held and firmly bound unto the United States of America, in the sum of *five thousand (\$5000)* Dollars, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made, we hereby bind ourselves, and each of our heirs, executors, administrators and assignus.

Sealed with our seals this *20* day of *February* A. D., 186*2*

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bounden *Hester & Boyd*

have purchased a stock of goods for sale in Christian Co Ky. by permission of the Military Commander they agree that they will not engage in illicit or contraband trade nor sell or dispose of any merchandise whatever to any person engaged in such trade now if the above bounden Hester & Boyd their

shall well and truly keep ~~his~~ ^{their} said oath and perform ~~his~~ other agreements hereinbefore set out, then this obligation shall be void; otherwise of full force and effect.

And it is hereby understood and agreed, that in case the said *Hester & Boyd*, should violate any of the conditions of this obligation any officers in the military service of the United States, acting under the orders of the nearest post commander, may seize and sell, or otherwise dispose of all property of the above named obligars, to an amount sufficient to satisfy and discharge the amount above named, without having recourse to any proceeding at law.

Hester & Boyd



Hopkinsville, Ky. March 16th 1863

Miss Hester & Boyd

having presented satisfactory evidence of his loyalty to the Government of the United States, and the

said Hester & Boyd having in all things conformed to the requirements of the Board of Trade, regulating the shipment of Goods and Merchandise, the said

Hester & Boyd is hereby granted the full privilege to ship Goods and Merchandise, not contraband of war

from Evansville Ind or Louisville Ky. to Lafayette Ky.

A. Palmer G. B. Long H. Moore
By W. B. Gowen Sec. Board

Amount, \$ 15.00

Communication
from Saylor from
Ship Harriet in
Parrish Prison
Febry 23^d/68

at

No. 3. Parish Prison,

New Orleans, Febr. 23, '63.

G. W. Killbourn, Esq.,

Prison Marshal, N. O.

Dear Sir: We, the undersigned, were seven employed on board the ship Harriet, of Boston, Capt. Mooney, which arrived at this port ^{on} the 3^d of January; that the said ship is about to sail for Bourdeaux, & we not wishing to go thither, made application to be paid off & discharged, & that four of our number were so paid & discharged; that our request was refused, & we were seized by two policemen ^{yesterday morning,} ~~on Friday, the 20th inst.~~, & put in the lockup. The vessel contained Gov't stores, & I can testify that the mate took ashore twenty ^{bags} ~~boxes~~ of Oats, being a portion of the said stores, & disposed of the same on his own account. We are thus taken in, & know not what to do in the premises, & wish you to enquire into the same. We could give a fuller statement in person than the limits of this sheet will admit of, & wish you

would see us, & take our testimony as to
all
the facts.

Gustaf Anderson
Charles Kerr.

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Feb. 21, 1863.

Petition for suppression
of circulation of Chicago Times
in Marion County

Respectfully referred to The Honorable
Brig. Gen Comd & Dist W. C. 2nd.
with the remarks that, any steps
he may deem proper to take in
the suppression of the circulation
of any disloyal journals
in his district, will be heartily
approved and enforced by
all the loyal men in this
community

J. D. Pease

Maj. & Pro Marshal

Harrisburg Feb 28, 1863

Citizens

Kannab, Mo, Feb 21st 1863
Maj. S. D. Rice, Provost Marshal
City of Kannab.

We the undersigned loyal citizens, believing that the circulation of that notorious disloyal sheet known as the 'Chicago Times' is highly injurious to the Union cause and justly obnoxious to the feelings of all truly loyal men, would hereby respectfully request the issuing of an order prohibiting its sale or circulation within the limits of your jurisdiction.

A. G. Stittwell
B. S. Norton
J. S. Campbell
W. Jackson
J. H. Mitchell
W. C. Loomis
Geo. A. Suidan
G. J. Stinson
~~J. H. Stinson~~
Chas. Williams
E. Hoimann
George Hobbes
A. R. Locking
J. D. Meredith
H. W. Gayley
S. B. Smith

W. J. Smith
J. C. Smith
J. B. Adams
A. G. McDaniel
Hiram Cook
W. Butterfield
L. E. Whitcomb
Oscar Pindell
Wm. C. Cherr
Jos. J. Garner
L. Mitchell
Walter Gay
Lieut. W. Smith
W. Garrison
E. T. Ingraham
C. J. Armstrong

J. S. Benson
W. B. Brewster
R. S. Bachman
Nathan S. Fisher
James H. Brown
H. H. Stearns

Benjamin Stearns

E. O. Miller
Jonathan Smith
John G. Small

W. S. West
J. Whipple
S. B. Newberry

Jerry S. Barton Sen

J. H. Allen

E. C. Dodge

Wm. Brewster

Fred. Kuntze

H. Waller

George W. Lanyon

J. A. Payson

John Davis

E. J. Carpenter

G. H. May

A. Loomis

J. H. Saff

B. Truice

E. S. Silliman

Isaac James

Richd Lomer

Mr. Hanley
The Director
J. J. Chapman
John White

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Hos. Quors. Polla. Dist.
Feb. 9th 1863 W

Respectfully refered to
Col. Curly Comd Post - write
the remarks, that there seems
to good evidence, that at the
time he received the glass of
beer at the house of the witness
named Guttman. That they
had no knowledge of the exis-
-tence of an order for bedding
-ing the sale. If this be so, &
there is little doubt of the
same, the plea is good.

These Guttman declare
they desire only to run their
Ball Alley - & never to sell
spirits of any kind again.

Of course there will
be no military impropriety
concerned - Hence I sug-
gest, upon this showing
that their house be opened
for them, as they are ?
by ?

I M. Brown
Col. Comd Post

Cit's Feb 6. 1863
Head Quarters Post Office
Ms. 7 Feb'y 1863

Respectfully returned
The plea is not good for
the reason that it is a deliberate
falshood. Three days before
these men were caught selling
beer, they were told at my
Head Quarters, by myself in
person, that they were not al-
lowed to sell any liquors
at all, including beer. As
they have lied deliberately
about this matter, I do
not see the propriety of
placing any reliance upon
anything they promise for
the future. — An order from
District Head Quarters
to open their house will
of course be promptly
obeyed Thomas C. Cady
Cal. Service Post

Nolla, 1220 February 6th 1863

Col. J. M. Glover

Commanding
Division

Dear Sir

Mrs. Hickins & Heilbreth citizens here, have invested a large amount of money in building and establishing an ally and oyster saloon, strictly as they think within the civil law, and military orders of the past, and have at all times been endeavored to, and think they have kept an orderly house, have never kept ancient spirits about the house nor suffered any soldiers or other persons under the influence of intoxicating drinks to frequent their house — they would also call your attention to the fact that their Business has been recognized by the Government as Legal & Legitimate By assessing us \$25.00 we have also given bonds with security for the privilege of keeping and carrying on our said Business. We have been denied by the present Commanders of the Post of the privilege of prosecuting our

knowing which throws us out of the
use of all our means Brevins and
House. as we conceive without any
offense either against the civil or
military authorities — we therefore
would humbly ask if within the
range of your official authority
your interposition in our behalf
we would respectfully refer
you to the permanent citizens who
are our immediate neighbors for
the truth of what we state as to
our keeping a civil and orderly
House —

Dear Col

I have made inquiry of
several citizens in regard to the parties
whose petition is herewith inclosed &
I am satisfied that they are both
highly respectable and law abiding
citizens. I have had some acquaintance
with them myself and have
passed their place of Brevins about
every day & after half a dozen
times a day & must say I never
saw any improper conduct in
or about their House. I will be
much gratified if something can be done
for their relief. I hope Col you will

not think me presuming too much
in making this request. of course

If it does not come within the
scope of your official Business
we will not expect you to interpose
now if you have not time from
prep of other more important
Business

I am Cal

Very Respectfully

J. S. Hammond

J. M. O'Connell

(See Mr. [unclear] [unclear])

28. West Mulberry St.

Baltimore, Feb. 23. 1863

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Mr. Crabb, Jan. M.

Bellevue

Thanks the general for his very kind letter and the ready compliance with her wishes.

Is fully satisfied that Miss Gantt will cheerfully subscribe the required sum.

Informs from the General's letter that if assured on this point, he would give Mrs. McCrabb a better letter for her friends. Though very much obliged to the General for the out-look, yet she thinks there is a relaxation it which might prove prejudicial rather than favorable to her case. It is this "if assured of her loyalty." It is hoped the General will give her such a "sterning" letter to Secy. Chase or Post Master Gen. Blair, to either or both as will induce them to give her what she so greatly desires.

Greatly desires to be furnished the name of a reliable person, in New York (Dow) that could give her information about some bonds of that city. Mrs. McCrabb unfortunately holds they have no interests for years. Has written to Mr. May for without avail.

Rec'd N. Y. 20 Feb 1863

Feb 27/63

171 M. (Donor A. G.) 63

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28 West Park Street
Baltimore 23rd Feby.

Dear Sir,

I duly rec^d your very
kind letter, & beg to express my
thanks for your ready compliance
with my wishes. I did not
mention Prof. Garrison's loyalty,
I suppose. My omission was
entirely accidental. I wrote
you under a strong impulse,
believing that your kind feelings
would prompt you to use your
influence in the behalf of
suffering humanity in one of
its saddest forms. Working hours.

can more readily understand &
excuse the omission. Before
taking any steps in this matter
I ascertained from Mrs. Grant
that her feelings & views would
sanction her attesting her loyalty
by subscribing to the oath required
of all in government employ,
otherwise I should not have
applied to you. This oath I
can assure you she will faith-
fully fulfill. Now Genl. Curtis
I infer from your letter that if
assured on this point, you
would use your own language
for me a better letter for my
friend. Through very much
I hope to you for the one see'd
yet I think there is a chance

in it, which might prove prejudicial
- not rather than favorable in
my case. It is thus, "if a friend of
your loyalty." If I have understood
you aright, I trust you will give
me such a "strong" letter to Lieut.
Claus or Post-Master Genl. Blair,
to either or both as you may feel
disposed, as will induce them
to give me what I so greatly desire.
I have a letter of introduction to the
Post-M. from an intimate friend of his
& an old friend of mine - but I greatly
prefer to entrust upon the Justice
with so small a matter. I wish
to have a letter of high officials.
I shall take great pleasure
in conveying my remembrance to
my brother when I visit with
him. I have had the happiness

preparing several days with his
since Christmas. He is very
well. I have been mercifully
preserved through many perils
of Mrs Curtis be with you
very remember me very kind
-ly to her. Something you will
pardon my writing upon
ye time to present. I trust
you will not be provoked by
my frankness I am

With much respect

Saml M. Webb.

Mrs. Genl. Curtis.

P.S.

May I ask if you can name
to me any reliable person in
Shrewsbury (or any to whom I can
write for information about some
bonds of that city unfortunately
lost. For two years they have
found no interest. I have written
the Mayor of Shrewsbury but in
vain I was left from him.

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Revised

Gephart &

Hughes

Feb 1863

Office of the President
Washington Feb 18

My

Office of the President
Washington

Your love & affection from
Catherine Johnson & George
Gibbs

My own

of the President

President

was kept

Case of
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4th 12th 1863

John William

Captured from a boat on the Tan
River in an attempt to evade
the blockade by the "U.S. Steamer"
"George Washington" and master
John W. W. J. County.

sent

Sent to O. G. P. Prison

Apr 17th 1863

Potomac Flotilla.

Navy Yard, Washington,

COMMANDANT'S OFFICE,

February 17th 1863.

Sir,

I place in your custody the following prisoner

John Williams

captured in a boat on the Virginia shore, in an attempt to violate the blockade, by the U. S. Schr. "George Manham" Capt. Master John Collins Jr. Commanding on the 11th Inst.

Very respectfully,
Your Obedt Servant
Amos W. Harwood
Commodore Comd'g
Potomac Flotilla.

Lieut Colonel,

Mr. E. Doster,
Provost Marshal
Ye. Ye. Ye.

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- Edward H. Sawyer "Fishes"
- Capt. Smith Raynor of Sch. "Maib"
- J. B. O. Chandler
- W. R. Soper
- John W. Calder
- A. R. K. Frank
- John Hall Jr.
- H. W. Whitney
- W. S. Frank
- W. S. Hammond
- J. H. Carey

These parties are to be
 arrested before the 1st
 of June 1863. 5. 1863
 and to be in the
 hands of the
 Marshal of the
 Court.

Peter Lewis } Gold
 George Hall } Gold
 Captured by Thomas Plotkin
 for attempting to run Blockade
 having been examined by the
 Judge & was imprisoned.

Sent to C. W. P. on 6. 28. 1863

lots

W.C. Mail

~~Director of Bureau~~ Carrying

Dir.

Have Com.

cluded the formation of
the revenues & Crea of
"W.C. Mail" - and have
wager any Control over
them

Yours

4-25-85

A. L. S.

P.C.

Office U.S. District Attorney
Washington Dec 23 1863

To the

Proctor Marshal
New York.

Sir:

The persons
named in the accompanying
schedule have been taken by the
Potomac flotilla in the afternoon
"mail" ship for a violation of
the Sumner Laws. They have
been examined by the Strip Com-
missioners, and the only charge
made ^{has been} communicated con-
cerning them is that of being
concerned in the violation of
the laws as stated above.

Very respectfully

George W. Allen
State Prison
District Atty.

Headquarters Probost Marshal's Office,

Washington, D. C., 1863.

Edward H. Garnsey

Sutler

Smith Raymond

Captain of Sutler Schio
"mail"

J. B. Chandler

H. R. Fisher

John W. Calder

J. H. P. Trask

John Wall Jr

G. W. Whitney

M. G. Trask

W. S. Harriman

T. S. Carey

Peter Lewis

George Hill } Crew

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No 744

Benjamin

Wickley

~~Wickley~~
Travelled for 3 days

Wickley

to for 2 weeks
7-28-8.

~~Disposal of~~

~~Wickley~~

Feb. 4/63

Camp Abercrombie Va. Jan. 8/63

We the undersigned soldiers & acquaintances
being personally acquainted with Capt Benjamin Weaver
cheerfully attest to the fact that we consider him
a good & quiet citizen & a loyal man.

Capt. Augustus M. Vaughn Co. F. 169th Regt. N.Y.S. Vol
Julio Benjamin First Sergeant Co. F.

Camp ~~near~~ Fairfax Station Va. Jan. 9/63

As Tanner Capt Com. Co C 123rd Regt. N.Y.S. Vol
Jno C Corbett Sicut do do do do
Add W Bull Private Co C " " "
Luke H Gurrington 1 Supt. Co C
Nicholas Hillard Sergeant Co. C
S. D. Gillett Fourth Seryt. " "
R. W. Farnell 3 " Co C
W. C. Morhous 5 " Co C
George Wright 1st Corp^l Co. C
John C. Hollister 2 Corp Co C
E. S. Penfield 3 Corp Co C
George D Wells 7 " " "
Greville H Manville 8 Corp Co C
Nathan Thompson Co. C
Walter Leonard " " "
P Cook " " "
Frank Cull " " "
Frank Moon " " "
Joseph Whitten " " "
William Foster " " "
Edward Crow " " "
Jas H Cull " " "
Saml H " " "

Joseph Price Co. C 123rd Regt N.Y.S. Vol
Wm P Lander " " "

John Douglas
Willis Sigler 1st Corp. Co D 123rd Regt N.Y.S. Vol
Abest Woodruff Co. D 123rd Regt N.Y.S. Vol
Daniel Connor " " "

Henry J. Robinson Co. C 123 Reg. Mt. W. V.
 J. W. Carls
 James Diley
 Charles H. Norton
 George Dranville
 John S. Smith
 John W. Manning
 E. H. Day
 Thomas W. Larty
 Hiram Taft
 A. J. Taft
 W. S. Butler
 W. P. Flurtingdon
 James Kilgallon
 Richard Scott
 George Hodson
 W. H. Allen
 Charles Donahue
 Mac Burdson
 Michael Crowley
 George Bell
 Henry W. Taft
 Paul H. Sager
 Donnell S. Lamb
 Andrew Wilson
 Albert T. Chubson Co. D
 William Holt Co. C
 James Cunningham Co. D

Headquarters Provost Marshal General,
DEFENCES SOUTH OF POTOMAC.

Alexandria, Va. July 11th 1863

Col. Foster,
Prov. Mar. Washington.

Colonel:

I send you
herewith, under guard, two prisoners, and
respectfully submit to you the facts in
the case.

1. Bay: Mosher: Arrested by Smit Shepard
Prov. Mar. Fort Albany, charged with
having Govt. property in possession.
viz. Govt. Mule, clothing, &c. &c.
Has been confined since 22^d.
Dec. 1862

2. Geo. Hickley: Says he has been a school
teacher for the last ten years, at
Jefferson, Culpeper Co. Va. That
he was attempting (when arrested)
to get through the lines, to reach
Baltimore, where he has relatives,
and intended to remain there.
Refuses to take the oath of Allegiance.
I am, Colonel, Very Respectfully,
Your Obedt. Servt.
Wm. H. Smith
Prov. Mar. Genl.

Tully, Cal. Cal. for Sample

We the undersigned Citizens
of Tully Cal. & vicinity being
personally acquainted with Capt
Bery Washburn cheerfully attest
to the fact that we consider him
a good and quiet Citizen & a
loyal man.

- Richardson
- Robert [unclear]
- W. B. [unclear]
- A. H. Temple
- Joseph E. Birch
- Albert H. [unclear]
- [unclear]
- John [unclear]
- A. W. [unclear]

Town 3841 and Wright
Per R. O. Wood, N. Duncan

Gen. Munroe's office
J. K. Way

Feb 3-63

Dr. Capt. Borthwell

Alfred
Released

Feb 4th 1863. as per direction
of Genl. Borthwell.

To be released on oath &
Bond \$1000. to report to
Col. C. H. Green. Glasgow

See case of Alfred W. Petty

Feb 4/63

Wm. S. Mc. ...

not on Rolls

Feb 19,
Release
E. J. ...

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Alton Mil. Prison

June 22. 1863

Robert C. Wood
Newton Duncan,
Jno. J. Ridgeway, &
Townsend Wright - } Prisoners

Ask their release on Oath
& Bond, & to enroll in E. M. M.

R. P. M. & family

Military Prison, Alton Jan 22, 1803
Col. J. F. A. Dick

Dear Sir we the undersigned prisoners of war being now confined at this place would respectfully ~~draw~~ draw your attention to our cases. We were war in arms against the General Government of the U. S. for a short time under Col. T. Dexter of Prov. but afterwards surrendered our selves up to the authorities of Columbia and Glasgow. Prov. with the expectation of remaining ~~at our homes~~ at our homes loyal to the Government, it on entering the E. M. Militia but was confined by the authorities of the aforesaid posts and ~~then~~ removed to this place. Therefore we pray you that you will in your Mercy pardon us for the past offence and allow us to return to ~~at~~ our homes by taking the Oath and giving any required bond and entering the ~~the~~ service of the E. M. Militia when you may think expedient to the cause of the Nation

P. S. Sir allow us to go to our respective Counties Devon and ¹⁴⁵ Dorset Prov. Hoping soon to hear from you yours as ever

Robert C. Woods of Town Co
 Newton Duncan of Howard Co
 John J. Ridgeway of Boone Co
 Townsend Wright of Howard Co

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 Alton Mich. Prison
 Jan'y 22. 1863

Robert C. Woods }
 Newton Duncan }
 John J. Ridgeway } Prisoners
 Townsend Wright }

Ask them release on Bonds
 F Bond, & to Carroll in E. M. W.

R.P.M. & family

Release 8912
Strubben,

Richs,
Sanders, Gray,
Porter + Rogers

Feb. 10-1/3

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Forrest Hall Prison,

Georgetown D.C. Feb. 10th /63.

Capt Donnelly, Com. C. Guard-house
Capt.

Please turn over
to the guard, Diemer, Streubin, Chas. Rich,
Frederick Rogers, Benjamin Porter, Jeremiah
Gray, and Simon Sanders. The two last are
to be handcuffed together. Chas. Rich will
also be handcuffed.

Respectfully, &c.

Wm. C. Cunningham

Wm. C. Cunningham

1863.
Release of 3843
Rudenski
Davidson
Marrs
order L. C. Baker
Feb 21st

1863

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Office, Provost Marshal,

War Department.

Washington City, Feb 21 1863

B

Commanding officer
Central Arsenal House

You will discharge from
custody to Mr Rody over the
bondsmen and to the men
by order

J. H. Turner
Provost Marshal
Wm. Keppel

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Washington City.

February 3^d 1863.

Hon. Jas. S. Rollins.

Filed

W. C.

Returns Colonel Douglass' letters
to General Curtis relative to
Res: John M. Robinson, Jas. L.
Matthews and James L. Stephens
(See Enclosures a. & b. D. 31.
1863.)

The matter was referred to the
Secretary of War and approved
by him.

Has written to the above named
gentlemen to report to Major
General Curtis, to take the oath
of allegiance and give the requi-
red bond, on doing which they
will be allowed to return to
their homes. Believes that the
relief from banishment of these
parties and restoration to their
homes will have a good effect on
their neighborhoods. Asks that
when they report their order
for release be promptly made
out.

2 Enclosures.

Rec'd W. D. Dept. Mo. Feb 7. 7/63

Washington City July 3rd 1843.

Major Genl J. R. Curtis -

Sir,

The letter of Genl J. B. Douglass
E. M. No. dated the 21st of January 1843, and
with your endorsement thereon, respecting the cases
of James L. Stephens, James L. Matthews, and
John M. Robinson, to me has duly received.

The matter was referred to the Secretary of War,
and was approved by him. - I herewith return
the papers to you, and I have written to
the above named gentlemen, to report
to you, take the oath of allegiance, and

give the usual bond, and they will
be allowed to return to their respective
houses. - As I have every confidence
that the relief of these gentlemen from
banishment, and being permitted to return
home, will have a good effect, in
our neighbourhood, I ask that when
they report to you, the order for
their restoration, will be promptly complied
with -

I have the honor to be
With high regard

Yours obt. Serv^t

James S. Ralston

Cases of No. 139. 4-1

Warren's Gaiter 3845

Miss Warren Gaiter + child

Miss J. F. Gaiter + child

Received from Richmond Va

Had passed from Confederate
Government to our lines which
passed over on file at Gal. Fair office

Released at this office on taking Oath

Feb. 23/63

C. J.

Headquarters Provost Marshal General,
DEFENCES SOUTH OF POTOMAC.

Alexandria, Va. July 23 1863

Capt Todd
Gov. Nav. Washington.

Capt I send

You the following persons to report to you,
Refugees from Richmond Va., who are willing
to take the oath of allegiance, and desire to
remain.

1. Warren Dubois
2. Mrs Warren Dubois
3. & Child
4. Mr J. F. Derby
5. & Child

They had passes from the
Confederate Government to our lines. (Passes on file
in this office)

I am, Captain
Very Respectfully
Your Obedt Servt
Joseph Mendell
Capt Va. Artillery

The United States
William W. Kibben &
Theobald Engel

Prof of Law
Feb 29 65

Cts

Frank Caplan

Thomas H. ...
Memphis, Tenn

Charles Simmons
next door to ...
Rutgers Street
Corn Wicksy

Joseph ...
Gratuit

Harold ...
Gratuit

Robert ...
Fayette Street

Walter ...

Peter ...
Chief U.S. Police

Samuel ...
John ...

The United States
vs.
William Hibben
Theobald Engel.

Brief of case

Act Captain A. W. Bennoch commanding
at Cairo, writes from Cairo Mo. Feb 20/63
to Genl. Canby re: relation to rebel-mail
captured at Island No 10 on steamer
White Cloud. I told that the
Pilot is suspected of having had
possession of the mail, or was cognizant
of the fact of its being aboard.

Sends up a german woman, said
to have overheard a conversation between
the pilot & another man, relative to the
rebel mail, — as a witness.

Colored Steward of boat suspected
of having conveyed the letters from the
Pilot's room, & hid the same. — Steward &
two colored women, detained as witnesses
& sent up to St Louis.

February 24/63 Act Captain A. W. Bennoch commanding
at Cairo, writes that the Government Aid
Theobald Engel on board the vessel
of the rebel mail being on board the
White Cloud. — Information
received from Chas. H. Conkline, Govt Detention
Conkline sent to St Louis to give affidavit

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Charles M. Cocklin, being duly sworn
Feb'y 24. 65. says, is one of the U.S. Mail
Police at Memphis Tenn, was on his
way to Memphis to report to Genl
Hulbert, under order of General
Rosenbaum, at Lain took ^{charge of} the boat
"White Cloud" - boat was stopped at
Shand No 10 by officers of Gunboat "New
Era" & searched & a subst mail found
on board. - understands that Robert
Souden of St Louis started with the
mail but got off the boat at St Charles
just above Cape Girardeau Mo. turning
the mail over to the pilot Kribben who
was to take it to Memphis.

Ettus were found in a wash
tub under wet clothes, & another
lot were found in Kribben room
between the mattresses.

Had heard that Theobald Engel,
Court Aid was "not right" & wanted
to investigate his case.

Engel told utrup that Souden
came aboard at St Louis, - that
Mr. Engel, knows him but did
not inform the detectives who were
watching for Souden, saying that
"in that case the detectives would
get all the credit of arresting Souden
Engel said he was interested

getting off at Cape Girardeau and
having Louden arrested. - He
said that Louden came out of
his hiding place when the boat
had left St Louis about a
mile & that he had some
conversation with him.

I told that Engel and
Louden were constantly together
until Louden got off at
St Charles. -

from the

Feb 25 1863 - Christine Simmons
being duly sworn said. -
Knows Kibben & Engel. - heard
a man ask Kibben to land him some
place in the night, Kibben replying
that he would if Engel had not
seen it, afterwards saw the
mail bag taken from a wash tub
from near where Kibben & this
man (unknown to her) talking.

Saw an American lady go in &
out of Kibben's room a great deal
she was not Kibben's wife - and
was not arrested.

Kibben & the detective (Parker)
together drinking a great many times.
The American lady (certainly is German)

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told witness that the steward had taken
a bundle of letters out of Hibben's
room & carried them in the
Chambermaid's room - that
the chambermaid refused to
pass them, & Hibben put
them in an oil cloth bag
& put them in the wash tub,
Mon. 5. 7.

Feb 25. Sarah Gray a free
colored woman now, - said, -
she was chambermaid on the
boat White Cloud, knows the
Plot Hibben.

Witness was making up Hibben's
room & between the mattresses
found a bundle, & threw it
on the floor, Hibben came
in & asked for the bundle
& seeing it on the floor put it
to the back part of the mattress
under the cot & turned his
trunk around to hide it.

After this the steward "Pop"
Came to her wash room and
wanted to hide it, saying that
it was something "bad". She
refused (& let him) when he
put it in the tub & covered it

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cup with some clothes.

An American lady told us that she heard Kibben & another man talking, & that Kibben gave the man some money to pay his way down on another boat, that it was arranged that the man was to go to Helena & if every-thing was right Kibben would haul him ashore & then this man would come on board & get the mail.

Wetzel saw them talking together but did not know what it was about, paid no attention.

Mounts &c

July 25/63. Harriet Martin, late slave of Genl Pellos Rebel, known to said.

Steward "Bob" came to her when she was washing with a bundle under her ^(boat) ~~foot~~, he told her that he had something "hell fire" bad of Mr Kibben's & that he did not know what to do with it, he put it in the wash-tub & covered it over with some wet clothes.

When the officers came aboard the boat at Head No 10, she told them where "Bob" had put the bundle. The steward attempted to strike witness (for telling) with a flat iron.
 From to &c

July 25/3. Robert Dinguane a free colored man being sworn said -

Knows Pilot Kibben & Mr Engel, witness is steward of the "White Cloud".

"Mr Kibben the Pilot told a me to go to his room & get a bundle & that was under the bed & take it & and hide it away. I took it & and carried it to the wash room & put it in a tub,"

From to &c

Theobald Engel, being duly sworn said, - is a Purser and to show Custom House - Saw one Barnes McSorley, on the 10th of July with a bundle, very suspicious, putting some down on the "White Cloud", Knows M.C. to be disloyal & the fact crossed witness's suspicions as to something "not right" going

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son, expressed himself as to another
aid. Mr Wolff.

About 8 o'clock in the evening after
the boat had left the Landing
our "Bob Louden" made his
appearance. ^{with us} Expressed himself
to a Mr A. O. Green that there must
be a rebel mail aboard, &
conferred with him as to the
most practicable way of catching
the person & securing the mail.

Concluded to inform the authorities
at Cape Girardeau & have the
boat thoroughly searched,

Watched Louden and found
him frequently in close conversation
with the barkeeper Henderson
& the pilot Jamison.

Examined the register of the
boat & Louden's name was
entered as Gladys Marshall.

Saw Louden next morning
with the barkeeper, & afterwards
in the Pilot house.

Went to his state room but
found no baggage.

Louden & Jamison were
frequently in room "A" the
Pilot's room, always in a skulking
& suspicious manner.

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Witup, desiring Kibben the Pilot the
Kibben strictly loyal, apprised
him of his apprehensions and
asked his (Kibben) assistance,
which he promised.

Boat tied up for the night
Feb 11 - on aft of the deck
at or near Liberty Mo. - Witup
staid up till 3 am. 12th, then
retired.

Am next morning & watched
for Dowden to go to breakfast
but he did not make his
appearance. - In reply to
some interrogations the watchman
told Witup that some one went
ashore about 4 o'clock or
Daybreak & that after going
ashore he was hailed by
some person on board saying
"Chadly, go on, I will attend
to everything & see that it is
"all right."

When interrogating the
Cauldrenmaid about Dowden
- being in his room yet - she
said she could find some letters
in Kibben's room, between
the mattresses, - searched
his room but the letters were

for Union Soldiers 14th Dec 42

Witup searched all baggage
on the 12th & found big volumes
in Matrone No 19. not covered
by any permits.

Witup was interrogated at
Haud No 10. as to whether he
had searched all the baggage
replied in the affirmative, &
stated his apprehensions
of there being a rebel mail
aboard, boat was then taken
possession of by the Naval
Authorities & the mail
found.

Witup then placed under
arrest at the instigation of
one Coulter a reputed Court
Detective.

From to 4th

Shaw's No 10, 1843

W. T. W. W.

W. T. W. W.
Lt. Col. W. T. W. W.
of the 1st Regt.

Board of No 140 - J

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J. H. Hubbard, Capt } of the U.S. Navy
Wm. Phillips, Mate }
Wm. Phillips, Mate }
Wm. Phillips, Mate }

James Keegan } col'd
Fred. Clayton } crew

Daniel P. Lord }
Frank Loan } "Passengers"
J. E. Mitchell }

Attempting to run the Blockade.
Captured, & sent to his office by
Mr. Sherman, Boston.

Sent to O. C. P. Feb 26th 1863

Notes

Office of District Atty
Washington Feb 26 1863

To the Provost Marshal
for his Col.

Sir:

The
prisoners named in the accom-
panying paper were taken
on board the schooner Proz
Hordle seized for a violation
of the revenue laws. These
prisoners are subject to your
order. And should in so
much taking a further the
order in the District Court.

Very
Yours
District Atty
Appr Dist Atty.

The following is a list of the crew &
Passengers found on board the Sutters Scho'r
"Hot Worell".

H Hubbard - Captain

William Philips - Mate

William Geoffen hand Colored

Fredk Clayton " "

Frank Carr Passenger

Daniel P. Lord "

Joseph J. Mitchell "

C. H. Hartman 3848

Jacob L. ...	} Continued
Jacob Lewis	
Henry ...	

Sent down by the ...
 ... of Montgomery Co. ...
 ... charged with ...
 ... through ...
 ... pass ...
 ...

Sent to O. C. ...
 Money & ...
 taken from them all this ...
 ...

C. H.

"Old Capitol" Prison,

Washington D.C.

March, 12th 1863

To all Whom it May Concern,

This will Certify that the bearer, Isaac, John, a
prisoner of State - has been duly released from Custody at
this Prison, on the Oath of Allegiance to the United States
Government.

By order of - Genl. Mantoloking
Charles B. Smith
Col 169. N.Y.A.

"Old Capitol" Prison

Washington D.C.

March 12th 1863

To all Whom it May Concern,

This will certify that the bearer O. W. Holtzman Jr. a
prisoner of State has been duly released from custody at this
Prison, on the Oath of Allegiance to the United States
Government.

By order of
Genl. Martindale

Charles Buel

Co. 169. N.Y.

"Old Capitol" Prison,

Washington, D.C.

March, 13th 1863

To all Whom it May Concern,

This will Certify that the bearer, Jacob Lewis a
Prisoner of State has been duly released from custody at
this Prison, on ~~the 12th~~ His Sworn Parole, and to
leave for Europe in 30 days,

By order of Genl. Martindale

Charles Bird

Co 169 N.Y.

"Old Capitol" Prison,
Washington D.C.

March 13th 1863

To all Whom it May Concern,
I do hereby Certify that the bearer, Henry Snyder a
prisoner of State has been duly released from Custody at this
Prison, on the Oath of Allegiance to the United States
Government.

By order of - Genl. Martindale

Charles Burt

Col 169 N.Y.V.

War Department,

Office of the Provost Marshal, ~~General~~

Gen. Montgomery, C. S. Md.

~~Rockville~~

Rockville, March 2^d 1863.

Capt. Geo. B. Todd,
Provost Marshal

Sir - On Friday night last (27th Feb.) four
Gerrys came into this place, and took lodgings at two different
public Houses. I was apprised of their presence here about 8 o'clock
the same night, but did not see them until the following morning.
Two of them proposed to go down on the stage to Washington
that evening (28th Feb.) and I apparently left them alone.

A Government detective put up at the same house where were
the other two. He called his attention to them, and he said "he had
watched them & they were all right" as near as I can recollect;
and thus my attention was withdrawn from them. They left Rock-
ville (on foot) about 10 o'clock of the same day.

About 11 o'clock of same day Capt. Dean of the 6th
Michigan Cavalry came into this place, and informed me that
seven persons (Gerrys) had crossed the Potomac River about
two miles above Edwards Ferry on Thursday night (26th Feb.)
between 9 and 10 o'clock. One of the party was captured by
Scott's "90s" in crossing the Canal. We concluded the two
men here, and those who left in the morning were part of the

same gang. We immediately took charge of the two here (whom we learned to be Snyder & Lewis) and sent a squad of Cavalry after the other two, who were overtaken, and brought back to Rockville (whom we learned were Kohn & Holzman) Snyder & Lewis said they left Richmond about the 16th inst. and crossed the Potomac, the first of last week. Kohn & Holzman said they all crossed the River together on Thursday night, as Capt. Dean had informed me.

On examining their persons we found concealed some \$16,000. in Southern Money, Confederate Scrip, Gold & U. S. Treasury Notes. We concluded they were Contrabandists, and should be sent to Washington, which as you are aware, I turned over to you - with the Money & papers found with them.

I am your obedt. Servt.

M. Menden Provost Marshal
for Montgo. Co. Md.

War Department
Washington City,

March 19th 1863

Captain

H. B. Jolly

Pro Marshal

Enclosed are communications relative to Jack Lewis & others - Will you please report to me the facts & circumstances in their cases - that the same may be communicated to the Secy of State.

Respectfully

Yours Mt. Servant

D. C. Johnson

J. Adverts

H. B. Please return the enclosed

D. C. J.

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Dir. of Jackson

Post Marshal Office

Baltimore City 25th 1863.

Stephens

Thas.

In reference to some
 Cotton ^{which} was hid, state
 that ^{same} is in Baltimore
 & ^{it} act as guide,
 Also of some leather
 which is in out.

(One Enclosure)

W. H. ...

Office Brig. Gen. Marshall
Jackson Tenn

Nov 9, 1863.

of the

Respectfully
referred to Brig. Gen.
Quarters

By order
M. Smith
Brig. Gen. Marshall

PROVOST MARSHAL'S OFFICE,

BOLIVAR, Tenn., February 22nd 1863.

Major H. Smith
District Provost Marshal
Jackson, Tenn.
Sir:

Information was received that
Percy Henricks, near Henderson, 8 miles beyond
Sacks Creek, to the right, has 11 bales of cotton hid
in the woods, and is looking for somebody to sell it
for him, boasting at the same time, that he
will send the ~~same~~ money south, to support
the Confederacy.

I was also informed that one Smith, now
at Henderson, a partner of Mr Bowling there, who sold
his tannery close by Shady Grove to Mr Dickens,
acted voluntarily as guide to the guerrilla Newsham
and sold at that time \$500 worth of leather.

He has still two wats full of hides there.

Respectfully

Wm. Stephenson
Provost Marshal

1891 A.S.O.
Dist. of Jackson

Office Dist. Pro Marshal
Jackson, Tenn, March 9, 1863

Respectfully
Referred to Dist,
Hq. Quarters -
By order
M. Smith
Dist. Pro Marshal

PROVOST MARSHAL'S OFFICE,

BOLIVAR, TENN. *March 6th* 1863.

Major M. Smith
District Provost Marshal, Jackson, Tenn.

Sir!

The information in regard to
Parson Hendricks was received by me W. W.
Phillips now in prison here, in consequence of
reports made to him by widow Smith, now at
Clinton, Tenn. — Phillips says the Cotton is
hid 5 miles from Henderson station and the negroes
on Hendricks place, would point out the place.

The report in regard to the sale of leather by
Smith was made by the same W. W. Phillips, who is
at present very ill at the hospital here. — Phillips
offers his services as a guide as soon as he is well
enough to travel, and I will send him up to
Jackson if you desire it.

Respectfully
Your Obedt. servt.
Chas. S. Stephens
Provost Marshal

3850
Feb 20 / 6

Est.

M-69 A20 -
Dist of Jackson

3850

Feb 20/6

Call

Office Provost Marshal of the Post,

Jackson, Tenn., July 26 1863.

No. Wick & Ensel

is hereby permitted to Trade
in the town of Jackson, Tenn., under such rules and regu-
lations as now are or may be from time to time prescribed.

This License is not transferable. S. A. Stockdale Capt.

Fees, \$ 10.00

By order of G. W. Campbell, Lt. Col.
and Provost Marshal.

Duplicated

PRESERVE THIS PERMIT

Head Quarters ³⁸⁵¹ of Post
Jackson, Tenn. February 14. 1863

Special Order No. 11 - X

Lawler
Col M. K. Bond's

Order Capt. J. B. Gilpin C.S.
to replace the Salt taken from
M. L. Boyant + D. Kahn (Loyal
Citizens of U. S.) authorized to
be taken by Special Order No 92. VI
from these Headqrs Dec 27. 1862.

~~W. H. H. H.~~

Head-Quarters Commander of the Post,

18th Army Corps. Department of the Tennessee.

Jackson, Tenn., Jan 14th 1863.

Special Order
No 113

† † † †
I Captain J B Gilpin C. S. will
replace the Salt taken of M. L. Coyner
& D. Hahn, (loyal Citizens of ~~W. Va.~~),
in compliance with order No 92, Par 6.
No. An. Comd Post Jackson Tenn Dec 24. 1862,
authorizing you to take ^{of person not connected with} Salt to supply
the Troops at this Post. The whole amount
being 32 Barrels 280 lb each (8960 lbs) †

By order of Col W. K. Sawler

J. C. Hester
Adjutant

3852

Feb. 1863

Sotts Martin

As accused of the murder
of H. Parnstone.

~~20~~
365

Wrappers

Martin Lotts

Statement in
regard to Escort
for prisoner charged
with murder

Feb 20 - 1866

In regard to Escort
for Prisoner Charged
with Murder

Cannetta Feb 20. 1863

Capt Simons

Camp Guley
Dear Sir

The new reser in
presence of Martin Dotts - the supposed murderer
of W. Barstow our neighbor - have returned
and they report that he is in jail at
Somerville in charge of the Commis
there, - Capt Thomas - in the name they
think - who wishes to have a grand
sent there to bring him down as he has
not men enough to send one away with
him - The dead body was found
in Fayette Co and we suppose the
trial must be had there

Magistrate, Arddeston and Taylor
advised the I request the latter of whom
is the owner of the Ferry at your place

we trust you will take steps to bring
him to a speedy trial, and we suppose
it must be before the Provost Marshall
since there is no court in Fayette Co

anything we can do to promote
the security of life in the community
and the proper administration of justice
we shall cheerfully & promptly attend to
Sincerely yours Thos. V. Dyer

Fayette County
Feb'y 19. 1863

An inquest taken at Cammeton
Fayette County Ky on the
19th day of February 1863 before
Huddleston and Wm Taylor
Justices for said county upon the view
of the Body of H Barnstone there
lying dead - The Jurors sworn
to enquire when how and by what
means the said H Barnstone came
to his death upon their oaths do
say that he came to his death on Tuesday
evening about nine o'clock - by a pistol
ball passing through his body in the
neighborhood of his right Leg -

In testimony whereof the said Justices
and Jurors here to set their hands

Wm Taylor
J. C. Huddleston
J. W. Adams
Geo. Stoughton
George G. Law
Allen Cakes
S. W. Orr Jr
Thos. Moffatt

J. C. Huddleston J.P.
Wm Taylor J.P.
James H. Carvick
Stephen Rigg
A. S. Farley
John H. Montgomery

Testimony before Jury - Feb 19, 1863

Richard Roberts,
Deed

Indebted

I am a messenger and am
in the habit of passing up and down
past the store every night

Last night I went up about 7 o'clock
and called at the door for Mr. [?]
also called on going down about 11 o'clock
and found no body

My horse scared and nearly jumped
out of the road at the place where I
am now informed the body lay

I met one foot messenger on the
road either passing up or down
it was very dark

Mr. Dicker - I was passing on the
road from Mr. Lykens here early this
morning in company with a stranger
who had spent the night at Mr. Lykens

We found a cup on the roadside
and the body of H. Barnstone down the
bank near it - I reported ~~some~~
to Mr. Stoughton and soon as help
could be had we brought the body to
the store. Last night after my
family were all in bed and I was asleep

Martin Lott's came to my house to get
his clothes which my wife had washed
It may have been 10 or 11 o'clock
It vexed me to be called up at such
a time - I asked him where he was going
he said - Home to Augustus County
also that no two men could now take him
for he was going Home - I thought by
his manner and appearance that something
was wrong and I watched him as he
left my house with his bundle of clothes
lest he should take my horse
When I opened the door I saw that he
had a pistol in his hand and
before he left he placed it in one of
his boots

^{Field's creek}
John Snowgrass says he saw Martin
Lott's about 8 o'clock last night - Lott's
had been in the Cabin lying before the fire
for about an hour - had been out previously
for an hour or so - when he left the Cabin
he told us that if he did not return by
12 o'clock tomorrow he would be gone
home - before leaving he sold aatchet of 83¢
for 75¢ -

Robinson Rader ^{3 miles East of Sumnerville} says Matthew Lott
left the cabin where they slept about 8 o'clock
last night - requesting the Boys there to
take his hat & traps & come to the office
by 12 o'clock tomorrow if I am not back
by that time - Lott's hat at
previous times told Rader that he was
going home - Lott told him that
he had 2 pistols one 5 shooter and
one 6 shooter - I have seen him
some 6 weeks ago at the house Richard
Dodson Nichols, Amity, about a mile
from Sumnerville - when I first
came here he knew me and soon
enquired when I would be going
home - and also whether I should
spend my money here before

I started - he seemed to desire that
we should go home together - but
I did not encourage that idea.

Mr. Lawrence ^{Trace creek ^{between} middle of ^{Sumnerville} ^{and} ^{Sumnerville}} says he had 2 Revolvers, a ~~cross~~ ^{cross} Revolver
and a Pepper box Revolver - he said he
could hit a Telegraph pole at 30 yards
with his Pepper box Revolver
he said he was going home - to August Co

he said he had bought a pair of shoes
of Barnstone & they had been stolen
and he had bought another pair

he appeared to be uneasy all last
evening - he said he had done
his first days work at Carnetta
I saw him here at Ramrod and
some Sunday I wanted him to dine
with me but he refused saying he had
noe for it

Thomas Smith - Carnetta - saw Matthew
Lotts come to Mr Trochys house last night
between 10 & 11 o'clock - he seemed to be
in ~~at~~ great haste & said no two men
could take him for now he was going
home to Augusta - he saw him
put the Revolver into his Boot

Mrs Rebecca Lysons heard a report of
fire arms about 9 o'clock last night
and then her dogs made a great noise
the noise of the Report was in the
direction of where the body was found
The Report sounded dead and
occurred much nearer at my house
Mr Barnstone was sometimes in the habit

of coming to my house in an evening
but never to come as late as 9 o'clock

Mrs Keller Williams says that Lott
^{last night} ent^{er}ed my house & I have not
seen him since = about a week ago
he told me that soon he would start
to go to Dixie and that he would
let me know so that I could send a
letter to some relatives that were upon
his road = but he did not tell me
that he was about to start

My Allen Baker - at nine o'clock
last I heard a report of fire arms
I was reading - and ~~about~~ ^{at} ~~the~~ ^{my}
Book - and went to the door - where
I saw no one - only heard the noise
of Mrs Lykens boys

arrived till 9 o'clock tomorrow

Feb 19. Met at 9 o'clock - Mr Shields
and his friend having arrived.

The Army proceeded to examine
the trunk of accused

Darius Tricher - wife of Mrs Tricher
was called ^{by the} ~~up~~ ^{by the} ~~up~~ night before last about
10 o'clock - he wanted his clothes that
I had been washing - he seemed to be
in a great hurry - and he was going
home to Augustus Co - he expected to stay
out that night - it was a dark cloudy
night - did not rain -

appeared to have a pretty large bundle
under his coat - which he seemed to
try to conceal he did not put it on
with his bundle clothes.

I saw him put a Revolver that he called
a pepper box in his boot I also heard
him say just as he was leaving on down
that no ~~two~~ men could take him

James Rigg - Blacksmiths son - started
Lotts on day before yesterday repairing a pistol
in my shop - and making a Kamin Rod for it
- a single barrel pistol appeared to have
been made of a piece of old Rifle barrel

Mrs Tricher called again on my mother
Lotts on Sunday last at her house sent
her boy to Mr Burnett's to borrow Buller

money and he saw a lot of Bullets
from lead that he said he had obtained
at Carriethers newly enough to fill a
small cartridge box

Jesse Delough - was at Carriethers heard
Marter Lotts about 10 days ago threaten to
shoot a fellow workman if he said
another word to him - he at the same
time drew a pistol from his outside
pocket - & immediately put it back
he considered him rather a grand
man

Robert Stockton - was applied to on
Monday night by Marter Lotts for powder
and opinion Tuesday ^{before dinner} - when I gave him
about a quart of a pound

Mr P. Stockton - saw Marter Lotts about
^{at Barnstons Store} about 5 o'clock Tuesday P.M. - have not seen him
since - some evening last week I heard
Lotts tell Barnstone that he would take
him up the creek - Barnstone said he
would go - Lotts agreed to let him know
when he would be ready - This conversation
was at Barnstones store

~~William Stockton~~

~~Robert H. Holman~~

Robert F. Brister - says that on Monday morning Lott told him he should quit work here and go to Emmersville to get his clothes then come back here and go to Emmersville

Gov. Paxton - Allegany County - heard Martin Lott tell a car driver that had been blamed by an overseer that if he was on his place he would shoot him - meaning that he would shoot the overseer - Saw him home some Lent say about 1 1/2 p.m.

I considered Lott a quarrelsome fellow - he & I never had any trouble except that I wounded him my knife & when I asked for it he pretended to have lent it to somebody else & I never have yet got it again

Bennett Burnett - says a child
of Mr Tucker came up to his house
a few days ago and borrowed my
Bullet mould - he said for a man
that works at the factory
no man has purchased any bullets
lately at my house

Aaron Stockton - saw ^{some} quantities
in Barnstons store on Monday
evening - he was trying to buy a ^{small} deep
and pair shoes - Lotts said he would
come the next day and get the things

July 3853 ³⁸⁵³ and sometimes
from R.C.P.

1863

2000
C.C.P.

Dear brother
Edmund
received to the amount of
R.C.P. for the year
a letter from
The Northern Counties
of England
Please give the
M. C. P. 16

Head Quarters Prov. Man. office
Manchester Feb 16th 1868

Prov. Man.

Fish Dr Sir I need
you of 16th and will just say
I have not been ~~able~~ to
get anything further in
respect to Mrs Kate Stewart
but will know further in
a few days and will write
particulars in a few days
There is also a man a Lieut
George Ritcher in Baltimore
a paroled prisoner; who has
attempted to bribe a Surgeon
in the Federal Army to bring
100 ounces of Lumine to this
town & thence to be forwarded
to Southern Army said Surgeon
to share profits said Surgeon
rather agreed to take the
responsibility of course for

the purpose of catching him
as the surgeon is beyond
reproach) now I think I
can arrange it so that the
thing can go off and not
only capture the Purines
but find the source of
supply and make a final
finish of that channel of
supplies at one blow

I am satisfied a lot of
Jews are in the habit of
running drugs & letters from
Baltimore here as many
of them are here without
any ostensible pursuits and
are always concealed except
at night in Jewish houses
I have laid a trap for them
and I hope you will permit
them to come on without
any suspicion of vigilance

on your part but if you
would station a sharp
officer at Depot and telegraph
to Martinsburg so it would
be sent to me in advance
it would help me greatly
(and you may rest assured
of one thing I will let
you know immediately if
anything occurs that will be
of Interest to you please
Answer if this meets your
Approval it will take some
time to ferret out the whole
thing as it has been so long
established but it can be accom-
plished and the whole thing
broken up hoping to hear
from you soon I am Truly
yours

R. C. Purdy

Mrs Kate goes under the name of

February 1873,

3854

Political Prisoner

Sent off from

Fort de Henry

in

February 1873

Cts

Political Prisoners sent off in February 1863.

No.	Name	Date of Imprisonment	By whom Confined	Residence	Remarks
1	Pitzler Samuel	Feb 10 th	Gen Schuck		Discharged by order General Morris. Feb 18 th 1863.
2	Dashell R. S.	" 17 th	"	Patterson	" " " " Schuck " 17 th 1863
3	Frankhouse E. R.	" 12 th	"	"	Released on taking the Oath of Allegiance Feb 11 th 1863
4	League John	Jan 31 st	"	Patterson, Md	Released on Parole. By order Gen Schuck
5	Lloyd Frank Pudergant	Feb 5 th	"	"	Escaped from Fort M. Key. February 19 th 1863.
6	O'Loughlin John	Jan 26 th	"	"	Released on Parole. by order General Schuck Feb 16. 1863.
7	Turner, E. H.	Feb 2 nd	"	"	Released on taking the Oath of Allegiance Feb 21 st 1863
8	Smith John	" 13 th	"	"	Discharged by order Gen Morris. no evidence appearing against ^{him.}
9	Smithcomb John	" 13 th	"	"	" " " " " " " " " "
10	Hearns Henry	" 13 th	"	"	" " " " " " " " " "
11	Hearns John	" 13 th	"	"	" " " " " " " " " "
12	Hearns Henry Jr.	" 13 th	"	"	" " " " " " " " " "
13	Squires Henry	" 7 th	On Release by	Sent to Fort Detawane	by order Gen Schuck Feb 23 1863.

(Signed) *H. H. Morris,*
 Bot Brig General U.S.A.
 Commanding.

Official
W. H. Chesbrough
 A. S. General

February 1813.

List of
Political Prisoners
of War
sent away from
Fort de Henry
during February 1813.

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Political Prisoners
ROLL OF PRISONERS OF WAR AT Fort Mifflin, Pa. Sent on way in the Month of February 1863

NO.	NAMES—IN ALPHABETICAL ORDER. (BY REGIMENTS AND COMPANIES.)	RANK OR TOWN.	REGIMENT OR COUNTY AND STATE.	CO.	WHERE CAPTURED.	WHEN CAPTURED.	REMARKS, (CHARGES, &c., &c.)
	Schaw, Albert D.	1st Lieut	Schultz		Philadelphia Pa	February 5 th 1863	Released on Special parole by order of Genl Schantz February 5 th 1863
	Summitt Am	1st Lieut	Schultz			February 25 th 1863	Sent to Fort Mifflin by order of Genl Schantz February 25 th 1863
	Taylor George	1st Lieut	Schultz			February 25 th 1863	Sent to Fort Mifflin by order of Genl Schantz February 25 th 1863
	Winter A	1st Lieut	Schultz			February 25 th 1863	Released by order of General Merrill February 25 th 1863
	Plyler Samuel	1st Lieut	Schultz			February 16 th 1863	Released by order of Genl Merrill February 16 th 1863
	Carson Peter	1st Lieut	Schultz			February 27 th 1863	Released by order of Genl Merrill February 27 th 1863
	Duckett Am John	1st Lieut	Schultz		Pottsville Md	February 17 th 1863	Released by order of Genl Schantz February 17 th 1863
	Elzinge J. W.	1st Lieut	Schultz			February 25 th 1863	Sent to Fort Mifflin by order of Genl Schantz February 25 th 1863
	Everhart George	1st Lieut	Schultz			February 25 th 1863	Sent to Fort Mifflin by order of Genl Schantz February 25 th 1863
	Fitchett Samuel	1st Lieut	Schultz			February 25 th 1863	Sent to Fort Mifflin by order of Genl Schantz February 25 th 1863
	Frenchman E. B.	1st Lieut	Schultz			February 16 th 1863	Released on taking the oath of Allegiance February 16 th 1863
	Harvey George	1st Lieut	Schultz			February 19 th 1863	Escaped from confinement February 19 th 1863
	Haynes George	1st Lieut	Schultz			February 25 th 1863	Sent to Fort Mifflin by order of Genl Schantz February 25 th 1863
	Johnson Joseph	1st Lieut	Schultz			February 25 th 1863	Sent to Fort Mifflin by order of Genl Schantz February 25 th 1863
	Kearney John	1st Lieut	Schultz			February 25 th 1863	Released on taking the oath of Allegiance February 25 th 1863
	League James	1st Lieut	Schultz			February 25 th 1863	Sent to Fort Mifflin by order of Genl Schantz February 25 th 1863
	League John S.	1st Lieut	Schultz			February 25 th 1863	Released on parole by order of Genl Schantz February 25 th 1863
	Lloyd Frank	1st Lieut	Schultz			February 19 th 1863	Escaped from Fort Mifflin February 19 th 1863
	McLean A.	1st Lieut	Schultz			February 16 th 1863	Released on parole by order of Genl Schantz February 16 th 1863
	Merrill W. M.	1st Lieut	Schultz			February 25 th 1863	Sent to Fort Mifflin by order of Genl Schantz February 25 th 1863
	Paterson George	1st Lieut	Schultz			February 25 th 1863	Sent to Fort Mifflin by order of Genl Schantz February 25 th 1863
	Pison A.	1st Lieut	Schultz			February 25 th 1863	Sent to Fort Mifflin by order of General Schantz February 25 th 1863
	Squair Henry	1st Lieut	Schultz			February 25 th 1863	Sent to Fort Mifflin by order of Genl Schantz February 25 th 1863
	Stinchfield A.	1st Lieut	Schultz			February 25 th 1863	Charges appearing against him
	Smith John	1st Lieut	Schultz			February 25 th 1863	Released on parole appearing against him
	Spencer John	1st Lieut	Schultz			February 25 th 1863	Released on parole appearing against him

Johnson Joseph July 1st Genl Schenck
 Keegan John July 10th Genl Schenck
 Leary James July 21st Genl Schenck
 Leary John S July 21st Genl Schenck
 (Joseph Schenck) July 5th Genl Schenck
^{alias}
^{Conover}
 O'Leary John July 21st Genl Schenck
 Powell G. H. July 27th Genl Schenck
 Putnam George July 27th Genl Schenck
^{alias}
 Putnam
 Rison A Jan 1st Genl Schenck
 Squart Henry July 13th Genl Schenck
 Sweeney John July 18th Genl Schenck
 Smith John July 15th Genl Schenck
 Sprueller John July 10th Genl Schenck
 Towner E. H. July 2nd Genl Schenck
 Williams Patrick July 2nd Genl Schenck
 Wille John July 2nd Genl Schenck
 Weaver Henry July 15th Genl Schenck
 Weaver John July 15th Genl Schenck
 Weaver Henry Jr July 15th Genl Schenck

Sent to Fort Mifflin by order Genl Schenck July 25th
 Released on taking the oath of Allegiance July 25th
 Sent to Fort Mifflin by order Genl Schenck February 25th
 Released on parole by order Genl Schenck July
 Escaped from Fort Mifflin February 19th
 Released on parole by order Genl Schenck July 16th
 Sent to Fort Mifflin by order Genl Schenck July 25th
 Sent to Fort Mifflin by order Genl Schenck February 25th
 Sent to Fort Mifflin by order of General Schenck July 25th
 Sent to Fort Mifflin by order Genl Schenck July 25th
 Released as evidence appearing against him
 Released as evidence appearing against him
 Released by order of Genl Mifflin February 21st
 Released on taking the oath of Allegiance February 21st
 Sent to Fort Mifflin by order Genl Schenck July 25th
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 Released as evidence appearing against him
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W. W. Merrill
 13th Brig Genl Comd

W. F. M. ✓

1862

Entered Monday May 21st

Mr. C. M. Miller,
Capt of Contrabands

States that a colored man
was taken by force from
his work, &c,

CV
Robt
Blackman

3857

Recd. Ad. Ins. Dept. 15 May

Intep Memor May 20/62

To

Majr Gen. Wood

Comdg Department W.A.

I respectfully represent that Robt Blackman^(Case) has been at work on board the Steamer Cohasset 6 1/2 Months, without being able to get any pay except a few necessary articles of clothing. He voluntarily left & engaged work for Capt Crowl of the Steamer Cicil.

Yesterday he was arrested & forced back to his old place on the verbal request or order from a man who said Com. Goldsborough ordered it. Several similar cases have occurred & been threatened in Hampton & above by Slaveholders & their Abettors. As I am constantly called upon for advice in such cases, I respectfully ask for instructions what to do.

Such cases appear akin to kidnapping.

Your Obedt Servt. C. B. Wilder

Luft. Central Comds

3858

Henry Belmont

Head Quarters, Ninth Army Corps,

PROVOST MARSHAL'S OFFICE.

March 1st, 1865.

I Murray Bland, citizen of Prince George County,
Va., do hereby certify, on oath, that my family and myself have no means
of purchasing provisions from the Subsistence Department of the United
States Army, that we are without the means of subsistence, and are unable
to support the unless gratuitous issues of provisions shall be made to us by the
United States.

I also certify, on oath, that my family consist of myself, 1
adult and 1 children, and that therein I have not included any
~~persons whatever~~, and that since the last issue of provisions to myself and
family, as stated above, I have faithfully kept the oath of allegiance taken
by me on the 10 day Jan, 1865.

Sworn to and subscribed before me
this 1 day of March, 1865.

her
Murray Bland
mark

W. G. Hoffman
Adj. & Provost Marshal.

Henry Bland

~~3859~~

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Head Quarters, Ninth Army Corps,

PROVOST MARSHAL'S OFFICE.

January 14th, 1864.

I, Mary Bland, citizen of Prince Georges County, Va., do hereby certify, on oath, that my family and myself have no means of purchasing provisions from the Subsistence Department of the United States Army; that we are without the means of subsistence, and are unable to support life unless gratuitous issues of provisions shall be made to us by the United States.

I also certify, on oath, that my family consist of myself, 1 adult and 5 children, and that therein I have not included any negroes whatever, and that since the last issue of provisions to myself and family, as stated above, I have faithfully kept the oath of allegiance taken by me on the 12 day of Jan, 1865.

her
Mary Bland
mark

Sworn to and subscribed before me
this 12 day of Jan, 1865.

James King
Lt. Capt. & Provost Marshal.

Maryland

3860

July 14 1860

Head Quarters, Ninth Army Corps,

PROVOST MARSHAL'S OFFICE.

January 14th, 1861-

Mary Blane ^(wid), citizen of Prince George County, Va., do hereby certify, on oath, that my family and myself have no means of purchasing provisions from the Subsistence Department of the United States Army; that we are without the means of subsistence, and are unable to support life unless gratuitous issues of provisions shall be made to us by the United States.

I also certify, on oath, that my family consist of myself, ONE adult and ONE children, and ~~that therein I have not included any negroes whatever,~~ and that since the last issue of provisions to myself and family, as stated above, I have faithfully kept the oath of allegiance taken by me on the 14 day of Jan, 1861-

her
Mary X Blane
Mark

Sworn to and subscribed before me
this 14 day of Jan, 1861-

James F. King
Capt. & Provost Marshal.

Mary **3861** Colored

Sept 1865

Head Quarters, Ninth Army Corps,
PROVOST MARSHAL'S OFFICE.

April 1st, 1865.

I Mary Bland (Colored), citizen of James City County,
Va. do hereby certify, on oath, that my family and myself have no means
of purchasing provisions from the Subsistence Department of the United
States Army; that we are without the means of subsistence, and are unable
to support life unless gratuitous issues of provisions shall be made to us by the
United States.

I also certify, on oath, that my family consist of myself, one
adult and one children, and that therein I have not included any
negrees whatever, and that since the last issue of provisions to myself and
family, as stated above, I have faithfully kept the oath of allegiance taken
by me on the 1st day January, 1865.

Her
Mary X Bland
mark

Given to and subscribed before me
this 1st day of April, 1865.

Capt. & Provost Marshal.

M. E. Bond

3862

May 14 1865

Head Quarters, Ninth Army Corps,
PROVOST MARSHAL'S OFFICE.

January 14th, 1865.

M. E. Bland, citizen of Prince Lee County,
Va., do hereby certify, on oath, that my family and myself have no means
of purchasing provisions from the Subsistence Department of the United
States Army; that we are without the means of subsistence, and are unable
to support life unless gratuitous issues of provisions shall be made to us by the
United States.

I also certify, on oath, that my family consist of myself, one
adult and 1 children, and that therein I have not included any
negroes whatever, and that since the last issue of provisions to myself and
family, as stated above, I have faithfully kept the oath of allegiance taken
by me on the 23 day of Sept, 1864.

Martha E Bland

Sworn to and subscribed before me
this 14 day of Jan, 1865.

James King
Lt Capt & Provost Marshal.

3863

Mary Bland Colored

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Head Quarters, Fifth Army Corps,
PROVOST MARSHAL'S OFFICE.

April 10th 1865.

I, Mary Bland (colored), citizen of Danvers County,
Va., do hereby certify, on oath, that my family and myself have no means
of purchasing provisions from the Subsistence Department of the United
States Army; that we are without the means of subsistence, and are unable
to support life unless gratuitous issues of provisions shall be made to us by the
United States.

I also certify, on oath, that my family consist of myself, _____
adult and 4 children, and that therein I have not included any
negroes whatever, and that since the last issue of provisions to myself and
family, as stated above, I have faithfully kept the oath of allegiance taken
by me on the 14 day of February 1865.

Mary Bland
Neor Mark

Sworn to and subscribed before me
this _____ day of _____, 186

Capt. & Provost Marshal.

3864

Certificate of Destitution

Maitta C. Bland

Dec 17/64

Headquarters, 9th Army Corps,
Provost Marshal's Office.

December 1st 1864.

I M. E. Bland, citizen of Prince George County,
Va. do hereby Certify, on Oath, that my family and myself
have no means of purchasing provisions from the Subsistence
Department of the United States Army, that we are without
the means of Subsistence, and are unable to support life
unless gratuitous issues of provisions shall be made to us by
the United States.

I also Certify, on Oath, that my family consists of myself,
~~Two~~ ^{One} adult, and One Child, and that ever since the
last issue of provisions to myself and family, as stated
above, I have faithfully kept the Oath of Allegiance taken
by me on the 23rd day of September 1864.

Martha E. Bland

Sworn and Subscribed before me this 1st day of
December 1864.

J. J. King
Lieut. Adj. Provost Marshal

3865

Q. C. B. B.

July 27, 1862

As to ford

D. R. Blanchard

Det
Col

Wm

attent

3965

G. C. Blanchard

Aug 27 1862

As to forwarding letters

G. C. Blanchard

Aug 27/62

Det
~~Col~~ Farnes

Immediate

attention.

H. L. McFarland
A. M. G.

OFFICE GENERAL FREIGHT AGENT

Ohio & Mississippi Railroad

St. Louis Aug 27 1862

Maj. H. L. McConnell

At. P. M. Paul. A. K. W.

Your stating I cannot forward cotton from here conveyed
to us from Columbus is received.

Please inform me what disposition you
would advise made of it to meet any further requirements
of the Government.

Very truly

Wm. J. Mauchard
Genl.

3500
to Quaker Mill
Jackson Dec 15 1865
P. 171. Capt. W. W. W. 1863.

Force in P
Bot May Gen Vols

Forwarded a copy of
a statement of facts
relating to the killing
of Doctor Blair of
Corinth and reports
his action in the
premises

an enclosure

File away
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AT



Head Quarters
Fourth District Miss
Jackson Miss Dec 15th 65

Major W. P. Bishop
Acting General
Dept of Mississippi

Major I have the honor to forward
herewith enclosed, a copy of a
statement relative to the killing
of our Doctor Blair a citizen
of Corinth Miss, by a member of
the 108th U.S. I. on duty at that
post, which statement was return-
ed with endorsement as follows viz
Head Quarters Fourth District Miss
Jackson Miss Dec 15th 1865

Respectfully returned to Col Bishop
who is directed to have this matter
adjudicated by General Court Martial
have charges prepared, and the

Soldiers concerned in the affair
confined

By order of Bot Maj Gen M A Force
Signed Will H Williams
St Louis Mo

Very Respectfully

Your obedient servant

M. F. Force
Bot Maj Gen. U.S.A.

Copy

Head Quarters post of Corinth
Corinth Miss Dec 7th 1865
Lieut Chas Stafford
Adjut 108th U.S.C.I.

Sir

I have the honor to report that on the 3^d Inst, about 5 o'c, P.M. Sergeant Whittaker Co "E" 108th U.S.C.I. while standing in the street in this place was run against by one Doctor Blair who at once exclaimed "why in hell dont you get out of the way you God d - d black soul dont you see I'm a white man" The Sergeant replied that he was in the centre of the street and said there was room enough to go around.

After some more cursing by Doctor Blair and a man that was with him by the name of Ferrabee, Privates Westerfield of Co "E" standing near picked up a brick saying "You must not curse my sergeant; our officers dont allow it. Mr Ferrabee then drew a revolver cocked it and aimed at Westerfield, threatened to shoot him if he said another word. He also punched it against the side of another Sergeant standing by, Doctor Blair

now asked for the revolver and on being refused by Farabee, took it from him, with threats that he would shoot every God d - d Son of a Bitch in the place.

Sergeant Whittaker said he had gone too far and he must arrest him and take him to camp. Dr Blair refused to go, saying before he would go to camp he would shoot the black heart out of every Yankee that came near him, damned the Officers and abused the government generally. He expressed his willingness to go to the Mayor. The Sergeant succeeded in getting them a short distance, where Blair refused to go any farther. Westfield who had gone to camp after his gun now returned to guard the men to head quarters. Dr Blair repeated his refusal to go. Private Westfield said he must and ordered him to proceed, upon which Dr Blair turned upon him, leveled his revolver uttering "No, I'll be God damn" at which instant the guard shot and killed him.

Mr Farabee was taken to Captain Butler's quarters and the sergeant gave his evidence in the case, which is as above stated.

Mr Garrabue upon being asked, whether the
Sergeant stated the case correctly replied,
"He has given it more correct than I
could, he has told it just as it was"
Under these circumstances, I have not
seen fit to arrest Mr Garrabue. I ever await
your orders

Very Respectfully

Your Obedt Servant

(Signed)

John C. Cowin

Capt 108th U.S.C. 9

Camp Post

A true copy
Wm. W. Williams
Sgt 4th U.S.C.

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Agriculture Department
Columbia, Jan. 15. 66.

Sir, James L.
Govr.

Reporting the arrest by
Sheriff of Mr. B. Blackman
of Lancaster and his discharge
by a military officer.

HEADQUARTERS Dept. of South Carolina

Charleston S.C. Aug 18 1866

Respectfully referred to Mr.
Brig Gen. M. P. Richardson
Comd'g Dist. of East S.C. for
prompt report. These papers
to be returned.

By Command of
Major D. Chickles

M. H. Meyer
Asst Adjt Genl.

Executive Department V. C.,
Columbia 15th Jan'y 1866

Dr. Sir:

I enclose you herewith ^{a copy of} a communication
~~received~~ just rec^d from N. G. Bellings Esq Commis-
sioner in Equity for Lancaster District.

It will inform you that the Civil process of a state
Court has been set aside by order of one J. E.
Callaghan Capt. Condr at Lancaster S. C
and that B. Blackman who was under arrest
by virtue of said process has been discharged.

Blackman was indebted to the office of Com-
missioner in Equity for Lancaster on these notes and according
to Law in this state he was liable to be held to
bail on the Plaintiff making affidavit that he
(B) was fraudulently disposing of his property. This
affidavit was made & Blackman was arrested.

Capt Callaghan had no right to order the re-
lease of Blackman because it was not a case
in which the military authorities of the U. S.
had any jurisdiction. It was purely civil and
belonged exclusively to the state courts.

By ordering Blackmans release from arrest the

Plaintiff will in all probability, lose his debt
and if Capt's order should prove to be illegal
(as I believe it will) it will not protect the
Sheriff unless he can show that Capt. C. had
force enough to have executed his order.

As the conduct of this officer appears to be
most wilful and unpardonable I must re-
spectfully request that Capt Callaghan
be relieved from duty - placed under arrest
tried by Court martial and made by its
finding responsible personally for all damages
resulting from his illegal conduct.

I need not say to your General that I am
exercising all my power to sustain the militia
by every legitimate process claimed for it
and I am confident that you will suppress
by the most stringent proceedings all impetu-
ous intermeddling by the military with the ci-
vil power & rights of the state.

I have the honor to be very
respectfully,
Yours
James L. Orr
Governor

Major Genl.

Genl. C. Pickens

Comd Dept. of Charleston SC

Recall the other documents & file this with them —

A. E. J.

Executive Department
State of South Carolina
Columbia 16th Jan'y 1866

Maj Genl D. E. Sickles
Comdg Dept S.C. &c.

My Dear Genl.

The communication sent to you yesterday, in regard to Bingham Blackmon being released from civil arrest by Capt Callaghan commanding U.S. forces at Lancaster, N.C. was sent under the supposition that it was included in the Military District Commanded by Brig Genl Richardson, believing that less time would be consumed by writing directly to you, I did so, but finding that Genl Ames has that portion of the state under his command, I have applied to him, and take great pleasure in stating, that the error has been corrected. You would not have been troubled with the communication had I known that Lancaster was in his District.

Very truly Yours
James L. Orr

Concurrence
Citizen

Pillsbury & Co.

Having asserted Mr. C.
Blackman by a civil
process, the military in-
terfered and discharge him.
Wishes to know if civil law
is to be obeyed, or if military
authority predominates.

U.S. & C. S. E. 1866
HEADQUARTERS Dept. of South Carolina

Charleston S.C. Aug 18 1866

Respectfully referent to Gen
Richardson, Comd. Mil. Dist.
of East S.C. for prompt re-
port. These papers to be
returned.

By Command of
Major A. S. Lytle
W. M. Linger
Capt. Art. Pub.

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"Copy"

Office of the Commissioner in Equity
Lancaster Cts. S.C. Jan'y 9th 1866.

To His Excellency James L. Orr

Governor of South Carolina

Sir

As a civil officer holding a commission from the Governor of the State, it becomes my duty to report to you the following case of interposition by the Military with a regular civil process.

I hold as Commissioner in Equity three sealed notes made by one Bingham Blackman payable to James A. Witherspoon former Commissioner in Equity, or his successors in Office, on the 6th Inst I had credible information that Blackman was fraudulently disposing of his property, with design to leave the State, for the discharge of what I considered to be my duty as an officer under the circumstances, I, after making the usual affidavits before the Clerk of the Court, as required by the "Stay Law", caused a Bail Writ to be issued against Blackman and lodged in the hands of the Sheriff. The Sheriff thereupon arrested Blackman.

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who appealed to the Military Authorities, the latter interposed by ordering the immediate release of Blackmon.

The following is a copy of the order served upon the Sheriff:

Lancaster District

Jan'y 9th 1866

"Mr J. B. Cousant, Sheriff Lancaster District,
"You are hereby ordered to release Mr
"B. Blackmon without delay."

"(Signed) J. E. Callaghan
"Capt Conroy

The Officer in Command here says that there
is no civil law in force here. My object in
bringing the matter to your attention is to
obtain information on this point. It is im-
portant to the Civil Officers of the State and
to the Community at large to know whether
the civil law has any effect, and if so to what ex-
tent is it applicable.

Your early attention in the premises
will much oblige Yours Respectfully
K. G. Billings
C. E. L. D.

United States of America.

89332

I, *David Buckwelder* of the

County of *Volusia*, State of *Fla*, do

solemnly swear, in presence of Almighty God, that I will henceforth faithfully support, protect, and defend the Constitution of the United States, and the Union of the States thereunder; and that I will, in like manner, abide by and faithfully support all acts of Congress passed during the existing rebellion with reference to slaves, so long and so far as not repealed, modified, or held

United States of America.

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I, David Blackwelder of the
County of Polusia, State of Ilu, do
solemnly swear, in presence of Almighty God, that I will henceforth faithfully support,
protect, and defend the Constitution of the United States, and the Union of the States thereunder;
and that I will, in like manner, abide by and faithfully support all acts of Congress passed during
the existing rebellion with reference to slaves, so long and so far as not repealed, modified, or held
void by Congress, or by decision of the Supreme Court; and that I will, in like manner, abide by
and faithfully support all proclamations of the President made during the existing rebellion having
reference to slaves, so long and so far as not modified or declared void by decision of the Supreme
Court: So help me God.

David Blackwelder

Subscribed and sworn to before me, at Augustine, this 14th day
of January, A. D. 186 3.

Wilson French

The above-named has Flourid complexion, Dark hair, and grey eyes;
and is 6 feet — inches high.

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Martha C. Bland

Head Quarters, Ninth Army Corps,

PROVOST MARSHAL'S OFFICE.

December 10th, 1864.

I, Martha E. Bland, citizen of Prince George County, Va., do hereby certify, on oath, that my family and myself have no means of purchasing provisions from the Subsistence Department of the United States Army; that we are without the means of subsistence, and are unable to support life unless gratuitous issues of provisions shall be made to us by the United States.

I also certify, on oath, that my family consist of myself, One adult and One children, and that therein I have not included any negroes whatever, and that since the last issue of provisions to myself and family, as stated above, I have faithfully kept the oath of allegiance taken by me on the 23 day of Sept^r, 1864

Martha E. Bland

Sworn to and subscribed before me
this 10 day of Dec^r, 1864

W. A. Keffron
Capt. & Provost Marshal.

Mary Bland

Head Quarters, Ninth Army Corps,

PROVOST MARSHAL'S OFFICE.

March 1st, 1865.

I Mary Bland (colored), citizen of Prince George County, Va. do hereby certify, on oath, that my family and myself have no means of purchasing provisions from the Subsistence Department of the United States Army; that we are without the means of subsistence, and are unable ~~to support ourselves and our families~~ ~~to purchase provisions~~ ~~which is made to us by the~~ United States.

I also certify, on oath, that my family consist of myself, _____ adult and _____ children, and ~~that therein I have not included any~~ ~~negroes whatever~~, and that since the last issue of provisions to myself and family, as stated above, I have faithfully kept the oath of allegiance taken by me on the 14 day January, 1865.

Lee
M. X Bland

Sworn to and subscribed before me
this 1 day of March, 1865.

mark

W. G. Keeferson
Lt Col Capt. & Provost Marshal.

Mary Bland

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Head Quarters, Ninth Army Corps,

PROVOST MARSHAL'S OFFICE.

March 1st 1865.

I Mary Bland (colored) citizen of Prince George County,
Va. do hereby certify, on oath, that my family and myself have no means
of purchasing provisions from the Subsistence Department of the United
States Army; that we are without the means of subsistence, and are unable
to support life unless gratuitous issues of provisions shall be made to us by the
United States.

I also certify, on oath, that my family consist of myself, _____
adult and _____ children, and that therein I have not included any
negroes whatever, and that since the last issue of provisions to myself and
family, as stated above, I have faithfully kept the oath of allegiance taken
by me on the 14th day January, 1865.

Sworn to and subscribed before me
this 1st day of March, 1865.

her
Mary X Bland
mark

W. G. Kefferson
Lieut. Capt. & Provost Marshal.

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Rosetta C. Plam

Jan 31/63

Post

C. B. Plam

Slaves Rosetta

Mayor atty
~~Head Quarters Military Commandant~~

OF NEW ORLEANS,

City Hall 2nd & 3rd day of January 1863

R. W. Miller Esq
Superior Police Judge

Sir

You will please forward
custody the Slave Writ
of Mr. C. L. Plante

By Order of
Henry C. Demme
Col US Army & Acting Mayor

Wm. H. Murphy
Esq

3873
Commitment of

~~Robert Black~~

Robert Black

Mar 14th 1865

Citizen

Headquarters Department of the Missouri,

OFFICE PROVOST MARSHAL GENERAL,

St. Louis, Mo., March 14 1865.

Commanding Officer,

..... *Snatch* *Street Prison.*

*Will receive for safe keeping, until further orders,
the following named prisoners, to wit:*

..... *Robert Black alias Aaron Blackburn*

..... *M. Baker*

..... *Chas*

Provost Marshal Gen'l Department of the Missouri.

3874

~~J. H. M. [unclear]~~
Oath of Allegiance

Citizen

I, *J. H. Blackburn* of *the*
County of *Sumner* State of *Tennessee*
do solemnly swear that I will bear true allegiance to the United States, and support and sustain the Constitution and Laws made in pursuance thereof as the supreme law of the land, anything in any State Constitution or Laws to the contrary notwithstanding; and that I will not take up arms against the United States, nor give aid and comfort, by word or deed, to the enemies thereof, or to those now in rebellion against the United States; and that I disclaim all fellowship with the so-called Confederate States and Confederate armies; and that I will faithfully keep and observe this my solemn oath of allegiance to the Government of the United States of America, with a full understanding that death or other punishment by the judgment of a Military Commission will be the penalty for its violation.

*That I will report in person to the Comd'g
officer of Gallatin Terr.*

J. H. Blackburn
Major

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *20* day of *July* 186

B. H. Cressett Lt Col
25th Mich Inf Comd'g,
Military Prison

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J. B. Blackburn
Part of Allegheny

Carton

I, J. B. Blackburn of the
County of Sumner State of Tennessee
do solemnly swear that I will bear true allegiance to the United States, and support and sustain the Constitution and Laws made in pursuance thereof as the supreme law of the land, anything in any State Constitution or Laws to the contrary notwithstanding; and that I will not take up arms against the United States, nor give aid and comfort, by word or deed, to the enemies thereof, or to those now in rebellion against the United States; and that I disclaim all fellowship with the so-called Confederate States and Confederate armies; and that I will faithfully keep and observe this my solemn oath of allegiance to the Government of the United States of America, with a full understanding that death or other punishment by the judgment of a Military Commission will be the penalty for its violation.

*and that I will report in person to the County
officer of Gallatin Tenn.*

J. B. Blackburn

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of July 186

*B. G. Orrell Lt Col
Co 5th Mich Inf Comdng
Military Prison*

3876

W. C. 19th A. C.

April 7th, 1864

G. O. 37.

Alfred Blackman

Head Quarters 19th Army Corps
and W. S. Force in W. of a Land Court
April 20th 1864

General Orders
No 37

A Military Commission
for the trial of Alfred Blackman, a cattle
driver in the employ of the United States,
and such other prisoners as may be caught before
it, will assemble tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock
or as soon thereafter as practicable, at this post.

Detail for the Commission

1. Lieut. Col. John Higgins 116th New York Vols
2. Major S. Summons 153rd " " "
3. Captain Isaac H. Gray 116th " " "
4. Captain W. J. Hollbrook 173rd " " "
5. Captain Samuel Conroy 162nd " " "

Captain R. G. Wilkinson 128th New York
Volunteers - Judge Advocate.

No other officers than those named
can be assembled without manifest injury
to the service.

The Commission will sit,

without regard to hours.

The Provost Marshal will
procure a room for the sittings of the
Commission.

By Order of Major General T. M. Smith
Adjutant General's Office.

Priv. Sec. Cameron
Comy Det.
13. a. e.

Adj. Gen. General

Refracted Blacking

Q. O. 37.

W. O. 19th St. C.
April 20, 1864.

A. S. B. 3877

at

Bond of \$2000 ⁰⁰/₁₀₀

A. J. Blankinbale,
of Howard Co. Mo.

Geo. B. Coz.

Thos. H. Todd.

Wm. C. Chancellor
& Associates.

Mexico Mo. Jan'y 17 1865.

Know all Men by these Presents, That we Andrew S. Blankenbaker of the County of Howard and State of Missouri, as principal, and George B. Cox, Thos. H. Todd, & Wm. H. Chancellor of the County of Howard in the same State, as securities, hereby acknowledge ourselves to be held and firmly bound unto the United States of America in the sum of Two Thousand Dollars, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made, we hereby bind ourselves, and each of our heirs, executors, administrators and assigns.

Sealed with our seals, this Thirteenth day of January A. D. 1865.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bounden Andrew S. Blankenbaker has been arrested upon the charge of having given aid and comfort to the enemies of the United States, and of other acts of disloyalty; and whereas the said Andrew S. Blankenbaker has taken and subscribed the oath hereto annexed, and has agreed that he will not leave the County of Howard during the present rebellion, ^{and report to the ~~nearest military post~~} without the written permission of the commanding officer of the nearest military post established by the United States authorities, ^{and report to the ~~Sgt. Prov. Mar.~~ at Meriden Mo.} and will report in person to such commander, whenever by him required in writing so to do; and has also agreed to give immediate information to said commander of any hostile movement, gathering or conspiracy which he may become apprised of; and to notify the officer aforesaid of any and all attempts which he may learn any person is making to enlist recruits for, or to induce others to join the so-called Confederate army; or to give aid and comfort thereto. Now, if the said Andrew S. Blankenbaker shall well and truly keep his said oath, and perform his other agreements hereinbefore set out, then this obligation shall be void; otherwise of full force and effect.

And it is hereby understood and agreed, that in case the said Andrew S. Blankenbaker should violate any of the conditions of this obligation, any officer in the military service of the United States, acting under the orders of the nearest post commander, may seize and sell, or otherwise dispose of any and all property of the above named obligors, to an amount sufficient to satisfy and discharge the amount above named, without having recourse to any proceeding at law.

Andrew S. Blankenbaker



George B. Cox




Thos. H. Todd



Wm. H. Chancellor





3878

Sept. 8th 1863

Claim of W. C. C. C.

against the United States.

C. C.

Translation

No 15

City of New Orleans, the 8th day of September 1863 before me Juan Callejon Consul of her Catholic Majesty in this City and its dependencies appeared the Spanish Subject Nicolas Ciris born in Camarinal Galicia of age accompanied by witnesses who said:

That since some years he has been established at Donaldsonville in the parish of Ascension La and that he owned properties there; that on the twenty ninth day of June of this year the federal forces of the United States ^{stationed there} burned the aforesaid place by order of Gen Boulevar and by it destroyed all the properties, moveable and immovable of the claimant.

That said properties are those which

Which are hereunto specified and of
which the value is put down in the
following manner

1 st	One house of Wood valued at	\$ 1500.00
2 ^d	Another house	1000.00
3 ^d	Clothing, & furniture	500.00
4 th	Two Beeres	200.00
	Total	\$ 3200.00

Three Thousand & Two Hundred Dollars
forming the total amount

Also appeared M^r Fortin
Cairreine a french Subject, who being
duly sworn made the following statement,
that he knows said Nicolas Eiris
since three years, that he generally
lives at Donaldsonville that said
properties belong to Eiris and that
their evaluation are right and just

Further more appeared M^r
Juan Monzon a native of Bayou
Lafourche State of Louisiana also of
age and said that he generally lives

in the Village of Port Barrow in the vicinity of Donaldsonville and that he knows for many years said Nicolas Curis ~~was~~ with whom he is in friendly relation that the aforesaid owned the properties which have been burned and by his judgement, and conscience the real price of the properties has been stated.

Therefore said Nicolas Curis says that wishing to reserve his uncontestable right for reimbursement for the great losses he has suffered, by the present, once, twice, and three times and in the manner most public, formal and solemn

Protests against major Boulton as the one who ordered the destruction of the place against the government of the United States and against whom who has the most power in command for the amount of said properties and for the sums which he

or his representatives have expended
or shall expend in order to obtain a
full reparation and justice so he signed
with me and the two above witnesses
above mentioned in New Orleans, the
above date

Signed Nicolas Eiris
Fortime Cairreine
Juan Monzon

Before me the Consul of her
Catholic Majesty Juan Callejon

(J. C.)

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UNITED STATES OF NORTH CAROLINA

I, *Wm. B. Jacobs* of the County of *Rockingham*, 1865.

State of North Carolina, do solemnly swear or affirm, in presence of Almighty God, that I will henceforth faithfully support, protect and defend the Constitution of the United States, and the Union of the States thereunder; and that I will, in like manner, abide by and faithfully support all laws and proclamations which have been made during the existing rebellion with reference to the emancipation of slaves: So help me God.

Subscribed and sworn before me, this *21st* day of *July*, A. D., 1865.

James F. Ellis Clerk
Wm. B. Jacobs

Capt. P. ³ 2880 Polaw
to Capt. Kilborn in
relation to the within
named prisoners who
come through our lines
at Baton Rouge. —

Feb. 10th 1863

Cite

Charles E. Johnson
404 1/2 South Broadway

Richard
Pomeroy

Washington D.C. July 10th 1863

Sir

The Messrs
Albert Marshall
Thomas Kelley
James H. Hall
James G. ...

Dear Sirs

I am on Horse Hill, they report that they
came from Potomac and that they had
a Confederate Depot three miles from
that place on the Bitter Root Road, they
have considerable Confederate money in
their possession.

Very Respectfully

Yours truly

Wm. H. ...
Camp ...

3881

H. A. Steby, 29th 1863

Kerguelan A
Master Sch. "Les Cadres"

Permit for himself &
crew to go to Bay St
Louis

377 Camp

Let me know

3881

N. C. Setry, 29th 1863

Kearney A.

Master Scho. "Sea Cadet"

Permit for himself &
crew to go to Bay St
Louis

377 Camp St

let willowman

W. A. R.

PASS

No. 360

OFFICE PROVOST MARSHAL GENERAL OF LOUISIANA.

Military Pass for Crew of Vessels.

NEW-ORLEANS,

February 27

1863.

Pass

Master

W. A. Kenyon Master of *Schooner "Les Cedres"*
from *New Orleans* to *Bay St. Louis*

This Pass is given upon the Parole of Honor of the holders, that they will in no way give information, countenance, aid or support to the so-called Confederate Government or States.

Charles D. W. ...

Provost Marshal General of Louisiana.

Pickets and guards will stop all vessels or skiffs not having the above pass attached to the Customhouse Clearance and will be careful to note that the names correspond.

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Feb. 18th 1863.

Captain S. W. Sawyer
Proc. Marshal

Covers
Covering report of
Plantations & Owners in
his District, and no of
slaves present & absent -

When the same is ready,
please return to the
Procurer Marshal's office -

Provost Marshal's Office
Parish of St. Bernard. Feb. 18th 1863.

Genl. James Borren.

Pro. Marshal Genl. Department of the Gulf.

Genl.
enclosed please find my report of Planters right
Bank of the River. I am getting the signatures
of Planters as fast as possible. when complete
I will send them to you.

I have the honor to be
Very Respectfully Your Obedt.
Svt.

S. W. Sawyers.
Capt. & Pro. Marshal.

Mr. Grant. Rice Land Plantation Loyal Citizens
originally 30. Hands. 13. have left

Mr. Brown. Belvue Plantation Loyal Citizens
originally 101. Hands. 41. have left

Mr. W. Erskew. Nyad Plantation Loyal Citizens
originally 95. Hands. 31. have left

S. Portland. Jetteland Plantation
originally 64. Hands. 6. have left

McAugusto Reggio. Alliance Plantation Loyal Citizens
originally 84. Hands. 36. have left

Mr. Lutz. Stars Plantation Loyal Citizens
originally 125. Hands. 60. have left

Mr. Lutz. Point Helena Plantation Loyal Citizens
originally 175. Hands. 100. have left

Mr. W. Thomson. Concession Plantation Loyal Citizens
originally 35. Hands. 13. have left

Mr. J. H. Salvant. Belle Chere Plantation Loyal Citizens
originally 44. Hands. 42. have left

Mr. F. Villers.	Fort. Leon Plantation	Loyal Citizen
originally 80 Hands.	30 have left	
Mr. Baylis Jr.	St. Ann. Plantation.	Loyal Citizen
originally 69 Hands.	44 have left,	
Mr. Oscar Villers.	Concordia Plantation	Loyal Citizen
originally 100.	77 have left	
Mr. H. Stackhouse	New Hope Plantation	Loyal Citizen
originally 41 Hands.	14 have left,	
Mr. B. Baylis.	Rosette Plantation	Loyal Citizen
originally 67 Hands.	22 have left.	
M ^{rs} . M. Sumford.	St. Rosette Plantation	Loyal Citizen
originally 79 Hands.	14 have left	
Messrs. White & Trufford.	Myrtle Grove Plantation	Loyal Citizen
originally 143 Hands.	8 have left	
M ^{rs} . B. Johnson.	Woodlands Plantation	Loyal Citizen
originally 231 Hands	8 have left	
Mr. E. Lamman.	Magnolia Plantation	Loyal Citizen
originally 318.	2 have left	

Mr. J. Lammart & Co. originally 73 Hands.	Union Plantation 42 have left.	Loyal Citizens
Mr. W. Smith originally 74 Hands.	Sarah Plantation 42 have left.	
W. and H. Stackhouse originally 81 Hands.	Live oak Grove Plantation 20 have left.	Loyal Citizens
Mr. F. Chartier originally 9 Hands.	Rice Plantation all absent.	Loyal Citizens
Mr. C. Villere originally 70 Hands.	Point Baker Plantation 25 have left.	Loyal Citizens

3883

Room Court Martial
Springfield Mo. July 24/63

Thompson Wm
Capt Co. 2^d Regt. Inf. 1st Div. Cav.

Communication
relative to charges
& specifications preferred
against Privates
H. J. Farnell, Thomas
Duck, & C. H. Hills
copy of charges enclosed

One enclosed

General Order #14. Feb 4
27th 1863.

File

Recd Hdqrs. Artillery July 24/63

When They returned I did not think them entirely justified in their absence and as a punishment reported them absent in order that their pay should be stopped for that time. This I thought ample punishment for they are good soldiers and have been constantly on duty ever since yet the pay master will not pay them until he has an order either from head Qu or from the decision of a Court Martial

Kills should be allowed pay for the whole time he was reported absent as he was ordered to attend as a witness

The other two should forfeit their pay for the time specified on the rolls which they were absent without leave

They are both here awaiting their trial having prevailed upon my 1st Lieut to drop the charges in order that they might be tried and freed from any obstacle to getting their pay

The undersigned respectfully asks that an order be made which will

Disstate them and entitle them to
draw all pay and allowances
due them except as above designat-
ed. It will save the Court the
trouble of a trial and return the men
and witnesses at once to duty.

Very Respectfully

Wm Thompson Capt
Co E 1st Iowa Cavalry

Will you be kind enough to send
the charges back, if the above request
is not granted.

G. W. Wagoner Lt
& Judge Advocate of Co E

The facts as above stated are essentially
true and I heartily concur in the request
made by Capt Thompson.

E. H. Chamberlain
Major 1st Iowa Cavalry

Army Court Martial
July 26, 1863

Thompson, J. W.
Capt on Court Martial

Wishes explanation
relative to charges &
specifications against
Private Samuel Buckle &
Wills - sent to Hdqrs.
If not disposed of
Court will have time
to investigate the matter
10 days

Very Sincerely
Yours
J. W. Thompson

Recd. H. Q. A. of A. July 29, 1863

Provs Court Martial
Feb. 26th 1863-

To Major Genl Scofield
Commanding Army Frontier

Sir

A few days since
I had the honor to refer to you
The Charges vs. Privates Pownall
Buck and Mills.

Will you be kind enough to
send by the bearer (orderly) any
determination you may have
been pleased to make in the
premises.

As not disposed of by your
order, the Court may have time
to investigate to this day

Respectfully
Yours

Wm Thompson Capt
on Court Martial

NEW ORLEANS
New Orleans July 24 1850

Richard Kelly,

Papers in case of relating to
the summing of witnesses.

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(copy)

Headquarters 3^d Brigade 2^d Division

Bowling Green February 19 1863

Lieut. Worcester, Co E 14th Md. and all other witnesses in the case of one Mrs. Reid captured on the Lake, will report to these Headquarters at once.

By order Col. F. S. Nickerson
Comdg 3^d Brig.

J. H. Metcalf
Lt. Colonel

Lieut. Worcester and three Privs will report to Col. Dwight, Bull Run, Va.

By order Col. F. S. Nickerson
Comdg 3^d Brig.

J. H. Metcalf
Lt. Colonel

Official

Major Accounting
Dept of War

(Copy)

Office of Provost Marshal Genl
of La.

New Orleans Feby 14 '1853

Capt. Chas E Davis

Deft Provost Marshal
Bourne Care.

You will at the first
opportunity send to the city, with orders
to report to me, the witnesses against the
men Reed and Kelly, the prisoners
sent down by you to day.

Very Resply,

(Signed)

Chas E Dwight

Col & Provost Marshal of La.

Official

Major Provost Marshal
Deft of La.

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Office Prov. Mar. Genl. of La.
New Orleans Feb. 7, 1863

Dwight Chas. C.
Col. of P. M. Genl.

Direct the witnesses in the case
of Reed and Relly to be sent
down. Enclosures.

C. C.

Copy

Office of Post Marshall Genl
of La

New Orleans Feb "14" / 1863

Capt Chas. Davis

Deft. Post Marshall

Government

You will at the first opportunity send
to the City, with orders to report to me,
the Witnesses against the men Kidd and
Kelly, the prisoners sent down by you
to day.

Very Respy

Signed

Charles C. Dwight Col

& Post Marshall Genl La

J. J. Brown - John Parker

Headquarters 3rd Br. Div.

Winniford, Pa. Feb 19th 1864
Lieut. Wister & Co. 14th Regt. and all
other retained in the case of one Mr
Reed captured on the Lakes. will
report to these Headquarters at once

J. M. Metcalf
Asst. Adjt. Gen.

By order
Col. F. S. Sickerem
Comdg. 3rd Brig

Lt. Wister and those Bts will report to Col
Dwight Bell, Genl. A. O.

J. M. Metcalf
Asst. Adjt. Gen.

By order
Col. F. S. Sickerem
Comdg. 3rd Brig

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Parcel of

William Chapman

Jas. A. Chambers

July 28, 1873

To deposit on Saturday

Chas. C. Co.

Office of Provost Marshal General

OF LOUISIANA,

New Orleans, February 28th 1863

Upon being allowed the liberty of the
City of New Orleans, the undersigned
do hereby give our parole of honor that
we will not in any manner give
aid or comfort to the Opponents of the
United States; that we will not attempt
to leave the City of New Orleans without
due permission, and that we will
(until further orders) report in person
once each week (on Saturday) to
Col Charles C. Wright Prov. Marshal
at his office,

Wm. Chapman
Jas A. Chambers.

Henry Stern 3887

Joseph Dryfus

5 "Havana"

Feb-14,

A.P.B.

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Went back to campus

off-again

Joseph Dryfus

Henry Stern

New Orleans

Feb 14/63

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16th July 1863.

Office
Fitzpatrick's Report
of
Distillers.

etc

New Orleans Feb 16. 1863.

To Col Dwight
Prov Marshal Gen of La.

List of Distillers in this city

John Murphy 35 Commerce Street occasionally at work

A. Lapine Commerce Street bet Lafayette & Grand at work

Howard & Loring New Levee St bet Lafayette & Grand at work

Lapine & Stone 202 Tchoupitoulas St at work

Crooks & Co 207 Tchoupitoulas St now at work

Karstendike & Co corner Julia & Chultra now at work

Barrett Commerce St bet Poydras & Lafayette work occasionally

A. W. Walker Lower coast a few miles from city at work

sends his rum up by a schooner to city. The last sent
was 120 bbls, which was sold to a retailer named Aikin
who lives on Tchoupitoulas Street.

Doctor Merritt, who lives 12 miles below the city, is now fixing
up to work. He also has worked since the order.

Mr. Verligny, of upper coast, has been sending rum into
the city by the quantity. N. 64 New Levee constantly at work.

Most Respectfully
Yours
G. Fitzpatrick

Murphy's. Tenn. Feb. 9/63

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G. 1 P.M. Agency - 1863.

Judge John Probst Judge

Relative to the return of two ladies Mrs. S. B. Bruce and Mrs. E. S. Burnett wives of two notorious Rebels

1 Enclosure

EB 296 4 Enclosures

Headquarters of the Circuit
Murphy's Tenn. Feb. 19/63

The General Commanding directs Capt. Wiles Provost Marshal General, to assess the value of the carriage & horses & forward a statement to Genl. Boyle, who, upon the amount being paid by Mrs. Bruce, is authorized to release her from arrest.
Rec. Office P.M. Agency Feb. 19/63
By order of Maj. Genl. Rosecrans

Recd. No. 496 C. G. G. & S. Co.
Do. Feb. 19/63

Copy of letter

John Gillet, Circuit Judge
to

Col Grouse dial
relative to

Mrs G. B. Bruce &
" E. J. Burnett,

W^o 2^o District Western Mo
Louisville Feby 12/63

Mr Settler will proceed
at once to where Mrs
Bruce & Mrs Burnett
may be found & will
advise them & report with
them in person to Myself
Rosecrans at Warrenton
or elsewhere.

All military commanders
are ordered or requested
to render Mr. Settler
such aid as may be necessary
in the execution of this
order.

By command Brig Genl Sigsbee
Ab Smith

Head Quarters Dist of Va. Ky
Feb 14th 1863

My Letter will proceed
to Gen Horner's H^q near
Camp Hill since on the
arrival of further orders from
Gen Horner, and subject
to Gen Horner's the letter
of Mr Price to me. If
Gen Horner consents to
purchase remaining ar
the and order the money
to be paid Gen Horner
will please order the
value of carriage boxes
to be ascertained to or to
approximate them and value
or more as practicable, and
his order for payment will
be referred -

J. T. Boyle
Adj Gen

Copy

Head Quarters 14th Army Corps.

Dept. of the Cumberland,

Office of Chief of Police,

Murfreesboro Tenn. July 9th 1863

Col Wm Crowder

Chief of Army Police
Nashville Tenn.

Sir

Your report respecting the return of two ladies, Mrs L. B. Bond and Mrs E. S. Burnett, wives of two notable rebels, formerly of Kentucky, and now assuming to be members of Congress in the so called Congress of the rebels at Richmond Va. claiming to represent the loyal State of Kentucky therein, has been submitted to the General in command,

You state in said report that the ladies in question after having been refused entrance within our lines at Nashville and having been sent back to the rebel Army at Murfreesboro in December last, have since then, passed into Kentucky, through the Cumberland without permission of the U. S. Govt or military authorities, and are now in our midst, in the enjoyment of rights and privileges due only to loyal citizens, the husbands of these ladies meanwhile being still at their nefarious work of violence against the Nation and fraud upon the people of Kentucky.

As appears from documents in this office, copies of

which are hereto annexed, the ladies in question were furnished with a carriage and two horses, and a driver to convey them from our lines back to Murfreesboro, they guaranteeing safe and speedy return to our H^q. Loss of the same. You report that said property was never returned, but was taken south by the rebels when they evacuated Murfreesboro several days thereafter, also, you report, that the special guarantee to the driver of the ~~carriage and horses~~ (also hereto annexed) was not, in the least observed by the ladies in the promises, nor by the rebel authorities, and that said driver was held as a prisoner, and hid himself in a building when the rebels evacuated Murfreesboro to prevent their forcing him away as a prisoner or a conscript.

This is exceedingly bad faith on the part of the ladies above named, coupled with their act of stealing within our lines against the express order in their case has received the serious consideration of the Genl's Comd.

You are herewith ordered to send a competent officer to where they may chance to be, if within this Dept. and there demand & receive speedy and full payment for the value of the said horses & carriage and also proper compensation to the driver for his wrongful attention, the amounts being left to your judgement or others who know the property and its value. And in case of refusal of said persons so to do, you will have them arrested at once and sent to these Head Quarters.

If not in this Dept., you will confer with proper authorities where they are. You will further, prepare a

full statement of the case, together with a copy of this
order & transmit the same to Brig Genl. Bayle, present-
ing the case to him as to whether he deems such persons,
under such ^{peculiar} circumstances, entitled to residence
within his lines. You will report especially to these Head
Quarters your action in these premises.

By order of Maj Genl. W. G. Rosecrans
(Signed) John Filch
Provost Judge

Official

All Genl.

Exhibit "A."

Copy to be sent to
Mrs Bruce.

Fl - of Mt. Spt Embd - 1863

Head-Quarters Fourteenth Army Corps,

DEPARTMENT OF THE CUMBERLAND,

OFFICE CHIEF OF POLICE.

Murfreesboro, Feb 21st 1863.

Capt Wm M Wiles

Prov Mar Genl -

Sir - In accordance with instructions from you, I have assessed the horses & carriage, lost to the Govt thro' Madam's Bruce & Burnett, after full investigation, at \$900.00.

The horses were well matched, large size, about 7 & 8 years old, a span of brownish bays - are worth, with harness \$300.00.

The carriage was purchased by Mrs James K Palk, originally, 3 years ago - was a fine one, costing over \$1000. I assess it at \$600.00, it being in good order.

The property belonged to Richard Harris, a colored boy (blackman) from whom our Police had temporarily detained it, we supposing he had been smuggling with it, thro' our lines. The property was decided, the case resulting in his favor, we sent this team with the ladies, having no other.

Very Respectfully &c

John Ditch
Provost Judge.

Head-Quarters District of Western Kentucky,

Louisville, 16th March 1863.

My Dear Sir

Comdg Offr of the Cumberland

Manufactors. Tenn.

General

Enclosed

find certificates of deposit for (\$9000) pay
nine hundred dollars, from Bank of May
payable to Geo J. L. Nelson, and also payable
to your order, being amt handed me
in certificates of deposit to pay for horses & carriage
taken by Mrs Price, daughter of Geo Nelson
and Mrs Burnett. I fear the assessment
is retrograde and unjust. I trust you will
cause it to be discontinued, and that no in-
justice may be done even to evil doers.

I am my truly
Asst

J. J. Apple
J. J. Apple

Gen. Cooper.

I have been excited on by a messenger from Gen. Rosecrans to go directing my arrival on condition, and report myself to Gen. Rosecrans at his headquarters. This order I understood to be based mainly on the ground of my assurance of the safe return of the back train with his horses and pack.

I try to submit to you, and through you to Gen. Rosecrans the following statement of the facts-

My first visit to the Southern lines was under a permit from Gen. Sherman.

My condition of health expecting to be confined in a short time determined me to make an effort to return to my father's home to be nursed by a kind mother. I was warned by the fact on one occasion on confinement I was in bed for several months.

I approached the lines of the Union army and was brought to Nashville, was examined and questioned by the proper officer who was made acquainted with my family, and knew who my husband was and his whereabouts. I received the paper of Gen. Rosecrans to return home. I was ready to start when the order was countermanded and I was required to return within the Southern lines. The officer who bore the

message, & at least those changed with my return, said Gen.
Powers expressed his confidence in the integrity of my purpose
and that he was not opposed to my return to Ky. but said
as my husband was a prominent man who, had aided
in breaking up the Government, he thought it was
a fit occasion to set an example to Gen. Bragg that he did
not intend to let all the ladies pass through his lines,
permitted to pass by Gen. Bragg. It was also stated
that the Army was being threatened on three sides.
I repeat this conversation from my best recollection.
This return the regiment was organized. The baggage
back & horses were selected & packed for me by the officers.
I was required by the order of Gen. Powers to give
a guarantee of the safe return of the Division, horses & baggage,
which was drawn and I signed it with Mrs. Burnett.
The men from the baggage were returned to
Manufacturers. We arrived there at half past 9 o'clock at
night. I went immediately to Gen. Bragg's headquarters
with the Division. I did not see Gen. Bragg but saw his chief
of staff. I think his name was Col. Brent, and made
known to him the facts of my return and laid before
him my guarantee for the return of the Division.
The chief of Gen. Bragg's staff assured me practically that
the Division should have a pass and permission to return.
The car was to start early next morning and I there had

an opportunity of having company and left Memphis
leaving I had done all I could do to comply with
my undertaking. I respectfully ask what more could I
do. I was compelled against my will to return and was
commanded to give the guarantee. I did all in my
power to discharge the duty assigned me. A battle
was imminent. I was compelled to leave by order my personal
security demanded it. I might not have remained with the
Gen. Bragg's lines after having been in the midst of the
warfare. The hack man made it his business
convey persons between Nashville & Memphis, had
been on other trips, and had brought me up from
Memphis to Nashville. I heard he reported that he
had been arrested at the latter place and kept two
weeks in prison. I know he was bound by my husband
to stay three or four days in that place for me. In the
mean time he was using his hack and making money.
I charged him with the falsehood & he said he had
told that lie to keep from being arrested in Nashville.
While passing the hack I shot the driver a little quickly
and broke the glass accidentally, and on expressing my
regret, the driver said he did not care what became of
the old hack as it was not his. I mentioned the circum-
stances to excite the attention of Gen. Bragg to the
probability that the fault was with the driver.

Under the circumstances of Gen. Prosser's thinks I ought
to pay anything I will without hesitation comply with
his name. There were two of us who gave the guarantees
and as the dinner of the book was stimulated by gain &
hope Gen. Prosser will not considerably and finally
satisfying himself whether it was our fault and the
true value of the marriages

My subsequent return to my father's house was prom-
pted by a belief that my life was possibly involved
in a compromise from home. I will be confined
in a few weeks.

I did not understand from anything that was said on that
occasion that I was positively subsequently from returning
to my father's house. I was permitted to retain Gen. Prosser's
pass which I now have. I appeal to the manhood
and generosity of Gen. Prosser to justify a lady in
my situation when in a land of strangers amidst
the conflict of contending armies, for trying to reach
the peaceful home of her parents. I have returned
home for no unworthy purpose. I have not imported
any facts to the prejudice of the opinion among you I
knew none. Now neither do I expect to support
any information which is not my own & pledge myself to
be in readiness to obey the final order of Gen.
Prosser.

With respect

Mrs. Lizzie B. Bruce

HEAD-QUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF THE CUMBERLAND,

Murfreesboro March 26th 1863.

Colonel

The enclosed Draft (for nine hundred dollars) is the assignment by Judge Fitch of the amount due from Mrs Bruce & Mrs Bennett in account of a pair of Horses and Carriage furnished them by Col. Trussell at Nashville. Write them to Murfreesboro.

The carriage & Horses are supposed to belong to a negro in Nashville; the Ladies became responsible for their safe return and are unable to produce the property.

The General Commanding would like you to collect the money, pay over to the owner of the Horses and Carriage not more than some hundred dollars and retain the balance to compensate the Government for the expense of sending an agent twice to Louisville.

on this business

Should you appear in investigation
that some hundred dollars is more
than the property is worth or that
two hundred will more than com-
pensate the Government you will
return the balance to Civil People
for the use of Mrs Bruce

You will file receipts in the
Office of the C.A.S. at H. D. S.

Respectfully
Yours Truly
A. H. Shaw
C.A.S.

W. Col. Taylor
Chf. of M. Dept

W. Col. Taylor

Letter of Col Wm
Dunsmuir, Chief of
Police, to Gen Boyle

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Head Quarters 14th Army Corps
Dept of the Cumberland
Office of Chief of Police
Nashville Tenn Feb 10th 1863

Major Genl. P. B. Powell

In command of Post,
Louisville Ky

Dear Sir

With this please find
an order from Major Genl. Rosecrans directed to my-
self respecting two ladies therein mentioned,
the facts in the case are briefly as follows:
On the eve of Dec 25th last two ladies each with
small children came to our pickets, on the Mur-
freesboro Pike a few miles out from Nashville
and were escorted into this office and examined
as to their whereabouts &c they stated they were
Mrs. Innes and Burnett of Tennessee, their hus-
bands now in the south and members of the
so-called rebel Congress. The ladies said their
object in coming was to see their friends and
to stay with them an indefinite period, that
the troubles and destitution at the south was
severe &c &c, also that their husbands neither
urged nor objected to their coming in so doing
the ladies statements were handed to the Genl.
in command and he at once ordered their

return to Murfreesboro. This was two or three
days before the heavy battles near Murfrees-
boro but our advance was retarded & involving
heavily and to make the trip was unsafe but
the ladies gave a guarantee for the safe re-
turn of driver and property and I thus
helped them back in a good horse each
drawn by two excellent horses, by papers
endorsed herewith you will perceive that
the property was lost, and the ladies are
now said to be within your lines. The Genl^l
you observed desires the payment for the lost
property upon their guarantee, as to their
remaining within your lines you will of
course decide as to that matter, I can only
venture my opinion as the premises, they
ought to be sent back again to the "Dumy
South". You will please confer with my
messenger Mr. R. Betton who has
your letter, and I will cooperate with you
in any proper manner to carry out the
instructions and wishes of the Genl^l in
command.

Yours Respectfully
Your Obedt Servt
Wm. P. Meade
Chief of Army Police

Copy,

Head Qrs 14th Army Corps
Dept. of the Cumberland
Nashville Tenn
Dec 26th 1862

The ladies herein referred to
Mrs. Jones and Mrs. Burnett
are respectfully informed
that in accordance with the
foregoing order of the Genl.
Comd^g a conveyance will
be immediately ordered upon you
at 8 o'clock A.M. to morrow
Saturday morning to convey
you as indicated

Respectfully
Yours &c

(Signed) Wm. C. Miles
Capt. Prov. Mar. Genl.

A copy of the foregoing order
was delivered by myself
to the ladies in question,
they assuring the guarantee
of returning the desired
property

(Signed) John Fitch
Prov. Judge

F. 1 - Sgt Embro (C.M.), - 1863

N^o. 10, Dept of Contributions
Michigan Nov 7/63

The General Commanding directs that
Capt Wiles Provost-Marshal Genl
advise the value of the back and
provisions and upon payment of same
by Mrs Bruce she be released
from Custody

R. P. Thomas
C. A. C.

"Copy"

Head Quarters 114th Army Corps
Dept. of the Cumberland,
Office of Chief of Police
Nashville Dec 26th 1862,

Capt Wm. M. Viles
Provost Genl
Sir

For your report of last evening you state that two ladies, their children and baggage, with vehicle and driver came to our lines without permit to enter, that they were apprehended and reported to your office their statements made in writing, are to the effect that they are the wives of men prominent in aiding and abetting the rebellion, who now seek protection from a great and good Government whom their husbands are aiming to destroy.

You will provide conveyance for these ladies & their children beyond these lines in the direction of Murfreesboro from whence they say they came or they may be carried quite to Murfreesboro, upon the pledge of the ladies for themselves and for their husbands & friends, guaranteeing the safe and speedy return of the driver and carriage.

By command of Maj Genl. W. S. Rosecrans,
(Signed) John Fitch

Wm. Crowder

Provost Judge

Chief Army Police

Nashville Tenn Dec 27th 1863,

Mr George F. Moore,

Sir,

This is to assure you, that you in
undertaking to drive us to Murfreesboro, will not
be molested by the forces or pickets of the Confederate
Army and we guarantee you safe and speedy
return to Nashville upon the day following our
arrival at Murfreesboro, or at a safe quarters
for us within the Confederate lines.

(Signed) } Mrs L. B. Bruce,
 } Mrs E. S. Burnett,

Letter of
John F. Helmer
to Brig Gen Boyle

F1 - Dpt Cmbd. (of P.M.A.) - 1863

Head Quarters 1st Kentucky
Journville 16 March 1863

The (\$900) amount was
delivered to me by Geo. Helmer
and is remitted this day
to Major Gen. Thomas in
certificate of deposit for
\$900 on Bank of Ky
Journville endorsed payable
to General Beauregard.

J. J. Boyle

Major Genl

Elizabeth Anne

Dear Sir

The gentleman who will hand you this letter gave me the painfull intelligence that he was a messenger dispatched by Genl. Rosecrans to take my daughter Mr Prince to the head quarters of the Genl. She is now in Somerville and will give you an honest and faithfull account of coming. Her main purpose was to be with her mother as hein brought to child bed, which is not distant more than a month or six weeks. She has a little son some eighteen months old.

To capture her and return her I feel confident will be the cause of her death. I appeal to you as a Kentuckian to intercede for her with Genl. Rosecrans. For God sake Generl do I beseech you by all our past relations intercede for her, & spare the life of my dear daughter. If you can, respect her, till you hear from the General. Surely he is not ignorant of her condition. I pledge you the honor of a gentleman he has not revealed to her mother or myself one single fact to which either you or Genl. Rosecrans would take exception. I will stand for her good behavior on a bond to any amount you may see fit. I pray you save my daughter.

Yours truly
John Nelson

1 - 1863 - 20th Dec

Office P.M. Dept
Cumberland Feb 20, 1863

Respy referd to Gen.
Pitch, Provost Judge, who
will assess the value of
the carriage & horses referd
to.

By command of
Maj Gen Rosecrans

Wm M. Miles
Capt & P.M.

Office Provost Judge, Dept,
Cumberland, Feb 21, 1863

Having determined the
matter as fully as possible,
I assess the value of the car-
riage & horses at \$900.00.

By Respectfully
John Pitch

Capt Wm M. Miles Provost Judge
Provost Mar Genl -

(see statement of assess-
ment in full, herewith
unnumbered, marked "A.")

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Hdqs Dept Embled
Office B. M. M. Warbros, Feb 23/75

Resp. of ref. to Brig.
Gen. Boyle, Comdg Dist of
West Ky, Louis. Mo.

Gen. Boyle will advise
Mrs Brauer upon payment
of the sum assessed by
Judge Pitch & will forward
the money & all the papers
to these Hdqs.

By command of
Maj. Gen. Rosecrans

Howe. Miles
Capt & C. M. G.

Amorfractin Terns
February 9 1863.

Fitch John Port Mar-

O. C. 190
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Munroe & Co. Suby. of Col.

Statements relative to
the success of Woodbury

Cum gratia ~~of~~

Wm. Woodbury

Recd. from D. C. Feb. 7/63

sesesh of Woodbury.

Head-Quarters Fourteenth Army Corps,

DEPARTMENT OF THE CUMBERLAND.

OFFICE CHIEF OF POLICE.

Maryborough February 6. 1863.

General.

Enclosed you will find list of
rebels citizens living in & about Woodbury
Tenn. Dr. Barnes, & his step son Williams
piloted six Federal deserters from our
lines on the 27 or 28 of Jan 8 63 & they
were paroled by Col Clarke. command
at Woodbury. Barnes bought a gun of
one of the soldiers (awful bitter). Math-
erford, formerly circuit court clerk of
Cannon Co. He pointed out to Col
Hutchinson of Morgans Cavalry where
& how our pickets were posted out a
hill by which he could see the line
& direct his men - was very zealous &
bitter. Warren Cummings Sheriff
elect is very bitter & is hunting conscripts
& union men. Dr. Thomas is very bitter
friends in Woodbury - has is doing immen-
-se harm. Informed to hand me about
two weeks ago. Sub 3

Judge R.

26 - 207 - 1863
New Orleans " 3891
February 10 1863

A. C. Mills
St. Col. 4 La. Reg

Wishes that the office
of the Delta with all
the material may be
turned over to any one
desired

Approved

Feb 10th 1863

etc

Recd Feb 10 1863

~~Headquarters, Department of the Gulf~~

New Orleans, Feb. 10th 1863.

To Lieut. Col. Richard B. Irwin

Assistant Adj't-Genl.

Sir: I have

the honor most respectfully to ask that the office of the Delta newspaper, with ^{type} materials, &c. &c. may be turned over to the possession of Albert G. Hills and myself - the said office and materials to be employed for the publication of a daily newspaper.

I am, Colonel,

Most respectfully,

Your Obedt Servt.

Alfred C. Hills

Lieut. Col. 4th Inf. N.Y.

Approved

A. P. Dunn
M. G. C.

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Bridge & Summers
Communication
to Andrews
reg to Prison
to Bridge & Summers
July 27/60

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7. Stockbridge & Summers
Communication
from Lt. Andrews
relating to Prison-
ers Stockbridge & Sum-
mers

July 28/60

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DEPARTMENT OF THE GULF,

Provost Court United States Army,

New-Orleans, Feb. 25 — 1863

Capt.

In obedience to the orders of
Brig. Gen. James Brown Pas. Mar. Gen.
communicated by you, to keep Mr.
Shortidge and Mr. Summers separate.
I have sent the latter to the
Parish Prison.

Yours Respectfully

Your obt. Servt.

E. P. Andrews

1st Lt. U.S. Army

Par. Sheriff

To
C. W. Keller
Capt. Pas. Mar.

~~San Francisco~~

Order from Mrs

Let Brown to attend

to case of Shortridge

Feb 28th 1860

capt. Silberson will
wrote my impression
in the matter -

Genl Bowen

Sir The Man Summers arrested

a few days since as a Spy, is placed in the same room
with J P Shortridge, who is under arrest for the burning
of Penn & Shortridge's Cotton Gips - This Shortridge
is a Regist Enemy & Malignant Rebel, the former partner
of Alfred Penn, and friend of the Penn family -
Is allowed to visit his wife at Penn's House, and
bring & circulate News he gathers from other prisoners,
He has already circulated by whom Summers
was arrested, how it was effected, & any particular
about it - I hear the whole story from known
rebels on the street - Will you please put
a stop to Shortridge's carrying out on the
street -

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Hand on
side

Committed
from
W. Leo
now to
Books
Stepy

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Communication
from Miss Watts
W. Leo Perry
now to send them
Books away
Feb 1863

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80 FOYDRAS STREET.New Orleans, 16th July

1863

Lt Comm. Provost Marshall Genl of La

The undersigned, as you will observe by reference to cards at top of this sheet, has intimate business connections, at Saint Louis Mo & Paducah Ky, in addition to which, the Capitalists of our firm, have a house in New York, & doing business under the style of Math Coane & Co, to whom, & by their request, we wish to forward a part of our Books, the object being to enable them & the house at Paducah, the more speedily to settle up the affairs of the house in this city. The business of the firm here, was entirely from the west, viz. Missouri, Illinois, Indiana, Kentucky & Tennessee, and since the suspension of the navigation of the Mississippi River, the houses in New York & Paducah, (with balance sheets from our books before them) have progressed a long way towards settling up each due to, & from us. There being however, still a few long standing accts, for the settlement of which, they prefer having our ledgers, Journals, Cash Books, & statement books. The writer H. H. Bryan, the only member of the firm now in this city, takes this method of asking for such authority, as will enable him to ship the above mentioned Books to Messrs Math Coane & Co New York, Hoping he will be excused for trespassing upon your time, begs leave, to ask an early reply

Very respectfully
Given Watts & Co

Office, No 80 Foydras Street

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Geo. P. Green

Grubbs Lee Feb'y 13^d

Ans

Grubville Franklin Co. Mo.
Feb. 13th 1863

Henry C. Etzler,
Adj. Prov. Marshal
Franklin Co. Mo.

Sir, yours of 7th inst.
consisting of Special Order No. 17
has this day been received. In
reply I have to say that two copies
of the Crisis have been received
at his office for about six weeks
past. I delivered agreeable to address
to Robert Willson & A. W.
Whitson both of Jefferson Co.
though only two miles from this
place. Henceforth they will be
destroyed agreeable to order.

Very respectfully
Geo. B. Green
P. Mo.

New Orleans, Feb 28/63

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Capt. Kellbourn

Civil

About case of the
man Tilly and
Miss (Philomena) Kelleher

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Rec^d J. M. G. O. Mch 26/63

Provost Marshal's Office,

New-Orleans, February 1863.

General:

Having examined Mr. Elleg who was confined some days since by your order. I have the honor to make the following report: He has purchased two Passes from the Custom House of Mr. Philipini Koluha for the respective sums of 50. and 80 Dollars. he received for the above Passes from the parties to whom he sold them the respective sums of 150 and 200 Dollars. he seems to have been entirely innocent in the matter. it being a matter of speculation with him. I have ordered his release from confinement also that of Mr. Philipini Koluha.

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To

Angela Brown
P. M. G. S. S.

Henry B. Brown
W. H. Brown
Proctor Marshal
N. Orleans

A. A. Attocha

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N. O. July 19/63

Wants passers to Havana
for French Consul

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Rec'd J. M. G. O. July 19/63

Headquarters, Department of the Gulf,

New-Orleans, July 19th 1863.

Brig. Gen. James Bowen
P. M. G. D. G.

Sir,

I am directed by Major Genl.
Parks to ask passes for M^r. F. Sabourau
and M^r. Bailiff to go to Havana.

These passes are requested by M^r. Fauconnet
the Actg French Consul. If you will be
kind enough to have them sent to me,
I will inclose them to the Actg Consul.

With Great Respect

Your Obedt Servt

A. A. Hocha.

Of Command Genl's Staff

February 2^d 1863

J. B. Holt.

Report

In matter of H. Cousin
& R. Ferrance

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Office of Provost Marshal General,

DEPARTMENT OF THE GULF,

New Orleans, Feb 7 20 1865

General

In the Matter of the Return of
the Steamer and the Return
of the Papers of the Prisoners
I have to report that the Prisoners
at Louisiana Prisoners
who had been arrested and discharged
are accused of presenting forged papers
some to me as entirely innocent of
any participation in such forgery

Respectfully
Yours
J. B. White

Lexington Feb 6/65

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This is the same man
whose picture Mr. Meade
on his land. They live in
this County and are good
for the count. Poul is in the
Rebel army. I have not
heard of Mr. Meade in the
matter except I think
the news of an example
to those who take the oath
and join the rebels.

As the matter now stands
in this part of the County
the sanctity of an oath
is utterly a mockery and
totally disregarded.

Excuse me for suspecting
to your matters out side of
my own business. I love my
God my country my whole

Country my undivided Country
and to save it I am for
making those who disregard
its authority feel its power
and proportion to punish
its subjects.

W. H. Hill Col.
70th Regt
Va. Inf.

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Office, General Supervisor of Confiscated and Contraband Property,
DEPARTMENT OF THE MISSOURI,

St. Louis, Feb 2^d 1863

Henry Neill

Col 71 Reg E M M,

Sir;

Your letter of the 30th ult, to Lt Col F A Dick, in reference to the bond of John Pool, given at Butler in Bates Co Mo, has been referred by him to this office; & I would state in reference to the same, that we have in this office, a bond of one John A Pool, with E. Spruce Pool & J F Fulkerbon as securities, for the sum of two thousand (2000) dollars. I suppose this is the bond referred to.

Very respectfully

Col B G Harwar

Rich^d A Barrett acting G S C & C P
Department of the Mo

38998 St. Louis 1863

February 2nd 1863

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George R. Todd

In relation to arrest made
by Col. Mobely 35th Regt.
E. M. M. that he has arrested
notoriously loyal men without
cause and asking for return
of money

Head-Quarters 8th Mil. Dist of Mo

Glasgow July 5. 1863.

Respectfully referred to Lt. Col. J. A. Dick
Pro-Marshal Genl. for his information &
investigation, as the arrests were made
by R. C. Hancock apt. Pro Marshal at
Brimmick.

Thos. D. Partholow

Brig. Genl.

Commanding

Recd. L. M. G. Feb. 11. 1863

St. Louis Feb 16,
1863

Reply referred to
J. M. Bennett, Esq.
Mayor of St. Joseph
in report of

J. A. Dick
H. Col. Prov. Mar.
Genl

Office Dist Prov Mar
7th Mil Dist Mo
St Joseph Mo - 19/63

Respectfully returned to
Mr. Genl Dick with the
information that Chester
Co is not in this District
and that apt. Prov Marshal
Hancock is not within
this jurisdiction.

J. W. Pappas
Dist Prov Mar

St Louis Mo Feb 23^d 1862

General.

I failed to find you last night according to appointment
and hence make the case I intended, now in writing.

I hereto attach the letters of two persons who have been the
strongest Union people in Missouri, ready to speak and act about
their sentiments at any time, from the commencement of the rebellion
up to the present time. These letters state simple facts, and
nothing on God's earth but facts. And I wish now
to leave the power, and disposition of the authorities
of Missouri to protect her legal citizens against these
curse arrests, and incarcerations without hearing,
without giving the party or parties any opportunity
to make their cases. In no
wise there is no necessity for this and I for one
am sick of it. In your County you sustain the
civil authorities, and there is no reason why it
should not be done in all others. If the military
authorities can sustain themselves, they can sustain
the civil authorities. And why not do it.

And my Bros are now under arrest simply because
they have no confidence in Post Gov Marshall Hancock,
Moberly, or A. H. Keiser. Whome they and the
people of Charvatan Co. know have been Rebels,
and know are now using their official positions
for the purpose of making money out of the people, and
not for the benefit of the people or ^{the Govt} Govt.

These three men may be sustained by some of their
Confederates, but not by any honest man in
their County. And to permit them to have

Command or Control in The County is
worse than Secession itself. We do not
allow The Govt to endorse Secession but if we
allow secessionists to put The best Union men
under arrest, and not permit them to show
The facts in Their cases, if we deprive Legal
American Citizens of any Sacred Right They
have, ~~and~~ or allow it to be done then The
Govt is responsible, and The people will no under-
stand it.

In The name of God, What can The people think,
What can They expect. if Hancock or Moberly
are permitted to put my Prot under arrest
for disloyalty, when but a little over a
year ago Moberly was Chairman of a Committee
who ordered both of my Prot to leave The State for
being Union men.

I tell you now that there is not a drop of
honest Union blood, not a drop of honest
blood of any kind in The whole composition
of Hancock, Moberly or Keisel, and
unless They are removed, and honest
men put in Their places you will never
pass pass or quiet in Charleston.

I am sure that no man living will go farther
for The Govt than I will, in an honest way, and
since I am sensitive on This subject. I can not look
upon This transaction in any other way, I know
This transaction to be an infamous Outrage and
for This reason I beg you will excuse anything I have
said that may be considered too strong
Carl Barthelow. I am with you to the end.

These Statements
are true

Bransford's Cove 1803

Dear Brother

I write to let you know that Hancock has arrested Joe and Bob and also arrested several Germans but have turned them out again and they keep Joe and Bob in closer confinement than ever now you must see to them immediately and have them out and so they can't get hold of Joe again I hear that they are going to send them to St. Paul's to Morrow so you must see them, Moberly is back again and if he and Hancock is left in office no union man can live here now see to them immediately

I have to send this to Paquette or Allen post office

from Matilda Todd your sister
Bob is tight all his time
was when they arrested them

Brunswick N.J. Jan 23rd 1863
Col G B Goad

Col Proberly has just
arrived here & there has
been a good many arrests
made, all I believe the old
regular men among
others your son Wm Wm
& Bob down what I can learn
they will start of tomorrow
I think a number more has
gone I hope now Col
things has to be changed
here for a previous grant
if all the officers has
to be changed, for the people
of Chatham will change
themselves, your son Wm Wm
& S Harris & myself was the only
out spoken men in this place
eighteen months ago now
Sir I wish you to use your
influence either directly or
indirectly as you may see
proper with the proposed Marshal
Genl of the State to have me
placed as Provost Marshall of
this place

believing that I can do
some good for the union
cause is the only stimulus
that prompts me to ask this
favor at your hands the only
thing Col can satisfy
the people of Charleston Co
is a complete change
in the military officials
this post has never
known such good luck
~~as~~ has been played out
here will Col do all you
can for God sake to save
Charleston Co your
Respectfully yours
Richard D. King

Saint Louis Mo
January 28th 1863

Col. Geo. B. Ford

Complaining of treatment
rec'd by union men at the
hands of Mobely & Hancock

St Louis Mo July 28th 1868

My. Gen Partholon
Glasgow
Mo.

W: G.

I have just rec^d a letter a copy
of which I inclose to you. My Bro^s were arrested
by order of Motberly some weeks ago and were
sent to Gen Vaughn who paroled them and referred
the case to Col Wood Capt Gen^l of State, who released
them to appear at W: G: State Sept here if the Gov
so ordered. I have just come from the Capt Gen^l
office and he says no such order has issued
that Motberly was under arrest and that he has
no knowledge of his release.

My Bros. are guilty of no offense in the world
except knowing that in the reception of this Rebellion
Motberly and Hancock were both secessionists
of the bitter kind and that Motberly was Chairman
of a Committee who ordered them both to leave
the County, ^{& State} for being Union Men, and they my
Bro^s can not now of course have much confidence
in the loyalty of either of these men. In consequence
of their lack of confidence in Motberly they
done what they could to elect Judge Setre

over him ^{notably} to the State Senate. Since
which time they have been most unmercifully pursued
by these men ^{notably} and Hancock

I will stake my life at any time for the loyalty
of my Pro Dr. W. H. Fogg, and am sure that
this all arises from - on his part - a doubt of the
loyalty of Mobley & Hancock.

I hope you will not permit Union Men -
The Strangers in the County - to be crushed out by
military authority that was called into service to
protect them, and will not rely upon the statements
of ~~any~~ even if in command who are to say the least
of doubtful loyalty. They have acted at their post
upon the proposition, that who ever complained
- not of the ~~post~~ - but of any of the Officers ^{of the Post}, was a
secessionist, and you I think if you were to
examine their action you yourself would
complain

I am Dear Sir very obt Servant

Wm. R. Fogg

Late Col to Mobley

P. S. I hope you will see that my Pro and other Union
Men have pushed as speedily as possible, and I think I
can safely rely upon your giving it.

Fogg

Copy

Brussels Mo Army 23rd / 1868

Col Geo R Todd

Col Motley has just arrived home and there has been a good many arrests made, all I believe the old Union men amongst them your Bro Will The Dr + 1301. From what I can learn they will start off tomorrow. I think a Union man has a poor show here now Col things have to be changed here for a Union man to live at all. All the officers have to be changed, or the people of Charriatan will change it themselves. Your Bro Will The Dr, A. S. Newsome and myself were all ~~the Union men~~ the only outspoken ~~men~~ here, eight months ago.

(Here follows a personal matter of the writer.)

~~which I do not copy~~

The only thing, Col, that can satisfy the people of Charriatan Co, is a complete change in the military officers at this Post. Kansas never knew such paylawking as has been played out here. Now Col do all you can for Gods sake to save Charriatan County.

Respectfully Yours
(Signed) Richard H. Maughey.

219. 573. E. D. 1863

Beaufort S.C.

3900

February 23rd 1863.

Mr S. G. Ely

Proprietor "The News"

Requests permission for his wife
daughter & son to land at Beaufort
he being in need of their services

Wm. J. Ely

Beaufort S.C.

Rec. S. G. Ely. Feb. 26th 1863

For file. No
action.

Issue order to the
Protestant man, will
that the house being
a disreputable one,
the scope of debate
any less, shall be
closed the proposition
referred to sent by the
first steamer.

Beaufort S.C. July 23rd 1865

Genl R. Supton

Military Governor & Commandant of the Forces

Sir

The undersigned begs leave to state to your Excellency, that he is proprietor of the "Stroms House" at this Military Post -

That some time in January last he needing the assistance of his wife and Daughter in conducting the Hotel. he wrote for them to take passage at the earliest convenience for Port Royal. That in compliance with such advice they prepared for the voyage leaving New York in the ship Maria - Capt Clark the 14th arriving at Hilton on the 19th inst. ^{my} accompanied by son S. W. Ely of the firm of Ely & Squire of this ^{place} and his wife Mrs. Mary E. Ely - That he is desirous of obtaining a permit if not inconsistent with the public's good to have them land at Beaufort.

The undersigned begs leave further to state that the Ladies nor himself, had any knowledge of orders having been issued prohibiting Ladies from coming to this place till so informed by the Provost Marshall at the Head. or they would not have left home

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And hereby respectfully requests your
Excellency's influence to obtain leave of
Major Genl. Hunter for them to remain
Very Respectfully
Yours Obedt Servant
H. Ely

Under the circumstances I respectfully request
that they be allowed to land and
serve in this place

Benjamin
Jan 23 1863

Richard
Mason

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Citizens

Harvard

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Saint Augustine Florida

Feb^y 23^d 1863.

W. S. Putnam,
Col. Cony's Post.

Sir:

Agreeably to your request I have called upon & examined Mrs. Judge Smith & Mrs. Judge Putnam of this city, with reference to their ability to be removed from this place & put beyond our lines. - & I herewith give my opinion that both these ladies - Mrs. Smith, by reason of the common infirmities of age. - Mrs. Putnam by reason of temporary illness. - are not able, at this date, to be placed beyond our lines at this place.

I am, Colonel,

Respectfully

Your Obedt Servant

W. Boynton

Asst Surgeon

7th N. H. V.

St Augustine Fla.

January 31, 1863

This certifies that I have this day
visited Mrs. Smith, widow of the late Col.
and Judge Smith of this city, and find
her not only suffering from the infirmities
of age, being 77 years of ~~age~~ ~~old~~ ~~and~~ ~~frail~~
and severely afflicted with Rheumatism,

In my opinion it would greatly en-
danger her life to be obliged to leave her
home at this time.

W. H. Brown

Surgeon 7th A. I. V. S.

Having been the Attending Physician of Mrs. Judge Smith for the last 18 years, I hereby certify that she is in an extremely feeble condition - being 99 years of age. - In addition to the ordinary infirmities of advanced life, she is now suffering from severe Rheumatic affection of the right shoulder & knee joints, for which I have been several weeks in attendance. - She is suffering also from Protrusion Uteri attended with great Irritation of the Bladder - and in my opinion is not in a fit condition to be subjected to the exposure of travelling, and as her Medical Attendant must strongly remonstrate against it.

J. E. Peck M.D.

St. Augustine, February 22, 1863.

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547 P 2390263
St Augustine Fla Feb 22nd 1863

Putnam H S

Col bonds Post

Enclosing report of Dr Boynton
on the case of certain ladies
v. St Augustine imp't & amount

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on file

Rapped In 1861 Feb 27 1863

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For file. no action.

C. H. A.

C. H. A.

[Faint, illegible handwritten text]

Head Quarters, St. Augustine, Florida
Feb 22nd 1862

Colonel

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of a letter from Head Quarters, Dept. of the South, dated Feb 13th 1862, directing me to send certain persons named therein over the lines, and also calling upon to explain why Judge Putnam was allowed to visit this city, and also why one R. B. Canova was allowed to leave.

On the 4th day of October last I applied to Major Gen. Mitchell, then commanding the Department of the South, for instructions relative to certain disloyal persons who wished to go within the rebel lines. - My communication was returned with the following endorsement

"These persons will be allowed to leave St
Augustine as the commanding officer may direct"
(Signed) "O. M. Mitchell"
Maj. Gen.

Under this order Canova, and a number of others were permitted to leave.

Judge Putnam came to the lines on the 11th of

December representing that he wished to relieve the pecuniary wants of his family. It was understood that unless so relieved, his family would soon be compelled to call upon the United States for subsistence.

He was accordingly conducted to his house by a guard, and permitted to remain from 10. M. that day until 8. A.M. the day following, he first subscribing to the following Parole.

I pledge my word of honor to observe faithfully the following conditions if permitted to enter the town of St. Augustine

1st That while in St. Augustine I will confine myself wholly to my house, and the grounds adjoining

2nd That while in St. Augustine I will hold no communication with any but my own family

3rd That no information that could in any way operate to the prejudice of the United States shall be by me conveyed hence

(Signed) Benj. A. Putnam

I had the best reason for believing that the parole would be kept, nor have I since any cause to think that it has been violated.

The families of Mrs Gould, and of R. B. Canora have been put beyond the lines - Mr Quincy and son have been sent to Hilton Head as

directed in the order.

I beg leave to call the attention of the Major Gen. Commanding to the enclosed Certificate of Surgeon Brown, Assist Surgeon Boynton of the 7th N. H. Volt (the latter the Commissioner appointed by Special Order No 80) and the attending physician Dr Peck, in reference to two rebel ladies of this place which have guided me in my action in their case. The Doctors report that Mrs Judge Putnam will probably in a few days be in a condition to be removed.

I have the honor to be Colonel

Very Respectfully

Yours off duty
J. S. Putnam

Col 7th N. H. Volt
Commandy Post

L Col. Chas. G. Halpine
Ass Adj. Gen 10th Army Corps
Dept of the South

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Card of V. J. Johnson
Borrowed by
No. 534

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New York Feb 25th 1863

My Genl Court

Dear Sir I have
concluded to appeal to you for justice
with my friend Tharmond & Byrum I will
make my attorney Short & earned, I was
arrested March 27th 1862 required to take
the oath & give bond which I did
and frankly say that I have not
violated the same neither by word
or deed. And the 26th Day of August 1862
I was arrested again without any charge
as before I demanded the charges &
a trial got none, was sent to prison
at St Charles where I remained for
two months was unconditionally ^{Released}
no charges preferred against me.
I went home & remained there and
two months was re-arrested, called
for the charges but no and could
give me any satisfaction I was
next banished from the State.
I gave my bond & taken the oath
with the promise that I & my property
~~should~~ be protected, all I want is
justice as to reforms I can't refer

you to many gentlemen in St Louis as
I am unacquainted them.

Mr L. W. Perry Esq. A. Hammond & Hamman &
Kansan & Cooley & Jones and all ^{the} gentlemen
acquainted with me & have personally
known me for twenty years. I appeal to
you General for justice as it
quite hard on a poor man to
beard as helpless family as I have

Yours Respectfully

J. W. Peters

Enclosure

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You will address me
Care of S. J. Johnson
Broadway N.Y.
No 334

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February 1863

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William H. P. Thompson
witness against
John D. Mulky

William H. P. Thompson states that in the month of February 1863 he was ordered to arrest John D. Mulky for stealing and when John D. Mulky was overtaken he (Mulky) was found on one of Benjamin Walls' horses - a yellow horse - ~~and~~ John D. Mulky also had in his possession one double barrel shot gun the property of Richard Scrings all this when overtaken by the party ordered to arrest him (Mulky)

Note - Walls proved his horse and took him (the horse) from Mulky

Note - Richard Scrings proved his gun and took it from Mulky.

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~~Ally 23~~

Charges & Specifications
against

J. S. Hudsonell, G. N. Hudsonell
Alfred Moore & for R. Williams
H-23, 3 div, 14a, C.

City

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Charges and Specifications against
J. S. Adnall, G. M. Adnall, Alfred
Havre and Joseph R. Williams

Charge
attempts to ~~entice~~ ^{entice & encourage}
~~entice~~ soldiers of the United States
voluntarily to desert the service

Specification

It is that the said J. S. Adnall
G. M. Adnall Alfred Havre and
Joseph R. Williams in the ^{presence} of
citizens and within the lines of
the army stationed at Memphis
Tennessee, entice and encourage
private Andrew J. Baulton, Frederick
Cain Co "B" 25th Inf. Ill. to
desert the service of the United States
by offering them large ~~sums~~
~~to~~ to guide them safely
beyond the lines of the army
and to secure ^{for} them a parole, which
would be worthless to them except
to satisfy their friends at home that
they were prisoners of war, ~~and to~~
~~procure~~ of the

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Specification 2

In this that the said J. S. Heddall
& M. Heddall, Alfred Moore &
Joseph Williams, within the lines
as aforementioned offer and
agree to pay the said private
Cartton & Co. of C^o B^o as aforesaid
a large sum of money to wit the
sum of fifteen dollars for each
for their muskets, and Twenty-
five dollars apiece for Revolvers
and a "good price" for horses
and mules if they would steal
them from the ^{officers} ~~officers~~ ^{and} convey them ~~to~~ ^{to} ~~them~~ ^{such}
article J. M. Curran, Capt. C. S. A.
at Pulla Lee Farm, for the use
of the Confederate States Army

Testimony of

And J. Cutton

vs 3

J. S. Haral & others

Pat. S. Kudrual

G. M. Kudrual

^{Woff}
The Prisoner and he would set us a crop
and conduct us to J. N. Currier who would
take our guns horses & and pay us for
them and then take us to Col. Richards
who would Parole us and give us a
pass to Randolph they told us we had
better go back to Camp and get our guns
and steal our Captains revolvers and
steal a horse a piece and they would
give us fifteen Dollars a piece for our
Muskets twenty five Dollars a piece for
the revolvers and give a good price for
the horses to which we agreed and they
would meet us at that house at eight
o'clock if we would be sure and come
Tom Currier ^{one of the party} spoke to us and said to be
sure and say nothing or do nothing that
would hurt the man that lived in that
House Marshall for he would not have
him injured for anything I was present
when the arrest was made and know
that the men named in the Caption
were ~~in~~ in the party when the above
took place One of the parties Tom Currier
said he was a Confederate Soldier and had
a brother a Captain at Rolla when we
returned in the Evening they appeared very
glad and shook hands with us and
said Boys you are as good as your
word.

Corp Warren Palmer Cott 20th Ill }
Private Oscar Milkman " " " } Witnesses
Fredrick Leque Co B 20th Ill }

Sworn and subscribed to John W. Regley
before me this 14th Feb 1863 Capt & C of Police

Hadwell

Care of J S Hadwell G. O. Hadwell
Alfred Moore & Joseph R Williams
Arrested by Capt E Richards 20th Regt Ill
Vol Near Memphis Feb 13th 1863
Charged with enticing Soldiers to desert
and persuading Soldiers to Steal horses
arms &c

Statement of Carlton being duly
sworn Says I am a Private in Company
B 20th Ill Volunteers I was on my way
on the 13th of this month Feb to see a
friend of mine about a mile and a
quarter North of our Camp on Camp
with Frederick ~~Henry~~ ^{Con} who belongs to the
same Company I do, when we came
near a house that stands near the
Rail Road quite a number of men
I think from eight to twelve came out
and met us and asked us if we
belonged to the 56th Regt and said they
was looking for some friends that belonged
to that Regiment G. O. Hadwell one of
the above named parties said he had a
distant relation in that Regiment I took
the parties to be guerillas they asked
us where we was going we answered
we were knocking around they then said
Bang you are going to desert I hesitated
when one of the party said honest (Argin)
you are going to desert we answered
we are they all spoke out Bully for
you you are all right they then told
us the road to go to Rolla seven miles
distant and call on a man by the name
of Hoelge who lives on the Bank of

^{my}
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sure and say nothing or do nothing that
would hurt the man that lived in that
House Marshall for he would not have
him injured for anything I was present
when the arrest was made and know
that the men named in the Caption
were ~~in~~ in the party when the above
took place One of the parties Tom Currier
said he was a Confederate Soldier and had
a brother a Captain at Balla when we
returned in the Evening they appeared very
glad and shook hands with us and
said Boys you are as good as your
word.

Corp Warren Palmer Cott 20th Ill }
Private Oscar Milkman " " " } Witnesses
Friedrich Loren Co B 20th Ill }

Sworn and Subscribed to John W. Regby
before me this 14th Feb 1863 Capt & C of Police

R. 52 Civil 1863
3906
Fort Jackson
February 27 1863

H. Rust Jr
Col Army Post

Forwards Papers
of Mr Fiddow, be
ing charges against
Geo. Coppell Act. Brit.
-ish Consul.

The enclosed shows
my opinion
States

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H. Rust Jr
Col Comdg Post

Forwards papers
of Mr Lindess, be-
ing charges against
Geo. Coppell Act. Brit-
ish Consul.

The enclosed charges against William P
in my opinion be referred to the
States

Headquarters Fort Jackson 27 Feb 1863
Henry Rust Jr Col Comdg
Enclosing charges agt Mr Lindess
actg consul, Geo Coppell, by
James Lindess - this letter

These charges are
respectfully forwarded
to the District Attorney
believing that he
is the proper officer
to act in the case -
if action be required.

J. W. Sherman
B. S. C.

Head the attes dept. of War
P. Before the Court
May 30 1863
Respectfully referred to Genl. Bowen
who will take the evidence in the case
By comd of Major Genl. [Name]
H. Rust Jr

Head Quarters Fort Jackson
La. Feb 27th 1863

Capt W Hoffman
Adjutant General of New Orleans.

Sir

I have the honor herewith to enclose certain papers from a prisoner at this post to Genl Sherman, as suggested by the Genl when here, that I should do, in case such papers were presented.

Very Respectfully
Your Obedt Servt

Henry Russell Jr.
Col 3rd Me Regt U.S.A.
Comd'g

P. M. G. 1861

Take the Evidence in
the case

N. P. B.

as Agents for the sale of these newly-printed
Lorell Certificates of Nationality to all
such as could or would pay the sum
of \$5 - without regard to Color, Creed
or Country, (which excepted.)
Note - One of these Agents in Memphis
was the member of Distribution

(First) - With violating Her Britannic Majesty's Proclamation of May 13. 1861, in various ways; and with allowing his private feelings to interfere with his public duties as Acting British Consul at New Orleans. amongst which may be enumerated the following. -

(Secondly) With Granting Provisional Registers to Sailing & Steam Vessels for the purpose of Running the Blockade. -

(Third) Issuing Passports & Certificates of Nationality to well known American Citizens -

(Fourth) Accomodating as many as 344 individuals with 344 Passports & Certificates of Nationality each to aid in Contraband Trade, & to enable the holders to prosecute claims against the United States Government, and for other purposes. -

With not always registering said superfluous -
Passports & Certificates in the Consulate -

(Fifth)

With registering the property of foreigners,
as belonging to British Subjects, so that
the quasi Owners can hereafter seek
reclamation from the "stronger side".

(Sixth)

Certifying (under the seals of the Consulate)
to the sales of Ships & Produce from -
American Citizens to British Subjects
before & after the occupation of New Orleans
by the Federal forces in April last, to
escape the consequences of their rebellious
Acts. -

(Seventh)

Taking under the protection of the British
Flag the property of American Citizens holding
prominent positions in New Orleans to
prevent confiscation of said property by
the U.S. Authorities.

(Eighth)

With shipping Cotton Seed to Havana,
during the existence of a blockade by -
order of a High Neutral!!! official -

(Ninth)

(Tenth) With erasing from the printed public forms of the Consulate the words "United States" as obnoxious to the Rebel Authorities, and in accordance with a request from General Lovell to that effect —

(Eleventh) With making up Mail Bags in the Consulate for the purpose of running the Blockade, & Crossing the Lines. Charging Duns varying in Amounts from \$1. to \$8. for each letter; dividing the Money so received with the Custodian of the Bag, & making him in many cases bearer of despatches to either — Lord Lyons or Carl Russell (irrespective of nationality) —

(Twelfth) With having a quantity of Consular forms printed to suit the views of the Rebel Authorities, omitting the rather essential words "United States" —

(Thirteenth) With indiscriminately recognizing self-styled Confederate Justices of the Peace as

17. 4. 1862

Wm. Mc. G. Stevenson

Re Case

N. P. D.

as Agents for the sale of these newly-printed
Lovell Certificates of Nationality to all
such as could or would pay the sum
of \$5 - without regard to Color, Creed
or Country, (Irish excepted) -

Note - One of these Agents in Memphis
was the means of distributing
over 600 (Six Hundred) of these -
Certificates remitting the half
of the \$5 - in advance -

With zealously neglecting the interests of - (Nineteenth)
British Subjects generally, & aiding & assisting
the Rebel Cause, in word & deed, & allowing himself as Act Consul
& the Consulate Office to be made the medium
of communication between Jeff Davis &
his Sympathizers in New Orleans,
with committing other inconsistent
acts equally injurious to the interests
of his own Government, that of the
United States, & of the so-called
Confederate States -

James Lindop

Port Jackson La. 27th 1863.

Sir
Referring to my interview with
you on the 9th Inst. I have now the
honour to enclose a few statements of
facts, or rather charges which it is my
intention to bring against Mr George
Coppell the Acting British Consul in
New Orleans -

At present it is
unnecessary to say more than that I can
substantiate each and every one of the
charges in every particular. -

I am Sir,
Your most obed^t serv^t
James Lindop

Brig^{de} General Sherman
to
New Orleans

Approved by Lt. Col. C. C. Berry
in strict confidence -

St. Bernard 3907 July 16/63.

Capt. S. W. Sawyer P.M.

Transmits list of Planters
and Plantations in his District.
Thinks all the planters are
willing to sign agreement
proposed by sequestration
Commission -

One Enclosure -

Cts

2. 11
Rec'd S. W. Sawyer P.M. 9. off. July 16/63.

Protest-Marshal's Office
Parish of St. Bernard Feb 18th 1863

Gen. James Bonnet

Protest-Marshal Genl. Department of the Gulf

Genl.

Please find my report of Planters in the Parish of St. Bernard and Plaquemine, left Bank of the river, enclosed. I will send you in a few days a report of the Planters Right Bank of the river. I think all the Planters are willing to sign the agreement of the Sequestration Commission.

I have the honor to be Very
Respectfully Yours Obedt. Servt

J. W. Sawyer

Protest-Marshal

Enclosure

Capt. Sawyer letter

Feb 16/63.

N. Wedderstrandts, Harleau Plantation, Loyal Citizen,
originally 130. Hands. about 30. have left.

M. A. Lesseppe. Monsecure Plantation Loyal Citizen
originally 110. Hands. about 23 have left

Burbridge H. Verion Plantation. Loyal Citizen
originally 32. Hands. 13 have left

M^{rs} R. Robinson. Fanny Plantation, Loyal Citizen.
originally 134. Hands. 13. have left.

M^{rs} C. Berthoud Woodlawn Plantation. Loyal Citizen
originally 72. Hands. 5. hands have left.

M^{rs} W. Verbric Greenwood³ Plantation, Loyal Citizen
originally 63. Hands. 35. have left.

M^{rs} A. Reggie. Promised Land Plantation Loyal Citizen
originally 154. Hands. 17. have left

Mr. A. Grant,
M^{rs} Sackmoods Scandale Plantation Loyal Citizen
originally 135. Hands. 29. have left.

M^{rs} Lesseppe. Monplaine Plantation Loyal Citizen
originally 75. Hands. about 20. have left

Mr. George Gurr.	St. Clare Plantation	Loyal Citizens
originally 130 Hands	all at home	
Mr. Geo. W. Morgan	Orange Grove Plantation	
originally 130 Hands.	33 have left.	
Cofield & David.	Joyden's Plantation	Loyal Citizens
originally 240 Hands	30 have left	
Pro. M. Ducrois.	Reunion Plantation	Loyal Citizens
originally 67 Hands.	24 have left	
D ^r . St. J. B. Merritt	Oak Lawn Plantation	Loyal Citizens
originally 150 Hands	40 have left	
D ^r . F. H. Krapp	Krapp's Refuge Plantation	Loyal Citizens
originally 50 Hands.	all at Home.	
Col. Story	Story's Plantation	Loyal Citizens
originally 110 Hands.	20 have left.	
A. M. Walker	Myrtle Grove Plantation	Loyal Citizens
originally 74 Hands	3 have left	
Mr. G. Villier Estate		
originally 90 Hands.	33 have left.	

S. Bernard 3905 Feb 27th 1863

Capt. G. W. Sawyer

Reports finding Dr Fox's piano
in C. A. Weed's house -

3.
Rec'd J. P. M. S. office Feb 28/63

Provost Marshal Office

27 February 1863

Brig Genl James Bowen

Provost Marshal Genl,

Sir

after leaving your office

to day I learned where that Piano of Dr
Boys was. I informed the Quarter Master
where it was he issued an order for it
it was found in C. A. Woods House on
Lafayette Street

Very Respect Yr obt Servt

J. S. Sanger

Provost Marshal

J. S. Sanger

Copy

3909

Affidavit of

Mrs. C. D. Monroe

February 2nd 1863, Citi.

Original transmitted to
George B. Lammont Esq
Prosecuting Atty of
the Provisional Court

1 Enclosure -
copies of List of
G. C. - Vol 3

Respectfully referred
to Lieutenant de
Du Jon as she is
connected with the
transactions mentioned
herein —

By Order of
James Bevan
Prov. Gen. & P. M. G.
J. B. Hart
Secy.

Copy

Mrs C. D. Moncreux sworn says that she is the owner of a sugar plantation & slaves, in the parish of Plaquemine, State of Louisiana, left Bank descending, about twenty-nine miles from this city.

That J. A. Whalen owes her an open ac^t of \$1,476⁰⁰/₁₀₀ which is approved by his agent & which he declines to pay though amicably thereto requested both by Affiant & her counsel, Durant & Worner

That Affiant detained in her possession to secure the payment of the said approved bill about 17 ~~th~~ sugar, and some molasses, the portion of the crop of said plantation sold to said Whalen but not yet delivered, and which was detained by Affiant on the suggestion of her overseer, who transacted the business with Whalen

That on Saturday morning about Ten O'Clock A. M. whilst Affiant was in peaceable charge of her said plantation & slaves, a Jersey-wagon containing four soldiers, two buggies one with Mr Bondon & another man in it; and one with Whalen & Lieutenant Lee in it, drove up to her house, followed by four or five Cane-wagons. Whalen & Lieutenant Lee got out of their buggy and came up to the door of Affiant's house, and demanded the keys of Affiant's sugar house, and Whalen then & there said that he came to force Affiant to give his sugar, Affiant then asked Lieutenant Lee by what right he came there, and his reply was that he came there because he wanted to, Affiant told the Lieutenant that she would go up to town, and ask protection of General Banks. The

The Lieutenant replied that he would do the same thing if General Banks was there, there-upon under the duress of the Lieutenant & his armed soldiers, Affiant was compelled to give up the key of her sugar-house to Whalin, who thereupon took & carried away from the plantation the 17 Mds sugar (or about) aforesaid & carted them to Mme Verbois's landing where they were put on board of Schooner Desire & are now on the way to the city.

And further deponent saith not }
Sworn to & subscribed before me } (Signed)
this 2^d February 1863 } Caroline D. Monroe

John A. Hitchcock
2^d J. P.

James W. Patchford sworn, deposes & says that all the facts in the foregoing affidavit of Mrs Monroe are true, and within his personal knowledge.

Sworn to & subscribed before me }
this 2^d February 1863 } (Signed)
John A. Hitchcock } Jas W. Patchford
2^d J. P.

New Orleans, N.Y. July 8th 1863.

Sicut Non A. See
9th Conn. Vols.

Accounts for visiting
Mrs Moncure's plantation.

1 Enclosure.

It is respectfully
recommended that no
further proceedings be
taken against Lt
See - G. B. State Arch. V.

L. 7.
Rec^d P. M. G. office July 9/63

Rampart & Bienville Streets,
New Orleans, 8th Feb'y 1863.

Brig "Genl" James Bowen
Provost Marshal General,

Sir,

Yours of the 5th instant, I have just now received, ordering me to report to you, Concerning by what authority I with a file of men, visited certain plantations in the parish of Plaquemine, for the purpose of taking forcible possession of Sugars, — I received an order from Captain S. M. Sawyer, Provost Marshal, of St. Bernard & Plaquemine (a copy of which I enclose) ordering me to arrest one John W. Walker, on Madam Verbois plantation in Plaquemine, who had as it was stated to the Provost Marshal, threatened the life of M. James Condon one of the parties who are taking the crop from off Madam Verbois plantation, — When I arrived at the plantation Walker had crossed the Mississippi river, and no person in the neighbourhood knew as to the whereabouts of him. I was then about to return to St. Bernard when

Mr J. A. Whalen, partner with Mr James Condon
invited me to take a ride in his Buggy to the
Plantation of Madam Moniere, and afterwards he would
send me in his Conveyance to St. Bernard, I don't do
but as to taking forcible possession of Sugar, or
Molasses, or in any way seizing any kind of Goods
I most positively say I did not do, and can
at any moment bring both Mr James Condon and
Mr. J. A. Whalen to prove to these facts. When I came
to the Plantation of Madam Moniere, she asked
me what my business was there, I informed her
that I came down from Madam Verbois plantation
with Mr Whalen merely for a ride, her only seeming
reply to my answer, was to laugh at it. This is
all I can state as regards my visit to Plaquemine.
I am Sir, Very respectfully

Your Obedt Servant
William A. Lee.
Lieut. "C" "9th "Com Vols."

New Orleans Feb 4/63.

C. K. Hawkes RUS
Pro Marshall

Says he cannot hold
the sugar on Scht.
Desire belonging to
Mrs Moncreu—

H. 5.

Rec^d P. M. O. Feb 4/63

United States Provisional Court,

FOR THE STATE OF LOUISIANA.

New Orleans, Feb 4th 1863.

James Bowen, Brig General
P. M. S. -

Your favour of the 3rd and 4th are received.

As there has not been any order issued by this Court, or such command, in favour of Mrs Moresue, I cannot hold the (16) fifteen Hogs Supp marked W. D. S. and on board the schooner Desir

Yours Respectfully

J. M. Walker
Dep U.S. Post Marshal

Enclosure

I. 7

Letter No^o 6. See

Copy of order,

Parish St. Bernard Le^e

29th January 1863.

Lieut. Lee.

You are hereby ordered to arrest John W. Walker on Madam Verbris Plantation, and place him in confinement at the Custom House.

S. W. Sawyer, Capt.
Provost Marshal

Witness.

J. A. Whalen

James London.

Office of the Postmaster
 No. 744 10. 1863

Reference to Cape
 Cape Kribban

For New N. O.
 with provisions in
 charge -

Wm. H. Kribban
 Capt. U. S. A.

Capt. T. E. Davis to
Capt. O. W. Stillborn in
relation to military
wounded prisoners.

Feb: 11th 1863

Permit Camp Feb 11 1863

To Lieut Dwyer

Provost Marshall Genl

New Orleans La

Sir

I have the honor of
sending to your head Quarters the following list of prisoners
arrested by our Packets at Fernier Station Capt O. W. Frank
Comdy

Henry Voth from Summit Grap

Conrad Palmer Wife and two children

John Smith

Anton Plastine discharged Rebel soldier

Frank Baller from Madisonville

carries money

Joseph Gruber from Clinton La. has a belt around him with gold and

Miss Vetcher and child } have husbands in N.O

Miss Price

Very Respectfully

Your Obedt Servt

Chas A Davis Capt

1st Lt Provost Marshal

Papers of Charles ³⁹⁴¹

~~relation to the~~

~~Johnson Monument~~

Parch S. B. Bernard Feb. 1900

Chas. L. M.
Pro. Mar.

Concerning the "John
Monument" property
between

The man was ordered to vacate the
Premises by order of Col E. B. Holabird

St Bernard th 19 Feby 1863
Col SB Holabird Chief QM

Sir

I find a man in possession of the Govt Property at the Jackson Monument who claims to have leased it from you. I have notified him he must leave unless he can show me the lease. A man by the name of Octave Bartrelle has been keeper for about six years he was compelled to vacate it for the use of a Hospital after it was vacated by the Surgeon the present occupant took possession and holds it. if I do not hear from you or he does not show me the lease I will put him out.

I remain your Obedt Servt
J W Sawyer
Provost Marshall
St Bernard

Parish of St Bernard

April 4th 1864

To Lieutenant Daily Provost Marshall
of St Bernard Parish.

Dear Sir

Desirous to identify myself as the guardian of the Jackson monument and ground attached to it, to show my claims why I should have possession of it, and to falsify the reports and slanders which are heaped upon me by certain fellows whom I know not I shall proceed to do it.

Duly elected on the 17th of January 1856 by the directors of the association, guardian of the Jackson monument and ground attached to it I have held the situation up to this date. The trust which was confided to my care was accompanied by certain conditions as you shall see in the resolutions adopted by the association at the sitting of the 17th of January 1856. According to the resolutions I am to hold the situation during the pleasure of the board it being understood that I shall protect the property of the state of Louisiana from all injury. Such were the conditions and I have fulfilled them with honesty and probity although some individuals pretend that I have not. I do not know them, but I am desirous that they should make themselves known that I may prove to them by the testimony of the most creditable gentlemen of the Parish that I have at all times and in all manners protected said property of the state of Louisiana as much as it was in my power. In the month of June of July 1862 one day whilst at home I perceived a company of Federal Cavalry enter the lane and proceed towards the monument. I immediately followed them to see what they were about. They said that they had been sent to take away the money which was supposed to be hid in the monument. I remonstrated to them, told them that I was the guardian of the monument and that there was no money concealed there.

They would not listen to me and took off one of the floor stones to see whether they could not discover anything. Convinced that there was nothing hid in the monument they left without doing any injury to the monument. Such is the fact but perhaps some persons either through ignorance or malice may exaggerate the fact and make a great deal about nothing. There were committed on the place two injuries I acknowledge the fact but I shall also proceed at the same time to show you that in one case it was totally out of my power to prevent it and in the other no endeavours were spared to stop the evil.

On the last days of January and in the month of February 1863 among the Soldiers who camped at Camp Chalmette there were many sick. As in the Chalmette plains they had no shelter and were exposed to the inclemencies of the weather the officers of said soldiers took possession of the Government house and converted it into a military hospital. Whilst there they tore down a part of the fences and broke the locks of the house. The military authority having taken the house for a military purpose it was not expected, could not be that I should be responsible for whatever acts committed on the place whilst in their possession.

Immediately after their withdrawal I fastened the doors so as not to leave the house open and repaired the fences which I had previously put up at my own expence. A certain individual then took possession of the house. I went to Captain Sawyers Provost Marshall of the Parish and exposed to him the fact.

The individual was ordered to leave the premises by order of Col. Holabird as he had no right to have the place I being the legal guardian and occupant.

Later it came to my knowledge that there were some wood-choppers on the Government land. I again called upon Captain Sawyers who had them arrested. Could I do more? I could not take the laws in my own hands. I was to appeal to the authorities to have the evil-doers

arrested. That I have done and by thus doing I have fulfilled the conditions understood between the board of the association and myself. (Allow me here to state that there are some wood choppers now on the place, some chopping and others hauling out wood already chopped.)

On the 9th of March 1864 a man by the name of Charles Nolan presented himself to my house and showed me an order signed by Captain Stanford entitling him to the possession of the house and land of which I am the guardian. Said order not being addressed to me, and having received no notification I without delay started to see Captain Stanford to have if possible an explanation of what had occurred. Having shown him the papers which constituted me guardian of the place, and a letter of Captain Sawyer's counter-signed by Col Holabird confirming my title of guardian he told me to continue my daily pursuits, promising me to call at my house himself in a day or two to give me an answer. This Captain Stanford has either forgotten or neglected to do. On Sunday the 27th when I returned from the convent to my house I found the house of the Government burst open and many effects of a Mr Nolan on the gallery he himself not being there having gone to get another load. I went to the picket and asked the commanding officer (a sergeant the lieutenant being absent) to give me protection. When Mr Nolan passed the pickets two soldiers accompanied him and required the order by which he was entitled to take possession of the house. He exhibited the order dated March 8th and as I had no counter order the Provost Marshall having neglected to call at my house to give me an answer I was compelled to submit to Mr Nolan's taking possession of the place. I went to Captain Stanford's office but he was absent, I returned but he was again absent and it was then that I had the honor to see you newly appointed Provost Marshall.

I had never been notified that I was to vacate the place & at the very moment when nine tenths of the field is ploughed and a part of it planted am I to see my own work lost without any reason? Had I not fulfilled my engagements I might understand it but such is not the case. I am ready at any moment to prove what I assert and to corroborate my assertions by the testimony of the most creditable gentlemen of the Parish. But even sir admitting that any one else could claim the right which I claim is it just that I should not be duly notified of it? that I should abandon my crop when a part of it is already raised? Certain that you shall view the circumstances with an impartial eye and that you shall decide according to the dictates of justice.

I have the honour
to remain your obedient servant

I solemnly swear that the
above stated facts are true.

Octave Cantrell

Jackson Monument Association
Sitting of Thursday 17th January 1856

Resolved

That the offer of Octave Candelle to be
keeper of the Jackson Monument to be erected on
the battle ground, be accepted by the commissioners.
Said applicant to hold this situation during the
pleasure of the board, it being understood that he
shall protect the property of the state of Louisiana
from all injury, keep the fences in proper order,
and render every facility to the contractors for
the erection of the Monument, in the prosecution
of their work.

I certify the foregoing to be a true &
correct extract from the minutes.

J. Hayliger
Secretary.

New Orleans 19 January 1856.

No. 3
3912 Asst Troop Marshal
Waynesville Mo
February 20th 1863

Recd
Reas. J. M. Lieut &
Asst Troop Marshal.

File

Writes Col. B. G. Farrar
that his of the 16th is recd
furnished the names of
Robert Hodgins & Hugh Wilson
to be appointed as members of
the Military Commission.
Wishes to receive instructions
as to their duties &c.

C. G. S. L. & L. P.
February 24th 1863.

Recd. C. G. S. L. & L. P.
February 24th 1863.

Office of Asst Provost Marshal
Waynesville Mo Feb 20th 1863

Col. B. G. Harner

Sir

Yours of Feb 16th is before
me and in response I forward the names of Peter
Hudgens & Hugh Mc Corm Tays. On the reception
of this I presume you will forward the necessary docu-
ments to enable us to carry out your order I am

Sir

Very Respectfully Yours
Joseph M Reed
Asst Provost Marshal

No. 4.
3913

Edina Mo. Feb 24. 1863.

Wilson E. P.
Troost Marshal.

On file

Writes Col. B. G. Farrar
that his of the 16th inst
is received. furnishes
the names of John Prague
and Tobias S. Ryan as
worthy men to be appointed
as members of the Military
Commission. It would
be very difficult to
determine who had
violated their Bonds as
the Rebel Gen. Porter when
at Palmyra destroyed
all papers of that character
that he could find.

B. G. Farrar
Colonel

Recd. O. G. S. to. 10. 10. 10.
March 3. 1863

Edina Mo Feb 27-1863

Cole Fenner

Gen S C & C Property

St Louis Mo.

Dear Sir - Yours of
the 16th inst. is at hand - asking me to
name two sound Union Men of this County
to be associated with me in a Commission
for certain purposes -

I can name two persons
who I think qualified to aid in making
the necessary investigations they are John
Poague and Tobias J. Lyman -

There will be considerable
difficulty in determining who have given
& violated the conditions of their bonds as
I understand that Porter when in Palmyra
last fall destroyed all the papers of
that character he found in the office
of the Provost Marshall -

Yours Very Respectfully

E. V. Wilson

Provost Marshall K Co Mo

Asst Prov Mar Office
Barrille No Feb 27 1863

Dearis A. S.
Asst Provst Mar.

Writes Col B. G. Ferran
that in compliance
with his orders he
had selected as
his assistants in
the Military Commission
of Cooper Col
Henry Elliott and
Anthony Walker
would be in St. Louis
in a short time if
possible and would
call on and see him

On file

Rec'd O. S. S. Co. & Co. P.
Feb 18th 1863.

C. L. P. P. Marshall's office Feb 9th 1863

Boonville Mo

Col B G Turner

Superintendent of Col

C Property Department of the Army

Dear Sir

In compliance with your order I have
chosen Henry Elliott & Anthony Walker
my assistants to ascertain what bonds
are forfeited & what property confiscated
or liable to confiscation in Cooper's case
I will be pleased to carry out any order
you may make in regard to the matter
I will be in St. Louis shortly if possible
will call at your office

Yours respectfully
C. L. P. Reavis

C. L. P. P. Boonville Mo

No. 1.

3915

Headquarters
Asst. Prov. Mar. Office
Troy Mo. Feb 14th 1863.

Recd. J. M. Sient
and Prov. Mar. Lincoln
County Mo.

Recommends to
Col. B. G. Farrow
Judge Solomon R
Moxley and Maj
A. L. Marsh. who
will sit as Commissioners
for Lincoln Co

2070000

[Signature]

Recd. O. S. S. Co. G. Co. D.
Feb 15th 1863.

Head Quarters
Asst Provost Marshal's Office
Tooy mo. July 14. 1863.

Col

I have the honor to recommend to
You Judge Solomon R. Mosley and Maj A. C. Maesh
who will sit as Commissioners for Lincoln County.

I am, Col

Very Respectfully

Your obt Servant

J. W. Reeds Supt &
Prov Marshal Lincoln Co

To
Col B G Farrar }
St Louis }
Mo }

Office ^{No. 39} Torr Mar 3918

Warrensburg Mo Feb. 12th 1862

~~Cite~~
Moore, D. G. 1st Lieut
And Provost Marshal

Notes

Writes Col. B. G. Farrar
that he had turned the
Sumner and Logan prop-
erty over to an Agent of the U.S.
Marshal there being
an attachment against
them before him in
favor of the Union Bank
he had an order from Genl
Boan to take charge of
the the property he had
advertised for sale leaving
horses in his possession
but an order from Genl. Doan
prevented the sale he
also rec^d an order from
Genl. Boan directing him
to turn over to the Q. M.
of the 4th Regt. Cav. Mo. S. M.
all leav^g property in his
possession, also ordered
him to inform him by
whose authority he
assumed control of leav^g

property for he had
written to the Genl and
enclosed copies of orders
rec^d from him. The
P. M. of the 1st Regt leav^d
No. 8. No. had been at
Jeff^s City - for the purpose
of getting an order on him
for the proceeds of sale of
Court^d Stock. to appropriate
for paying his extra duty
money. Thinks that might
have actuated Genl. Soars
in issuing the order.
Hopes the difficulty would
soon be settled.

He has 29 Horses as
they are to be paid off
in a few days. thinks
that said Horses would
then bring a fair price

Rec^d O. S. S. Co. & Co. T.
Feb 18th 1863.

Office Provost Marshal Warrnsburg
Feb 12th 1863

Sir the Name ^{and} Logan
Property was by me the other day turned
over to an agent of the US Marshal
as there was an attachment against them
before him in favor of the Union Bank ^{and}
he had an order from Genl Loan to take
charge of the property. I had advertised
to sell Contraband Horses to day - but an
order from Genl Loan, prevented it.
I had an order from him yesterday -
directing me to turn over all Contraband
property and other stuff in my pos-
session to the Quartermaster of the Sixth
Regt Cav Md M, and ordered me to in-
form him how I came to have possession
or control of Contraband Property &c
I cant obey his order and yours too
I have just wrote to the Genl and also
enclosed him copies of the orders that I
have had from you. It seems that the
Quartermaster of the 6th Regt Md M - was at
Jefferson the other day and wanted to get
an order on me for the money that
I sold Contraband Stock for for the
purpose of paying his extra duty men which
may probably of had something to do with
the issuing of Loans Order - I want the
matter settled, as it places me in an
awkward position. and the 2^d M -
says he dont want anything to do with the

Office of War 3916
Harrisburg Pa Feb 12 1863
Cit
Genl B. G. Farrow
Chief Provost Marshal

that he had turned the
Quinn and Logan
over to an Agent of the U.S.
Marshal. There being
an attachment against
them before him in
favor of the Union Bank
he had an order for
Gowan to take charge of
the property not had
retained for sale with
Gowan in his possession
but an order from Genl
Gowan to take the sale he
also recd an order from
Genl Gowan directing him
to pass over to the P. M.
of the Provost Marshal
all ~~the~~ property in his
possession also ordered
him to inform him by
whose authority he
assumes control of ~~the~~

property to be had
written to the Genl and
enclosed copies of orders
recd from him. The
P. M. of the 7th Regt was
No. 1. He had heard at
Jeff City - for the purpose
of getting an order on him
for the proceeds of sales
of the stock to appropriate
for paying his interest
new Whittles that might
have accrued Genl Gowan
in issuing the order.
He hopes the difficulty would
soon be settled.
He has 29 Horses as
they are to be paid off
in a few days. He thinks
that since horses would
then bring a fair price

Recd O. G. S. Co. & Co. J.
Feb 18th 1863

matter. I have Twenty nine Horses
on hand. Some of them will do for service
others very honary: and as we will
be paid off here in a few days they will
bring a tolerable fair Price. I would
of sold them before this if we had of been
Paid. but as money was very scarce here
I did not think it Policy
I am very respectfully
Yours
J. Moore at Lt &
Prov Marshal
Col B. G. Farrow

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2 or more

Colours

1865

A. Howell



Noted for Feb 2^d 1863

Thirty days after date we promise to pay
to the order of A. Murrell Eleven hundred
and eighty eight & 67/100 Dollars with interest
from date for value rec^d in Federal money

\$ 1188. ⁶⁷/₁₀₀

Chas. J. Mulford

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No ~~17~~ 41

Estone H.

vs

Ernest W. Capps

Feb 27, 1863

Judgement
for

\$ 271.16

41

Recorded

Ernest W. Capps

Ernest W. Capps

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No
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E. Stone & Co. }
vs. } Provost Court
Church Capt. } Norfolk.

Feb. 27 1863.

After hearing the statements of parties
in open Court, and upon deliberation, it is determined
and adjudged that the Defendant is indebted in the
sum of Two Hundred and seventy one ^{over and above all credits.} \$100. dollars, and it is
ordered that the said Plaintiff have and recover
judgement for that sum payable in current
Bank funds of the State of Virginia

Col. 19th Regt. Misc. Inf. Volunteers
Provost Judge.

Norfolk Feb. 27 1863.

Nonfals. Feb. 28th. Received from Col. H. J. Gauders, Provost Judge - Mr. Hunsdon County in settlement in Virginia Bonds, in case of Estate of an Enslaved Cappoon less 3 per cent taxes as taken by the Government.

Robert M. Mahey
City of Cincinnati

Almond 1/2 lb

Cocoa Butter

1/2 lb

Indigo on the ...
100 ...

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United States



of America.

STATE OF NEW YORK, ss.

By this Public Instrument be it known, to all whom the same doth or may in anywise concern, that I, EDWARD BISSELL, a Public Notary, in and for the State of New York, by Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the said State, duly commissioned and sworn, dwelling in the City of New York,

Do hereby Certify, That, on this thirtieth day of December

A. D. 1862 before me Personally Came and Appeared, Edward F. Stone formerly a clerk in the employ of the late firm of E. Stone & Co. merchants and at the aforesaid firm having been composed of Edward Stone, William F. Kortright, and Daniel C. Littlewood who being by me duly sworn according to law, on his oath doth depose and say, That he was a clerk in the service & employ of the aforesaid firm of the City of New York,

That the names of all of the Co-partners who composed the aforesaid firm are above correctly stated & written

that the foregoing and annexed account is correctly made out from the Books of Original Entry of the said E. Stone & Co. that the said charges were made in said books at or about the time of their respective dates; that the goods for which said charges were made, were sold and delivered by said E. Stone & Co.

to E. Capps of Norfolk in the State of ^{Virginia} that the charges are correct, and the account just and true, as stated, to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief; that the demand of Stone & Wall against said E. Capps as shown by the annexed Account & Statement is just, due, and unpaid; that the same, or any part thereof, has not been paid or settled by the said E. Capps

or by any person or persons for him except as may be shown by said annexed Account & Statement; that there is no just offset shown to deponent, either in law or equity, against said demand; that there is now due (as aforesaid) the sum of Two hundred and forty nine 92/100 Dollars, exclusive of any payment or

set-off; that no usurious interest has been charged, and that lawful interest is due thereon from and after the 2d day of September 1861 (one) at five per centum per annum; that the aforesaid sum of 249 92/100 Dollars is due in full for exchange on New York in addition to the balance of said Account & Statement which has been paid by said E. Stone & Co. to said Stone & Wall and that Edward F. Stone said firm has no collateral, real or personal, security whatever from said debtor, to secure said indebtedness or any part thereof.

x Edward F. Stone

Subscribed and Sworn to before me, the date aforesaid,

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my official seal, the year, month, and day first before written.

Edward Biswell

Notary Public of the State of New York,
No. 271 BROADWAY, Corner of Chambers Street, FIRST FLOOR
over "Shoe and Leather Bank," New York City.

Mr. O. Capps To O. Stone & Co. Dr

March 28 1861

1	1	Doz Honey Ribbon Dies		2 50
2	1	" " " "		3 50
3	1	" " " "		2 50
4	1	" Black " "		2 50
5	1	" Honey Subular "		5 50
6	1/2	" Striped Beaufort "	4 50	2 25
7	1/2	" Plaid " "	5 50	2 75
8	1/2	" Striped " "	6 00	3 00
9	1/2	" Blk " "	3 50	1 75
10	1/2	" " " Ribba "	4 00	2 00
11	1/2	" " Cord " "	4 00	2 00
12	1/2	" " Radsmere "	4 50	2 25
13	1/2	" " " " "	6 00	3 00
14	1/2	" " " " "	3 50	1 75
15	1/2	" " Striped Sticked End "	4 50	2 25
16	1/3	" " Beaufort "	4 50	1 50
16 1/2	1	" Silk and Lure "		2 50
17	1/3	" Elastic Suspenders "	4 00	1 33
18	1/2	" " Striped " "	2 75	1 37
19	1/2	" " " " "	3 50	1 75
20	1/2	" Narrow " " "	2 25	1 13
	1	" Assorted Kingston Braces "		9 50
	1	" Boys " "		1 25
861	1	" Saffetta Gloves "		3 50
4 50	1	" " " " "		3 50
50	1	" Mid Skin & Sole " "		6 00
	2	" Cold Saffetta " "	7 00	14 00
	3	" Angeln Kid Gloves "	12 00	36 00
				Carried over
				\$122 83

			Forward	122 83
	1	Doz White Kid Gloves		12 00
1	2	" Lord R.C. Brighton Collar	1.62 ²	3 25
2	2	" " " " " " " "	1.37 ²	2 75
2	2	" Square " " " "	1.50	3 00
1	1	" Square Prince of Wales " "		1 62
	2	" Excelsior Brighton Paragon	1.62 ²	3 25
2	2	" Center Cord " " "	1.50	3 00
2	3	" R. Cord " " " "	1.50	4 50
1	2	" 3/4 Polka " " "	1.62 ²	3 25
2	3	" English Bishop " " "		4 50
150	1/2	" Bro. bott Dressed Shirts	4.50	2 25
250	1/2	" White " " " "	4.50	2 25
92	1/2	" India Gauge " " "	6.00	3 00
120	1/2	" " " " " "	7.50	3 75
130	1/2	" " " " " "	9.00	4 50
310	1	" White Leli Thread " "		12 00
62	1	" Sewer Drawers		4 50
37	1	" " " " " "		5 50
20	1	" " " " " "		6 00
165	1	" Sewer Comb Socks		3 63
185	1	" " " " " "		4 62
	1	" " " " " "		6 12
66	1	" White " " " "		2 00
69	1	" " " " " "		3 00
72	1	" " " " " "		4 00
	1	" Assorted Black Napoleon's		7 50
43	1/2	" Shoulder Braces	6.00	5 50
5	1/2	" " " " " "	6.50	4 25
		Balance		1 50
				249 92

Accounts not settled by note or cashed before due, will be drawn for at maturity.

New York

Jan

1862

Mr C Capps Norfolk
To STONE & HALL, DR.
252 Broadway.

Please draw the Note to your own order, payable at
Bank, with Exchange on New York.

1861

Nov 28

To Merchandise.

249.92

Due Sept 28/61

The above account
was transferred to Stone & Hall
by C. Stone & Co. Sept. 5th 1861

C Stone

Nashville, Tenn. Feb. 17/68

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Freedaile, Wm. Chief of Police

A list of property seized
by the Army Police. Col.
Wm. Freedaile chief

Recd. Wm. G. Dc. Feb. 21/68

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A list of Property Seized by the Army Police Co. William Trusdick's Chief

Owner's Name	Description of Property	On what seized	How disposed of	Supposed Value
J. Stewart	A Stock of goods consisting of Dry Goods, Groceries, & Liquors. 417 Boxes & packages	X	Turned over to Board of	22,000.00
M. Harger & Co	9 Boxes Made - consisting of Groceries, farming goods - Stationary canned Fruits &c		" " " " "	500.00
M. A. Jacobs	2 Box Balagan Sausage (Sausage each end white wine in the middle)	Contraband and being smuggled	" " " " "	100.00
Calverton	8 Kegs Nails, 1 Trunk, 1 Box. 5 1/2 Bbls partly filled with Liquors 156 pieces Cornmeal (642 lbs)	Owned by a Smuggler	" " " " "	2,100.30
Brown	3 Boxes & Five Bbls cloths	Owned in a circulation	" " " " "	10,300.00
B. Lark	26 Box Dry Goods, 1 Chest 1 Bal. Sausage	Owned by a Smuggler	" " " " "	6403.25
John Guyge	1 Box canned Peaches		" " " " "	11.00
B	1 Box Sturdies	Attempt a Smuggling	" " " " "	555.50
				49470.05

A list of Property Seized by the Army Police Col. William Trusdell Chief

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J. Stewart	A Stock of goods consisting of dry Goods, Groceries, & Liquors. 417 boxes & packages		X Turned over to Port Board	23,000 00
Mc Harger & Co	9 Boxes Made - consisting of Groceries - fermenting goods - Stationary canned Fruits &c		" " " " "	5,000 00
Mc A. Jacobs	2 Box Bologna Sausage (Sausage each end whole wine in the middle)	Contraband and being smuggled	" " " " "	100 00
Salzgeber	8 Regs Nails, 1 Trunk, 1 Box. 5 1/2 Bbls partly filled with Liquors 156 pieces Domestic (Garments)	Seized by a Smuggler	" " " " "	2,100 30
Brown	3 Boxes & Four Bolls cloths	Owner in active rebellion	" " " " "	12,300 00
B. Lark	26 Box Dry Goods, 1 chest 1 Bal Domestic	Seized by a Smuggler	" " " " "	4,400 25
John Guyozze	1 Box Canned Peaches		" " " " "	1,100 00
⑦	1 Box Starch	Attempted smuggling	" " " " "	555 50

Andrew Swing	13 Boxes Valuable Sew Books and papers	Owner an officer in rebel army goods being sent South	Port Fee	49470 05
Case of O.C. Phillips & Co.	1 Trunk Trunk	Supposed case of Smuggling	Turned over to Provost Marshal	5000 00
P. Waller	3 Trunks 1 Carpet Bag & 1 Box containing Shavers, Hats, Combs, Toop, Necesses, Hose &c	Owner acknowledged himself to be a Smuggler		1000 00
Smith & Day	1 Box Trunk	Supposed case of Smuggling		550 00
No name	1 Box Gradys Buttons	Contraband		12 00
J. Hutterbeger	194 Boxes Dry Goods Notions &c	Smuggling		3500 00
M ^r Jarnigan " Carter	An assortment of Dry Goods, Notions, Clothing, Boots Shoes &c	Smuggling	J. Master	1500 00
No name	130 oz Guanine, 1 lb. by ... or 2 oz Morphine, 1 Bot Olive Oil 485 yds Domestic		M Department	1080 25
Isaac & Michael Hutterbeger	902 of U.S. Treasury Notes 65 of Southern Money	Smuggling	to Govt	967 00
				13579 30

Wm. Steil	413 lbs. Tobacco		Transferred over to Provost Board	20000	63,579.50
Walton & Reed	49 Bbl. Salt		" " " Camp Dept.	441.00	
Samuel Dean Order 58 th Dist Dept.	1000.00 worth of Liquors 20 oz Opium, 20 oz Morphine	Central and	Medical Dept Govt	1580.00	
Geo. Hagen - 1st. Major Order 75 th Dist Dept.	1 lot of Liquors	"	" " " "	70000	
Recd from Name unknown	6 large boxes property		" " " "	2500.00	
United States	1 case Opium supposed to have been stolen from the U.S. Govt		" " Convalescent Barracks	72000	
No Name	part-kg rifle powder		Ord stores, Office Govt	1875	
" "	6 Drums Morphine 5 oz Opium		" " Medical Dept	3550	
Morgan & Co	Stock of goods - consisting of Dry Goods, Notions &c		" " Medical Dept	10000	
J. M. Watson	20 oz Opium, 10 oz Morphine 3 pr Cotton Cards		" " Medical Dept " Capt. Chas. Smith	244.50	
L. D. Hoga	15 Bbl Whiskey, 1 Bbl Apples	Central and without permit	" " Medical Dept	1205.00	
					106824.05

J. Stewart	15 Bbls Whisky & 6 Bbls Brandy	Contraband & no permit	Turned over to ^{Govt Dept}	106824.05 2160.00
Sunday Owners	13 Boxes Opium	No permit	" " "Lang Com"	7221.00
S. D. Hooga	2 Boxes Opium & 6 Bbls Sugar	" "	" " Medical Dept	52000
United States	Frights - collected on goods shipped on Government Boats		" " D. M. Bingham	17950
W. R. Dawson	6 Box Morphine		" " to Provost Board	1050
Sunday Parties	188 Mules & 125 horses captured from different parties	having been stolen from the United States Government	" " " D. Master	18780.00
" "	1400 Bbls Salt 1 lot Goods 5 Navy Revolvers & 1 carbine 200 Oz of Sul Sulfur		" " " Company	1260000
" "			" " " " "	1000000
" "			" " Ordnance Office	10800
" "			" " " M Dept	250000
See	Gold coin captured in Sumatra by		In hands of C. S. Court	208000.00
No Name	3 sets Single harness 3 Milk cans 1 Open basket 3 Blank		Turned over to Dr. Master	35.00
				260238.05
				260238.05

S. B. Witt Matthew Allison	479. \$ U.S. Money 5500. \$ currency "	Smuggling	Turned over to Dr. M. Taylor	26028 805 479 00 5500 00
Mr. Baldwin	Cash proceeds of mules stolen from the Govt. & by him sold		" Sub " " "	37 00
Mr. Best	Cash	Dealing in Govt. Stock	" " " Dr. M. Taylor.	4 000
Mr. Brown	Cash	Owner a Smuggler	" " " "	485 00
Mr. Perkins	Cash	" " "	" " " "	5 00
No Name	Cash taken from a Soldier's who had stolen it - currency	Stealing	" " in hands of Chief of Police	21 000
Mr. Stiel	Cash	Owner a Smuggler - Spec	" " " Dr. M. Taylor.	2 000
No Name	Cash taken from person having sold Govt. mules to obtain it	Stealing Returned	" " " "	9 000
J. H. Westfall	Cash proceeds of Legions sold with permit	Contraband and No permit	Turned over to Provost Board.	6 000
No Name	Bogus Confederate Money 4000 \$ Greenbacks 200 \$ A lot of Medicines 600 \$ " " " Liquor 1500 \$	Contraband Smuggling &c	Turned over to Gen. Grant's Dr. Master Bowling Green	5580 00
				272924 05

No	Name	Description	Remarks	Value
		2 Horses & 2 Mules		
"	"	1 Bbl Whiskey		
"	"	148 " Salt		
"	"	11 Rifles 7 Muskets 3 Single Ball Shot Guns 7 Navy Pistols 3 Small Pistols 8 Bayonets 19 Bayonet Scabbards 9 Cartridge Boxes & 3 Belts		
Gov	Suttons	Cash Received as Freight on Suttons goods shipped on Govt Boats		
H. H.	Warrington	1 Box Tobacco 100 U	Owner a Smuggler	
W. C.	Childs	One package Confederate Money all bogus but about 2000		
S. H.	Grime	One package Confederate Money all Bogus except 1700		
W. C.	Childs	One package Confederate Money all Bogus		
Owner Name Not Known		One package Bogus Confederate Money		
Owner Name Not Known		One package Bogus Confederate Money		
			Turned over W. Dr. Master	
			" " " Commissary	
			" " " "	
			Turned over by Ordnance Office	
			Forwarded via to Major Genl. [unclear]	2010 00
			" " " Z. M. Bingham	190 50
			" " " Provost Court	10000
			In hands of Chief of Police	80,000 00
			" " " "	1,350 00
			" " " "	9,637 00
			" " " "	599 00
			" " " "	734 00
				367548 55

Port Fort

367,548 55

Packages taken at different times from the Express Post office directed to Soldiers containing counterfeit Confederate Money

150,000 00

Maj's Kelim
3rd Ind Regt, Regt

3 half Bbls Whiskey

Central and No Permit

Turned over to Provost Board

160 00
5-17-70 55

No Names

2 New Sharpshooters
1 Side Saddle Leather 4 pr heavy boots
4 pr Mt. Heavy Dutch boots
10 cot cards 37 doz spun cotton
100 lbs heavy ~~wool~~
18 Muskets rifles & carbines

Smuggling

328 60
5-23-70 55

518,037 15

The foregoing list of Seizures made by the police of this department to the present date is respectfully Submitted
Washburn, June 17th 1863

Wm F. Durand
Chief of Army Police

City

Feb. 12. 1863

Gross David R.

Makes oath

against Franklin Crookshanks

Wm. H. Roggs, and Robert Haupp,

for attempting to murder
Charles Lewis

Deposition of David R. Wood
in the case of
Franklin Cookland vs. H. H. Hoyle

The United States of America against
Franklin Crookshanks Wm J. Boggs & Robert Hays
David R. Grose a Citizen of Clay City Va,
after being duly sworn says that he was at
Charles Lewises on the day that ~~Said~~ Charles Lewis
was shot by A. J. Boggs & Company, and that he
had just started for home when he saw ten
or twelve men approaching Charles Lewises house,
and he says that they instantly commenced shooting
toward the house and he supposed at Charles Lewis
as he heard the old lady screaming at a powerful
~~and~~ ~~by~~ ~~rate~~ & begging them for gods sake not
to shoot any more at him. he then started to
run on toward home & was halted by Wm J
Boggs. he told him to come and sit down by him
which he did for a minute or two. he said ~~that~~
Wm J. Boggs Franklin Crookshanks & Robert Hays were
sitting by the side of the path on a spot facing
toward the house; he says that they all seemed
to be watching toward the house and cornfield
surrounding it, & ^{he} supposed they were watching
for Charles Lewis for Boggs told him to be
still for he was coming he further ^{says} they had
their guns presented ready as he thought for
shooting Boggs having his thumb placed over the eye
of his gun he further says that he then ran
home to his fathers and he says that in
the course of two hours Lewis came in to
his fathers in a gear of blood & desired
him to go into the woods and dress his
wounds he said that one ball had taken
effect in the left shoulder and the other
in the ^{the} right side ~~the~~ further the witness says the note

Signed David R. Gross

Sworn to and Subed before me
S. B. Gross a justice of the peace
in and for Clay County given under
my this 12th day of February 1868

S. B. Gross J. P.

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Feb. 12. 1868

Gross David R.

Makes oath

against Franklin Crookshanks

Wm. H. Hoops, and Robert Hoops,

pretending to murder

Charles Lewis

Justice of David R. Gross
in the county of
Clay - Arkansas 1868

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Feb. 1863

Godfrey Thomas.

States that Newton Shoemate

Abram Smith, Marshal Mullins,

Squire Mullins and William

Smith are Bushwhackers.

Newton Shoemaker
Abram Smith
Marshal Mullens
Squire Mullins
Wm Smith

Statements of
Thos Godfrey & others
concerning Bushwhacking

Thomas Godfrey's Statement.

Newton Shoemate was a member of John Acord's Bushwhacking Co of Wyoming and Raleigh Counties. His general reputation is very bad.

Matthias H Luster. States. that he knows Shoemate. and heard him say he did belong to Acord's Co. and did not deny being a Bushwhacker.

Wm R Clements states that Abram Smith was a member of Thomas Burchfield's Bushwhacking Co. he told me himself that he shot Mr Phillips at Mr P's own house and he helped to drive off Mr Phillips. Horses & cattle.

Isaac N Clements. states. that he knows Abram Smith to have been a month off. he told me that he had shot Mr Phillips and that he had helped to drive off his horses & cattle. And I heard him say that he intended to kill Mr Phillips. he did not care how long it was after peace ~~is~~ declared.

Abram Blakely states that he heard Abram Smith say he would kill Mr Phillips. if it was (5) five years after peace is declared. and that he did at one time shoot him.

Wiley Phillips. states that on the 2nd day of Sep^r 1862 between daylight and sunrise I walked to my door and was fired upon by some ^{at first} unknown person. the bullet striking my knife in my pocket. I thought I was not hurt. but presently discovered (from pain) that I was wounded. I said nobody. but heard people say that it was. Thos Burchfield. Abram Smith ^{and} Burrell Kennedy who fired upon me.

Jasper Workman. states. I was wounded severely on Aug 14th 1862. in Raleigh Co near Lump's house. Four (4) shots were fired at me. I saw nobody. but I am convinced by the statement of one Squiggal Coote. that Lump and some of his associates were the persons who shot me. Whilst lying at my brother's house. it was proven to me that all this.

about neighbours were at their respective homes or attending to their business, except Trump and his gang, or he made their boasts that they had killed two (2) Union men before that time. And I know that no Union man dare travel the roads in their neighbourhood without a guard of U.S. Soldiers, and time and again they fired upon Federal troops passing that way, Thomas Godfrey states that the general reputation of Trump is very bad, he is considered a very dangerous man, he is looked upon as a notorious bushwhacker.

Mr W. Duster & James Payne, confirms the statement of Mr Godfrey Cap. Walker, states that Trump's son told him that his father (Trump) has bushwhacked the Federal troops & Union men all summer, and that they had not been able to get him out of his stronghold or stopping ground.

Wiley Phillips states that M. Mullens acknowledged that he was a bushwhacker in Burchfield & Foley Co's and that he had helped to take his (Phillips) horses & cattle, and sell them, for he was a damned old Union man, and that they had shot & killed him. Mr R. Clements, states that M. Mullens was in Foley Co of Bushwhackers and also in Burchfield he told me himself that he had helped to take Mr Phillips horses & cattle & sell them.

Isaac R. Clements, corroborates the above statement of Mr R. Clements. Wiley Phillips states that he states Amos Squire Mullens to be a bushwhacker belonging to Burchfield & Foley Co's and Mr Smith acknowledged to him that he had driven off his cattle and horses and that he was a member of Burchfield's Bushwhackers. I R. Clements corroborates this statement.

Mr R. Clements states that Mr Smith son of Abram Smith was a member of Burchfield Co of Bushwhackers, he helped to drive Mr Phillips horses & cattle away and said he wished he was back in the Rebel service, and said that if released by U.S. Authorities he would enlist in the Rebel Army for the war.

The above named persons all state that Richard Smith is a Bushwhacker.

Spaul and Isaac N. Clements, further states, that -
Burchfields Co of Bushwhackers arrested J. & A. Richmond
(two union men) and Mr. Mullens, Squire Mullens, Abram Smith
and William Smith. They the said Richmonds, delivered
them to the Rebel Authorities, who, after making them dig
their own graves, brutally murdered them at Fayetteville
this can be proven by U.S. Soldiers of the 34th & 37th Reg^{ts}
O.T.S. who were at that time prisoners of War at Fayetteville

89 — 7863
Baltimore July 9 1863

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Reguly John B
St — 53 — 1863

Writes in relation to
John S. Thomas another
Pringle Citizen of Washington
Co Md who was last imprisoned
by Gen Stewart in his last raid
into Maryland

Yr's Tris O. B.

Defenses of Baltimore
St. Matthew Feb 11/63

Respectfully refer to
Maj. Genl Schenck
Commanding 8 Army
Corps —

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Bt Brig General U.S.A.
Commanding —

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Washington Feb. 9th / 803

Gen. Morris

Dear Sir.

Mr. John J. Thomas
a member of the Maryland leg-
islature and a worthy citizen
of Washington County of this
State, was taken prisoner
by Gen. Sherman on the occa-
sion of his last raid into
Maryland, and has been
confined in one of the pre-
tentive dungeons of
Richmond ever since.
His only offence is his
loyalty. Application has
been made time and time
again by his nearly extinct

ed wife to the Relief Committee
at Washington; but all the
members have a very firm
opinion of such a course
as they would sanction were
it adopted. That course is
as follows. Search for rebels
and hold them in custody for
the relief of Mr Thomas, in
whom I am more especially
interested, and of Mr Trinkle,
also of Washington County
Maryland taken by Stein
along with Mr Thomas.
When to find two rebels in
this State, who owned such
papers themselves, and
immediately to secure their
release take a solemn
oath of allegiance to the
County which in their hands
they solemnly took with an

penitentiary State, I confess
my inability to frank out,
and the more unfortunate of
such an impossible remedy
by the Dept is to see the
strongest evidence of their
indifference to the condition
of them as well as hundreds
of other captives of the
U. S. who for allegiance
consistently granted at all
times, receive any thing else
but protection. Under these
circumstances it occur-
ed to me that perhaps
you might have two
shells in your possession
who might be disposed
of in the manner sugges-
ted by the Department,
and that it would be worth
going so far in me

To suggest that they be
used to secure the release
of Mrs Thomas and Family.
Both of these gentlemen
an celebration of Hancock
and of the most common
franchise loyalty. Mrs
Thomas at the time of
her capture being engaged
in raising a Cavalry Company
for the war - and having
voted such mention in the
legislation on every occa-
sion as a legal reason
assigned to. I enclose
you a pass from the
Provost Marshal & read
that she may not being
able to get them, as a
warrant of my own character
and standing - Mrs Thomas
is waiting a reply to this
as the last resort would you
could greatly oblige an unfortunate
woman by replying at once
and positively - John G. ^{Sturges} ^{Sturges}

HEAD QUARTERS, MIDDLE DEPARTMENT, 8th ARMY CORPS.

OFFICE PROVOST MARCHAL.



Sold by Wm. Minnie, 114 E. 10th St.

Baltimore Feb 6 1863

Permission is hereby given to John V. Sinden
to proceed to Fort McHenry to see Genl Morris

By Command of Major General Schenck

J. S. Sinden Provost Marshal

do solemnly swear that _____ will support, protect and defend the Constitution and Government of the United States against all enemies, whether domestic or foreign; and that _____ will bear true faith, allegiance and loyalty to the same, any ordinance, resolution or law of any State Convention or Legislature to the contrary notwithstanding; and further, that _____ do this with a full determination, pledge and purpose, without any mental reservation or evasion whatsoever; and further, that _____ will well and faithfully perform all the duties which may be required of _____ So help God:

Witness,

..... SEAL

..... SEAL

..... SEAL

BALTIMORE,

1863.

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Washington Feb 18th 1863

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Hon. John S. Callahan

~~CITIZEN~~

calls attention to cases
of injuries done to property
of union men by Federal
Soldiers at Harpers Ferry

G. 107, February 20th 1863

Major Genl Schenck

Respectfully referred to Major
General Schenck by Vols.

By order, W. A. Nichols

Adj. Genl. Act. Adj. Genl.

Feb 21/63

Recd at H^{rs} 8th & A Corp. Feb 24/63

Recd No 8 Army Corps
Baltimore Md July 25/63.

Respectfully referred to
Brig. Genl B. J. Kelley
Command Defense of Upper
Potomac.

By Command of
Major General Schenck
Wm. W. Whipple
A. A. G.

Washington, Feb. 18, 1863.

Hon. P. A. Watson,

Asst. Secretary of War.

Sir:

Several of the former citizens of Harper's Ferry (who were my constituents when I was in public life) have addressed me letters, asking me to call attention of the War Department to the injury inflicted upon the property of loyal men by the Federal Soldiers.

One of them, Mr. E. A. Chambers, who was arrested by the Rebels early in 1861, and tried for treason against the State of Virginia, but acquitted because they found it impolitic to carry the matter further, wrote to me that the Federal troops had destroyed his house and fences, and taken his horses, cattle and hogs, and almost ruined him. Chambers

was and is yet one of the most resolute Union Men in Virginia. He voted against the Secession Ordinance, even amidst the bayonets of Rebel soldiers, & never failed to denounce the leaders of the Rebellion. He had eventually to leave, and has since been working in the Springfield Armory.

After reciting the injury done to his property by the Federal troops, he asks "Is this my reward for loyalty to the Union and the Government?"

W. Thomas Russell, Jr., also an Armorer, now at Springfield, writes as follows, under date of Feb. 8, 1863:

"The Federal Troops have almost destroyed my property at Harper's Ferry. My object in writing to you is to get your opinion whether the Government will indemnify me for my losses."

In some instances doors and windows have been burnt, and

dwellings have been turned into stables.

Mr. Daniel J. Young, (Armorer) now an Agent of the Ordnance Department at Harper's Ferry, assures me that the Troops have behaved very badly, and asks me, in behalf of the suffering people, to respectfully invoke the interposition of the War Department, to prevent further aggression.

I have thus ventured, in the briefest possible terms, to recount the grievances of my friends in that quarter, with some degree of confidence that, even amidst your pressing duties, you will devote a little time to this subject, and give instructions to officers in command not to allow further injury to private property.

Very respectfully,

Your obt. servt.,

J. S. Gallahan

Baltimore Feb 21st 1863

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W. C. Briggs,

States that there is to
be raised a Company
in Balt. how & when
they are to leave, &c. -

It is intended this Company
shall join the Rebel Army.
The leaders are "Edgenton"
& "George B. Kane".

Citizens

Have ordered the arrest
of "Kane" & "Edgenton", and a
watch to be put on the
roads mentioned.

March 2, 1863,

No. 955 D. 13

Deputy of Boston

Fort Mifflin Mass
March 2/63

Respectfully refers to the
Military Court Member
Middle Department, 8th
Army Corps. From ~~the~~
certain statements made
by a prisoner last night
the subject of the within
communication may
be worthy the attention
of the Military Authority,
By command Maj Genl
Annis -

C. W. Andrews
Capt as before

Provost Marshal's Office,
HEAD-QUARTERS MIDDLE DEPARTMENT.

Baltimore Md., *March 28 63.*

PRISONER.

G. Edgerton

RESIDENCE.

CHARGE.

SEE CASE OF

Ford McHenry Md February 27th 1863

General

I am informed that there is a Company being raised in Balto. for the Rebel Service composed of 70 men armed with "revolvers" — It is probably got up by "Edgerton" and "George B Kane" formerly "Provost Marshall" of Balto — The Company is to leave Balto. the last of this week or the first of next — The men will go out in "Squads" ^{on} the old "Liberty Road" and cut across Howard County and meet at the first Station above the "Relay House" on the Balto. and Ohio Rail Road — and will take the "Grist Road" through to Poolesville and from there to "Edmond's Ferry" four miles from Leesburgh and then they are to join Colonel "White"

I have the honor Sir

to be your Obedt Servant

W & Briggs 1st Lieut

& Co 5th Artillery N.Y. Vol

P.S. If there is any action taken in this matter I should like to have a hand in it M & B.

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Washington July 14th, 1863

Comfy: An In
To

Hon: E. M. Stanton
Secretary of War

Regarding "James Seligman" &
"Wm. H. Everingham" two of
his Constituents now in
confinement at Fort McHenry
charged with the reception
& destruction of the "Stops"
"Bond Issues"

(1 Enclosure)

Cts

Recd at Ft. Det 8th Corp, Dec. 2/63
11 Aug 24/63 W. G. B. 4/1

Referred to
Major General
Schenck for
report and
with directions
to take measures
for the trial
of the bodies
accused.

Edwin M. Stanton
Secy War

Adj Gen U.S. Army Corps
Baltimore Md March 2, 1863

Respectfully referred to Post Brig
Genl W. H. Morris who will please
return these papers to their Adj Gen
with such additional information
in the case of Tilghman and
Birmingham with names as he may
ascertain his possession
Command of Major Gen Schenck

Wm. H. Morris

Wagon D. O. B.

Reference of Post Office
of Ft. McHenry March 5/63
Respectfully returned to Dep
Wagon 8th Army Corps, with
the only additional infor-
mation in my possession

W. W. Wood

Brig. General U. S. A.
Commanding
3rd Division

Washington Feb 14th 1863

Sir,

Mr James Telphman, and William H. Eversham of Queen Anne's County, Maryland, both my constituents, are prisoners in Fort M^cHenry, by order, said to have emanated, from this City.

They are charged, it is said, with the recapturing and destruction of the "Hard Times", a small sloop, previously seized and then held, by the military authorities of the United States, for being employed in transporting goods to Virginia, contrary to law. I have no knowledge either of the alleged crime, or any participation in its commission by these prisoners, except what I derive from the newspapers, and the statements of their friends. The crime imputed is an ignominious one, and, as described, its commission was attended with extreme malignity and brutality. From my knowledge of Mr Telphman, who I know only by reputation, but with whose family and associations I have long been familiar, I cannot believe he could be engaged in such a transaction as this is described to be, whatever

may be the force of his political prejudices. He is a gentleman, and would not, I ^{am} sure stoop to ignominious crime, much less to personal cruelty. His friends avow his innocence, and say, he was at his residence, when it was committed. They say, that it can be conclusively proved, that Everingham, who was arrested at the same time, and on the same charge, was seven or eight miles distant at the time of this transaction; and although Wylshman lived near, and is unable to prove an alibi, simply for want of a witness, they say, as he was arrested on the same proof that inculcated the others, he is entitled to the presumption of innocence, arising from the mistake in charging them. I enclose a statement of facts, submitted to me by the friends of these parties.

From other sources, I learn, that Mr. Wylshman is confined in damp and unhealthy quarters, which seriously endanger, and have already impaired, his health.

I respectfully ask, that these persons may be, at once, transferred to healthy and comfortable quarters, and that their cases may be, as early as practicable, carefully examined,

that opportunity may be afforded them
to hear what may be alleged against them, and
that they may be permitted to produce the
proofs of their innocence.

This much is due to them, whether guilty
or innocent, and is equally due to the honor
and character of the Government. The transaction
^{with} which they are supposed to be ~~so~~ implicated,
was a great crime, and when proved guilty, ~~put~~
puts the guilty to severe punishment; but in
proportion to its enormity, is the duty to allow
the innocent full opportunity to acquit them-
selves, and ought to be the anxiety of the Govern-
ment to discharge them, where guilt does not
appear, and to correct any errors into which
its officers may have fallen;

I have the honor to be yours &c

Hon. E. M. Stanton
Secretary of War
Washington

Ad. Gen. M. D. S. Army Corps
Office Pro. Marshal.
Balt. Feb. 26. /63

Wm. S. Fish
Lt. Col. & Pro. Mar.

In relation to
Gen. Tighman

Rec. Feb. 27. 1863

Head-Quarters, Middle Department, 8th Army Corps,

OFFICE PROVOST MARSHAL,

Baltimore, Feb 26 1862

Bvt Brig Gen W W Morris
Commanding Defense Balt
General

I stopped a
"Rebel mail" at Leonardstown, in it
was the enclosed letter which will
give you some information in regard
Sighlman confined in the Post on
charge of being implicated in the
burning of the sloop Clara. I
forward the letter to you for your
information

I am very Respectfully
Yours most obt
W S Sub Lt Col
Provost Marshal

Balto. April 22, 1863.

Mr. W. L. Marshall,
Sir,

In the case
of James Seligman & Geo. A. Ever-
ingham charged with destroying a small
sloop, called the "Star Line", in Queen
Anne's County, Maryland, the United States
Court has no jurisdiction, it having oc-
curred within the body of the County &
within the jurisdiction of the State Court.

Very respectfully

Your Obedt Servant
J. S. Hayes,
U. S. Deputy Marshal

Head Quarters Middle Dept
& Army Corps
April 29 1863

Relation to cases of Typhoid and
Erysipelas changed with burning
sloop "hard times" or "blava".

Head-Quarters, Middle Department, 8th Army Corps,

Baltimore, Md., April 23 1863.

Major Genl R C Schenck

Commanding 8 Army Corps

General

I have the honor in obedience to your order to report that I have submitted the cases of Mr James Telphman and Mr William H Beveringham, to the Dist Atty of the U S for this Dist who has given the opinion that the ~~power~~ jurisdiction of the United States Courts do not extend to such a case. I enclose the opinion of the Dist Atty. The offence was committed within the body of Queen Anne's County Md. By the legislation of Congress jurisdiction is only assumed in such cases for the United States Courts when the offence has been committed out of the jurisdiction of any particular State. The Legislation of the State of Maryland has been ample upon this subject. The burning of any "ship or other vessel of not less than seven tons but less than twenty" is punishable by confinement in the penitentiary for not less than two nor more than ten years. This of

crime was committed in Queen Anne's County within the Circuit over which Judge Carmichael is Judge. The prosecuting Attorney is a gentleman by the name of Keating, of whose political views I have not been able to learn any thing. I know as little of the facts of the transaction so far as they are traceable to Messrs. Telfman and Everingham. There are ex parte statements among the papers which I herewith submit made by the friends of these gentlemen which indicate that there can be no evidence adduced against them. There are papers which show the grounds of arrest in these cases. There is no doubt that the original has been destroyed, it is by some called the "Globe" by others the "Hard Times"; I see no indication that two copies have been burned, but beyond this fact and the fact that Telfman and Everingham have been arrested the papers on the part of the Government disclose nothing. The statements by the friends of the prisoners treat the evidence against them as frivolous. I can form no opinion on this question. The papers may be sent to Mr. Keating to take such steps as his sense of duty may dictate but I respectfully submit that the military Courts can take no action in the case and the Courts of the United States

are powerful.

With great respect your obt servant

W L Marshall

Legal Advocate & Attorney

Respectfully, Fernando B
de la Mora

Mr Frank Wright

Feb 5th 1863

My dear Frank

I saw a letter yesterday that Sarah had just received from you, it was dated Jan 16th. I was quite delighted to have the pleasure of reading it. I assume ^{you} for it had been so long since I had heard anything from you that I really felt quite anxious to hear how you were getting along. I was very sorry to hear that you had not received any of the letters that had been written to you. I have written two, Sister one also Gillie, Dorsey & Mollie. The last letter I wrote and the one Sister wrote were given to the party that you requested should bring the things you wrote for and I thought that he had gone until yesterday when I learned that he was still in Maryland. I hope you will receive the letters as also the articles that you wrote

for, as they were all delivered according to order, and would have been in Richmond now if the party had not met with a mishap a short-time ago, you will hear all about it before long I expect. Weather thinks it was his own fault as he has been ready to go for some time but kept putting it off from time to time until he was found out, and hence the accident that happened to him but I hope an opportunity will offer shortly of sending them to you.

It was very glad to hear that you had gotten something to do as Weather expected it is a pretty clear place to live in without a fellow has plenty of money. I hope you will get the letter I wrote you by the party you requested as I told you some things in it that I am rather afraid to put in this as it has to go by mail to Balto. I saw Miss G. M. S. to day and told her that I had just seen a letter from you, and that you

were well, and that you enquired if she
had forgotten her old friend Franky,
but I know very well that she has not and
is not likely to do so, now and you not
glad to hear that, she was looking quite
pretty, I told her how she might write ^{to} J.
and I hope she will drop you a line
or two, but I was afraid to tell her so
as I thought she might not like it,
and I would not offend her for the
world, as she is one of my greatest
favourites. Our dear old Aunt is quite
well and sends her best love to you, and
says you must take care of yourself, and
that she hopes the war will soon be
over so that you may be able to come
back again to your old home, where all
your friends will be delighted to welcome
you, and I think your fair friend ~~would~~
the way would be as glad to see you,
as you might desire. The privateer ~~garard~~
Captured a small vessel a short time ago
down about Kent Island, and brought

it off to Centreville Landing; it had Court
-sabard goods on board, and after it
had been at the wharf a day or two, some
persons went down found the guard
in the cabin asleep, made them
prisoners, set the boat on fire and
the consequence was that she was
destroyed. They have since arrested
Mr. Reading Gilman and taken
him to Fort Mc Henry as one of the
party that set her on fire, but no one
knows who set it on fire as they were
all disguised and it was quite a dark
night, the guard was so frightened that
one of them (so report says) Dumbear
the Post-Master at Centreville, actually
dropped his wax in his breeches, so you
may judge whether or not their word
is to be credited as to who the parties
were who set fire to the boat. They also
arrested one of the Evermans as one
of those who set her on fire. The boat
burnt was the one which was going to
take the party that brought your last letter
to me, but I suppose he has probably
made other arrangements for going by this
time

I hope the situation you ~~have~~ ^{have} pays enough
to enable you to live comfortably, as well as
to lay by a little for a rainy day, as we
cannot tell how long the war will last, and
what is going to turn up one day after another
and it is very necessary that you, as well
as we at home, should be as economical
as possible in order that we may be prepared
for whatever turns up; or hold a tight hold
on your purse strings Old fellow, and do
not spend your money for any unnecessary
articles. I tell you what Fanny the wheat
on Sunny Side looks first rate ~~the~~,
indeed it is the best in the neighbourhood.
I have put up quite a nice quarter unit
~~the~~ you, and it is quite an improvement
to the place; but I told you all about these
things in my last letter, which I hope you
will receive before long, although it has
been written some time still I hope you
will find something in it that will

interest you. Several of your friends wrote
to you by the same person as also did I.
your friend Jo, tell him his father has
been quite sick but is now getting quite
well again. Miss Sarah is with us now
and desires to be remembered to you, also
Collins sends his love. The girls miss you
and I am so much I assure you, and
when the war is over, and you come back
I think there will be a poor chase for all
us poor fellows who have stayed at home,
in fact several of them have told me we
would have to stand in the back ground,
as the here boys that had battled with their
country's foes would claim all their attention
and I must confess I thought it would be
right that we should, although you know
that there are some of us who would be
with you if it ^{was} possible, your humble
servant for instance; but alas it cannot
be. I must now conclude by hoping this letter
may reach you safely. Goodbye my dear Brother,
may God bless and protect you, is my ardent prayer.
Your sincere Brother
Bunker

D. S. B.
Head-Quarters, Defences of Baltimore,

Fort McHenry, Md. Apr 20th 1863.

Lt Col Wm H. Church
Asst Adjt General
Colonel.

I have the honor to call yr attention to the case of James Silghaw and Wm H. Evergreen, who have been confined at this Post more than two months, charge with burning the Sloop "Horse Shoes". All the papers in these cases were sent to Dep of War, & Army Corps some time since. Perhaps reasons exist to the contrary, it is seen proper that these parties should have the hearing for which they ask.

Both parties strongly assert their entire innocence of the charge made against them.

Wm H. Church
Lt Brig General U.S.A.
Commanding

Centerville Md

Feb 9th 1863

Statement of facts connected with the arrest of James P. Lyman and William H. Evingham.

Within a few weeks two arrests on the order of the War Department have been made in our county by a detachment of the Provost Guard of Baltimore City. The parties arrested are James P. Lyman and a young man in very humble life named Evingham. They are both confined in Fort McHenry in very uncomfortable quarters and have no knowledge of the offence imputed to them except the report contained in the Baltimore newspapers. It is then charged that they were connected with the party that burned the "Hard Times", a small sloop found in some of the creaks of Kent Island and alleged to be engaged in conveying goods to Virginia. This sloop was of about eight tons burden and had been seized by the Provost Guard of this town and brought up to Crossin Creek. She had been in the creek about a week and had a regular guard of five or six men armed to protect her from rescue. At a late hour of the night she was boarded by four persons who finding the Guard asleep in the

cabin, fastened them in, then forced
the vessel, obtained the surrender of
the Guard and their arms, took them
ashore, marched them some few hun-
dred yards in the country and then
dismissed them. The only object of the
party evidently was to secure the de-
struction of the boat and it is presumed
to have been the work of the owner who
now he may have been and three of
his friends. It is altogether improbable
that James Pilgrimage had any hand
in it, for at that time and for some
weeks previous the ~~scarlet~~ fever had
prevailed in his family requiring all
his attention. One of his children was
ill at the time and has died since
his arrest. It is equally improbable
that Evingham participated in the
affair. He is a good man with a
wife and children. The overseer of
Charles J. B. Mitchell at Greens Town
and of course some seven or eight miles
distant. Moreover, the parties were
there can be no proof found worth
listening to showing their identity.
For it can be shown by the most
respectable testimony evidence
that every one of the Guard said on

reaching Centerville that they did not identify any of the capturing party and had not the remotest conception who any one of them was.

Although the *Hard Times* was in the possession of the Centerville Provost Guard yet she had not been reported to the authorities and it is said the Guard did not propose to report her at all but proposed to keep her as a fishing smack for themselves.

Some days after the destruction of the *Hard Times* some of the Provost Guard who had charge of her met a gentleman by the name of Vandear from Kent County, on board the Steamboat going to Baltimore, and had him arrested immediately on his arrival in that city and charged with participating in the destruction of the vessel. Fortunately for Mr. Vandear there was proof at hand which entirely satisfied the Provost Marshal who of his innocence and he was released.

It can be conclusively proved in Birmingham case that he also was absent for a distance of seven or eight miles at the time, from the place of seizure of the vessel. Three re-

Small witnesses will testify to this.

Mr. Tilden was by fortunate
in the proximity of his home to the
place where the vessel was anchored
was thus afforded the opportunity
without being seized, of being pre-
sent. And the situation of his
sick family requiring the constant
presence of his daughter in the sick
room, and she being the only white
person of sufficient age to testify, must
preclude the receipt of an alibi to
him. The destruction of the vessel
occurring about one O'clock A.M.
would naturally find his younger
children asleep. But his friends
aver that as he was arrested on
the same proof that incriminated
the others he is entitled to the
presumption of innocence arising
from the mistake in charging
them.

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Pritchard

Enclosures

Dr Pritchard - N° 1

Mrs Caroline Pritchard - 2

May 1863

DEPARTMENT OF THE CUP

208 Carondelet St

NEW OR

Copy handed personally
to Capt. Stearns by direction
of Capt. F. B. Pratt

M. S. Leggett

Recd. B. No. 9. 9. 1865

Head Quarters

Defenses at New Orleans

La

Swiss Cottage

Donaldsonville, April 2^o /63

To Brig. Gen. Bowen

The undersigned respectfully represents; that she has just returned from a visit to the Parish of Iberville; to the Golden Gate, Sunny Side, and Evergreen Plantations where she went, that she might investigate the report relative to the arrest of Mr. Charles Mather; purchaser of Evergreen plantation formerly belonging to Dr. J. Pitchard, and now virtually belonging to said Dr. J. Pitchard as the purchase money has not been paid.

The purchaser of said Evergreen plantation, was arrested, and imprisoned under suspicion of having cut the Telegraph wire; was tried, after having been in jail three weeks, in Donaldsonville, and acquitted finding no charge against him; together with Mr. Jules E. Lettore, who resides about one mile above, where the wire was cut; and who was also arrested, with Mr. C. Mather under suspicion of having cut the wires - as the above named gentlemen were out, spending the evening, with a friend. The Picket Guards who are stationed all along the levee, in Iberville,

Parish, commenced pillaging the said Evergreen Plantation, by shooting Turkeys, fowls, sheep &c, they informed their overseer of said Plantation, that they intended to strip the place.

The undersigned respectfully represents that Dr. J. Bitchard and family are Loyal Citizens of the United States, and solicit protection, and safe guard, for the above named Evergreen Plantation, having a heavy Mortgage upon the same: Also letters of protection for Golden Gate, & many ^{other} ^{parts} ^{of} the same.

The undersigned, also respectfully represents, that she has seen the above named Picket Guards, with their plunder on their backs, namely, Poultry, & Lambs; which had been taken from other planters; regardless, whether friend or foe: Rebels, or Union.

The undersigned also represents, that the inhabitants of the Parish of Iberville, are fearful of the consequences; should they put their heads from their doors, after dark; having learned the cause of the arrest, of the above named Gorthons.

The undersigned also represents, that the road, in the above named Parish is filled with negroes, every night; and have it in their power to cut the wire, at pleasure, and have been suspected, in consequence

of having had Malicious feelings, against their
owners: Surely, none other would cut the wire
whereby they received their only intelligence.
It is to the interest of all Planters, that the wires
should be protected. They have proclaimed
the same; and would gladly contribute
their aid; but for existing circumstances,
they are fearful of arrest.

The Picket Guards, enquired of every
man, white or black, whether he was out, last
night; — all denied having been out, (although
full of negroes), Mr. Mather & Mr. Leblanc excepted
consequently they were arrested.

With high consideration & Respect
Caroline Pritchard

my
Head Quarters U S Force
Carrollton La March 11/63

Madam:

Some time since while in
conversation with Col Penball of the
8-3^d Regt. U S I had occasion to
inquire if he had either in his em-
ploy or under direction a Nigger
Boy by the name of Gustave
He replied by saying that the Boy
was in the Camp though not
in his employ - and that he
was enjoyed by all the Officers
more or less as men are and
black boys etc - and that thus

did not know that there
was any particular ob-
jection to having certain names

I am Madam
very Respectfully
Obedient Servant
Charles G.

Madam Pritchard
Creston &c.

P.S. I regret to add that on
inquiry of the boy ^{as to} Custine, when he
said his reply led me to in-
fer that he was at present being
= or working = at the Colonel's Tent =

Respectfully
Obedient Servant
Charles G.

Golden Gate Plantation
Jan'y 9th 1863.
Dr. Partridge

Complains of a Cavalry
Company who pulled
his house.

Sworn and subscribed to before

me: this 18th day of Decemr 1863

W. H. W. W.

W. H. W. W.
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John C. Hart, 1st Lt. 1st Regt. 9th Fed.

On Sunday morning December 24th 1862 I went as usual to High Mass and direct the Choir at St. Gabriel's Church. After Mass I was told the Federal Cavalry was at my place. I got my family and hurried on home found my place surrounded, demanded to see the Captain, when he came forward and demanded my arms, which were returned consisting of 1 Rifle, 2 Shot guns, 2 Old Muskets, 1 Revolver and Ammunition 3 Powder flasks, 4 Shot pouches and 1 Knitting bag. I then gave my resignation as First Lieutenant to the Captain to read, which he did, in the same time a Gunboat stopped in front my place, and an Officer from on board came to the house spoke to the Captain and left, when the Captain and Command went about leaving I missed several articles which had been taken from the house, and asked him to return them, which he did, consisting of One Cargo Silver Satchel, 1 Pitt Silver Canteen, and when asked by my wife to return her buggy horse, he had been brought back in the yard. Immediately after the Captain and Command left two Soldiers from the same Company returned and demanded admittance, when I sent a boy to open the yard gate, who could not succeed in opening it. I then went myself and could not get the gate open as the catch had been broken when they drew their revolvers.

on me, Cursing and insulting me. I told them
 to come in by the other gate which they did—
 Said they had lost a revolver, which they afterwards
 found in the road two acres from my place, One
 was much intoxicated. On Sunday Jan 4th a
 Federal Cavalry Company came on the coast, same
 company which had been at my place on the 21st
 December, An Officer came in, asked for me, took
 me one side, and asked if I had not made a
 report to head quarters. I answered him I had not.
 He then asked if Lieutenant Croft had pillaged
 my place, I replied No. that he Lieut. Croft
 had not. he then asked could I give him that
 in writing I answered Certainly, and did give him
 a Certificate to that effect, and I do here again
 endorse the same Certificate. But Lieut Croft
 had some few men with him on December 27th
 who had no scruples and did enter my house break
 open the side-board took what liquor there was, ^{in the kitchen} broke
^{open the} ^{parlor} ^{and} ^{the} ^{store room} ^{took} ^{what} ^{more} ^{they} ^{could} ^{find}
 entered the parlor, took ¹ Andrombone, ¹ Sax Horn
¹ ^{Delor} ^{Mounted} ^{Flute} ¹ Octavo Flute, ¹ Thorton Key
¹ ^{Clarinet} ¹ ^{Guitar} ¹ ^{Clarinet} ^{Reed} ^{Pipe} ¹ ^{Opay}
¹ ^{Opay} ^{glass} ¹ ^{Curve} ^{de} ^{Mer} ^{Pipe} In bed room
¹ ^{Box} ^{Extra} ^{fine} ^{razors} ^{one} ^{O.D.} ^{Cap} ¹ ^{pair} ^{pants}
¹ ^{pair} ^{gaintlets} ¹ ^{pair} ^{Ear} ^{ings} In my ^{wardrobe}
^{Shop} ^{two} ^{fine} ^{hand} ^{Saws} in the yard all the
^{scouty} ^{they} ^{could} ^{catch}, ^{one} ^{fine} ^{saddle} ^{Horse}
^{had} ^{all} ^{their} ^{horses} ^{fed} ^{at} ^{the} ^{stalls}, ^{and} ^{Com}

brought out in the road for their mules, which
was left I certify this is a true and correct statement

Jas A. Pritchard

I do solemnly swear and affirm that the
best of my knowledge and belief the within
statement is true
James Pitelney

Sworn and subscribed to before
me. the 18th day of Feby 1883

W. H. Williams
R. M. [unclear]
[unclear]

Comptroller of a County
Company who will
be there

Golden Gate Plankton
May 9th 1883
Dr. Prud'homme

To Major Gen: Banks.

Gulf

Commanding Department of the

The undersigned Respectfully represents that, she has, just returned, from a visit to the Survey Side, and Golden Gate plantations, situated in the Parish of Iberville State of Louisiana, on ^{the} east, or left bank of the Mississippi River, one hundred or two miles above the City of New Orleans and the same plantation's; Dr: J: Bitchard Respectfully petitioned; to Major Gen: Butler for protection; some time before he left the Department of the Gulf; which protection was not refused; but not granted; before he departed. Dr: J: Bitchard: Respectfully did represent; and now, represents, through his lawful Wife; Caroline Bitchard; that himself, and family, are loyal Citizens of the United States: That, he, himself, is now a resident of the City of Carrollton Parish of Jefferson, State of Louisiana, — That his Son; James A Bitchard, and family

resides on the above named Golden Gate
Plantation; and that his son Dr. Chase
Pritchard, and family reside on the
Sunny Side; plantation. Dr Pritchard
also respectfully represents that he has an
large interest, in the Evergreen Plantation
now occupied by Mrs. C. Walker and Sons:
This, plantation, and the Golden Gate, are
established, as sugar plantations; The Sunny
Side, established as a Cotton plantation.
All these plantations, have been inundated
and the crops destroyed from the levee
below Baton Rouge, so that the occupants
have been in a destitute condition
for the want, of the necessaries of life.

On Wednesday Morning, the 8 Inst, Mess
Pritchard, left Carrollton, for the above
named Golden Gate, & Sunny Side planta-
-tions; to investigate the report; which
was brought down by Mrs. Magee, and
confirmed, by Mr. Reinhardt; Mr. W. H. Perry
Gardeer: After having reached Donaldson-
ville; having an interview with Col. Hobson
was informed; that the statement made
to Head Quarters; was incorrect; that the

Col Holcom, had a line from Mr James
A. Pritchard to that effect.

But After having, arrived, at the Golden Gate
Plantation; and investigated the above
named report; relative to the Cavalry
Company; who pillaged the place, during
the time, the whole family, were at Church
found the statement; already made, to
Head Quarters; - by Mrs Pritchard; correct.
And that on Sunday, Jan 4th the same Cavalry
Company, that pillaged the plantation on the
21st of December; came along again: One of
the Officers, called; asked, for Mr Pritchard,
took him aside, and, dictated to him
all, he wished him, to give in writing;
would not permit him, to write, anything
relative to the shameful conduct, of the
Cavalry: Said he wanted to hear; nothing
of the Company; All he wished, was, to know
if Lieutenant Sprance, had pillaged the
place himself. Mr Pritchard answered.
No; he had not; himself; - but his Men;
had: Which was not permitted, to be written
Mr Pritchard was much alarmed; and
would have willingly done anything asked

in order, that, himself, and help his little family would be left in peace.

After having returned to Donaldsonville with a correct statement to Col Holcomb's (who received the communication with respect) then called up Lieutenant Krouse who, at first denied every charge, but upon being told, it could be proved by the whole neighborhood he appeared much excited. Col Holcomb ordered, Krouse, to restore all the land suffered his men to take from Mr Pritchard's plantation, (not containing) As yet; they have not been returned.

Col Holcomb gave a receipt, for one very fine riding horse, the only one Mr Pritchard had; and fully worth five hundred dollars; but estimated, at two hundred and fifty; only. Three Negroes were forced to go with Lieutenant Krouse Cavalry, but two of them, run away; and reached their home in safety. The other is now, in Donaldsonville. Twelve Negroes from the Sunny Side plantation, followed the Cavalry; and are now at Donaldsonville; nearly all the Negroes, from Coaree plantation, have left; which is an very formidable loss; Dr Pritchard having a heavy mortgage upon that plantation. Therefore, Dr Pritchard

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Solicits, from the Commanding Genl
Letters of protection; and permission to
Supply the above named plantations, with
all needful supplies, for the relief of
the Occupants; also a permit to visit
them at pleasure, either by land or
water; for himself and family.

And furthermore I
Britchard Respectfully Solicits the
Commanding Genl To grant permission
for him to take his property wherever
he may find it: That many of his negroes
left their homes; as soon as the United
States Forces, went over to Donaldsonville:
which was some time before the Presidents
proclamation.

Being loyal Citizens of the
United States: We Respectfully claim
protection, from the Commanding Genl
and; an Order; to have that, favorite
Horse restored: also, all articles taken
from Mr James A. Britchard; by Lieutenant
Horse, Cavalry Company: The statement
of which; the Commanding Genl will
please find enclosed. By granting the

above written request;
Major: Gen: Banks, will confer many
great and lasting obligations.

With high Consideration, and
most Respect, permit me, Gen:
to acknowledge myself, your
~~most~~ ~~grateful~~ friend

Caroline Pritchard

In addition to the above
a quantity of poultry was
taken: Chickens, Geese, Ducks
and Chickens.

Caroline Pritchard

Rec'd by her husband
James

New Orleans July 1863
Mrs. C. Pritchard

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Lat. Brewcoll & Others

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City

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S. B.
Head-Quarters, Defences of Baltimore,

Fort McHenry, Md. Feby 10th 1863

Col. W. H. Chesbrough
Asst. Adj. Genl.
8th Army Corps
Baltimore Md
Colonel

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your communication of this date relating to the prisoners James Logun and John S. Logun, and that they refuse to enter into any strong obligation to sustain the United States Government, and I still hold them in confinement.

I am Colonel

Most Respectfully

Your Obedient Servant

W. W. Morris

Bt. Major Genl. U. S. A.

Comdr. S. B. Defences of Baltimore

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W. D. S. Separate Brigade
Defense of Baltimore
Fort McHenry July 10th 63

Morris G. W. 1st Brigade
M.S.A. Command

States that the Promises
James League & John S.
League subject to enter into
any strong obligation to sustain
the U.S. Government, & that he
will hold them in con-
-fidence.

W.D.S.

Recd at 8th U. Corps Feb 11th 63

Head Quarters St. Louis District,
Office of Provost Marshal
Saint Louis Feb. 17 1863

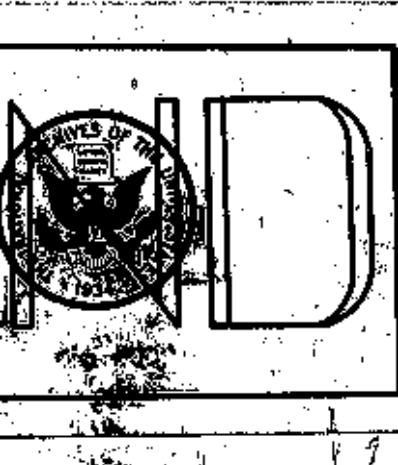
Michael Adams sworn: I am Proprietor of the St.
Lawrence Hotel, cor. 5th & Fallon.

About four weeks ago (I had charge of a
Hall for M Longemare, with authority to rent the same).
I went to the Hall, and found quite a number of persons
present (some 15 or 20). Pat Driscoll was Chairman, &
Langey Hogan was Secretary of the meeting. The
meeting was addressed by two or three persons (whose
names I do not know), and the purport of the remarks
was condemnatory of the Government, and U.S. Army.

Many of those present were known to me as secession
sympathizers, and I notified them that they
would have to leave, and told them that they were
a pack of rebels - John Foley, Billy Hughes,
Manning (a Tinner), Conway (soldier), Billy
Rosey, John H. Fisher (Liquor dealer) - English (Barber)
(This man lives in the lower part of the city and is a well known rebel
sympathizer (Scott) and many others whose I do
not know by name. The proceedings of that meeting
I have not a shadow of doubt were calculated to bring
Government credit & currency into disrepute and to
encourage opposition to the present Administration -
Subscribed and sworn to } Michael Adams
before me, this 17th day of Feb. 1863 }
W. H. Fisher }
Notary Public }

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